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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5221A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 1733A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.*—Babu Braja Durlabh Hajra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Howrah, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Deputy Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. G. R. Henderson, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Howrah.

No. 1742A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.—The orders of the 9th August 1918, appointing Babu Uma Prasanna Guha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, temporarily to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district, are cancelled.

Rajshahi.

No. 1751A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.—Babu Makhan Lal Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Birbhum, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Guru Saday Dutt, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Birbhum.

No. 1757A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.—Babu Praphulla Chandra Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is appointed to have charge of the Vishnupur subdivision of the Bankura district.

Burdwan.
Bankura.

No. 1759A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.—Babu Gunamay Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Burdwan district.

Nadia.
Burdwan.

No. 1769A.D.—The 24th September 1918.—Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., is appointed temporarily to act as Director of Land Records, Bengal.

Calcutta.

No. 1804A.D.—The 24th September 1918.—Rai Sarada Prasad Bakshi Bahadur, District and Sessions Judge, Birbhum, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Hooghly, Burdwan, Midnapore and Bankura, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 4th October to the 20th October 1918, inclusive. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. Sarat Kumar Ghose, G. B. Mumford, W. N. Delevingne and J. Johnston.

Birbhum.
Hooghly.
Burdwan.
Midnapore.
Bankura.

Rai Sarada Prasad Bakshi Bahadur is also authorised, under section 9(*4*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Suri, Chinsura, Burdwan, Midnapore, or at Bankura for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 1806A.D.—The 24th September 1918.—Mr. W. N. Delevingne, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Hooghly, Birbhum, Burdwan and Bankura, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 21st October to the 5th November 1918, inclusive. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. Sarat Kumar Ghose, Rai Sarada Prasad Bakshi Bahadur, G. B. Mumford and J. Johnston.

Midnapore.
Hooghly.
Birbhum.
Burdwan.
Bankura.

Mr. Delevingne is also authorised, under section 9(*4*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Midnapore, Chinsura, Suri, Burdwan, or at Bankura, for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 1808A.D.—The 24th September 1918.—Mr. P. E. Cammiade, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Jessore, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of the 24-Parganas, Murshidabad, Khulna and Nadia, during the ensuing Civil Court vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. A. H. Cuming, M. Yusuf, J. H. A. Street and R. E Jack.

Jessore.
24-Parganas.
Murshidabad.
Khulna.
Nadia.

Mr. Cammiade is also authorised, under section 9 (*4*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Jessore, Alipore, Berhampore, Khulna, or at Krishnagar for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 1810A.D.—The 24th September 1918.—Mr. Benegal Narsinga Rau, I.C.S., Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Bakarganj, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Mymensingh, Dacca and Faridpur, during the ensuing Civil Court vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except

Bakarganj.
Mymensingh.
Dacca.
Faridpur.

applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. J. D. Cargill, M. Smither and J. C. H. Macnair.

Mr. Benegal Narsinga Rau is also authorised, under section 9 (*4*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Barisal, Mymensingh, Dacca, or at Faridpur for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 1812A.D.—The 24th September 1918.—Mr. R. R. Garlick, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri and Darjeeling, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Rajshahi, Rangpur and Pabna-Bogra, during the ensuing Civil Court vacation. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. C. H. Moseley, Satyendra Chandra Mallik and Mahim Chandra Ghosh.

Dinajpur.
Jalpaiguri.
Darjeeling.
Rajshahi.
Rangpur.
Pabna.
Bogra.

Mr. Garlick is also authorised, under section 9 (*4*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri, Darjeeling, Rampur-Boalia, Rangpur, Pabna, or at Bogra for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 1814A.D.—The 24th September 1918.—Mr. Ashutosh Gupta, Additional District and Sessions Judge, Jessore and Khulna, is appointed to act as Additional Sessions Judge of Tippera, Chittagong and Noakhali, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 1th October to the 20th October 1918, inclusive. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. F. W. Ward, J. Cornes and Probodh Chandra De.

Jessore.
Khulna.
Tippera.
Chittagong.
Noakhali.

Mr. Ashutosh Gupta is also authorised, under section 9(*4*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Comilla, Chittagong, or at Noakhali for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 1816A.D.—The 24th September 1918.—Mr. F. W. Ward, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Tippera, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Additional Sessions Judge of Chittagong and Noakhali, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 21st October to the 5th November 1918, inclusive. He is authorised, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. J. Cornes and Probodh Chandra De.

Tippera.
Chittagong.
Noakhali.

Mr. Ward is also authorised, under section 9 (*4*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Comilla, Chittagong, or at Noakhali for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

No. 1837A.D.—The 25th September 1918.—Maulvi Quamaruddin Muhammad, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Noakhali district.

Dacca.
Noakhali.

No. 1857A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. G. C. Sankey, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the Rangpur district, on relinquishing charge of his present appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Rangpur.

No. 1860A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. J. A. Ross, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district, on relinquishing charge of his present appointment as Officiating Second Additional District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Midnapore.

No. 1866A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. A. K. Jameson, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Malda.

Chittagong.
Malda.

No. 1874A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. D. G. Davies, I.C.S., Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is appointed to have charge of the Cox's Bazar subdivision of the Chittagong district.

Darjeeling.
Chittagong.

No. 1881A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Babu Anadi Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Madaripur, Faridpur, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Faridpur.

No. 1885A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Babu Akhil Kumar Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankura, is transferred to the Munshiganj subdivision of the Dacca district.

Bankura.
Dacca.

No. 1888A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Babu Nalini Ranjan Raha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is transferred to the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Chittagong.
Faridpur.

No. 1892A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Maulvi Atai Ilahi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Patuakhali subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

Bakarganj.

No. 1947A.D.—The 28th September 1918.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Kushtia subdivision of that district.

Nadia.

No. 1951A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Mr. R. W. A. Ashe, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Rajshahi district.

Rajshahi.

No. 1958A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Mr. Satis Chandra Mukharji, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Hooghly, is appointed to be Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

Hooghly.
Calcutta.

No. 1963A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Mr. A. N. Moberly, I.C.S., Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Hooghly.

Calcutta.
Hooghly.

No. 1967A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Mr. Satyendra Chandra Mallik, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, on leave, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Bankura.

Bankura.

No. 1969A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Mr. J. Johnston, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Bankura, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Rangpur.

Bankura.
Rangpur.

No. 1971A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Mr. Gyanendra Nath Roy, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, on leave, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 1973A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Banamali Bagchi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinajpur, is appointed temporarily to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district.

Dinajpur.

No. 1987A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Madhu Sudan Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Netrakona subdivision of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 1989A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Khan Bahadur Saiyid Abdul Latif, Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 1st October 1918.

Calcutta.

Jessore. Mymensingh.

No. 2000A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Narail, Jessore, is appointed to have charge of the Tangail subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Jessore.

No. 2003A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Maulvi Tabibur Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed to have charge of the Narail subdivision of that district.

24-Parganas.

POLICE.—*No. 1762A D.—The 23rd September 1918.*—Babu Kshetra Nath Basu, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police, Barasat and Basirhat, 24-Parganas, is posted to the Sadar 'B' division of that district.

24-Parganas.

JAILS.—*No. 5185A.—The 27th September 1918.*—Lieut.-Col. D. R. Green, I.M.S., Officiating Superintendent, Presidency Jail, is appointed to act as Superintendent of the Alipore Central Jail, during the absence, on leave, of Lieut.-Col. J. Mulvany, I.M.S., or until further orders.

LEAVE.

Howrah.

GENERAL.—*No 1730A.D.—The 23rd September 1918*—Mr. A. G. R. Henderson, I.C.S., Officiating Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Birbhum.

No. 1748A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.—Mr. Guru Saday Dutt, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Birbhum, is allowed leave for thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Bankura.

No. 1755A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.—Babu Akshay Kumar Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Vishnupur, Bankura, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 1763A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.—Maulvi Ali Reza, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is allowed leave, on medical certificate, for one day, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 16th August 1918.

24-Parganas.

No. 1843A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.—Mr. Jogendra Narayan Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Dacca.

No. 1818A.D.—The 24th September 1918.—Babu Dwijendra Mohan Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is allowed leave for one month and seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

No. 5153A.—The 26th September 1918.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed furlough for six days, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 29th April 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 1845A.D—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. F. K. Dobbin, Coroner of Calcutta, is allowed leave, without allowances, from the 4th October 1918 to the 13th November 1918, inclusive.

Chittagong.

No. 1872A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Babu Kunja Lal Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cox's Bazar, Chittagong, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

No. 1879A.D.—The 26th September 1918.—Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Munshiganj, Dacca, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October 1918 to the 23rd December 1918.

Dacca.

No. 1945A.D.—The 28th September 1918.—Rai Sahib Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kushtia, Nadia, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October 1918 to the 11th November 1918.

Nadia.

No. 1954A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Bimal Chandra Sinha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is allowed leave for two months and three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Rajshahi.

No. 1983A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Jatindra Nath Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed furlough for five months, under articles 233 and 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in combination with the privilege leave for three months granted to him under the orders of the 1st June 1918.

No. 1985A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Jatindra Kumar Biswas, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Netrakona, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Mymensingh.

No. 1992A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Mr. Abul Muzaffar Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, leave for three months, on medical certificate, in extension of the leave previously granted to him.

POLICE.—*No. 1724A.D.—The 23rd September 1918.*—Mr. F. W. Kidd, Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st September 1918.

Mymensingh.

No. 1906A.D.—The 27th September 1918.—Mr. F. P. Walker, Superintendent of Police, Chittagong, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Chittagong.

No 5201A.—The 30th September 1918.—Khan Sahib Ghulam Rabbani, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Madarjpur, Faridpur, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Faridpur.

No. 5202A.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Karunamay Ray, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Chandpur, Tippera, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Tippera.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5203A.—The 1st October 1918.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Second Half-yearly Departmental Examination in 1918 of Assistant Magistrates, Deputy and Sub-Deputy Collectors in the regulation and non-regulation districts, of Cantonment Magistrates, and of officers of the Police, Medical, Forest, Public Works, Excise, Educational, Imperial Customs, Agricultural and Civil Veterinary Departments, will be held on Monday, the 18th November 1918, and the four following days.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5204A.—The 1st October 1918.—In continuation of Notification No. 5203A., dated the 1st October 1918, the following programme of the Second Half-yearly Departmental Examination for Civil, Police, Public Works, Excise, Forest, Military, Medical, Educational, Imperial Customs, Agricultural and Veterinary Officers is published for their information.

The examination will be held at the Dalhousie Institute, Calcutta.

The times fixed for the *viva voce* examinations will be communicated to the candidates individually.

Programme of Examination.

Monday, the 18th November 1918—

10 A.M.—

Viva voce (Bengali and Hindustani).

2-15 P.M.—

Viva voce (Bengali and Hindustani).

Tuesday, the 19th November 1918—

10 A.M.—

Viva voce (Bengali and Hindustani).

2-15 P.M.—

Viva voce (Bengali and Hindustani).

Wednesday, the 20th November 1918—

10 A.M.—

Translation from English (two hours), 10—12.
Dictation (one-half hour), Lower Standard, 12—12-30.
Dictation (one-half hour), Higher Standard, 12-30—1.

2-15 P.M.—

Translation from vernacular (two hours).

Thursday, the 21st November 1918—

10 A.M.—

Law, Part I (Criminal Law and Law of Evidence), without books (three hours).
Criminal Law for Police Officers, without books (three hours).
Law for Excise Officers, without books (three hours).
Forest Law, without books (three hours).
Canal Law, Part A, without books (three hours).
Law paper for the qualifying test of Military Officers for Cantonment Magistracy, without books (three hours).

2-15 P.M.—

Law, Part II (Revenue Law), without books (three hours).
Criminal Law for Police Officers, with books (three hours).
Law for Excise Officers, with books (three hours).
Canal Law, Part B, without books (three hours).
Land Revenue Systems, without books (three hours).
Cantonment Act and Rules, with books (three hours).

Friday, the 22nd November 1918—

10 A.M.—

Law, Part III (General Law), with books (three hours).
Procedure and Accounts for Forest Officers, with books (three hours).
Higher Standard Law for Cantonment Magistracy, with books (three hours).
Canal Officers' examination in Cases (time to be determined by the Examination Committee).

2-15 P.M.—

Accounts for Civil Officers (including Excise Officers), with and without books (three hours).
Accounts for Police Officers, with books (three hours).

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 7891L.R.—The 26th September 1918.—Maulvi Nur-ud-din Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Khas Tahsildar of Hatiya, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two weeks, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Noakhali.

No. 7896L.R.—The 26th September 1918.—Babu Debendra Nath Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Khas Tahsildar of Raojan in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 9th September 1918.

Chittagong.

No. 7900L.R.—The 26th September 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Bisseswar Bhattacharji, Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of the 24-Parganas, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records of-rights.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

24-Parganas.

No. 1041T.R.—The 25th September 1918.—Babu Karali Charan Gangali, Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and three days, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 1042T.R.—The 25th September 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Ishaq, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Rajshahi, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for ten days, in extension of the leave granted to him in Government Notification No. 6727L.R., dated the 20th August 1918.

Rajshahi.

No. 1077T.R.—The 25th September 1918.—Khan Sahib Qamar-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Collector, employed as Colonization Officer, Sundarbans, Bakarganj, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Bakarganj.

No. 1175T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—Babu Kshetra Mohan Mukharji, Probationary Deputy Collector, Patuakhali, Bakarganj, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties.

Bakarganj.
Rajshahi.

No. 1178T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in that district, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties.

Jessore.

No. 1181T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—Babu Surendra Nath Ray, Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Nadia, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties.

Mymensingh.
Nadia.

No. 1184T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—Babu Bhubaneswar Sanyal, Midnapore. Sub-Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in that district, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties.

No. 1187T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—The officers, named below, are Jessore. Khulna. Pabna. Bogra. appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which they may join their settlement duties :—

(1) Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Sudrul Ola, Sub-Deputy Collector, Khulna.
(2) Maulvi Muhammad Raziuddin Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector, Pabna (on leave).
(3) Babu Dhirendra Kumar Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bogra.

No. 1190T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—The officers, named below, are Bankura. Hooghly. Rajshahi. appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which they may join their settlement duties :—

(1) Maulvi Asad Husain, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hooghly.
(2) Maulvi Mafizuddin Fakir, sub. *pro tem.* Sub-Deputy Collector, Nator, Rajshahi.

No. 1193T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—Babu Jamini Prasanna Ray, Noakhali. Bankura. Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties.

No. 1286T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Rai Banshidhar Banarji Calcutta. Bahadur, C.I.E., Second Land Acquisition Officer, Calcutta, is authorized to carry on the work of the First Land Acquisition Officer, Calcutta, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on deputation of Mr. J. A. Woodhead, I.C.S., or until further orders.

No. 1299T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Miss Cornelia Sorabji, Lady Assistant to the Court of Wards, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam, is granted combined leave for six months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which she may avail herself of the leave.

No. 1311T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—The undermentioned officers, Mymensingh. Rajshahi. Tippera. Noakhali. Jessore. now employed as Assistant Settlement Officers, in the districts named against each, are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers, in the district of Jessore, the first with effect from the 1st October 1918, and the rest from the 21st idem or from any subsequent date on which they may join the Jessore settlement :—

1. Khan Sahib Saiyid Muazzamuddin Husain, Mymensingh, Deputy Collector.
2. Maulvi Shams-uz-Zuha Ahmad, Mymensingh,
3. „ Muzammil Haq, Rajshahi,
4. „ Muhammad Ilahdad, Rajshahi,
5. Babu Abani Kumar Sen, Tippera—Noakhali,

} Sub-Deputy Collectors.

No. 1312T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Lal Mohan Basu, Sub-Rajshahi. Jessore. Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, now employed as Technical Adviser to the Settlement Officer of Rajshahi, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Jessore, and Technical Adviser to the Settlement Officer of Jessore, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or from any subsequent date on which he may join the latter district.

No. 1313T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur, which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore. Faridpur.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

1. Khan Sahib Saiyid Muazzamuddin Husain, Deputy Collector.
2. Maulvi Shams-uz-Zuha Ahmad,
3. ,, Muzammil Haq,
4. ,, Muhammad Ilahdad, } Sub-Deputy Collectors.
5. Babu Abani Kumar Sen,
6. ,, Lal Mohan Basu,

No. 1314T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—The undermentioned officers, now employed as Assistant Settlement Officers, in the districts named against each, are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or from any subsequent date on which they may join the Midnapore settlement :—

Khulna. Mymensingh. Midnapore.

Babu Rash Bihari Mukharji, Deputy Collector, Khulna.
Babu Rajendra Narayan Rakshit, Mymensingh,
,, Probhat Chandra Sen, Mymensingh, } Sub-Deputy Collectors.
,, Akshay Kumar Mukharji, Mymensingh,

No. 1315T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the district of Midnapore, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Midnapore.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

Babu Rash Behari Mukharji ... Deputy Collector.
,, Rajendra Narayan Rakshit ...
, Probhat Chandra Sen ... } Sub-Deputy Collectors.
,, Akshay Kumar Mukharji ...

No. 1316T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Maulvi Khalilar Rahman Khan, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or from any subsequent date on which he may join his duties in Tippera and Noakhali.

Rajshahi. Tippera and Noakhali.

No. 1317T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3(*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Maulvi Khalilar Rahman Khan, Sub-Deputy Collector, is authorized to discharge, in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and preparation of records-of-rights.

Tippera and Noakhali.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 1318T R.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Pramatha Nath Datta and Babu Girish Chandra Das, Sub-Deputy Collectors, now employed as Assistant Settlement Officers in the districts of Dacca and Mymensingh, respectively, are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Nadia, with effect from the dates on which they may join the Nadia settlement.

Dacca. Mymensingh. Nadia.

No. 1319T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), Babu Pramatha Nath Datta and Babu Girish Chandra Das, Sub-Deputy Collectors, are appointed to discharge, in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of the Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Nadia. Murshidabad. Burdwan. Hooghly. 24-Parganas.

2. They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 1320T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Amullya Kumar Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Bankura and in the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join the Bankura settlement.

Tippera. Noakhali. Bankura. Burdwan (Asansol).

No. 1321T.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), Babu Amullya Kumar Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Bankura as well as in the Asansol subdivision of the Burdwan district, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura. Burdwan (Asansol).

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 1196T.R—The 28th September 1918.—The following modifications are made in the rules for the grant of leases for the reclamation of arable waste lands in the Western Duars, in the district of Jalpaiguri, published under Notification No. 883T.R., dated the 28th July 1917, at pages 1102-1115, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st August 1917 :—

Jalpaiguri.

1. *Insert* the following at the end of rule 1 :—

"A list of the plots available will be found in the khas khatian prepared by the Settlement Department. This khatian will be kept up-to-date as new lands are brought under settlement or become available for settlement."

2. *Insert* the following after rule 2(*d*) :—

"(*e*) Lands lying within a distance of 100 feet on either side of any considerable stream or watercourse. Such lands shall remain under forest with a view to prevent soil erosion."

3. *Substitute* (*f*) for (*e*) as the letter for last sub-paragraph.

4. *Insert* the following at the end of rule 3 :—

"The application shall be entered in the Register of applications in Form E in the Appendix to these rules."

5. *Put* a full-stop after the word "acknowledged" in rule 16; and for the remainder of the rule *substitute* "New settlements will be entered in a register in Form F."

6. *Add* to rule 20 (*ii*) :—

"Such renewed leases shall be entered in the register of renewed leases in Form B in the Appendix to these rules."

7. *Insert* the following rules after rule 21 :—

"22. Applications for mutation by jotedars and chukanidars will be presented to the tahsildar and entered in the register of applications for mutation in Forms G and H, respectively, in the Appendix to these rules.

Applications for mutation.

"23. The prescribed registers for the entry of grazing dues, capitation tax and fishery settlements are Forms J, K and L appended to these rules." Receipts for grazing fees will be granted in Form M.

"24. Any tenant of Government requiring for his own private use, and not for sale, gift or barter, timber or other produce from the khas forests in the Duars shall take out a permit in the Form N appended to these rules from the Deputy Commissioner or his authorised subordinate on payment of its value.

Forest produce

"25. Grants of waste lands to Indian soldiers who have distinguished themselves in the war are governed generally by these rules, subject to the modifications prescribed. A special form of lease is prescribed for such grants."

8. *Alter* the heading of Form B in the appendix to the rules to—

"Register of renewals of leases granted under the Rules of 1888, in the Western Duars in Jalpaiguri. [*See* rule 20 (*ii*)]";

and *delete* the foot-note.

9. *Insert* the following forms after Form D in the appendix to the rules:—

FORM E.

Register of applications for leases of arable waste lands.

(*See* rule 3.)

1. Serial Number.
2. Date of application.
3. Name and residence of applicant.
4. Number of the plot in the Khas Khatian.
5. Taluk, pargana and tahsil in which situated.
6. Area, in acres, of the plot, with its boundaries as given in the application.
7. Area, in acres, of the plot as ascertained by actual enquiry.
8. Amount of survey fees paid.
9. Date of payment.
10. Value of forest on the land paid.
11. Date of payment.
12. Date of completion of survey.
13. Abstract and date of final order.
14. Date of settlement.
15. Remarks.

FORM F.

Register of new Settlements of arable waste lands in the Western Duars under the Rules of 1917.

(*See* Rule 16.)

1. Serial Number.
2. Pargana.
3. Taluk.
4. Name of jotedar.
5. Area.
6. Rate of rent per acre.
7. Total ultimate rent.
8. Concessions during first four years (if any)
9. Date from which settlement takes effect.
10. Date of delivery of possession.
11. Reference to case number in Register of applications.
12. Amount of—

    (*a*) 10 anna kist, 1st March.
    (*b*) 6 anna kist, 30th November.

13. Remarks.

FORM G.

Register of applications for mutation of names of Jotedars in the Western Duars.

1. Serial number of application for the year.
2. Date of application.
3. Name of applicant.
4. Number of jote.
5. Name and number of recorded tenant.
6. Character of applicant's interest, whether by purchase, inheritance, gift, etc., and extent of interest and khatian number of area if less than entire area of jote.
7. Name of person, if any, opposing registry of transfer.
8. Date of order.
9. Abstract of order.
10. Result of appeal or revision.
11. Date of correction of estate record.
12. Signature of officer verifying the correction.
13. Remarks.

FORM H.

Register of applications for mutation of names of Chukanidars in the Western Duars.

1. Serial number of applications for the year.
2. Date of applications
3. Name of applicant.
4. Khatian number of the chukani holding.
5. Name of recorded Chukanidar.
6. Character of applicant's interest, whether by purchase, inheritance, gift, etc, and extent of interest.
7. Name of person, if any, opposing registry of transfer.
8. Date of order.
9. Abstract of order.
10. Result of appeal or revision.
11. Date of correction of estate record.
12. Signature of officer verifying the correction.
13. Remarks.

FORM J.

Register of grazing dues for.....Tahsil.

1. Serial number.
2. Name of owner of cattle.
3. Father's name.
4. Residence.
5. Date of payment of fees.
6. Year for which payment is made.
7. Number and kind of cattle.
8. Amount of fees paid.
9. Number of counterfoil receipt.
10. Tahsildar's initial.
11. Remarks.

FORM K.

Register of Capitation tax.

1. Serial number.
2. Name of pargana.
3. Name of taluk.
4. Name of dao tax-payer.

5. Number of dao.
6. Rate of tax.
7. Amount assessed.
8. Date of collection.
9. Number of counterfoil receipt.
10. Amount.
11. Balance.
12. Remarks.

FORM L.

Register of Fisheries.

1. Serial number.
2. Name of pargana.
3. Name of taluk.
4. Name of fishery.
5. Name and parentage of auction purchaser.
6. Occupation of auction purchaser.
7. Boundaries.
8. Year for which settled.
9. Bid obtained last year.
10. Bid obtained this year.
11. Number and date of sanction of settlement.
12. Payment.
    (*a*) Date.
    (*b*) Amount.
13. Number of counterfoil receipt.
14. Balance.
15. Remarks.

FORM M.

TAHSIL.

Receipt for grazing fees.

(*See* rule 23.)

Serial No.....

Owner's name and residence ....

Father's name ....

Status of owner { Ordinary tenant / Local professional grazier / Foreign professional grazier }

	Number of animals.	Fees paid.
Buffaloes		
Do. calves		
Other cattle		
Do. calves		
Goats and sheep		
Total ...		

Year for which fees paid... ....

Date of payment..... ....

Signature of Officer making collections ....

TAHSIL.

Receipt for grazing fees.

(*See* rule 23.)

Serial No.....

Owner's name and residence..... ....

Father's name..... ....

Status of owner { Ordinary tenant / Local professional grazier / Foreign professional grazier }

	Number of animals.	Fees paid.
Buffaloes		
Do. calves		
Other cattle		
Do. calves		
Goats and sheep		
Total		

Year for which fees paid.....

Date of payment..... ....

Signature of Officer making collections... ....

FORM N.

Permit for forest produce.

(*See* rule 24.)

Book No.....

KHAS MAHAL FOREST TAHSIL.

Permit No.....
Date of issue.....
Case No..... ..of 191 .
Name..... .....son of .....
Residence..... .....

Forest.	Date of application.	Description and measurement of timber or other produce.	Number or quantity.	Rate.	Amount.	Remarks.
				Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
		Total ...				

(In words) Rs.....

Dated
The..... 191 .

N.B.—The timbers, etc., should be taken out of forest within one month from the date of issue of this permit, after which the timbers, etc., will be forfeited to Government.

Tahsildar.

Tahsil.

Permit for forest produce.

(*See* rule 24.)

Book No.....

KHAS MAHAL FOREST TAHSIL.

Permit No.....
Date of issue.....
Case No..... .....of 191 .
Name.....son of.....
Residence.....

Forest.	Date of application.	Description and measurement of timber or other produce.	Number or quantity.	Rate.	Amount.	Remarks.
				Rs. A.	Rs. A	
		Total ...				

(In words) Rs. .....

Dated
The.....191 .

N.B.—The timbers, etc., should be taken out of forest within one month from the date of issue of this permit, after which the timbers, etc., will be forfeited to Government.

Tahsildar.

Tahsil.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bakarganj.

No. 1203T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Sub-Registry Office at Nazirpur, in the village of Chota Buchiakati, pargana Tappeh Nazirpur, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·41 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By plots Nos. 1524 and 1525,
East—By plots Nos. 1526 and 1527,
South—By plots Nos. 1527 and 1533 (land already acquired for the Sub-Registry Office),
West—By plot No. 1523,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chota Buchiakati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the offices of the Collector of Bakarganj and the Subdivisional Officer of Pirojpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

No. 1200T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a public purpose, viz., for the Street Scheme, known as Scheme No. VIIA (Central Avenue Halliday Street Widening), in Ward No. VIII of the Calcutta Municipality, which has been sanctioned by the Governor in Council under section 48 of the Calcutta Improvement Act of 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land being premises No. 7-1-1, Halliday Street, the remaining portion of premises No. 7-1, Halliday Street, portion of premises No. 7, Halliday Street, and portions of premises Nos. 114 and 116, Harrison Road, altogether measuring, more or less, 1·0241 acres, bounded on the—

Calcutta.

PLOT A.

North—By the land recently acquired for the Calcutta Improvement Trust under Declaration No. 139L.A., dated the 4th January 1916, premises Nos. 15, 16 and 17, Machuabazar Street, and public passage,

East—By public passage and the remaining portion of premises No. 7, Halliday Street,

South—By a portion of premises No. 123, Harrison Road, premises No. 125. Harrison Road, premises No. 6-1, Halliday Street, and the land recently acquired for the Calcutta Improvement Trust under Declaration No. 139L.A., dated the 4th January 1916,

West—By premises No. 6-1, Halliday Street, and the land recently acquired for the Calcutta Improvement Trust under Declaration No 139L.A., dated the 4th January 1916,

PLOT B.

North—By Harrison Road,

East—By the remaining portion of premises Nos. 114 and 116, Harrison Road,

South—By Nil Madhab Sen Lane,

West—By the land recently acquired for the Calcutta Improvement Trust under Declaration No. 139L.A., dated the 4th January 1916,

are required within the aforesaid Ward No. VIII in the town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Collector at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1050T.R.—The 25th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Syed Abu Yousoff Ahmed to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Chauhali, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna.

Pabna. *No. 1051T.R.—The 25th September 1918.*—In exercise of a power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Syed Abu Yousoff Ahmed to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Chauhali, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna. *No. 1054T.R.—The 25th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act 1 of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Sheikh Abdul Wahab Mukhdumi to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Santhia, in the district of Pabna

Pabna. *No. 1055T.R.—The 25th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Sheikh Abdul Wahab Mukhdumi to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Santhia, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna. *No. 1058T.R.—The 25th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Menhajuddin, to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Tarash, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna. *No. 1059T.R.—The 25th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Menhajuddin, to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Tarash, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna. *No. 1062T.R.—The 25th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Alauddin Ahmed to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Shahzadpur and Belkuchi, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna. *No. 1063T.R.—The 25th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Alauddin Ahmed to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Shahzadpur and Belkuchi, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna. *No. 1066T.R.—The 25th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abul Futtah to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Sujanagar, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna. *No. 1067T.R.—The 25th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abul Futtah to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Sujanagar, in the district of Pabna.

No. 1070T.R.—The 25th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Serajul Huq to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Raiganj, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna.

No. 1071T.R.—The 25th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Serajul Huq to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Raiganj, in the district of Pabna.

Pabna.

No. 1148T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Hafiz Nazir Ahmed to be a Muhammadan Registrar, within police-station Beniapukur, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 1149T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Hafiz Nazir Ahmed to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies in police-station Beniapukur, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 1152T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Nur Ahmed to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Tollyganj, Vishnupur and Budge-Budge, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Maulvi Hafiz Nazir Ahmed, transferred.

24-Parganas.

No. 1153T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Nur Ahmed to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies in police-stations Tollyganj, Vishnupur and Budge-Budge, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Maulvi Hafiz Nazir Ahmed, transferred.

24-Parganas.

No. 1156T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Aziz Ahmed to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Baruipur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Maulvi Nur Ahmed, transferred.

24-Parganas.

No. 1157T.R.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Aziz Ahmed to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Baruipur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Maulvi Nur Ahmed, transferred.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Under section 20 of Calcutta Survey Act, I of 1887.

To

All Owners, Managers, and Agents of lands in the "Town of Howrah", lying within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, from Wards Nos. 1 to 15, Circle Nos. 1 to 11.

WHEREAS a survey has been made, and boundaries demarcated, of all municipal holdings situated in the above area within the Howrah Municipality. You are hereby informed that the maps and records are open to inspection. You are, therefore, requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within sixty days of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps and records can be inspected at any time at the Municipal Office, Howrah, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., on any day excepting holidays and Sundays.

O. E. C. JUDD,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1297Edn.—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. W. H. Everett, Officiating Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical and Industrial Institutions in Bengal, is allowed leave, under article 260, of the Civil Service Regulations, for thirty-seven days, with effect from the 27th September 1918.

No. 1300Edn.—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. J. W. Gunn, Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, is placed in charge of the current duties of the office of the Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical and Industrial Institutions in Bengal, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. H. Everett.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 125T.S.R.—The 23rd September 1918.—Maulvi Shafiquar Rahman Siddique, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Bakarganj, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Excise and Salt in that district, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Mabinuddin Ahmad.

Bakarganj.

No. 159T.—S.-R.—The 27th September 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 74 of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules published with Notification No. 6442S.R., dated the 2nd December 1899, as subsequently amended, namely:—

At the beginning of rule 13 of the said rules, *before* the words "A licensed vendor shall obtain" *insert* the words "Save with the general or special permission of the Government".

No. 160T.—S.R.—The 27th September 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 27 and 34 of the Court-fees Act, 1870 (VII of 1870), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules published with Notification No. 275S.R., dated the 9th March 1907, as subsequently amended, namely :—

At the beginning of rule 19 of the said rules, *before* the words "A licensed vendor shall obtain" *insert* the words "Save with the general or special permission of the Government".

No. 166T.—S.-R.—The 27th September 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*d*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 7 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in Notification No. 596S.R., dated the 30th March 1915, namely :—

In clause (*c*) of paragraph 12 of the said Notification, *for* the words "Police officers not below the rank of officer in charge of a police station" *substitute* the words "In the area within the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, police officers not below the rank of a Sub-Inspector of Police, and, in any other area, police officers not below the rank of officer in charge of a police station".

No. 198T.—S.-R.—The 30th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (*5*) of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918 (VII of 1918), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Additional District Magistrate of the 24-Parganas to exercise and perform *ex-officio* the powers and duties conferred by that Act on a Collector.

24-Parganas.

No. 192T.—S.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Mr. C. H. Crosse, Assistant Collector of Income-tax, Calcutta, is allowed leave for thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 192½T.—S.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Deputy Collector of Income-tax, Calcutta, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. H. Crosse, as Assistant Collector of Income-tax, in the district of Calcutta, in so much of the district of the 24-Parganas as is under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, and in so much of the district of Hooghly as is comprised within the limits of the Howrah Municipality.

Calcutta.

No. 205T.—S.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Radharaman Mitra, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Mymensingh, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for twenty-three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th September 1918, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations.

Mymensingh.

No. 206T.—S.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Hem Chandra De, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, is transferred from Pabna to Mymensingh.

Pabna.
Mymensingh.

No. 207T.—S.R.—The 30th September 1918.—Mr. A. E. Smith, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Midnapore, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Pabna, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Radharaman Mitra, or until further orders.

Midnapore.
Pabna.

No. 209T.—S.-R.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Santosil Boruya, Probationary Inspector of Excise and Salt, is confirmed in the seventh grade of Inspectors.

24-Parganas.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2761S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1916-17, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Wednesday, the 2nd October 1918, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 466 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the Notification, dated the 18th December 1917, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes.*

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th October 1918, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 7th October 1918, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 17th October 1918.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. A. L. SWAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 23rd September 1918.*

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 389T.-Com.—The 30th September 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 56 of the Indian Factories Act, 1911 (XII of 1911), the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt the Army Clothing Factory at Alipore from the provisions of sub-section (*1*) of section 22 of the said Act for a further period of one year, with effect from the 20th September 1918, or until further orders

J. A. L. SWAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 132T.-Medl.—The 24th September 1918.—Lt.-Col. E. E. Waters, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Howrah, is allowed privilege leave for one month and thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 9th September 1918.

Howrah.

This Department Notification No. 2098Medl., dated the 8th August 1918, is hereby cancelled.

No. 140T.-Medl.—The 24th September 1918.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Howrah General Hospital :—

Howrah.

1. The Chairman of the Howrah Municipality, *vice* the Vice-Chairman of that Municipality.
2. The District Traffic Superintendent, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, *vice* the Marine Superintendent of the British India Steam Navigation Company.

} *Ex officio.*

1. The Local Agent, Mercantile Bank, Howrah, *vice* Mr. G. Girard.
2. Babu Ram Protap Chamaria, *vice* Rai Bisseswar Halwasya Bahadur.
3. Mr. Miller King (re-elected) ... ...
4. „ A. Cochrane, *vice* Mr. J. Taylor ... ...
5. „ D. A. Tyrie (re-elected) ... ...
6. Munshi Zillar Rahim, *vice* Munshi Kefaitulla Tarafdar, deceased.
7. Babu Ashutosh Bose (re-elected) ... ...
8. Dr. P. K. Banerjee, *vice* Srimati Kumudini Dasi, by her Attorney N. L. Dey, deceased.

} *Non-officials.*

J. A. L. SWAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5222A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5145A.—The 26th September 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Rai Sahib Mrityunjay Chatarji the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of three years from the 28th October 1918, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Asansol subdivision of the said district,

Burdwan.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Raniganj Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5149A.—The 26th September 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Debendra Narayan Mazumdar the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of three years from the 9th October 1918, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Contai subdivision of the said district,

Midnapore.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Contai Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5151A.—The 26th September 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Gajendra Nath Maiti the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of three years from the 9th October 1918, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Contai subdivision, of the said district, and

Midnapore.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Contai Bench in the said district.

ERRATUM.—*No. 5191A.—The 28th September 1918.*—In line 5 of Notification No. 1447A.D., dated the 16th August 1918, published at page 1187, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st August 1918, relating to the appointment of an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Bench, in the district of Midnapore, *for* 'Maulvi Mahmood Suhrawardi' *read* 'Maulvi Mahmood Suhrawardy.'

Midnapore.

POWERS.

No. 5147A.—The 26th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Rakhal Chandra Mukharji, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Bankura, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district.

Bankura.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3638J.—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. Jatindra Chandra Gupta, Fifth Judge, Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to be 4th Judge of that Court, with effect from the 16th October 1918, *vice* Rai Bankim Chandra Mitra Bahadur, about to retire.

Calcutta.

No. 3640J.—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. Nirmal Chandra Sen, Sixth Judge, Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to be 5th Judge of that Court, with effect from the 16th October 1918, *vice* Mr. Jatindra Chandra Gupta, promoted.

Calcutta.

No. 3642J.—The 26th September 1918.—Babu Bipin Bihari Das Gupta, Registrar and Chief Ministerial Officer of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to be Sixth Judge of that Court, with effect from the 16th October 1918, *vice* Mr. Nirmal Chandra Sen, promoted.

Calcutta.

No. 3644J.—The 26th September 1918.—Mr. Satish Chandra Mitra, Bar.-at-law, Assistant Registrar, High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be Registrar and Chief Ministerial Officer of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, with effect from the 16th October 1918, *vice* Babu Bipin Bihari Das Gupta, appointed to be a Judge of the Court. Mr. Satish Chandra Mitra is vested under section 14, Act XV of 1882 (the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act), with the powers of a Judge for the trial of suits in which the amount or value of the subject-matter does not exceed Rs. 20.

24-Parganas.

No. 544J.D.—The 27th September 1918.—Babu Durga Prasad Ghosh, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Sealdah, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested under clause (*8*) of the second schedule of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, IX of 1887, with power to try, under the Small Cause Court procedure, suits for the recovery of rent of homestead lands within his jurisdiction when the value does not exceed Rs. 50.

LEAVE.

No. 3720J.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Subordinate Judge and Small Cause Court Judge of Dacca and Munshiganj, is allowed leave for thirty days, under articles 345 and 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 3rd September to the 2nd October 1918.

Dacca.

No. 3723J.—The 23rd September 1918.—Babu Hem Chandra Basu, No. II, Munsif of Iswarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month, viz., one day under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations and the remaining period under article 271 of the Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Mymensingh.

E. B. H. PANTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 27th September 1918.

No. 97.—Mr. A. K. Taylor, Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave for six months up to 31st March 1919.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 19th September 1918

No. 96Marine.—Under the rules contained in General Order No. 20, dated the 18th July 1917, as amended by General Order No. 32, dated the 12th September 1917, of the Director, Royal Indian Marine, regulating the grant of leave during the war to Royal Indian Marine Officers, Captain D. F. Vines, O.B.E., R.I.M., Port Officer and Shipping Master, Calcutta, is allowed war leave for twenty-six days, with effect from the 21st September 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Commander G. H. S. LaTouche, R.I.M., Deputy Port Officer and Senior Deputy Shipping Master, will officiate as Port Officer and Shipping Master, in addition to his own duties, in place of Captain Vines.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 26th September 1918.

No. 96.—With reference to this Department Notification No. 82, dated the 28th August 1918, Babu Girija Prasanna Basu, Overseer, is posted to the Dacca Division which he joined on the afternoon of the 31st August 1918.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5223A.

No. 5197A.—The 30th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Prakash Chandra Dutt, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Burdwan, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

Burdwan.

No. 5194A.—The 1st October 1918.—In supersession of the orders, dated the 12th August 1918, Mr. Norman Bose, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Katwa, Burdwan, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October 1918 to the 30th November 1918.

Burdwan.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 359.—The 25th September 1918.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Sen, Sub-Registrar of Goalando, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Faridpur.

No. 360.—The 25th September 1918.—Maulvi Nazmul Haq Khan, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Chittagong, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Adhunagar, in the same district, with effect from the 16th September 1918.

Chittagong.

No. 361.—The 25th September 1918.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Sil, Sub-Registrar of Mahisadal, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for thirty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 362.—The 25th September 1918.—Babu Karun Chandra Chatarji, Sub-Registrar of Habra, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for two months and three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

24-Parganas.

No. 363.—The 26th September 1918.—Maulvi Chaudhuri Ghulam Kibriya, Sub-Registrar of Manteswar, in the district of Burdwan, is allowed leave for twenty-four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 319, dated the 26th August 1918.

Burdwan.

No. 364.—The 26th September 1918.—Babu Hari Mohan Bose, Sub-Registrar of Senbagh, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Sonaimuri, in the same district.

Noakhali.

No. 365.—The 26th September 1918.—Maulvi Shahab-ud-din Muhammad Mahmud, Sub-Registrar of Sonaimuri, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Fulgazi, in the same district.

Noakhali.

No. 366.—The 26th September 1918.—Maulvi A. K. M. Mokrambillah Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar of Fulgazi, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Senbagh, in the same district.

Noakhali.

No. 367.—The 27th September 1918.—Babu Bhababhuti Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Nalhati, in the district of Birbhum, is allowed leave for eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 21st September 1918.

Birbhum.

No. 368.—The 27th September 1918.—Babu Sudhir Chandra Mitra, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Suri, in the district of Birbhum, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Nalhati, with effect from the afternoon of the 21st September 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bhababhuti Mukharji, or until further orders.

Birbhum.

No. 369.—The 27th September 1918.—Maulvi Khwaja Abdul Fattah, Sub-Registrar of Bhandaria, in the district of Bakarganj, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur.

Bakarganj.
Faridpur.

No. 370.—The 27th September 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Majid, Sub-Registrar of Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Matlab, in the district of Tippera.

Faridpur.
Tippera.

No. 371.—The 27th September 1918.—Maulvi Farid Bakht Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Matlab, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Chandpur, in the same district.

Tippera.

No. 372.—The 27th September 1918.—Babu Sachindra Nath Mitra, Probationer of Calcutta, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Janai, in the district of Hooghly, with effect from the afternoon of the 23rd September 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kunja Bihari Mukharji, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Hooghly.

No. 373.—The 28th September 1918.—Maulvi Mir Saiyid Ali, Sub-Registrar of Atrai, in the district of Rajshahi, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur.

Rajshahi.
Rangpur.

No. 374.—The 28th September 1918.—Babu Ramani Mohan Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Nimtita, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Atrai, in the district of Rajshahi.

Dinajpur.
Murshidabad.
Rajshahi.

No. 375.—The 28th September 1918.—Babu Paresh Chandra Mazumdar, B.A., Sub-Registrar of Dumkal-Azimganj, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Indas, in the district of Bankura.

Murshidabad.
Bankura.

No. 376.—The 28th September 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Qumaruzzaman, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Bharatpur, in the district of Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.

No. 377.—The 28th September 1918.—Babu Jatindra Chandra Ghosh, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Bharatpur, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Azimganj, in the same district.

Murshidabad.

No. 378.—The 28th September 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Zarghamuddin Hyder Hasony, Sub-Registrar of Azimganj, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Domkal-Azimganj, in the same district.

Murshidabad.

No. 379.—The 1st October 1918.—Babu Bimalapada Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Burdwan, is appointed to act until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Purbasthali, in the same district, with effect from the 26th September 1918.

Burdwan.

No. 380.—The 1st October 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Nurul Amin, Sub-Registrar of Nasirnagar, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for twenty-four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the privilege leave already granted to him in Notification No 315, dated the 20th August 1918, and leave on medical certificate for thirty-seven days under article 336 of the same Regulations, in combination with the privilege leave.

Tippera.

No. 381.—The 1st October 1918.—Babu Jamini Kanta Bakshi, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Midnapore, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Egra, in the same district, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th September 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ashutosh Bakshi, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 382.—The 1st October 1918.—Babu Nalin Chandra Das, Sub-Registrar of Hathazari, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Chittagong.

No. 383.—The 1st October 1918.—Maulvi Fazlur Rahman, Probationer of Chittagong, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Hathazari, in the same district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nalin Chandra Das, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

No. 384.—The 1st October 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Sakhawat Hossain, Sub-Registrar of Dhangora, in the district of Pabna, is allowed combined leave for one month, with effect from the 21st October 1918, viz., privilege leave for twenty-nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and leave on medical certificate for one day, under article 336 of the same Regulations.

Pabna.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 12002, dated Calcutta, the 24th September 1918.—Lieutenant-Colonel D. R. Green, I.M.S., made over executive charge of the Presidency Jail to Mr. F. S. Groser, on the forenoon of the 19th September 1918.

No. 12117, dated Calcutta, the 26th September 1918.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. Mulvany, I.M.S., made over charge of the Alipore Central Jail to Lieutenant Colonel D. R. Green, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 18th September 1918.

No. 12118, dated Calcutta, the 28th September 1918.—Khan Sahib Ismat Ali made over charge of the Press and Forms Department of the Alipore Central Jail to Mr. J. Gray on the forenoon of the 16th September 1918.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1147D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th September 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Lalit Kumar Ghosh is appointed temporarily Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, with effect from the 27th July 1918.

No. 1149D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th September 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Kalidas Bhattacharji is appointed temporarily Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, with effect from the 19th August 1918.

No. 1151D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th September 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Surendra Mohan Lahiri did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, on the 20th and 21st August 1918.

No. 1153D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th September 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Surendra Mohan Lahiri is appointed temporarily to the Charitable Dispensary at Noakhali, with effect from the 25th August 1918, *vice* 1st grade Assistant Surgeon Dhiraj Mohan Sen, transferred.

No. 1155D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th September 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Nitya Ranjan Gupta did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, on the 19th and 20th August 1918.

No. 1157D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th September 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Nitya Ranjan Gupta is placed on general duty at the General Hospital, Chittagong, with effect from the 27th August 1918, until further orders.

No. 1196D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th September 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Bankim Chandra Banarji is placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the 2nd September 1918, until further orders.

No. 1198D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th September 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Nath Roy is appointed temporarily to be Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, at Paksey, with effect from the 31st August 1918, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Birendra Nath Chakrabatti, transferred.

No. 1233D., dated Darjeeling, the 26th September 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Birendra Nath Chakrabatti is appointed temporarily to the Bhola Subdivision and Dispensary, Bakarganj district, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Khagendra Narayan Ghosh.

W. H. B. ROBINSON, C.B., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

EXAMINATION OF COMPOUNDERS AT THE DACCA MEDICAL SCHOOL.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next Half-yearly Examination of Compounders will be held on the 1st November 1918 and subsequent days.

The examination will be conducted in accordance with Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 1410 and 1411Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*a*) The Examination Committee will consist of—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R. Newman, C.I.E., M.D., I.M.S. *President.*
Teacher of Medicine ... ... } *Members.*
Teacher of Surgery ... ... }

No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government Notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*b*) All male candidates must forward to the undersigned an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the commencement of the examination; a fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination; but a candidate, who after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination, will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate to that effect, to attend the next examination without payment of a fresh fee.

NOTE.—Women candidates are examined free of charge.

(*c*) Passed compounders, who have completed the three months' course of dressing prescribed in rule 13, and students of the Licentiate Class of these schools, on completion of their second year's course, will be allowed to appear at an examination, to be conducted by the Superintendent of the school, as President and two of the teachers as members, in bandaging, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in the minor duties of hospital work. A fee of Rs. 2 shall be charged for this examination.

This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the Rules for the Grant of Certificates to Compounders, on production of a certificate that they have received instruction in a hospital or dispensary recognized by Government in bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in the duties of a hospital dresser. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for this examination.

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D. (Cantab), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;
The 12th September 1918.

NOTICE (*z*).

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next examination for admission of students to the Compounder Class, Medical School, Dacca, will be held on the 1st November 1918, at 8 A.M.

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D., (Cantab), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;
The 12th September 1918.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU LALIT KUMAR SEN, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, has been placed in the executive charge of the Jalpaiguri Treasury, with effect from the afternoon of the 16th September 1918, *vice* Babu Jatindra Nath Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, transferred, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

F. W. STRONG, *Deputy Commissioner.*

JALPAIGURI, *the 19th September 1918.*

IT is hereby notified that Babu Jatindra Nath Mitter, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of Darjeeling Treasury from the forenoon of the 23rd September 1918. He is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

D. G. DAVIES, *Joint-Magistrate in charge.*

DARJEELING COLLECTORATE, *the 24th September 1918.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1918 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Second day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

F. W. CARTER,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৮ সাল, তারিখ ২৫শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে শ্রীযুত বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৮ সালের ২রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

এফ, ডব্লিউ, কার্টার,
সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 28th September 1918.

No. 84P.—Babu Hari Das Mukherji is confirmed in his present appointment as Professor of Chemistry, Rajshahi College, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the 21st September 1917.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 27For.—The 25th September 1918.—On return from the military duty Mr. E. O. Shebbeare, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is attached to the Kurseong Division, with head-quarters at Dow Hill, with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd September 1918.

Kurseong.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. for the transaction of urgent business only on the following days during the Durga and Lakshmi Pujah holidays :—

9th, 10th, 11th, 17th and 18th October 1918.

N. BHAR, *Collector of Stamp Revenue.*

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 20th September 1918.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3779J.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Chatterji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, is transferred to Mymensingh district.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA., *the 24th September 1918.*

ERRATUM.

No. 40L.S.-G.—In this office Notification No. 28L.S.-G., dated the 31st August 1918, published at page 1269, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th September 1918, *read* "Munshi Aftab Hossain Joarder" *for* "Munshi Altaf Hossain Joarder."

MD. F. KARIM, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner*

COMMR 'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the last general election held on the 26th August 1918, the following gentlemen were duly elected Commissioners of the Dainhat Municipality, in the district of Burdwan:—

No. of Ward	Names of Members.
I	Babu Sarat Chandra Mitra. „ Aghore Nath Saha.
II	„ Jotindra Chandra Bhaskar. „ Radha Gobinda Dutta.
III	„ Jadu Nath Adhikary. „ Gurupada Mukherjee.
IV	„ Byomkesh Kundu. „ Satish Chandra Bhattacharjee.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 27th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4053G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 16 of the Municipal Election Rules, Babu Provat Chandra Chakraverti was elected, on the 3rd September 1918, a Commissioner for Ward No. II of the Chandpur Municipality, *vice* Babu Mahendra Kumar Mukherjee, deceased.

A. H. CLAYTON *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 27th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 41L.S.-G.—The Local Board of Diamond Harbour subdivision, in the district of 24-Parganas, having failed to elect a Chairman within the period prescribed for such election, under the power vested in me by section 25 of Act III of 1885, I appoint Babu Jogesh Chandra Nag Chaudhury to be the Chairman of the said Local Board.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the election by the members of the Rampur Hat Local Board of the Subdivisional Officer of Rampur Hat as their Chairman is approved under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 24th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 32 of the rules under clause (*a*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1884, the 26th and 28th November 1918 are fixed for the election of members of the Naogaon Local Board in the Naogaon and Panchupur thanas, respectively, in the district of Rajshahi.

A. CASSELLS, *District Magistrate.*

RAJSHAHI MAGISTRACY, *the 21st September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3832J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local-Self Government Act, 1885 (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Union Committees noted below in the Narainganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

LEBUTALA.

1. Babu Jogendra Chandra Chakravarty.
2. Maulvi Rahim Bux Munshi.
3. „ Abdur Rahaman.
4. Mir Abdul Hamid.

AMINPUR.

1. Babu Syama Charan Bhoumik.
2. „ Dwarika Nath Shaha, Sardar.
3. Munshi Abdul Latif.
4. Md. Torabali Sikdar.
5. Babu Gosta Behari Das.
6. „ Sachi Mohan Pal.

2. Under section 40 of the said Act the undersigned hereby appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the Lebutala Union Committee in the said subdivision of the Dacca district :—

1. Mir Muhammad Ibrahim.
2. Babu Hara Nath Goswami.

3. Under section 41 of the said Act the undersigned also appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committees noted below in the said subdivision of the Dacca district :—

LEBUTALA.

1. Babu Brajendra Kumar Roy.
2. „ Banamali Das.
3 Amiruddin Dhali.

AMINPUR.

1. Babu Lalit Mohan Sen.
2. Munshi Abdus Satter.
3. Babu Prya Nath Poddar.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3859J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Union Committee at Rajanagar Saidpur in the Munshiganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Lal Mohan Bose.
2. Munshi Syed Hedayat Ali
3. Babu Sarat Chandra Bose.

Under section 40 of the said Act the undersigned hereby appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the said Committee :—

1. Babu Radha Ballav Pal.
2. Munshi Reazuddin Bepari.
3. „ Abdul Gani Khan.

Under section 41 of the Act the undersigned also appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the said Union Committee :—

1. Rai Sahib Nanda Kumar Bose.
2. Babu Dinesh Chandra Ghose.
3. „ Radha Madhab Sircar.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 26th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 39L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, Babu Janaranjan Roy has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Nabadwip Garrett Hospital and Dispensary in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Sarat Kumar Bhattacharjee, deceased.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th September 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 12047.—The 24th September 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Mahapal Rural Co-operative Credit Society (registered No. 343 of 1908), in the district of Midnapore, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Nani Gopal Chaki, Circle Inspector, Co-operative Societies, Midnapore, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (*5*) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911, AS AMENDED BY BENGAL ACT III OF 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to plans of

proposed Public Street No. V (Section C) (Amherst Street to Circular Road) and proposed Public Street No. XXXII (Baitakhana Road Diversion), which were originally published in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd February 1916 and 6th February 1918, respectively.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd September 1918.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 43 OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

IMPROVEMENT SCHEME No. XV (SECTION A).

(Street Scheme.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have framed an Improvement Scheme described as Scheme No. XV, New Main Sewer Road, Section A (West of Scheme No. IV-A).

The area comprised in this section is bounded as follows :—

On the north—By a line from the north-east corner of Pran Kristo Ghat along the northern boundary of Nepal Bhattacharjee Street to the north-western corner of Dhakuria Road.

On the east—By a line from the north-west corner of Dhakuria Road along the eastern boundary of Russa Road South to a point 40 feet north of the south-western corner of 115, Dhakuria Road.

On the south—By a straight line from this point to the south-eastern corner of the Mysore Memorial Ghat.

On the west—By a line from this point along the eastern boundary of Tolly's Nulla to the north-eastern corner of Pran Kristo Ghat.

Particulars of the scheme, a map of the area comprised in the scheme, and a statement of the land which it is proposed to acquire may be inspected at the offices of the Trust, No. 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. and on Saturdays between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Copies of the above documents will be delivered to applicants on payment of the following fees :—

	Rs.	A.
Particulars of the scheme	0	4
Map of the area	1	0
Statement of land which it is proposed to acquire.	0	4

Objections to the scheme will be received up to the 31st December 1918.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

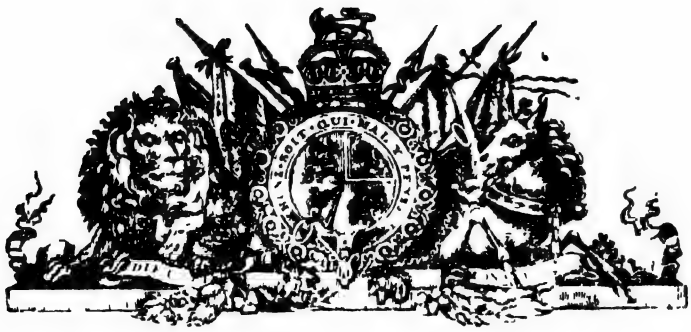
CALCUTTA, *the 11th September 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 20Exé.—The 24th September 1918.—Maulvi Md. Abdullah, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Midnapore, is allowed leave for two months and four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, commencing from the 21st October 1918

A. N MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 21st September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS—SUSPECTED FIRMS.

Simla, the 21st September 1918.

No. 9766.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2604D., dated the 2nd March 1918, as subsequently amended, viz. :—

ADDITIONS.

ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

Armellino, Adolfo, Calle Misiones 1375, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Ciganda, Pedro, Montevideo Uruguay.
Compania Explotadora de Usines de Gas S-A., Bernal and Quilmes, Argentina.
Favaro, Aquiles J., Calle Piedras 412, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Grundland, David, Calle Zabala 1329, and Casilla 489, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Kegeler, Juan, and Company, Cordoba and Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Levallois, Pablo, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Lubeck, Herman, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Raggio, José, Ejido 1594, Montevideo, Uruguay.

BOLIVIA.

Barber, Alfred Wasey (owner of Alfredo W. Barber & Co.), Cochabamba.
Walterspiel, German, Potosi.

BRAZIL.

Campos, José Pinto, Para.
Holdun, Maxim, Caixa 35, Manaos.

CHILE.

Kehl, Frederico, e Hijo, Chillan.
Wunge, Arthur, Valparaiso.
Wunge, Otto, Valparaiso.

COSTA RICA.

Montoya, Luis F., Alaguela, San José and Grecia.

CUBIA.

Berndes, René (Berndes, J. F., & Company), Calle Cuba 64, Havana.
Rios, Juan (*see* Zalvidea, Rios & Co.), Havana.
Zalvidea, Pedro (*see* Zalvidea, Rios & Co.), Havana.

MEXICO.

Elizondo, Hermanos, Monterey.
Hilderbrand, Julius, Narayit.

NETHERLANDS.

Bakker, S. A , & P. Dijksen, Vischstraat C4, Ijmuiden.
Gimborn, H. van, Emmastr. 52, Arnhem; Zevenaar's; Heerenberg and Emmerich.
Gitsels, Anton, G.m.b.H., Ijmuiden.
Kehding, F., Handelsvereeniging (Director, C. M. H. Siegmund), Heerengracht 442, Amsterdam.
Kocks, Herman, Kunstwolfabriek, Valkenburd.
Mertens & Company's Nederlandsche Mij-voor Handels, Cultuur & Mijnbouwzaken, N-V., N. Doelenstraat 12-14, Amsterdam.
Metaal Handelsvereeniging N-V., Spuistraat 245, Amsterdam.
Nederlandsche Mij-voor Handels, Cultuur & Mijnbouwzaken N-V. (*see* Mertens & Company).
Ostwalt, E. M., & Company (Manager Ernest Ostwalt). Nieuwe Doelenstraat 12-14, Amsterdam.
Ostwalt, Ernest (*see* Ostwalt, E. M., & Company).
Prins, N. Ruyschstraat 35, Amsterdam; and Ijmuiden.
Siegmund, Cornelius M. H. (F. Kehding, Handelsvereeniging), Heerengracht 442, Amsterdam.
Steenkolen Groothandel, N-V., Oostsingel, Venlo.
Wanders-Ramaer, Aug., Hendrikstraat, 1-3, Arnhem.

NETHERLANDS—EAST INDIES.

Bloeme, J. A. Scipio, Medan.
Djokjakarta Machinehandel (Proprietor, R. M. Glied), Djokjakarta, Java.
Glied, R. M. (Djokjakarta Machinehandel), Djokjakarta, Java.
Gosewisch, W. H. Ch., Gorontalo.
International Autogarage (G. A. Mayer), Gang Petjenongan 68, Batavia.
Mayer, G. A. (*see* International Autogarage).
Merckelbach & Company, Gang Petjenongan, Batavia.
Quittner, S., Padang.
Smets, Mrs. A., Sourabaya.
Tjin The Tan, Menado.

NORWAY.

Braadlands. O., Conservefabrik A-S., Hillevaag, near Stavanger
Elektrisk Union A-S. Christiania.
Elektrohm A-S., Kristian IV's Gate, Christiania.
Kristiania Saltager A-S., Skippergaten 44, Christiania.
Lombard Banken A-S, Christiania.
Rieber & Company, A-S., Stavanger.

PERU.

Leon, Felix R., Callao and Pacasmayo.

SALVADOR.

Arnold, Frederick, San Salvador.

SPAIN.

Bauditz, Adolfo de (Partner Bernhardt F. Schumann), Fernandez de los Rios 10 and 13, Madrid.
Diaz Llanes, Enrique, Peseo de Atocha 27, Hermosilla 47, and Embajadores 76, Madrid.
Espinosa, Augustin, Santa Cruz de Teneriffe.
Foxas e Hijo, Calle Muntaner 128, Barcelona.
Florida y Cia, J., Alcala 172, corner of Calle Nunez de Balbao, and Calle Fernan Gonzalez 7, Madrid.
Foetz Philippi, Rüdolph (*see* Goetz Phillipi, Rüdolph).
Garcia Ceballos, José, Rodriguez San Pedro 60, Madrid.
Genlen, Enrique, Calle Malloroa 321, Barcelona.
Goetz (or Foetz) Philippi, Rüdolph, Vergara 2, and Hotel Inglese, Madrid.
Gosalvez, Enrique, Principe Vergara 9, Madrid.
Guanabens, Jaime, Lauria 104, and Duque de la Victoria 4, Barcelona.
Hoppe, Hermann, Muelle 29, Santander (*see* Industrial Panadero).
Hoppe, Julio, Muelle 29, Santander (*see* Industrial Panadero).
Industrial Panadero (Partners, Julio and Hermann Hoppe), Calle Federico Vial 2, Santander.
Landsmann, German, Calle Alfonso XI 5, Madrid.
Pauri, Apolo C., Calle Diputacion 41, pral, 1ª. Barcelona.
Peña, Perez, Plaza Easo A., 2º, San Sebastian.
Pielhof & Ramon Uranga S.A., Zarauz.
Schumann, Bernhardt F. (*see* Bauditz Adolfo de).
Uranga, Ramon (*see* Pielhof & Ramon Uranga).

SWEDEN.

Ehnimb, Gustav Adolf Erich, Vasagatan 5, Stockholm.

REMOVALS.

ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

Christians & Company, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

MOROCCO.

Lopez-Benitez, Francisco, Laraiche.

NETHERLANDS—EAST INDIES.

Lio Oe Kiong, Menado.
Tjia Kwie Tek, Medan.

PERSIA.

Haji Muhammad Ibrahim Tehrani Sakkon, Tehran.

PERU.

Chappuis, Manuel (of Carlos Weiss & Company), Callao.

VARIATIONS.

Corrections in the names and additions to addresses of the persons or firms whose names have been included in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2604D., dated the 2nd March 1918, as subsequently amended, are made as under :—

ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

Velazco, Pedro, c-o Osten & Co., Uruguay,
should read
Velasquez, Pedro, c-o Osten & Co., Montevideo, Uruguay.

CUBA.

Zabrida, Rios & Company, Havana,
should read
Zalvidea, Rios & Company, Havana.

NETHERLANDS.

Friedman, Fischel, Tulpstraat 9, Amsterdam.

Wiener, H., & Company, Raadhuisstraat 3, Amsterdam, and Wijnhaven Z.Z. 94, Rotterdam.

Wurdemann, L., Heerengracht 158, Amsterdam,
should read.
Würdemann & Company, L. (Partners Ludwig, O. L. A., and O. W. L. A. Würdemann), Heerengracht 158, Jacob Obrechstraat 33, Amsterdam.

PERSIA.

Kazeruni, Mirza Ali, Borasjan, Bushire.

SPAIN.

Ritter, Thomas or Teodoro, Lope de Rueda 3, and Carrera San Jeronimo 49, Madrid.

VENEZUELA.

Garcia, Antero, San Cristobal.

C. E. LOW.
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 21st September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 2189.—The following is published for general information :—

PRISONERS OF WAR.

No. 01353-1 (A.G 7).

Simla, the 20th September 1918.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Army Department.

Alleged maltreatment of Indian soldiers and followers by the enemy while prisoners of war in East Africa.

Complaints having been made that certain Indian soldiers and followers while prisoners of war in East Africa have been subjected by the enemy to treatment involving breaches of the laws and established usages of war, the Government of India have decided to record the statements of officers, soldiers and others who are in a position to furnish information on the matter, in order that a report may be prepared regarding the truth or falsehood of these allegations.

The manner in which statements should be recorded is set out in the attached instructions.

Order.—Ordered, that copies of the foregoing Resolution and the instructions referred to therein be communicated to the Home Department; the

Finance Department; the Financial Adviser, Military Finance; the several Civil Accountants-General; the Comptroller, India Treasuries; the Comptrollers of the Central Provinces and Assam; the Military Accountant-General; the Controller of War Accounts; the Military Deputy Auditors General, Northern and Southern Commands; all Controllers of Military Accounts of Divisions and the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts.

Ordered, also, that copies of the Resolution and the instructions be forwarded to the Foreign and Political Department, all Local Governments and Administrations and the Adjutant-General in India, for necessary action.

Ordered, also, that the Resolution, together with the instructions, be published in the *Gazette of India*.

Instructions as to the manner in which statements should be recorded in regard to the alleged maltreatment of Indian soldiers and followers while prisoners of war in East Africa.

Method of obtaining the statements of military witnesses in British India.

1. The names of soldiers and followers in India in possession of information concerning the subject matter of this enquiry will be communicated by General Officers Commanding Divisions and Independent Brigades direct to the Local Government or Administration within whose jurisdiction the soldier or follower is stationed or residing. The Local Government or Administration will then arrange, in conjunction with the General Officer Commanding concerned, for the statement of the soldier or follower to be recorded by a Magisterial or Judicial officer not below the rank of District Magistrate or District and Sessions Judge.

Method of obtaining the statements of civil witnesses in British India.

2. Local Governments and Administrations will obtain the names of civilians residing within their jurisdiction who are in possession of information concerning the subject matter of this enquiry and will arrange for their statements to be recorded by a Magisterial or Judicial officer not below the rank of District Magistrate or District and Sessions Judge.

Method of obtaining the statements of witnesses in Native States

3. The names of officers, soldiers and others residing in Native States will be communicated to the Political Officer concerned, who, with the consent of the Darbar, will arrange to record their statements personally.

Method of obtaining the statements of witnesses out of India

4. The statements of persons residing out of India will be taken in such manner as may be prescribed by the competent authority.

Statements not to be on oath.

5. Witnesses will not be required to make their statements on oath, but Magistrates and others taking their statements will impress upon them the necessity for care and precision in making their statements.

Method of recording statements

6. Every statement recorded will commence with the name in full, address, nationality, age and profession or occupation of the witness, and, in the case of a soldier or follower, his regimental number, rank, corps or department. Full particulars of the date of arrival in and departure from East Africa will also be stated, when applicable.

Statements in languages other than English.

7. The statement should be recorded in the words used by the witness, and, when not made in English, it should be accompanied by an accurate translation in English.

Hearsay.

8. A statement founded on hearsay should be recorded when it may be of value as an undesigned confirmation of facts in regard to which direct testimony may be obtained from another source, or as elucidating facts imperfectly narrated by other witnesses.

Letters, diaries, etc., of deceased persons and of persons not available as witnesses.

9. Relevant letters, diaries and other matter written by persons, who have since died or who themselves cannot be made available may be embodied in the statements of the person from whose custody they come. The manner in which they came into the possession of the witness should be recorded.

Statements which can be corroborated by medical examination

10. When a witness makes a statement concerning personal injury or ill-treatment, which can be corroborated by a medical examination of the witness, such medical examination should, if possible, be made by a medical officer, whose statement should also be recorded.

Cross-examination of witnesses

11. Magistrates and others recording statements should treat the evidence critically and as far as possible satisfy themselves by interrogating the witnesses that they are speaking the truth.

Witness to sign his statement

12. A witness who can write should be asked to sign his statement. A witness who cannot write should be asked to add his thumb impression, which should be certified by the District Magistrate or other officer recording his statement.

Statement to be read over to witness

13. The District Magistrate or other officer recording the statement should in every case read it over to the witness, and satisfy himself that the latter understands it and accepts its correctness. A certificate to this effect should be added to the statement and signed by the District Magistrate or other officer recording the statement who should enter the place at and the date on which the statement was made.

Remarks of recording officer

14. Magistrates and others recording statements should add their comments upon the intelligence and demeanour of the witnesses, stating their impressions of their truthfulness or otherwise and indicating any cases in which the narrative told appeared open to doubt or suspicion.

Disposal of statements

15. All statements when completed will be forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Army Department.

Travelling expenses of witnesses in India

16. Witnesses in India entitled to travel under military rules will travel on duty to and from the place appointed by the District Magistrate or Political Officer. Witnesses in India not entitled to travel under military rules will, in the case of Government servants, receive travelling allowances according to prescribed rates, and private persons will receive free conveyance by rail, river, canal, sea and road from the place in which they are residing to the place appointed, and for the return journey upon the certificate of the Magistrate or Political Officer, who will determine the class of conveyance proper to each case.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Commerce and Industry Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 23rd September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POST OFFICE.

Simla, the 23rd September 1918.

No. 10185.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 21 of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in rule 27 of the rules issued with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 2883-45, dated the 26th April 1913, as subsequently amended, namely :—

"In clause 6, the word 'ginger' shall be inserted after the word 'turmeric'."

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 28th September 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE—WAR.

Simla, the 28th September 1918.

No. 10404.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to the Notification in this Department No. 3075 W., dated the 11th May 1918, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

For the existing entry "(C) Linseed" substitute "(B) Linseed".

No. 10339.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

The 6th day of August 1918.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1917, and made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1917, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

Chemicals, etc., the following :—

(B) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound, and mixtures containing such salts (except ammonia liquor, liquefied ammonia, ammonium alum, ammonium carbonate, chloride, nitrate, perchlorate, sulphate and sulphocyanide, and nickel ammonium sulphate, and mixtures containing such ammonium salts) ;

(A) Ammonia, liquefied ;

(A) Ammonia liquor ;

(A) Ammonium alum and mixtures containing ammonium alum ;

(A) Ammonium carbonate and mixtures containing ammonium carbonate ;

(A) Ammonium chloride, including muriate of ammonia and sal-ammoniac, and mixtures containing these substances;
(A) Ammonium nitrate and mixtures containing ammonium nitrate;
(A) Ammonium perchlorate and mixtures containing ammonium perchlorate;
(A) Ammonium sulphate and sulphocyanide;
(A) Barium sulphate;
(A) Indigo, natural and synthetic;
(A) Nickel ammonium sulphate and mixtures containing nickel ammonium sulphate;
(C) Sodium bicarbonate;

Leather goods of the following descriptions:—

(B) Articles of personal equipment suitable for military purposes;
(B) Bandoliers;
(B) Belts;
(B) Laces;
(B) Pouches;
(B) Tar, vegetable.

(2) That the following headings should be added:—

(C) Acid-resisting apparatus made of quartz and parts of such apparatus made of quartz;
(A) Carbon, coke oven;
(A) Carbon, pitch;

Chemicals, etc., the following:—

(A) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound, and mixtures containing such salts;
(A) Barium sulphate and mixtures containing barium sulphate;
(C) Indigo, natural;
(A) Indigo, synthetic;
(A) Sodium bicarbonate;

(A) Grates and registers for heating purposes, and their component parts;

Leather goods of the following descriptions:—

(A) Articles of personal equipment suitable for military purposes:
(A) Bandoliers;
(A) Belts;
(A) Laces;
(A) Pouches;

(A) Nicotine and its compounds;
(A) Tar, vegetable.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

INTERNAL TRADE.

The 28th September 1918

No. 10491.—In pursuance of section 3 of the Cotton Cloth Act, 1918 (XXIII of 1918), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. F. Noyce, I.C.S., to be a Controller for the purposes of the said Act and to direct that Mr. Noyce shall exercise his powers throughout British India.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 28th September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, 27th September 1918.

No. 2236.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

Temporary Lieutenants to be temporary Captains.

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Lalit Mohan Banerjee, F.R.C.S. 1st July 1918.

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Girish Chandra Maitra. 14th July 1918.

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JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 27th September 1918.

No. 2264.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended :—

After Rule 24-A of the said Rules the following shall be *inserted*, namely :—

24-B. (1) No person deemed to be enrolled for general or local military service under section 3 or 4, as the case may be, of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, whether the holder of a certificate of exemption granted under that Act or not, who is employed on War works shall leave such employment without the permission in writing of the Governor-General in Council or of an officer of Government authorized by him in this behalf.

(2) In this rule—

"War work" means work in connection with the prosecution of the present war which

(*i*) requires special technical knowledge and training, and

(*ii*) is carried on in any Government factory or workshop.

(3) If any question arises whether any work is war work within the meaning of this rule a certificate signed by a Secretary to the Government of India shall be conclusive on the point.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India, Indian Munitions Board, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 28th September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 26th September 1918.

No. E.-758.—Mr. J. C. Nixon, I.C.S., Assistant Controller of Munitions, Bengal Circle, is appointed to officiate as Controller of Munitions, Bengal and Assam Circles, with effect from the 21st October 1918, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Mr. J. C. K. Peterson, I.C.S., or until further orders.

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

24-Parganas.

No 2452L.S-G.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Basirhat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with numbers in jurisdiction list			Boundaries of the Union.
24 Parganas	Itinda ...	9	Akharpur	...	126	North—
			Mukundakati	...	127	Thanas Baduria and Satkhira, in district Khulna
			Gacha Ballabuhu	...	128	
			Paikardanga	...	129	East—
			Bibidia	...	130	Thana Satkhira in district Khulna.
			Pamtar	...	131	
			Itinda	...	132	South—
						Thana Satkhira, in district Khulna, and river Jamuna or Ichamati
						West—
						River Jamuna or Ichamati and mauzas Sangrampur (113), Merudandi (122), Rangra (124) and Prasannakati (125), and thana Baduria.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Itinda Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

3. This cancels so much of Notification No. 147T.M., dated the 15th June 1895, as relates to the Itinda Union.

24-Parganas. *No. 2454L.S.-G.—The 28th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Itinda Union, in the district of the 24-Parganas, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

24-Parganas. *No. 2455L.S.-G.—The 28th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Itinda Union, in the district of the 24-Parganas, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

24-Parganas. *No. 2458L.S.-G.—The 28th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Haroa, in the district of the 24-Parganas, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
24-Parganas	Haroa ...	9	Satipur ... 22 Sankarpur ... 25 Muzumpur ... 26 Mukundaberia or Bagjuri 27 Akundaberia ... 28 Gorainagar ... 29 Gangati ... 30 Nazarnagar ... 31 Baganati ... 32 Khas Balanda ... 93 Natarbagan ... 94 Bashabati ... 95 Atghara or Inayetpur ... 96 Gurdahra ... 97 Haroa or Barbakpur ... 98 Paikpara ... 99 Shahpur or Piara ... 100 Mallikpur ... 101 Adampur ... 102	North— River Bidyadhari and thana Deganga. East— Mauzas Khurd-Chandpur (103), Goaberia (91), Sikandernagar (92), Kasimbazar or Bilkankesliwar (90), and Jhanjha (87). South— Mauzas Ranigachhi (75), Ranagachhi Dakshin (36), Badeli or Edeni (35), Baruz (33) and (34), Jagurgachha (24) and Kuchiamora (23). West— Mauzas Haripur (21), Mathura (5), Ramnathpur (4) and Kharupala (1).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Haroa Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

24-Parganas. *No 2460L.S.-G.—The 28th September 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Haroa

Union, in the district of the 24-Parganas, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

24-Parganas.

No. 2461L.S.-G.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle Trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Haroa Union, in the district of the 24-Parganas, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2462L.S.-G.—The 30th September 1918.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Dimla, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Name of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Bhogdabari, south west portion.	9	Bhogdabari— Part 1 ... 1 South-west portion.	East— Cooch Behar and Ketkibari ... 34 South— Chandkhana ... ... 3 Padalganj ... ... 2 West— Jalpaiguri. North— A straight line joining the north-east corner of Dhoda Das' house on the border of Cooch Behar with the north-east corner of the house of Gadia Das; thence a straight line to the north-east corner of the house of Sobradu; from there a straight line to the north-east corner of the house of Nilu, thence a straight line across the rail road to the north-west corner of the houses of Dhepra Das; from there a straight line to the north-east corner of the house of Faringa Das; thence a straight line to the north-east corner of the house of Chim Singh and a straight line in continuation of the same to the border of Jalpaiguri district.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Bhogdabari Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2465 L.S.-G.—The 30th September 1918.—The following draft of an order, which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Dimla, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Chatnai (north-west portion).	9	Chatnai ... 39	North and West— Cooch Behar East— Jharsingeswar ... ... 40 South— Balapara ... ... 57 A straight line from the south-east corner of the house of Ajin at the junction of mauza Balapara and Chatnai to the south-east corner of the house of Sabda Barman ; thence a straight line to the south-east corner of zamindary kutchary ; from there a straight line to the south-east corner of the house of Dharpara Das ; thence another straight line to the south-east corner of the house of Hari Mohan and from there a straight line to the tri-junction of mauzas Jharsingeswar, Chatnai, Union No. I and Union No. II.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Chatnai Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2463 L.S.-G.—The 30th September 1918.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is

pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Dimla, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Gumnati	9	Ambari ... ... 33 Gumnati 35	North— Ketkibari ... ... 34 Kuch Behar. East— Sobhanganj ... 36 Balapara ... ... 37 Sundarkhata ... 50 South— Jorabari (part) ... 5 Bamania ... ... 32 Panga ... ... 31 West— Chandkhana ... 3 Jorabari (part) ... 5

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Gumnati Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2469L.S.-G.—The 30th September 1918.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union
Rangpur ...	Jaldhaka...	9	Bogamgari ... ... 57 Changmari ... ... 58 Cherenga ... ... 59 Ditto 81	North— Balagram ... ... 5 Salangaon ... 6 East— Nekbakt Ubraom ... 82 Solmari ... ... 105 South— Khutamara ... 55 Changmari ... 60 Gabrol ... ... 80 West— Simulbari ... 9 Kathali ... ... 10 Deabai 56

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Jaldhaka Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2464L.S.-G.—The 30th September 1918.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Nilphamari, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist	Names of villages which constitute the Union with the numbers in jurisdiction list	Boundaries of the Union
Rangpur ...	Gorgram (north-west portion)	9	Gorgram ... ... 4 (north-west portion.)	North— Jalpaiguri district, Gorgram No 3, Arazi Daluapara No. 2 and Dalua No 1. East— Chatura Bargacha No 29 South— A straight line drawn from the south-east corner of Darpa Barman's house to the south-west corner of Bastratulla's house and then a straight line drawn to the south-west corner of Indur Mahammad's house, and from there a straight line drawn to the south-west corner of Kanchia Dafadar's house, and thence a straight line drawn to the south-east corner of the timber iron bridge on District Board Road No 41 over the river Buri-Tista West— Dinajpur district.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Gorgram Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act

Rangpur.

No. 2467 L.S.-G.—The 30th September 1918.—The following draft of an order, which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918 and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jaldhaaka in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Solmari ...	9	Nekbakt Ubraon ... 82 Siddheshwari ... 104 Solmari (portion) ... 105	North— Golmunda ... 83 Haldibari ... 102 (part) East— Haldibari ... 102 (part—Char). River Tista A straight line joining the north-east corner of Bhola's house on the bank of the river Tista to the south-east corner of Thagur Nasya's house ; thence a straight line to the north-east corner of Kaua's house and from there another straight line to the north-east corner of Keramat's house South— Kaumari ... 107 Bodi ... 106 Gábrol ... 80 West— Cherenga ... 81 Balagram ... 5

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Committee of the said Solmari Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2466 L.S.-G.—The 30th September 1918.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Dimla, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Name of village which constitutes the Union, with its numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Naotara ...	9	Naotara ... 47	North— Arazi. Kharibari ... 48 Gayabari (part) ... 46 East— Gayabari (part) ... 46 Thana Jaldhaka. South— Khamar Chira Satya (part) 54 West— Kharibari Khaga . 49 Dimla Muhammadganj ... 52 Khamar Chira Satya (part) 54

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Naotara Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2468L.S-G.—The 30th September 1918.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Khalisha Chapani.	9	Chapani Jot ... 87 Chapani Khalisa ... 88 Biru ... 89 Dalia ... 90 Chapani Kakina ... 91	North— Khata Chhota ... 92 Thana Dimla East— Baispukhuria ... 97 Chaturama ... 98 Chapani Jhunagacha ... 86 South— Thana Dimla. Chapani Jhunagacha ... 86 West— Thana Dimla.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Committee of the said Khalisha-Chapani Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Midnapore.

No. 2444M.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Tamluk Municipality in the district of Midnapore :—

Sub-Deputy Collector, Tamluk (*Ex-officio*).
Babu Bihari Lal Mukharji.
Munshi Aftabuddin Ahmad.
Babu Gyanada Charan Paladhi.

Mymensingh.

No. 2446M.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Ausafuddin Ahmad to be a Commissioner of the Kishoreganj Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Wasaddin, deceased.

Midnapore.

No. 2448M.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Ramjibanpur Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Jogendra Nath Roy to be Chairman of that Municipality

Faridpur.

No. 2450M.—The 28th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Madaripore Municipality, in the district of Faridpur, under section 27 of that Act, electing Babu Abinas Chandra Ray to be Chairman of that Municipality, *vice* Babu Mono Mohan Gangali, on leave.

24-Parganas.

No. 2456M.—The 28th September 1918.—The following draft order, which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the provisions of Part IX of that Act to Ward No. IV of the said municipality, the boundaries of which are specified below :—

North—Titagarh khal.
East—Mauza Raiyah and Kismat Patulia.
South—Gobinda Chunder Chatarji's Road, including the road.
West—Fencing on the western side of the Eastern Bengal Railway line, including the Titagarh Railway station premises

No. 665T.M.—The 18th September 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 3 of the Bengal (Aliens) Disqualification Act, 1918 (Bengal Act III of 1918), and with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt all Armenians from the provisions of this section with effect from the commencement of the said Act.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee having previously given notice of their intention to revise the general line of buildings on either side of the public street known as Motts Lane in Ward No. 14, and no objection having been received within thirty days from the date of the publication of such notice, made an order, under section 350 (*4*) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, on the 19th day of September 1918, revising the said line in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 1st day of August 1918 (in supersession of the line defined by the General Committee on the 8th day of July 1910).

C. F PAYNE, *Chairman of the Corporation.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 25th September 1918.*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee having previously given notice of their intention to modify the general line of buildings on either side of the public street known as Ahiritola Street at the junction of Ahiritola 2nd Lane and Ahiritola Street in Ward No. 2, and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, made an order, under section 350 (*4*) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, on the 19th day of September 1918, modifying the said line in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 17th day of July 1918 (in supersession of the line defined by the General Committee on the 22nd day of March 1910).

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman of the Corporation.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 25th September 1918.*

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

NOTICE.

Qualified Urdu Teachers.

ALLAHABAD—

M. Shaikh Mohammad Ismail, South Malaka, Allahabad.
M. Syed Mazhar-ul-Husain, 253A, Mohtashim Ganj, Allahabad.

AMBALA—

M. Mohd. Miyan Khan, Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
M. Mohd. Akbar Khan Haidari, The Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
M. Zafarullah Khan Haidari, Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
M. Anand Sarup, Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment (winter only).
M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh, Gyani, Munshi Fazil, Urdu Instructor, Officers' School, Ambala Cantonment.
M. Amar Nath Varma, Young Officers' School of Instruction, Ambala Cantonment.
M. Chhote Lal, Lalkurti Bazar, Ambala.
M. Jawala Parshad, Regimental Munshi, Lalkurti Bazar, Ambala.
*M. S. Habib Ullah, Professor of Oriental Languages, C/o. Hajj Masik Ullah, Suddar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment.
M. Abdul Latif, Office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, R.M.S. and Sorting, Ambala; Kothi Hakim Morad Ali, Ambala Cantonment.

BANGALORE—

M. Mohd. Imdad Hussain, 1, Gun Troop Road, Bangalore Cantonment.
M. Husain Mirza, 1, Gun Troop Road, Bangalore.
*M. Din Mohammad Khan Talib, 1, Gun Troop Road, Ulsoor P. O.; Bangalore Cantonment.
M. Mukhtar Ahmad, 1, Gun Troop Road, Bangalore.
M. Ghulam Ahmed Sahib, 58, Dispensary Road, Bangalore (Cantonment).

BANNU—M. Mul Chand Khurana, Munshi Alim, Pensioner and Clerk to Afghan Medical Mission, Bannu.

BAREILLY—

M. Mohd. Arif, B. 1, Bazar, Bareilly.
M. Rashid Ahmad Khan, Old City, Sailani, Bareilly.

BOMBAY—Mr. H. M. Anwar, Karelwadi, Thakurwar Road, Post No. 2, Bombay.

CALCUTTA—

M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S., 2-1-2, Tiljala 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Badru-z-Zaman, 212-1, Linton Street, Calcutta
M. Abdul Badi, 5, Ramsanker Roy Lane, Calcutta.
M. A. M. F. Wahhab, Librarian, Calcutta Madrassah, 34, Collin Street, Calcutta.
M. Habiban Nabi Khan Saulat, 27, Karaya Bazar Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Akmal Ali Akmal, 25, Nur Ali Lane, P. O Entally, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Karim Nashtar, 52, Ice Factory Lane, P. O. Entally.
M. Mohd. Gholam Kibriya Ibrat, 17-1, Noorallah Doctor's Lane, Balligunge Road, Calcutta.
*M. Badruddin Ahmed, B.A., 3, Elliot Lane, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Israil Khan, 5, Doctor Karam Hossain Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Syed Nawab Ali, 11, Colootola Street, Calcutta.
M. Wahidun Nabi Khan, 88-1, Old Baitak Khana Road, Harrison Road P. O.
M. Dahluddin Ahmed, 37, Karaya Bazar Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Wajid, 106, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
M. A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A., 4, Korabardar Lane, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Muslim, 12, Damzen's Lane, Chinapara, Calcutta.
M. Nisar Ahmad Khan, 49, Ice Factory Lane, Entally, Calcutta.
M. Shahabuddin Ahmad Siddiqi, 11, Gardner Lane, Entally P O., Calcutta.
*M. S. M. Abdullah Afzali, 41, Gardner Lane, Entally P O., Calcutta.
M. Azherus Sadain, 138-1, Karaya Road.
M. Abdul Habib Khan, 44, Gora Chand Road, Entally P. O., Calcutta.
M. Syed Abu Zafar, 36, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta.
*M. Mohamad Sharafat Ali, 27, Jhowtala Lane, Balligunge P. O.
M. Mohd. Qurban Ali Asri, 28, Park Lane.

CAWNPORE—

M. S. Abdul Ghani, Regimental Munshi, Garrison Battalion, Royal Irish Rifles.
M. Syed Aulad Husain, Second Master, 44-170, Ahta Kamal Khan, Halsey Road, Cawnpore.

DELHI—M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi), Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.

FEROZEPORE—

M. Suraj Narain, B.A., Kabari Bazar, Ferozepore.
M. Harnam Das, Head Master, Malwa Khalsa School, Ferozepore City.

HAPUR—M. S. Khursad Ali, Mohalla Kaziwara, Hapur, district Meerut.

HYDERABAD (DECCAN).—M. Jamaluddin, Revenue Secretariat, H. E. H. the Nizam's Government, Hyderabad.

JHELUM.—M. Thakur Das Pahwa, Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JUBBULPORE—

M. Abdul Rahim, Regimental Munshi, 1-4th Royal West Kent Regiment, Saddar Bazar, Jubbulpore.
M. Mohd. M. Haque, Officers' Munshi, C/o Nisar Ali Shah's Garden, Nerbadda Road, Jubbulpore Cantt.

JULLUNDUR—

M. Karam Chand, C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazar, Jullundur Cantonment.
M. Dharm Lal, C/o Oriental Book Depôt, Jullundur.
M. Hari Chand (of Rahon), son of P. Dhanpat Rai, Officers' Munshi, Rahon, district Jullundur.

KARACHI.—M. Anandram Thadamal, Regimental Munshi, Norfolk Regiment, Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.—M. Anand Sarup, Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

KHILCHIPUR.—M. Rameshwar Dayal, Head Master, A. V. M. School, Khilchipur, C. I.

KOLHAPUR.—Pt. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni, 112, Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

LAHORE—

M. Sham Lal Bhargava, Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar. Lahore Cantonment.

*M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani (Munshi Fazil), Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman, Sabri, Mohalla, Sammian, Chhawni Manawala, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

M. Mool Chand Saihgal, Regimental Munshi, 1-5th Devonshire Regiment. Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.

M. Syed Mohammad, B. A. (Cal.), No. 3, Katoomal Building, Beadon Road, Lahore.

M. Mohd. Ishaq, Regimental Munshi, Bengali Mohalla, Sadar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.

M. Ram Kishan, Regimental Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.

LUCKNOW—

M. Abdul Karim, C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

M. Mohammad Musharraf Ali, Hewett Road, near Post Office, Lucknow.

M. Mohd. Ashfaq Husain, C/o M. Muzaffar Hamid, Oriental Professor, La Martiniere College, Lucknow.

M. Sh. Abdul Rabb, E(d) Section, No. 1, Barrack of 1-10th Middlesex Line, Lucknow.

MADRAS—M. Muhiddin Hussain Sahib, 15-16, Vathiar Chinniah Pillai Street, Royapettah, Madras.

MOZUFFERPORE.—M. Mohd. Shuaib, Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore.

MULTAN.—M. Sultan Mohammad, Regimental Munshi, Multan Cantonment.

MURREE HILLS—

M S. C. Bagchi, Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali, P. O Murree Hills.

M. Ghulam Mohy-ud-Din, Regimental Munshi, 2nd North Staffordshire Regiment (summer only).

M. Bodh Raj, Regimental Munshi (summer only).

M. Abdul Karim Khan, Regimental Munshi, 2-4th Broderers, Lower Gharial, Murree Hills.

MUSSOORIE.—M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey, Islamia School, Mussoorie.

NAINI TAL.—M. Faquir Ulla, St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

PATNA.—M. S. Fasihuddin Baikhi, Bakshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.—

M. Ahmed Din, Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.

M. Abdur Rahim, Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

M. Ajab Shah Anand, Officers' Munshi, Daki Nama, Peshawar City.

M. Kazi Ghulam Nabi, opposite General Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.

POONA—

*M. S. Barkat Ali, Regimental Munshi, 1st Garrison Battalion, Norfolk Regiment, Poona.

Mr. V. L. Deshpande, 570, Kasba Peth, Poona City.

QUETTA—

M. Mohd. Rohim Shah, Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

M. Ahmed Bux, Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

M. S. Karim Bukhsh, Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

M. Mohamed Sarwar, Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

Pt. Hirday Narayan, Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

M. S. Abdul Aziz, Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

M. Syed Inam Ali, Mission Road, Quetta.

M. Sher Mohammed, Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

M. Dittu Ram, Regimental Munshi, 2nd Battalion, King's Liverpool Regiment, Baboo Mohalla, Quetta.

M. Farzand Ali Khan (of Patna), Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

M. Syed Hadi Hossain, Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

M. Mahmud Hasan Israili, Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.

RATNAGIRI.—M. Waman Vishnu Vaidya, C/o Mr. R. K. Bal, B.A., LL. B., Sub-Judge, Malwan, district Ratnagiri.

RAWALPINDI—

M. Ghulam Mohy-ud-Din, Regimental Munshi, 2nd Battalion, North Staffordshire Regiment, Rawalpindi (winter only).
M. Ghulam Rasul, Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. K. R. Mehta, Regimental Munshi, 1st F. S. Garrison Battalion, Somerset Light Infantry.
M. Bodh Raj, Regimental Munshi (winter only).
M. Fazl Elahi, C/o Ellahi Buksh & Co., Polo Sports Works, near Massy Gate, Rawalpindi.

RISALPUR.—M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan, Regimental Munshi, Royal Flying Corps, Risalpur Cantonment.

ROORKEE CITY.—M. Fazl-i-Haq, Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.—M. Abdul Hamid Khan, Officers' Munshi, Mori Gate, New Street, Sialkot.

SAUGOR.—M. Safdar Khan, Pro. Sub-Inspector, Officers' Police Training School, Saugor.

SUBATHU.—*M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil), Urdu Instructor, Officers' School of Instruction, Subathu.

Qualified Bengali Teachers.

CALCUTTA.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chatterjee, 6, Muktaram Row, Calcutta.

RUNGPUR.—Babu Mukunda Lal Das Gupta, Kakina, district Rungpur.

Qualified Canarese Teacher.

BANGALORE.—M. R. Ry. K. Hanumantha Rao, No. 1, Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore.

Qualified Malayalam Teacher.

ADICHANALLORE.—M R. Ry. N. Sankara Pillai, First Assistant, H. G. E. School, Adichanallore.

KOTTAYAM.—M. R. Ry. A. I. Pothen, Malayalam Munshi, Basel Mission High School, Kottayam.

Qualified Marathi Teachers.

EAST KHANDESH.—Mr. Laxman Narayan Phandis, B.A., C o Mr. M. N. Phandis, Editor, Kavya-Ratnawal Jalgaon.

POONA CITY—

Mr. Govind Krishna Modak, Sanskrit Teacher, New English School, Poona City.
Mr. D. K. Pathak, 412, Sadashiv, Peth, Poona City.

SHOLAPUR.—Mr. Vishnu Anant Salgarkar, C/o Mr. Harichand Amichand Shah, Sholapur.

Qualified Punjabi Teacher.

LAHORE.—M. Muhammad Zafar Ali, Student, Foreman Christian College, Lahore.

Qualified Tamil Teachers

MADRAS—

M. R. Ry. K. Raghavachari, Senior Tamil Pandit, Wesleyan Mission Girls' High School, Royapettah.
M. R. Ry. A. M. Satakoparamanuja Acharya, Senior Tamil Pandit, National High School, Teppakulam, Trinchinopoly.

Qualified Telugu Teacher.

GODAVARI.—M. R. Ry. V. Subba Rao, Stewartpetta, Pithapuram, Godavari district.

N.B.—Whenever any teacher changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

Teachers whose names are preceded by an asterisk (*) are considered especially competent to give advanced instruction in the language.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secy. and Member, Board of Examiners.

NOTICE.

City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

The annual Technological Examinations of the City and Guilds of London Institute will be held in Bengal at the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, and the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta, in April and May 1919. The exact dates will be announced immediately on receipt of question papers from the London Institute. Candidates desiring to appear at any of the examinations should apply for registration forms, stating the subject or subjects in which they desire to appear. A fee of Rs. 5 has to be paid for each section or grade of a subject, and applications and fees must reach the undersigned not later than the 1st November 1918. The fee will in no case be refunded.

W. H. EVERETT,
Secretary, City and Guilds Examination Committee.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA,
The 5th September 1918.

DIRECTOR OF SURVEYS, BENGAL.

THE undermentioned students are declared to have passed the Examination of the 1st year's Course of Bengal Land Surveying School, Comilla, held in August 1918:—

Arranged in order of merit.

1. Apurbo Krishna Saraswati ... Prize for General Proficiency.
2. Jitendra Nath Mukherji ... ,, ,, Practical.
3. Monoranjan Ray Chowdhuri ... ,, ,, Drawing.
4. Muhammad Mutasin Chowdhury ,, ,, Theory.
5. Indu Bhusan Putatunda.
6. Chandra Madhob Ghose.
7. Basanta Kumar Dutta.
8. Joy Gopal Banerji.
9. Surendra Chandra Das.
10. Brojendra Nath Banerji.
11. Kazi Muhammad Muslahuddin.
12. Alimiddin Ahmed.
13. Purna Chandra Dey.

C. A. O'DONEL,
Offg. Director of Surveys, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 30th September 1918.*

DIRECTOR OF SURVEYS, BENGAL.

THE undermentioned students are declared to have passed the Examination of the 2nd year's Course (Final) of Bengal Land Surveying School, Comilla, held in August 1918:—

Arranged in order of merit.

1. Haran Chandra Dey ... Prize for General Proficiency.
2. Kiron Chandra Sikdar ... ,, ,, Practical.
3. Prakash Chandra Sarkar.
4. Abhimanyu Mandal.
5. Tarini Charan Chakravarty.
6. Atul Chandra Ghose.
7. Akhil Chandra Deb.

C. A. O'DONEL,
Offg. Director of Surveys, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 30th September 1918.*

OFFICE MEMORANDUM BY THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, BURDWAN DIVISION.

University Matriculation Examination, 1919.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. Private students are those who have not attended any recognized or unrecognized High English schools for at least one year previous to the examination. The term "private students" includes school masters.

2. Private students must appear at the Test Examination to be held on Monday, the 2nd December 1918, and the following days at the Hooghly Branch School.

Each private student will have to pay a fee of Rs. 6, which should be remitted to the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, along with his application for admission to the Test Examination by the 9th November 1918, after which date a fine of Rs. 2 will have to be paid for each week's delay. *Under no circumstances will the admission fee be refunded.* No private student will be admitted to the Test Examination unless he is accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known in the office of the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, or to the staff of the Hooghly Branch School.

3. Applications must be submitted through the Head Master of the school in which the applicant last read. The Head Master, in forwarding the application to this office, should note whether he recommends the application or not. If he does not, his reasons should be stated. The application of no candidate is to be forwarded who did not leave school from the first class, or who had not been declared fit for promotion to that class. The information to be given and the documents to be appended (in original) are the following:—

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.

(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate by the Head Master of the school in which he last read; or

(*c*) In the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance Examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.

(*d*) The age of the candidate is not required in cases (*b*) and (*c*). No candidate who has not completed the age of sixteen years on the first day of the Matriculation Examination is eligible.

(*e*) In the case of school masters, a certificate of good conduct from the secretary or proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving.

(*f*) A certificate from a respectable gentleman to the effect that the candidate has prosecuted a regular course of study and has been subject to proper discipline, and that he has not read in any school since the last Matriculation Examination held in April 1918. Detailed information is needed under this head. The person granting the certificate should state his social or professional position.

(*g*) The names of subjects in which the candidate wishes to be examined.

4. *The fee for the Matriculation Examination has NOT to be sent to this office.* It should be sent to the Registrar by the candidates themselves, together with the countersigned applications.

5. The address of each private student should be supplied to this office.

6. The Matriculation Examination in 1919 will be held on the 3rd March 1919 and following days. Applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 18th January 1919.

W. E. GRIFFITH,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA,
The 10th September 1918.

Intermediate and B. A. Examinations.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bonâ fide* masters of English schools, who have served as such for the full period of three academical years preceding the examination, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations.

2. Candidates for the Intermediate and B. A. Examinations must produce certificates of character and length of service from the secretaries of their respective schools. Candidates for the B. A Examination must forward with their applications their F. A. certificates, and those for the Intermediate Examination their Entrance or Matriculation certificates. Those candidates who were admitted to a former examination must produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

3. Under section 19 of the Indian Universities Act, candidates for the Intermediate and B. A. Examinations are informed that their applications for admission to these examinations will not be considered unless they enclose with their applications to this office the sanction of the Senate to appear at the said examinations. Candidates who have applied for or have obtained the special permission of the Senate for the purpose are required, under section 9, chapter XV of the Revised Regulations, dealing with the registration of University students, to apply at once to the Registrar for the registration of their names as University students. No person will be deemed a "University student" unless and until his name has been duly registered, and none but "University students" will be eligible for admission to any University examination other than the Matriculation

4. The printed form of application should be carefully and correctly filled in and submitted to this office on or before the 12th January 1919, together with other papers, as mentioned in rules 2 and 3, after which no application will be received.

5. The Intermediate Examination of 1919 will be held on the 18th March 1919 and following days. The B. A. Examination of 1919 will be held on the 3rd April 1919 and following days. The applications and fees for admission to the Intermediate Examination must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 3rd February 1919, and those for the B. A. Examination on or before the 19th February 1919.

W. E. GRIFFITH,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA,
The 10th September 1918.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM BY THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, BURDWAN DIVISION.

KRISHNA CHANDRA BANERJEE, son of late Babu Ram Chandra Banerjee, of Chopa, in the district of Hooghly, who appeared at the Upper Primary Scholarship Examination of 1917 from the Gurbari Upper Primary School, in the district of Hooghly, is awarded an Upper Primary Scholarship of Rs. 3 a month, tenable at the Chakdighi High English School, in the district of Burdwan, for the period from 1st March 1918 to 31st December 1919, in place of Satish Chandra Das, deceased.

W. E. GRIFFITH,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA, *the 18th September 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE current year's (1918) graduate scholarships are awarded to the following students on the combined results of the last B.A. and B Sc. Degree Examinations of the Calcutta University :—

(The scholarships take effect from 1st June 1918.)

Serial No.	Names of scholars.	College from which graduated
	Four scholarships of Rs. 30 a month each tenable for 2 years.	
1.	Praphulla Kumar Ghosh	.. Hooghly College.
2.	Gurudas Bhar	... Ditto.
3.	A. F. Mujibor Rahman	... Dacca College.
4.	Satyakinkar Mukhopadhyay	... Wesleyan College.
	One scholarship of Rs. 30 a month tenable for 2 years.	
1.	Nanigopal Mazumdar	... Sanskrit College.
	Two scholarships for Muhammadans of Rs. 25 a month each tenable for 2 years.	
1.	Abul Hossain	... Presidency College, Calcutta.
2.	Golam Merajuddin	... Ditto.
	One scholarship of Rs. 40 a month tenable for two years at the Dacca College.	
1.	Anukul Chandra Sen	.., Dacca College
	One special scholarship for a Muhammadan or a member of a "backward class" of Rs. 30 a month tenable for 2 years at the Dacca College.	
1.	Mahmud-ul-Ameen	... Dacca College.
	One Durga Charan Laha scholarship of Rs. 25 a month.	
1.	Mahendra Kumar Desarkar	... Jagannath College, Dacca.

J. W. GUNN,
Asstt. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th September 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

OFFICE MEMO.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the Fuller Memorial Scholarship of Rs. 15 a month is awarded to Altafur Rahman Khan for two years with effect from the 1st June 1918.

The scholarship is tenable at the M. A. O. College, Aligarh.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 24th September 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1918.

ENDOWED GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS, 1918.

THE following graduates are awarded the endowed scholarships on the results of B.A. and B. Sc. examinations of 1918 :—

(The scholarships are tenable for two years with effect from 1st June 1918.)

Serial No.	Names of scholars.	College from which graduated.	College where tenable.
	1 Dwarka Nath Tagore Scholarship of Rs. 50 a month.		
1	Chandiprasad Khaitan	Presidency College, Calcutta.	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	1 Ryan Scholarship of Rs. 40. a month.		
1	Suddhodan Ghosh ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	3 Hindu College Foundation Scholarships.		
	1 of Rs. 40 a month.		
1	Sudhirkumar Mazumdar.	Presidency College, Calcutta.	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	1 of Rs. 30 a month.		
1	Nripendranath Mazumdar.	Presidency College, Calcutta.	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	1 of Rs. 25 a month.		
1	Kiranchandra De ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	1 Durga Charan Laha Scholarship of Rs. 40 a month.		
1	Hirendralal Mitra ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.	University Post graduate class, Calcutta.

J. W. GUNN,
Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 19th September 1918.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned candidate has been admitted to the Degree of Doctor of Science. The subject of the thesis submitted to and approved by the Board of Examiners is stated against his name :—

Name of candidate.	Subject of thesis
Babu Sudhansukumar Banerjee, M.Sc. ...	On some Problems in Diffraction, Wave Motion and Vibration.

K. L. DATTA, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 23rd September 1918.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE following orders of the Government of India in the Department of Education are published for general information :—

Under section 21, sub-section (*3*) of the Indian Universities Act, No. VIII of 1904, the Government of India are pleased to sanction the affiliation of the Edward College, Pabna, to the I. A. standard in English, Vernacular Composition, Sanskrit, Persian, History, Logic, Mathematics and Chemistry, with effect from the commencement of the session 1918-19.

K. L. DATTA, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 26th September 1918.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

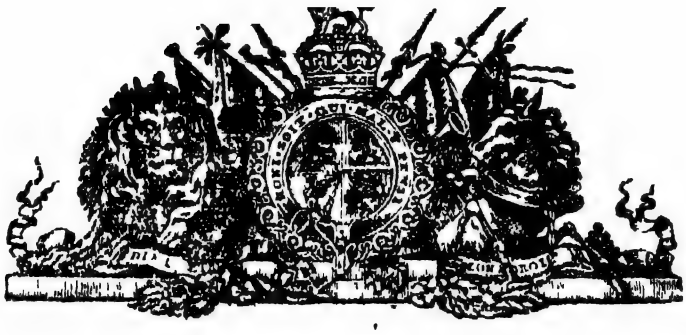
NOTICE.

THE following orders of the Government of India in the Department of Education are published for general information :—

Under section 22, read with section 21, sub-section (*3*) of the Indian Universities Act (No. VIII of 1904), the Government of India are pleased to sanction the extension of affiliation of the Brajomohan College, Barisal, to the B.A. Honours standard in English with effect from the commencement of the session 1918-19.

K. L. DATTA, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 30th September 1918.*



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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, at noon, 6th November 1918, corresponding with 20th Kartic 1325 B. S., Wednesday

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and thana	Apportionate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks
			Rs. A P.	
3626	Ulashi, police station Hanskhali ...	7·18	7 13 6	
3627	Hariakhi, police-station Chakdah ...	4 38	4 12 9	
3628	Goalpara, police-station Jibannagar ...	3·43	4 8 0	
3629	Depara, police-station Kotowali ...	2·37	3 4 3	
3630	Durgapur, police-station Krishnagar ...	8·09	11 12 6	

JATINDRA MOHAN SINHA, *for* Collector.

Krishnagar, the 13th September 1918.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Burdwan-Howrah Chord Railway, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Wednesday, the 30th October 1918, corresponding with the 13th Kartic 1325 B. S., at Memari.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate	Situated on which side of the railway	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. CH.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan..	Pargana Nalahi, mauza Kalyanpur.	Mile No. 37	Situated on the south side of the railway.	17 5 1	5 71	.....	.....	...	*North*—By the lands of Kali Pada Ghosh, Lakshi Banerji, Etahar Malik, Muzafar Sarker and Abdul Jabbar. *East*—By the lands of Hom Mukerji, Jahari Mondal, Kali Mukerji, Baranashi Chatterji, Surendra Mukerji, Sukumar Bhattacharji, Kiran Sasi Dasi, Khirodamayi Debi, Prankrista Chitterji, Khudiram Sarker, Purna Mukerji and Sarat Chandra Chowdhuri and others. *South*—By the lands of Obhab Dal, Mistry, Upendra Nath Ghose, Adhar Mondal, Hom Mukerji and Jahari Mondal. *West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Nalahi, mauza Durgachia.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	0 5 6	0·09	.....	.....	...	*North, East and South*—By the lands of lot No 1. *West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Nalahi, mauza Gopalpur	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	0 14 2	0·23	.....	.....	...	*North, East, South and West*—By the lands of lot No. 1.
4	Ditto ...	Pargana Nalahi, mauza Balut.	Mile No. 44	Ditto ...	5 3 8	1·71	.....	.....	...	*North*—By the new Rasulpur-Palla road. *East*—By the lands of Abdul Sheikh, Biranga Nath Some and the old Rasulpur-Palla road. *South*—By the lands of Biranga Nath Some and Rakhal Das Ray *West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company.
5	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	Mile No. 45	Ditto ...	23 2 18	7·65	.....	.....	...	*North*—By the lands of Gangadhar Gui, Jagu Kotal, Hemangini Dasi, Indra Nandi, Fakir Chowdhury, Pasupati Banerji, Jasimuddi Molla and by a *kutcha* road. *East*—By the old Rasulpur-Palla road and the lands of Bhusan Changa, Jahuri Changa, Biranga Nath Some, Rakhal Ray, Riku Sheik, Jadu Mondal, Jadu Nandi and Gangadhar Gui. *South*—By the new Rasulpur-Palla road. *West*—By the East Indian Railway Company's land.

MOTHURA NATH BANERJEE, Collector, under Act I of 1894.

Burdwan, the 15th September 1918.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab-Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on 21st day of October 1918, corresponding with the 4th of Kartik 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND ACRES. B K. Ch.	A R P.	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghorasal,	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do. ...	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto.
3	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	1 9 0	0 1 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold.
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 3	0 1 24	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 19 15	0 1 12	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 2	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold.
18	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	2 0 15	0 2 28	Ditto ditto.
19	Do ...	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 16 0	0 1 8	Ditto ditto.
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 32	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 0 16	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 3	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold.
24	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 2	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do ...	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 13 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest only is to be sold.

Dacca, the 19th August 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector.

Notification No. 8 of 1917-18.

Ambari Falakata.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Jote, in the district of Jalpaiguri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th October 1918, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 1st March 1918, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole Jote.	Whether the whole Jote is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole Jote is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
83-40	Ambari Falakata	857 5 10	Whole		Bhabani Kanta Singh and others.	...	Rent— 500 8 0 Cess— 28 6 1 538 14 9	...

Jalpaiguri, the 2nd September 1918.

F. W. STRONG, Deputy Commissioner.

Abstract statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st October 1917, being the second quarter of the year 1917-18, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1916-17.

Particulars	For the quarter ending 31st October 1917	For the quarter ending 31st October 1916.	Increase	Decrease.
	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs A P
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,40,18,075 1 8	1,42,92,562 6 8	.....	2,74,487 5 0
ADD INCOME—				
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October in the Widows' Fund	66,698 0 0	71,658 4 0	.....	4,960 4 0
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October in the Children's Fund	23,001 11 0	26,011 1 0	.....	3,009 6 0
Income and outlay on Office buildings and grounds ...	1,403 15 0	1,261 15 0	142 0 0	.....
Fees and stamps	5 8 0	1 0 0	4 8 0	.....
Total Income ...	91,109 2 0	98,932 4 0	146 8 0	7,969 10 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,41,09,184 3 8	1,43,91,494 10 8	146 8 0	A 2,82,456 15 0
DEDUCT EXPENDITURE—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	1,93,232 11 5	1,89,589 5 3	3,643 6 2	.....
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund ...	94,315 6 6	90,847 1 6	3,468 5 0	.....
Establishment and contingencies	5,820 3 7	6,479 1 11	.....	658 11 4
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	6,447 3 9	9,228 6 8	.....	2,781 2 11
Commission paid for money-orders	587 0 6	611 11 6	.....	24 11 0
Total Expenditure ...	3,00,402 9 9	2,96,755 10 10	7,111 11 2	B 3,464 12 3
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,38,08,781 9 11	1,40,94,738 15 10	—6,965 3 2	C 2,78,992 2 9
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,41,09,184 3 8	1,43,91,494 10 8	146 8 0	2,82,456 15 0
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	71,536 5 0	70,815 15 0	720 6 0	.....

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund
Number of subscribers (on 31st October)	630	804	680	339	...	...	50	35
Number of incumbents (on 31st October)	750	812	734	796	16	16	...	...
Number of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May) ...	654	318	697	350	...	...	43	37

	Rs. A. P.
A.—Net decrease in grand total of income	2,82,310 7 0
B.—Net increase in total expenditure	3,646 14 11
C.—Decrease in balance	2,85,957 5 11

S. B. THOMSON,
Accountant

NORMAN HAMILTON & Co.,
Chartered Accountants.
R. A. FREITAS.
} *Auditors.*

Published by order of the Directors,
J. M MENDES,
Secretary.

U. S. F. P Fund Office, Calcutta, the 19th September 1918.

(2562—1)

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 24th September 1918.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,26,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000 0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 6,68,35,477 4 11			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 3,27,26,728 14 9	9,90,62,206	3	8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	28,48,75,950	11	2
Bank Post Bills, etc.	19,69,864	0	9
Sundries	21,06,176	0	8
	43,06,14,196	15	10

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	6,70,69,988	0	0
Other authorized Investments	1,41,93,714	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	14,49,33,874	6	4
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	5,49,37,450	13	2
Bills discounted and purchased	2,29,51,362	11	4
Balances with other Banks	53,20,640	6	2
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	28,23,459	12	6
Stamps	11,687	10	3
Sundries	22,13,570	10	6
	31,44,55,743	6	3
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 4,83,55,857 0 9			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... ... Rs. 6,78,03,096 8 10	11,61,58,453	9	7
	43,06,14,196	15	10

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs; value Rs 3,77,325 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 5,33,325 0 0

Rs. 9,10,650 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent.
Percentage 29·93

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 26th September 1918.

H. FISHER, Chief Accountant

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer.

(2557—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge, Dinajpur.

O. C. EXECUTION CASE No. 43 OF 1917.

Mahesh Chandra Das and others, decree-holders, *versus* Sarat Sundari Debi and others, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold in the above case by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court, Dinajpur, at 12 o'clock on the 6th November 1918, for the realization of Rs. 249-10-6, the right, title and interest of the judgment-debtors in the following :—

Serial No.	Touzi No.	Name of the estate with pargana, thana and zilla.	Sadar jama for the entire lot.	Share to be sold.	Approximate value of the share to be sold.
			Rs. A.		Rs.
	181	Lot Galahor, pargana Deora, station Chirirbandar, district Dinajpur, mauza Golahor Ramdebpur.	1,612 13	8 as. share.	200

UPENDRA NATH BISWAS, Sub-Judge.

Dinajpur, the 21st September 1918. (2552—1)

In the Court of the 2nd Subordinate Judge of Tippera.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 107 OF 1918.

Gopinath Saha, and others, decree-holders, *versus* Ramani Ranjan Roy Chaudhury, judgment-debtor.

THE judgment-debtor's interest in the property mentioned below will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at Comilla on the 6th November 1918, at noon, for the realization of Rs. 7,718-3-3, being the decretal amount with interests and costs :—

Lot.—Taluk Gobinda Ram Roy, bearing touzi No. 61-2, of the Tippera Collectorate, in pargana Mahabatpur, containing mauzas Baishpur, Kadamtoli, Mohonpur, Eklashpur, Nalua better known as Boalia and Dighaldi, situated within the sub-registry and police-station Matlabganj, and kismats Bakhargaon, Bhatigaon, Alunia, within police-station Chandpur of the district of Tippera and kismats Chota Kaorar, Lumar Char, Kachikata and others, within police-station Munshiganj, of the district of Dacca, bearing an annual revenue of Rs. 504-6-6. The judgment-debtor's interest being 2½ annas of the said property taken as sixteen annas.

RAJENDRA LAL SADHU, Sub-Judge.

Tippera, the 14th September 1918. (2453—2)

Notice.

WHEREAS Babu Manmotha Nath Mookerjee of 85, Cossipore Road, has instituted a title suit No. 86 of 1918 in the Subordinate Judge's Court, Howrah, against the inhabitants of Mauzas Chakur Bholsar, Malia, Kubirpore, Prasadbati, Khalna-Dakhinparah and Kulebahira, for declaration of his right to construct a cross-dam (Bund) over the water channel known as Kurah or Gora at Mauza Bairan and that the inhabitants of the above villages have no right to use the water of the said channel or to cut away the said cross-dam or to cause any obstruction to the construction of such a cross-dam and for the issue of permanent injunction against the said villagers restraining them from cutting away the said cross-dam or preventing the said plaintiff or his men from constructing the cross-dam and whereas Hem Chandra *alias* Hemant Chandra Manna, Hari Pada Hazra, Sashi Bhushan Hazra, Hari Pada Poley, Bhabataran Santra, Sripaty Charan Santra, Shaik Shefatulla Munshi, Abdul Haq, Saroda Charan Mullik, Ganesh Chandra Adak, Makum Kanta, Shama Charan Dalui have been made defendants under rule 1 or 8 of O. P. C., as representing the inhabitants of the said villages it is notified that if any other inhabitants of the said villages want to appear in the said suit, they may do so on or before the 20th November 1918.

S. C. U. BANERJI, Subordinate Judge.

Howrah, the 27th September 1918. (2581—1)

SUITS Nos. 498 AND 502 OF 1917.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Kalidas Dutt and others *versus* Indra Chandra Dutt and others, and

Indra Chandra Dutt and another *versus* Kalidas Dutt and others.

PURSUANT to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, dated the first day of May one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, made in Suits Nos. 498 and 502 of 1917 (wherein Kalidas Dutt and others are the plaintiffs and Indra Chandra Dutt and others are the defendants and the other cause), the creditors of Kadumbini Dassi, widow of Khetter Mohun Dutt, late of Nos. 3 and 4, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta, landholder, who died on the ninth day of November one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and of Khetter Mohun Dutt, also formerly of Nos. 3 and 4, Cornwallis Street, aforesaid landholder, who died on the twenty-ninth day of July one thousand nine hundred and two, are on or before Monday, the twenty-fifth day of November one thousand nine hundred and eighteen to send to the Office of the Registrar of this Court in its Original Side their names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

Every creditor holding any security may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar with the particulars of his claim or shall produce the same before the Assistant Referee in the Court-house on Wednesday, the eighteenth day of December one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Each claimant shall send his statement of claims with a Court-fee stamp of Rs. 2 affixed thereon.

Dated this thirteenth day of September one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

S. C. MITRA,
Assistant Master and Referee.

B. P. Chunder, Attorney for the plaintiffs in the first suit and the defendants in the second suit.

(2549—1—2533)

In the Court of the 4th Subordinate Judge at Alipore, of 24-Parganas.

EXECUTION CASE No. 27 OF 1918.

Hindusthan Co-operative Insurance Society, Limited, decree-holder (office at No. 6-A, Corporation Street in the town of Calcutta).

versus

1. Upendra Nath Chatterjee, 2. Amarendra Nath Chatterjee, residing at Utterpara, thana and sub-registry Serampore, in the district Hooghly, judgment-debtors.

Schedule of mortgage property

PART I.

(1) All that the undivided eight annas part or share of Sundarban Abad Lot No. III (first portion) known as Ghoogudanga *alias* Akhaynagar containing by estimation 2,500 bighas, more or less, being tauzi No. 2823 of the 24-Parganas Collectorate (the whole 16 annas measuring 5,000 bighas), situate and lying in district 24-Parganas, pargana Hathiagarh, sub-registry Joint Tangra, thana Kulpi, and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say, on the north by the river Kalnagini, on the east by second portion known as Lot Brojo Mohan, on the south by Chotogogo, and on the west by river Khirabati. In respect of the said eight annas share the following sums are payable as annual revenue and cess, viz., March kist Rs. 376 and June kist Rs. 93; total amount Rs. 469 and road cess and public cess Rs. 152-6-6 pies only. Approximate value Rs 7,000.

(2) All that plot or parcel of land in mauza Basantapur containing by estimation 180 bighas, more or less, and lying at and comprised in Sundarban Lot No. III (first portion), known as Ghoogudanga *alias* Akhoynagore, sub-registry Sultanpore, thana Kagdwip, pargana Hathiager, bearing tauzi No. 2823 in the 24 Parganas Collectorate, which land is held in maurasi mukarari tenure under Upendra Nath Chatterjee at the fixed annual rental of Rs. 45 under a pattah, dated 3rd May 1913, and is bounded as follows:—

On the north by the land of Mohendra Giri and Nursing Giri and others, on the east by the land of Dino Nath Halder, on the south by the land of Netye Moira and river Ghritabati, and on the west by river Kalnagini. Approximate value Rs. 750.

PART II.

(1) All that plot or parcel of land in mauza Rampur containing by estimation 50 bighas, more or less, and lying at and comprised in Sundarban Lot No. III (first portion), known as Ghoogudanga *alias* Akhoynagore, sub-registry Joint Sultanpur, thana Kagdwip, pargana Hathiaghor, bearing tauzi No 2823 in the 24-Parganas Collectorate, which land is held under a permanent maurashi mukarari tenure under Babus Upendra Nath Chatterjee and Sibchandra Samanta at the fixed annual rental of Rs. 39-13 under a pattah, dated 29th January 1910, and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say, on the north by the chack of Dino Nath Haldar, on the east by the chack of Kenaram Giri and Gopal Dhara, on the south by chack of Ashutosh Chatterjee and others, and on the west by the chack of Sibprosad Samanta and Ram Narain Janar, son of Jitu Janar. Approximate value Rs. 250.

BHAGABATI CHARAN KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

ANADI CHARAN SEN, Pleader for the decree-holder.
Alipore, the 26th day of September 1918. (2582—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, dated the 4th day of February 1918, and made in execution of a decree of the Calcutta Court of Small Causes, dated the 6th day of August 1917, in suit No. 14823 of the said Court (wherein Narsing Das Agarwala was the plaintiff and Hrishikesh Deb was the defendant) by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on the ground-floor of the Court-house by public auction on Friday, the 15th day of November 1918, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following property:—

All that undivided one equal third part or share of the defendant Hrishikesh Deb of and in all that messuage, tenement and dwelling-house together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 5 cottahs 7 chitaks and 37 square feet, be the same a little more or less, and being the premises No 30, Raja Nabo Kissen Street, in Sutanutty, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded in manner following, on the north by Raja Nabo Kissen Street, on the east partly by the premises No. 32, Raja Nabo Kissen Street, and partly by the premises No 34, Raja Nabo Kissen Street, on the south by the house of Sourendra Krishna Deb and on the west partly by the house belonging to the late Sreemutty Mohaluckhy Dassi, partly by a common passage and partly by the house of the said Sourendra Krishna Deb.

From the search made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, from the year 1865 to 1918 it appears that the said defendant, on the 27th day of June 1917 and on the 16th day of November 1917, respectively, executed two several mortgages in favour of Hembala Dassi and Hiralal Basak, respectively, in respect of his one-third share in the above premises No. 30, Raja Nabo Kissen Street, to secure payment of the several sums of Rs. 1,500 and Rs. 500, respectively, each bearing interest at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum with quarterly rests.

The sum for the recovery of which this sale has been ordered is Rs. 874-15 besides costs of execution.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the Sheriff's Office on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale

Jyotindra Nath Mitra, Attorney for the Plaintiff

F. W. CARTER, Sheriff.

Calcutta High Court, Original Side, Sheriff's Office, the 25th day of September 1918.

(2560—1)

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, dated the 21st day of March 1918, and made in execution of the decree of the Court of Small Causes of Calcutta, dated the 21st day of May 1917, in suit No 9421 of 1917 (wherein Hari Charan Belel was the plaintiff and Khetter Mohan Marick and others were the defendants) by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on the ground-floor of the High Court by public auction on Friday, the 15th day of November 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, the interest of the defendants Prem Chand Marick, Tulsi Charan Marick and Kherode Chunder Marick in the undermentioned property :—

Lot No. 1.—All that the undivided eleven-eighteenths part or share of the defendants (Prem Chand Marick, Tulsi Charan Marick and Kherode Chunder Marick) of and in all that two-storied brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house together with the land appertaining thereto and on part whereof the same is erected and built and the bustee land adjoining thereto, all containing by estimation 18 cottahs, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being premises Nos. 52 and 52-1, Chunapukur Lane, and No. 19, Prem Chand Bural Street, in the town of Calcutta, being holdings Nos. 692 and 151 in Block No. 11 in the North Division of the town of Calcutta and butted and bounded on the north by premises Nos. 20, 21 and 22, Prem Chand Bural Street, No. 40, Chunapukur Lane, and partly by Chunapukur Lane, on the east by No. 51, Chunapukur Lane, No. 42, Chunapukur Lane, and partly by Chunapukur Lane, on the south by No. 52, Chunapukur Lane, and Nos. 53-2 and 53-2-1A, Chunapukur Lane, and No. 11, Banerjee's Lane, and on the west partly by Prem Chand Bural Street and partly by Banerjee's Lane. The annual Government ground rent payable in respect of the said holding No. 692 is Rs. 2-2-3 and of the said holding No. 151 is Re. 0-6-5.

It appears from a search made in the office of the Registrar of Assurances and Joint Sub-Registrar of Assurances at Calcutta from the year 1865 to the 9th day of July 1918 that the said share of the defendants of and in the said property does not appear to be in any way affected with any charges or encumbrances save and except the following :—

(1) Mortgage executed by Kherode Chunder Marick, Haradhan Marick (*alias* Khetter Mohan Marick), Prem Chand Marick (*alias* Promotha Nath Marick) and Tulsi Charan Marick in favour of Jagobandhu Sen, dated 27th September 1916, for Rs. 15,000 repayable on the 1st day of October 1917 with interest at 9 per cent. per annum with four monthly rests. The mortgagors mortgaged their five-ninths parts or shares of the said premises Nos. 52 and 52-1, Chunapukur Lane, in Calcutta, aforesaid. This document is registered in Book I, Vol. 110, pages 12 to 28, being No. 3743 of 1916.

(2) Further charge executed by Kherode Chunder Marick, Haradhone Marick (*alias* Khetter Mohan Marick), Prem Chand Marick (*alias* Pramatha Nath Marick) and Tulsi Charan Marick in favour of Jagobandhu Sen, dated 2nd April 1917, for Rs 1,700 repayable on the 1st day of October 1917, with interest at 12 per cent. per annum with four monthly rests. The mortgagors charged their undivided five-ninths part or share of and in the said premises Nos. 52 and 52-1, Chunapukur Lane, in Calcutta, aforesaid. This document is registered in Book I, Vol. 62, pages 99 to 108 being No. 1291 for 1917.

(3) Further charge executed by Haradhone Marick (*alias* Khetter Mohan Marick) in favour of Jagobandhu Sen, dated 4th April 1917, for Rs 1,000 repayable on the 1st day of October 1917, with interest at 12 per cent per annum with four monthly rests. The mortgagor charged his undivided one-sixth part or share of the said premises Nos. 52 and 52 1, Chunapukur Lane, in Calcutta, aforesaid. This document is registered in Book I, Vol. 79, pages 1 to 12, being No. 1327 for 1917.

(4) Further charge executed by Prem Chand Marick (*alias* Pramatha Nath Marick) and Tulsi Charan Marick, in favour of Jagobandhu Sen, dated the 11th day of June 1917, for Rs. 2,000 repayable on the 1st day of October 1917, with interest at 12 per cent. per annum with four monthly rests. The mortgagors charged their undivided one-third part or share of the said premises Nos 52 and 52-1, Chunapukur Lane, in Calcutta, aforesaid. This document is registered in Book I, Vol. 87, pages 155 to 167, being No. 2279 for 1917.

(5) Mortgage executed by Prem Chand Marick, otherwise called Pramatha Nath Marick, Tulsi Charan Marick and Kherode Chunder Marick in favour of Jagobandhu Sen, dated the 26th day of June 1918, for Rs. 2,500 repayable on the 26th day of June 1919, with interest thereon at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum with quarterly rests. The mortgagors charged their undivided eleven-eighteenths parts or shares of and in the said premises Nos. 52 and 52-1, Chunapukur Lane, in Calcutta, aforesaid. This document is registered in Book I, Vol. 99, pages 18 to 36, being No. 2636 of 1918.

N.B.—The undivided one-sixth share of the defendant Khetter Mohan Marick was sold by the Sheriff of Calcutta on the 22nd March 1918, and purchased by the defendant Kherode Chunder Marick. The sale certificate was duly issued and granted to him on the 17th May 1918.

These documents provided that they should be considered as English mortgages as defined in the Transfer of Property Act, IV of 1882, as amended by Acts III of 1885 and XVII of 1900, and that the power of sale conferred upon the mortgagee by the said Act and by sections 6 to 19, both inclusive, of the Trustees and Mortgagees' Powers Act, XXVIII of 1866, shall expressly apply to and be deemed to be incorporated in the said mortgages and the mortgagee has and may exercise all rights and remedies under the said Act.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 1,699-12, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 21st day of May 1917 being the date of the decree until realisation, besides the costs of the execution proceedings.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Sheriff on the ground-floor of the Court house on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

F. W. CARTER, Sheriff

Dey and Kshatriya, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Calcutta High Court, Original Side, Sheriff's Office, the 25th day of September 1918. (2561—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 35 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 22nd of August 1918, filed by Habibulla, son of Khair Baksha Meahjee, of Jamalpur, police station Mirsarai, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Dated this 19th day of September 1918

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2551—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 39 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Nishi Chandra Rudra Pal, son of Ram Sabak Rudra Pal, of Sabak—Rangania police-station Rangania, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 11th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 6th day of November 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 24th September 1918. (2570—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 38 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Abdul Rashid, son of Alep Khan, deceased, of Sarta Abdullapur, thana Fatikchari, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 4th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 6th day of November 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge

Chittagong, the 25th September 1918

(2574—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 17 OF 1918

PURSUANT to a petition, dated $\frac{26th}{27th}$ June 1918, filed by Rajoni Mohan Basak, son of late Ram Charan Basak, of No 4, Goallara, Nawabpur, town Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this $\frac{19th}{21st}$ day of September 1918.

S. E. STINTON, District Judge.

(2555—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 18 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 25th February 1918, filed by the debtor Madhu Dhupi, son of Aesali Dhupi, of Ahpaska, police station Narsindi, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 21st day of September 1918.

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

(2566—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 47 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 10th May 1918, filed by the debtor Jogeswar Gope, son of late Dagu Gope, of Bonil, police-station Keranigunge, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 21st day of September 1918

J. C BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

(2567—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 52 OF 1918

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th June 1918, filed by the debtor Benod Behary Karmakar, son of late Uma Kanta Karmakar, of Jhastia, police-station Lohajung, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 31st day of August 1918.

J C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

(2568—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 69 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Sek Arman, son of late Sek Pahali, of Bathanda, police-station Ghior, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th November 1918 is fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 21st September 1918. (2563—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 74 OF 1918

ON the application of the debtor Sek Dhalu, son of late Khada Box, of Bhangabaria, *alias* Bharalia, police station Manikgunj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th November 1918 is fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 21st September 1918 (2564—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 75 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Sek Tufani, son of late Jaydhar, of Kalashi, police-station Manikgunj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub Judge

Dacca, the 21st September 1918 (2565—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 112 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 7th August 1918 by Entajuddin Sheik, son of late Mafijuddin Sheik, of Tatihati, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 21st September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2527—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 113 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 7th August 1918 by Kalai Talukdar, son of late Sonaulla Talukdar, of Char Prasannadi, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 21st September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2528—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 104 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sarada Charan Banik, son of late Guru Charan Banik, of Goyghar, police-station Palong, district Faridpur has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 14th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2529—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 111 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Saijuddi Kazi, son of late Ekram Kazi, of Khagsara, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 12th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 23rd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2530—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 116 AND 224 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Nepal Mandal and Rajani Mandal, sons of late Mahabharat Mandal, of Palta, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 6th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2531—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 174 AND 175 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Fazol Mazumdar and Tafu Mazumdar *alias* Taher Mazumdar, of Kachabali, police-station Rajan, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 27th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2533—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos 158, 159, 169 AND 171 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Kutiswar, Rajendra, Bishnu Charan and Abhoya Charan Gharami, sons of late Muhabharat Gharami, of Sendia, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 25th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge

(2532—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 178 AND 179 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Adam Molla and Faijuddi Molla, sons of late Helaluddi Molla, of Goptergati, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 27th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2534—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 181 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Elem Mallik, son of late Uzir Mahomed Mallik, of Goptergati, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 28th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2535—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 182 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Gopal Molla, son of late Arbanulla Molla, of Goptergati, police station Muksudpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 28th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2536—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 183 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Farman Sheik, son of late Ekramulla Sheik, of Goptergati, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 28th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2537—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 185 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Gopal Chandra Shaha, son of late Mati Chand Shaha, of Pachuria, police-station Goalundo, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 30th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2538—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 188, 232, 233 AND 234 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Abdul, Akhiluddi, Nazem and Arshedali, of Hoshenpur, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 11th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2539—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 189 AND 200 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Ketabdi and Adiluddi, sons of late Meajan, of Bidyanundi, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 4th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge
(2540—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 192, 199 AND 203 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Saijuddi, Derajuddi and Serajuddi, sons of late Asimuddi, of Hoshenpur, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 4th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2541—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 202, 216 AND 218 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Asok Kazi, Anaruddi and Bamaruddi, sons of late Balak Kazi, of Khagsara, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 9th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2542—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 204-207 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Babu Khan, Nazir Khan, Uzir Khan and Mangal Khan, of Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 3rd December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2543—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 210 AND 211 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Mohan Sheik and Kushai Sheik, sons of late Dalu Sheik of Sasunia, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 7th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2544—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 214 AND 215 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Gopal Chandra Das and Nepal Chandra Das, sons of late Mohesh Chandra Das, of Bishundia, police-station Kotowali, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 10th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2545—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 222 AND 223 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Emanuddi Molla and Aheluddi Molla, of Bidyanundi, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 6th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2546—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 255 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Uzir Mahmmed Matbor, son of late Adom Matbor, of Kamalapur, police-station Kalkini, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 18th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2547—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 229 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Nibaran Chandra Bose, son of late Ram Kishore Bose of Pasara, police-station Kotwali, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 10th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 23rd September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2548—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 180 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Budhai Fakir, son of late Dhonai Fakir, of Guptergate, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 18th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 27th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2583—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 226-228 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Munsuruddi, Saijuddi and Menajuddi, sons of late Samiruddi Sheik, of Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 10th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 27th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2584—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 243, 252, AND 253 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Behari Bairagi, Khagendra Bairagi and Bipin Bairagi, sons of late Adhardas Bairagi, of Palta, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 18th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 27th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2585—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos 248-251 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Haralal Bala, Purna Chandra Bala, Bhunjalal Bala and Ganga Charan Bala, sons of late Ram Kumar Bala of Sundikuri, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 16th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 27th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2586—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 264 AND 265 OF 1918

TAKE notice that Saduram Barai and Aduram Barai sons of late Jagamohan Barai, of Barajala, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents, and that 3rd December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 27th September 1918.

J C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2587—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 266 AND 267 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Bepin Kirtania and Kutiswar Kirtania, sons of late Brindabon Kirtania, of Rajar police-station, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents, and that 2nd December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 27th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2588—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 268 AND 269 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Peari Gharami and Gyali Gharami, sons of late Hari Charan Gharami, of Khaha, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to, this Court to be declared insolvents and that 2nd December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 27th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2589—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 86 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 23rd July 1918 by Nibaran Barai, son of late Felaran Barai, of Kadambarj, police-station Rajair, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 25th September 1918.

J C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2590—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 52, 53 & 54 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 28th May 1918 by Baser, Sarapulla and Harapulla, sons of late Akbar Hazi, of Haridasdi, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavit and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated the 26th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2591—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 164 AND 165 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Baruda Kanta Shom and Girijasankar Shom, sons of late Sib Sankar Shom, of Onedpur, police-station Shibchar district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 26th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 28th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR District Judge,

(2598—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 99 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, filed on 2nd August 1918, by Sheik Goher, son of late Kudrutulla, of Charaldia, police station Bhanga, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 28th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2599—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 94 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 27th July 1918, by Haramulla Laskar, son of late Asimuddi Laskar, of Charaldia, police-station Bhanga, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 28th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR. District Judge.

(2600—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Pasupati Roy Bandopadhya, son of late Abinash Chandra Roy Bandopadhya, of Harispur, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 90 of 1918 and that the 2nd October 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl District Judge.

Howrah, the 14th September 1918.

(2426—1—2552)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Ramprosad Kar, son of Rashik Chandra Kar, of Fingagachi, thana Jagatballavpore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 89 of 1918 and that the 2nd October 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 14th September 1918.

(2429—1—2549)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Amir Ali Mondal, son of Iasen Mondal, deceased, of Betar, thana Sibpore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 91 of 1918 and that the 2nd October 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 18th September 1918.

(2456—1—2456)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 6 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Lall Chaudhuri, son of late Bulaki Chaudhuri, of Salikhan, Borgirposta, thana Golabati, district Hooghly, was on the 31st August 1918 adjudged an insolvent The 7th November 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge

Howrah, the 18th September 1918

(2457—1—2550)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Jogeswar Dolui Bagdi, son of late Sannyashi Dolui Bagdi, of Kastersangra, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 92 of 1918 and that the 2nd October 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 18th September 1918

(2458—1—2553)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1918.

DAGULU MAHOMED, son of Khir Mahomed, deceased, resident of Panbari, police-station Patgram, district Jalpaiguri, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 14th day of March 1918.

UPENDRA NATH BISWAS, Sub-Judge.

Dinajpur, the 28th September 1918. (2592—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 18 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 46 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 27th July 1918, filed by Gobinda Prasad Maji, of Haudla, pergana and police-station Narayangarh, district Midnapore, debtor petitioner, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Suresh Chandra Mallik, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 28th November 1918 has been fixed for the proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 26th day of September 1918.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2580—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 53 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Bipin Behari Pandit, son of late Madhusudan Pandit, of Gelhiasuli, pargana Balarampore, police-station Kharagpur, district Midnapore, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated 2nd September of 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 11th day of November 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

1.	Secretary of State for India in Council ...	Rs.	207 8-9
2.	Abdul Alim Khan and others, Kabuli ...	,,	52-0-0
3.	Dwarikanath Maharaj	,,	29-0-0
4.	Munshi Muhammad Ali	,,	7-9-0
5.	Upendra Nath Kalamurti	,,	260-0-0
6.	Ashutosh Pal ...	,,	21-0-6-½gds.
7	Fakir Kai ...	,,	10-0-0
8	Makdum Bema ...	,,	7-11-0
9	Kadam Ali ...	,,	49-13-9
10.	Ramanath Bhuma ...	,,	136-0-0
11.	Gopal Dua ...	,,	30-0-0
12.	Rajendra Naik ...	,,	5-0-0
13.	Nimai Pator ...	,,	7-5-0
14.	Shaik Jasiruddin ...	,,	93-12-0
15.	Bhuban Mohan Samanta	,,	380-0-0
16.	Urdhab Maity ...	,,	1,252-7-6
17.	Shashi Latua ...	,,	285-12-0
18.	Abdul Aziz Khan ...	,,	121-15-6
19.	Prianath Pal ...	,,	22-4-2½gds.
20.	Bibhuti Pal and Tukan Pal minors, by their next friend mother Srimati Gajamati Dasi	,,	4-15-12½gds.
21.	Upendra Nath Kalamurti and Babulal Kalamurti ...	,,	11 6-10
22.	Rajani Bhanja ...	,,	5-0-0
23	Collector of Midnapore (Agricultural Department) ...	,,	13-1-10

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

Midnapore, the 26th September 1918. (2569—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Gagan Haldar, of Baluachari, police-station Raghunathganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 9th November 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 25th September 1918. (2553—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 37 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907)

In the matter of Tinkari Datta, of Jamua, police-station Kandi, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court, dated the 21st September 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 25th September 1918. (2554—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 81 of 1918.

WHEREAS Fakira Molla, son of late Napura Molla, of Bhatkandi, police-station Bogra, district Bogra, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 10th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 8th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. ROY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 21st September 1918. (2575—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 85 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Paramananda Mandal, son of late Ram Mandal, of Ghughat, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 18th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 8th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. ROY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 23rd September 1918 (2576—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 86 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Sarat Chandra Dass, son of late Baidaya Nath Dass, of Dudpore, police-station Atgharia, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 20th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 8th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. ROY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 23rd September 1918. (2577—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 87 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Mahatabuddin Sarkar, son of late Jamiruddin Sarkar, of Hami, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 20th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 8th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. ROY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 23rd September 1918. (2578—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 88 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Jadava Chandra Dass, son of late Bhairab Ch. Dass, of Dudpore, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 20th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 8th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor

R. N. ROY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 23rd September 1918. (2579—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 92 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Chiniram Laha, son of late Baikunta Nath Laha, of Sohagpore, police-station Sahazadpur, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 21st September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 8th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition, and the examination of the debtor.

R N. ROY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 26th September 1918. (2593—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 13 OF 1918.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

(*Under section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

NOTICE is hereby given that Maniruddin Sarkar, son of late Arip Pramanik, of Hijali, police station Bagatipara, district Rajshahi, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 20th day of July 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 5th September 1918. (2357—1—2491)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 33 OF 1918.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATON.

(*Under section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

NOTICE is hereby given that (1) Majitulla Shekh, (2) Pyaru Shekh, sons of late Alamat Shekh, and (3) Fiamuddin Shekh, of Kunua, police-station Kharba, district Malda, were adjudicated insolvents by this Court on the 27th day of July 1918

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 6th September 1918. (2365—1—2492)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 71 OF 1918.

PRESENT:

G. C. Sankey, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Daribullah Mahamad, son of late Dongai Mahamad, of Mushrut Goregram, police-station Nilphamari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th September 1918. (2410—1—2496)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 30 OF 1918

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

(Under section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.)

NOTICE is hereby given that Hasarat Pramanik, son of late Ghinu Pramanik, of Nawabgunj, police-station Nawabgunj, district Malda, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 28thday of September 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 10th September 1918. (2402—1—2493)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 86 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

G. C. Sankey, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Khesh Mamud, son of late Babar Sircar, of Bherbheri, police-station Kishoreganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 25th September 1918. (2571—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 84 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

G. C. Sankey, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Esahuddin, son of late Bhadu Nasya, of Patikapara, police-station Hatibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 25th September 1918. (2572—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 85 OF 1918

PRESENT :

G. C. Sankey, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge

ON the application of the debtor Hem Chandra Majumdar, son of late Sashadhar Majumdar, of Bardhankuti, police-station Govindaganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C SANKEY, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 25th September 1918. (2573—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 198 OF 1918

Deukilal Routh, of No. 6, Ketokhati Road, thana Bhawanipur, applicant.

To Nor Singh Das Agorwala, of No. 3, Sankaripara Road, thana Bhawanipur, and others, creditors.

ON the 7th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2462—1—2535)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 199 OF 1918.

Kanailal Marwari, of No. 7-1, Jhautala Road, Karaya, thana Ballyganj, applicant.

To Sheunarayan Joynarayan Marwari, of No. 12, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 7th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date

B. C. KUNDU, Sub Judge.

Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2463—1—2544)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 201 OF 1918

Jogesh Chandra Chatterji, of Barahanagore, thana Barahanagore, applicant.

To Momraj Agorwala, of Dinbazar, Jalpaiguri, and others, creditors.

ON the 27th day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2464—1—2543)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 202 OF 1918.

Fakir Chandra Samanta, of 49, Circular Garden Reach Road, Kidderpur, applicant.

To Jatindra Nath Nandi, of 34-1, Scott's Lane, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 27th day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th ay of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipur, the 18th September 1918. (2465—1—2545)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 203 OF 1918.

Siwnayak Shateli, of 27, New Jute Mill, thana Beliaghatta, applicant.

To Methey Sha Halwai, of 2, Metcalf Lane, Calcutta, and others, creditors

ON the 27th day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipur, the 18th September 1918. (2466—1—2846)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 204 OF 1918.

Prabhakar Chakravarty, of Shahpur, thana Alipur, applicant.

To Syama Pada Mukerji, of Kalighat, thana Bhawanipur, and others, creditors.

ON the 30th day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
Alipur, the 18th September 1918. (2467—1—2547)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 206 OF 1918.

Hriday Krishna Poddar, of Pasitor, thana Basirhat, applicant.

To Jnanendra Nath Ray Choudhuri, of 37, Cossipur Road, thana Cossipur, and others, creditors.

ON the 6th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 18th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
Alipur, the 18th September 1918. (2468—1—2548)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 185 OF 1918.

Fakir Mahammad Mia, of Khordah, 24 Parganas, applicant.

To Sher Khan Kabuli, of Khordah, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 23rd day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2469—1—2539)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 188 OF 1918.

Upendra Chandra Bag, of Ramchandrapur, thana Budge Budge, applicant.

To Sashibhusan Koyal, of Ramchandrapur, thana Budge-Budge, and others, creditors.

ON the 22nd day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2470—1—2538)

NOTICE

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 192 OF 1918.

Mahendra Nath Kundu of Khordah. 24-Parganas. applicant.

To Kailash Chandra Kar, of 65, Clive Street, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 24th day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2471—1—2537)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 193 OF 1918.

Adhar Chandra Khan, of Balia, thana Budge-Budge, applicant.

To Isan Chandra Dutta, of Bowali, thana Budge-Budge, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2472—1—2536)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 195 OF 1918.

Shaikh Dukhu, of 34, Kumedan Bagan Road, thana Ekbalpur, applicant.

To Shaikh Nabi Buksha, of 342, New Market, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 23rd day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2473—1—2540)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 197 OF 1918.

Mahendra Nath Adak, of Mukundapur, thana Bistupur, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Girish Chandra Patra, of Hasimnagore, thana Falta, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 26th day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2474—1—2541)

NOTICE

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 200 OF 1918.

Lalit Mohon Dey, of 89-1, South Road, Entally, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Mukundalal Pal, of 47, Karaya Road, thana Ballyganj, and others, creditors.

ON the 26th day of August 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 11th day of November 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 18th September 1918. (2475—1—2542)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 19 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th July 1918, filed by Gokul Chandra Biswas, father's name Ram Jiban Biswas, of Dhanyakuria, thana Basirhat, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 19th day of September 1918.

H. P. DUVAL, District Judge.

(2521—1—2534)

NOTICE.

***Re.* Haridas Singha and another.**

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 19th November next, an application will be made to the Registrar of the High Court in Insolvency on behalf of Soshi Mohan Shaw and another, creditors No. 24 of the insolvents above named, for an order for annulment of adjudication order herein of the 4th May 1915.

NAFAR LAL MULLIK, Attorney, for the above named creditors.

Calcutta, the 12th September 1918. (2504—1—2494)

Notice.

IT is notified, for general information, that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Masters and Serangs of Inland Steam Vessels under Act I of 1917 will be held at the Port Office, Chittagong, on Monday, the 21st October 1918, at 10 A.M.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Port Office, Chittagong, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

A. E. MCKENNA, *for* Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 27th September 1918. (2601—1)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION No. 6

UNDER the provisions of section 107 of the Calcutta Port Act, III (B.C.) of 1890, and with the sanction of the Local Government, it is hereby notified for general information, that on all goods dealt with at the Jetties or Docks (other than those landed from or shipped by a sea-going vessel for which an authorized schedule of charges already exists) which are received by water and or delivered by water a shipping or landing charge, according as the cargo is export or import, will be recovered at the time of delivery, at Schedule rates.

By order,

J. MCGLASHAN, Offg. Secretary.

30th September 1918. (2602—1)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, III of 1913, and

In the matter of the Craig Jute Mills Company, Ld. (In liquidation.)

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ALFRED TOSH, Liquidator.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general informatron.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 24th September 1918.*

CHINA SEA—HAINAN STRAIT.

Hainan Head—Hainan reef buoy discontinued ; beacon established.

No. 286 (first publication).—

The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 664 of 1918) that the Hainan reef buoy, which hitherto marked the reef extending to the northward from Hainan Head, Hainan island, has been permanently discontinued and that a beacon has been established in its stead.

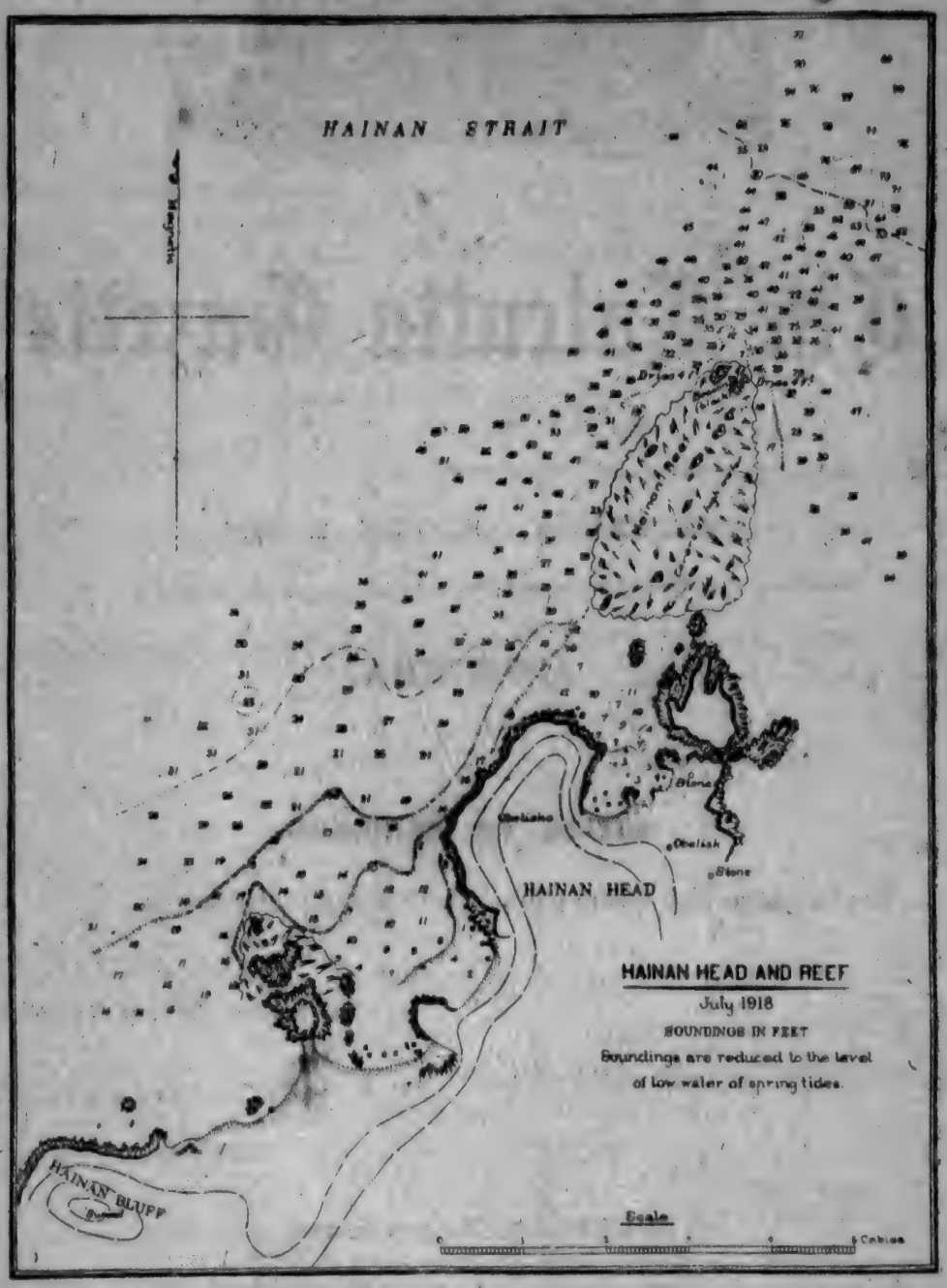
The beacon, which is a concrete structure 10 feet in breadth and 6 feet in height, surmounted by a *black* steel cylinder 8 feet high and 2 feet in diameter, is located on the northern extremity of Hainan reef. From the beacon, the summit of Hainan Bluff bears S. 42° W., magnetic, distant 1·19 miles.

The beacon, which is to be known as the Hainan reef beacon, shows 12 feet above high water of spring tides.

CAUTION.

Vessels should not approach the beacon closer than 2¼ cables, owing to the existence of several outlying rocky patches.

A plan of Hainan Head showing the position of the Hainan reef beacon is attached hereto.



CHINA SEA—GULF OF LIAOTUNG.

Liao River entrance—Training-wall under construction ; spar buoy established.

No. 287 (first publication).—

The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 665 of 1918) that a *red* Spar Buoy has been established to mark the southern end of the training-wall under construction at the entrance to the Liao River, Gulf of Liaotung.

This Buoy is moored close off the end of the training-wall, and from the Buoy the Bar Signal Station bears N. 43½°E., magnetic, distant 3·89 miles.

NOTE.

This Buoy will be moved outwards in accordance with the extension of the training-wall under construction, so that its position relative to the end of the wall is maintained.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Chittagong (Karnafuli) River—Alteration in the leading marks over Outer and Inner Bars; Patunga buoy moved.

No. 2881. (first publication).—

Subject.—The following alterations in the leading marks and buoy are made over Outer and Inner Bars :—

Black Diamond has been moved 212° (S. 31° 25′ W. Mag.) 587′ feet.

White Disc in line with Black Diamond 44° 25′ (N. 43° 50′ E. Mag.) leads over Outer and Inner Bars.

Patunga Middle Black Buoy has been moved 357° (N. 3° 35′ W. Mag.) 190 feet.

Variation.—0° 35′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 84, Chittagong (Karnafuli) River.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, pages 322 and 323.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice, dated 20th September 1918.

The 16th September 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLARENCE STRAIT.

Marsh Shoal Buoy—To be replaced by Light Buoy.

No. 276 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Spherical Buoy moored on the western side of Marsh Shoal will be replaced by a Light Buoy, showing a group flashing white light on or about 12th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 15 fathoms of water off the north-western end of Marsh Shoal, about three cables north-west of the existing red and white horizontally-striped Spherical Buoy surmounted by a black staff and globe, which it will replace. Position will be approximately :—

Lat. 12° 05½′ S., long. 130° 56′ E. on Chart No. 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted red and numbered "6", exhibiting a group flashing white light showing three flashes in quick succession every twenty-two and a-half seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	19 secs.

Power.—1,300 candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.
„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
„ 4751, North-west Coast of Australia with the Off-lying Islands and Reefs.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 103.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 9 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLARENCE STRAIT.

Henry Ellis Reef—Light Buoy to be established.

No. 277 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a group flashing red light will be established off Henry Ellis Reef on or about 16th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 15 fathoms of water at a distance of about 2 cables off the north-eastern end of Henry Ellis Reef. Position will be approximately—

Lat. 12° 05′ S., long. 131° 00′ E., on Chart No. 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted black and numbered "5", exhibiting a group flashing red light showing four flashes in quick succession every thirty seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	25 secs

Power.—1,300 candles.
Visibility.—Eight miles.
Remarks.—No further notice will be given.
Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.
„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 103.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 10 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLARENCE STRAIT.

East Vernon Island—Light Buoy to be established off the South-western extremity of Island.

No. 278 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a flashing white light will be established off the South-Western extremity of East Vernon Island, on or about 20th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 15 fathoms of water at a distance of about 1½ cables from the extremity of the spit on the south-western end of East Vernon Island. Position will be approximately—

Lat. 12° 04½′ S., long. 131° 03′ E. on Chart No 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted red and numbered "4", exhibiting a flashing white light showing one flash every six seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	5½ secs.

Power.—1,300 Candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.
„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759a, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 102.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 11 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLARENCE STRAIT.

Rooper Rock—Light Buoy to be established.

No. 279 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a group flashing white light will be established off the Rooper Rock, on or about 24th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 10 fathoms of water at a distance of about ¾-mile east-south-east of Rooper Rock. Position will be approximately—
Lat. 12° 04¾′ S., long. 131° 11½′ E. on Chart No. 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted red and numbered "3", exhibiting a group flashing white light showing two flashes in quick succession every fifteen seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	13 secs.

Power.—1,300 Candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.
„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759a, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 102.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 12 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—VAN DIEMEN GULF.

Howard Knoll—Light Buoy to be established.

No. 280 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a group flashing red light will be established off Howard Knoll on or about 28th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 10 fathoms of water at a distance of about 1 mile north-north-east of Howard Knoll. Position will be approximately—

Lat. 11° 59½′ S., long. 131° 18¾′ E. on Chart No. 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted black and numbered "2", exhibiting a group flashing red light showing three flashes in quick succession every twenty-two and-a-half seconds, thus:—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	19 secs.

Power.—1,300 candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.

„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.

„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.

„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

„ 942B, Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, Part 2.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 96.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 13 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—VAN DIEMEN GULF.

Light Buoy to be established off Cape Keith.

No. 281 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a group flashing white light will be established off Cape Keith on or about 1st September 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 15 fathoms of water at a distance of about 14 miles south-eastward of Cape Keith. Position will be approximately—

Lat. 11° 46′ S., long. 131° 36′ E. on Chart No. 613.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted red and numbered "1", exhibiting a group flashing white light showing four flashes in quick succession every thirty seconds, thus:—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	25 secs.

Power.—1,300 candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.

„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.

„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

„ 942B, Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, Part 2.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, pages 92 and 93.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 14 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA SOUTH COAST—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Marion Reef Light (U).—Intended alteration in character.

No. 282 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing Red Light on Marion Reef will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light on or about 16th September 1918.

Position.—On the south-eastern end of Marion Reef. Lat. 35° 10′ S., long. 137° 49′ E.

Structure.—Steel skeleton tower painted red, in position of former tower. Height, 41 feet.

Details.—The Flashing Red Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing three flashes in quick succession every nine seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	6 secs.

Elevation.—38 feet.

Visibility.—11 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ „ 2152, Anchorages in St. Vincent Gulf, MacDonnell Sound, and Wool Bay.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2349.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 299.
„ „ „ 1907, Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 35.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 15 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA. SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Dangerous Reef Light (U).—Intended alteration in character.

No. 283 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light on Dangerous Reef will be altered as set out hereunder on or about 1st October 1918.

Position.—Lat. 34° 49′ S., long. 136° 12′ E.

Structure.—Steel skeleton tower, painted red, in position of former tower. Height, 42 feet.

Details.—The Flashing White Light showing one flash every seven and a-half seconds will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—Flashing White Light, showing one flash every three seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	2½ secs.

Elevation.—47 feet.

Visibility.—12 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2309.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 197.
„ „ „ 1907, Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 19.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 16 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Winceby Island Light (U).—Intended alteration in character.

No. 284 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light on Winceby Island will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light on or about 15th October 1918.

Position.—Lat. 34° 29′ S., long. 136° 17′ E.

Structure.—Steel skeleton tower painted white, in position of former tower. Height, 27 feet.

Details.—The Flashing White Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics—

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing two flashes in quick succession every six seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—47 feet.

Visibility.—12 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2315.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 213.
„ „ „ 1907, Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 21.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 17 of 1918.

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST—CIRCULAR HEAD.

North Point—Beacon re-established.

No. 285 (second publication).—

Subject.—The North Point Beacon has now been re-established.

Position.—On the eastern extremity of the reef extending from North Point, in the position of the old iron beacon, surmounted by a ball, which was destroyed.
Lat. 40° 42½′ S., long. 145° 16½′ E. on Chart No. 3687.

Description.—The beacon consists of a circular reinforced concrete column, surmounted by a red staff and ball. The top of the beacon is 19 feet above high water.

Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Circular Head.
„ 1595B, Bass Strait, western sheet.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.

Publications.—Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 620.
„ „ Vol. I, 1907, Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 71.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No 18 of 1918.

The 11th September 1918.

PERSIAN GULF—BANDAR ABBAS—WRECK REPORTED.

No. 273 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 80-M of 1918) are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles and 3 cables 138° (S. 44°E. Mag.) from British Consulate Flagstaff in 22 feet L. W. O. S.

Lat. 27° 10′ 00″ N.
Long. 56° 19′ 25″ E.

Description.—A sunken Dhow constituting a danger to navigation.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 3599, Plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.
„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Authority.—Senior Marine Transport Officer, Bandar Abbas, dated 13th August 1918.

BAY OF BENGAL.

BURMA—KYAUK PYU HARBOUR APPROACH.

Off Saddle Island—Mud Volcano island disappeared leaving a shoal.

No. 274 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Mud Volcano island has entirely disappeared leaving a shoal over which the sea breaks in the ordinary monsoon weather. It may be possible to see the rocks at low water in calm weather.

Charts affected.—No. 1369, Mayu River to Kyauk Pyu Harbour.
„ 831, Kyauk Pyu Harbour to Cheduba Strait.
„ 821, Elephant Point to Cheduba Strait.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 351.

Authority.—Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, Notice, dated 3rd September 1918.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Chittagong (Karnafuli) River—Wreck.

No. 275-I (third publication).—

Subject.—The masts of the sunken wreck "Bannockburn" at a distance of about ¾ mile 246° 45′ (S. 66° 10′ W. Mag.) from Norman's Point Lighthouse have disappeared and should be expunged from the Admiralty publications.

Variation.—0° 35′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 84, Chittagong (Karnafuli) River.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 323.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice, dated 6th September 1918.

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RESOLUTION ON THE RIOTS WHICH OCCURRED IN CALCUTTA ON THE 9TH AND 10TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Political Branch.

DARJEELING, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 3318P.—D.

RECENT disturbances in Calcutta having caused a lamentable loss of life, much sorrow and suffering, considerable dislocation of business and damage to property, it is desirable to make public an authoritative statement of the circumstances in which the peace of the city came to be so seriously broken.

2. For some time past, that section of the Muhammadan community of Calcutta which manifests an interest in public affairs has been agitated by events which have taken place outside the province, particularly the course of the war and its effects on their co-religionist in Turkey and Asia. Their feelings have been worked upon by a little coterie of foreign journalists whose rhetorical and ambiguous writings added to the general state of unrest. The mass of the Muhammadan population was deeply stirred by the disturbances which took place in Bihar last autumn, and latterly they have suffered, like the rest of the community, from the high prices of cotton cloth and other commodities, together with the other hardships and inconveniences incidental to the prolongation of the war. Of the difficulties which attend the position of Muhammadans in recent times Government are fully conscious, and it is to the credit of the community that, as a whole, its attitude has been sober and self-restrained, but latterly unruly elements have come to the fore, and it is inevitable that upon these stress should be laid in connection with the unfortunate results which they have been instrumental in bringing about.

3. Such was the situation as it existed in Calcutta at the end of July, when an unwisely worded article appeared in a local newspaper relating to the presence of certain African Muhammadans in Paris. The article, which was originally published in England, was reproduced in good faith and without intention of wounding Muhammadan susceptibilities, but it is unfortunate that the risk of misunderstanding was not foreseen. On two occasions the management of the paper in question have since expressed regret, while the local Government have accepted as *bonâ fide* their disclaimer of any wish gratuitously to insult any section of the community. However, mischief had by then been done; the article was misinterpreted, and a mistranslation of a certain expression, which appeared in some vernacular newspapers, gave rise to the impression among many Muhammadans who had never seen the original article or the subsequent explanations and disclaimers, that a deliberate insult to the tomb of the Prophet was intended. During the month of August, various meetings of protest were held in Calcutta, at which the language used was violent and inflammatory, and more than one speaker called upon the Muhammadans to rise and avenge this insult to their faith.

4. Towards the end of August, wide circulation was given in Calcutta to an Urdu leaflet calling upon Muhammadans in highly provocative language to attend a mass meeting for the protection of Islam to be held on the 8th, 9th and 10th September. Reference was made therein to religious insults, and it was urged that it was necessary to take steps to prevent unholy attacks and accursed occurrences. It was stated that the meeting would be attended by a number of *Ulamas*, *Maulvis* and spiritual leaders from all parts of India. The risks of such proceedings, especially at the time suggested, which was shortly to be followed by great Hindu and Muhammadan festivals at which religious fervour runs high, were promptly represented to the local Government, who forthwith placed themselves in touch with leading Muhammadans, representative of all classes and interests in Calcutta, including the promoters of the meeting. After a frank discussion of the situation with those attending a conference on the 3rd September, the Governor in Council could come to no other conclusion (which was indeed shared by various gentlemen present) that the primary object of the assembly was the discussion of subjects of a highly contentious religious character, and that the harangues likely to be delivered in that connection were certain to lead to a grave breach of the peace. The promoters of the meeting were accordingly asked amicably to abandon it, but, after taking time for consideration, they intimated their inability to accede to the advice of Government which had been tendered in an entirely friendly spirit. Meanwhile, a second leaflet had been circulated regarding the meeting, couched in even more inflammatory terms than the original notice. Provocative references were introduced to the Shahabad riots and to three alleged school incidents, with two of which this province had no concern, the whole being cited to exhibit the degradation of Islam which it was necessary to force upon the attention of Government. It was

distinctly stated that the meeting was being called for the purpose of considering proposals for the protection of Islam from the improper attacks of their enemies and of showing the Government that the waters had risen too high and that the cup of patience was already full ; the point is emphasized because it has since been represented in some quarters that little more was contemplated than a sober discussion on less contentious political subjects. No doubt was possible as to the results of a meeting held in these circumstances, and the only course open to Government was to instruct the Commissioner of Police to use his legal powers under the Calcutta Police Act to prevent the meeting from being held. The *Maulanas* and others, who had come to Calcutta from other parts of India to attend the meeting, were at the same time directed to return to their homes, but before they did so, His Excellency the Governor personally saw a few of the more influential of these gentlemen and explained the situation, with the result that they endeavoured to induce the reception committee to abandon the gathering.

5. So far as is known, the latter body never formally accepted this advice, and at least one of their number at a meeting held on the night of the 7th September called upon the Muhammadans of Calcutta to attend the meeting in spite of the prohibition and to allow themselves to be shot down by the police. No disturbance, however, occurred on the 8th September, which was the date fixed for the meeting, though on that day an erroneous impression seems to have spread abroad that matters had been misrepresented to His Excellency the Governor, and that the decision to prohibit the meeting was likely to be reconsidered. Accordingly on the morning of the 9th September a large crowd assembled at the Nakhoda mosque in Zakaria Street on the excuse that they had come to hear the decision of Government regarding the meeting. His Excellency the Governor was at the same time separately approached by certain Muhammadan gentlemen and asked to receive a deputation to discuss the situation, which he agreed to do, on the understanding that the decision of Government that the meeting could not be allowed was final and that the deputation would be fully representative of all Muhammadan views. The deputation arrived at Government House at 2 P.M. Two gentlemen selected by the promoters of the meeting asked for a reconsideration of the orders, but His Excellency intimated that the decision of Government was final, and strongly advised the deputation to use their influence to induce the crowd to return peacefully to their homes.

6. Meanwhile, shortly after one o'clock, about 500 persons left the mosque and started down the Chitpore Road, with the avowed object of marching on Government House to learn the orders of Government. They were stopped by the police at the corner of Canning Street, where the Commissioner of Police informed them that they could not be allowed to proceed. After some parleying and desultory throwing of shoes and other missiles, the crowd returned in the direction of the mosque. In Zakaria Street, however, the mob became very violent and began to stone the police—Mr. Shaw, the Deputy Commissioner in charge, and several other police officers receiving injuries. The police were compelled to fire, and there was apparently some firing from the roof of a Marwari's house which was being attacked by the stone throwers. Another disturbance broke out at the corner of Harrison Road and Halliday Street, where Mr. Bartley, Deputy Commissioner of Police, was stabbed in the neck by some person unknown. Meanwhile some of the promoters had returned from Government House to the mosque, where they endeavoured to pursuade the crowed to disperse. By that time, however, matters had got entirely out of hand. There was considerable looting of cloth shops by bad characters, who are always ready to make the most of the opportunity which such occasions afford, and order was not restored until the troops and the Indian Defence Force had been called out. The city was picketed by these forces all night.

7. Except for a few sporadic cases of looting by the *badmash* element, the morning of the 10th September passed quietly and the presence of the troops appeared to having a good effect. About midday, however, a mob of 2,000 or 3,000 persons appeared in Maniktola Bazar and commenced looting

the shops. Attempts by the police to stop them had no effect and the small military detachment in the vicinity was ordered to fire. Two persons were killed and a few injured, after which the rest dispersed. About the same time, the crowd round the Nakhoda mosque began to attack the police and the troops with stones and brickbats. A patrol consisting of three men of the Lincolns tried to drive the crowd back towards the mosque, but met with resistance. The rifle of one man was seized and a struggle ensued during which he was dragged forward to the gateway of the mosque. He attempted to close the gates, when bricks were thrown at him from the top of the stairs and his helmet was knocked off. Believing his life to be in danger, he fired at the mob, whereupon a shower of bricks came from the vaults and verandah of the mosque, and some of the other troops also fired. After the firing ceased, baskets of bricks were seen to be carried down from the gallery of the mosque. Nine persons in all are said to have been wounded. A military Court of Enquiry, which held a full investigation into the matter and examined a number of Muhammadans who were present in the mosque at the time, found that the private who originally fired did so in good faith thinking his life in danger, and that no blame should attach to him. They also held that the men of the Lincoln patrol were justified in firing. but that the other troops in the street should not have opened fire without direct o ders from an officer. The Court also found that no soldier or soldiers entered the precincts of the mosque, except the man above mentioned who went only sufficiently far inside to enable him to close the gates. This man states that he was unaware at the time that the building was a mosque. It is regrettable that such an incident should have occurred in the neighbourhood of a mosque, but the Governor in Council is satisfied that the temper of the crowd was such as to render necessary intervention on the part of the troops.

8. The most serious danger which threatened Calcutta on the 10th September was not, however, in the city itself, but from the south, where notices were issued overnight to the mill-hands at Garden Reach asking them to take an oath to attend a big meeting in Calcutta on the following day. On the morning of the 10th, the staff of three large mills, numbering some 10,000 in all, refused to turn out to work. The first overt act of violence was a brutal and unprovoked attack on a mill foreman who was severely injured. Information being received that the mill hands had determined to force their way into Calcutta, it was decided to picquet the bridges on the roads leading to Calcutta, and a small force of troops was sent down to Garden Reach. About noon, a mob of about 2,000 persons arrived at the junction of Garden Reach Road with Circular Road, where they were held up by a military picquet consisting of eight men. A large number of the crowd carried formidable lathis, and they were led by some fanatical Muhammadans shouting and dancing with bodies smeared with mud. Mr. Sturgis, the Additional Superintendent of Police. and two military officers who were present, entered the crowd at considerable risk to themselves and endeavoured to persuade them to disperse, but without effect. The crowd pushed on till they were close to the troops, who were then compelled to fire, though some of the British Officers were still in the middle of the mob. Fourteen persons were killed and about 30 injured, of whom 10 subsequently died. The loss of life was regrettably heavy at this point, but there can be no question as to the justification of the action of the troops. If a mob, several thousand strong, fired by fanaticism, had swarmed across the Calcutta maidan and forced their way into the city, a situation of the utmost gravity would have arisen.

9. After two o'clock on the 10th September matters gradually settled down, and there was no further serious outbreak, though sporadic looting continued for another 24 hours. A leaflet calling upon the people to desist from violence and to return to their ordinary occupations was issued by some of the promoters of the original meeting, including the Imam of the Nakhoda mosque and other influential persons, and had a good effect.

10. The number of casualties which occurred during the disturbance cannot be stated with absolute precision. The deaths of 43* persons have been verified, but it is probable that a certain number of Muhammadan dead were removed and buried surreptitiously. The 43 persons who are known to have been killed include the 24 who were shot at Garden Reach Of the 19 who were killed within the city, 11 met their death by military or police fire, while eight were done to death by stones, bricks or lathis. About 400 wounded persons were treated at the various hospitals, but the majority were only slightly injured and were discharged after their injuries had been dressed. The number detained in hospital was 154,† and in addition a number of wounded Muhammadans were treated at the Nakhoda mosque. The damage to property connot be estimated accurately, but was not excessive, as the majority of the places which were looted were small roadside shops. The persons, some 400 in number, who were caught redhanded looting and rioting, have been placed on their trial before a special Presidency Magistrate.

* Muhammadans ... 36
Hindus ... 7

† Muhammadans ... 96
Hindus ... 53
Christians ... 5

11. Such, briefly, has been the history of recent occurrences. Although the final flames were fanned by the particular newspaper incident to which reference has been made, the outburst was really the outcome of other smouldering discontents, which were sought to be brought to a head in a meeting of a character which it would have been impossible to control. That the prohibition of the meeting did not suffice to check disorder was due to the fact that by that time, under the influence of violent instigations, the crowd was no longer amenable to reason, and discipline could only be enforced by compulsion. In so doing, the Governor in Council is satisfied that no more force was used by the troops and the police than was necessary for the restoration of law and order in the serious conditions which arose. Lamentable though the loss of life—in many cases innocent life—has been, His Excellency in Council cannot but feel that it is insignificant in comparison with what would have occurred if the mass meeting had taken place on the lines projected. The inflammatory character of the speeches made in connection with the original arrangements, the nature of the leaflets which were issued summoning the meeting, the fact that the meeting was to be spread over three days, and that special efforts were made to bring in the Muhammadan mill population of the suburbs for the last day, leave no room for doubt as to what the consequences would have been, if the crowd had been excited by fanatical appeals to their religious sentiments It is possible that many of the promoters of the meeting did not realize the dangerous position towards which they were drifting, and some of them did their best to quell the disturbances after they had begun. But it was then too late; their followers were beyond their control, and the only people who could deal with them were the police and the troops.

12. The leading foreign agitators, who by their violent and unbridled language and writings were mainly responsible for these unfortunate events have been removed from the Presidency, and it is to be hoped that the local Muhammadans who unfortunately joined hands with them, will now exercise restraint and moderation. From the outset of the recent troubles, the Governor in Council has spared no pains, even by personal appeal, to make it clear that he is always prepared to consider the grievances of the Muhammadans or of any other section of the community, if they are represented in a constitutional manner, by deputation or otherwise; but mass meetings, with appeals in the name of religion to violence and prejudice, are not a proper means of representing grievances at a time when feelings run high. In recognition of the strength of these feelings, Government have hitherto treated leniently their expression, even when couched in the language of violence and unreason, but events have proved the perils of undue latitude, and in order to protect Calcutta from a recurrence of recent events, the continuance of dangerous agitation must be prevented. At the same time His Excellency in Council appeals earnestly to the members of all communities and to the public press of all shades of opinion for discretion and moderation in expressing their views at the time of peculiar stress and strain.

Recent events have shown only too clearly the harm that can be done by careless and thoughtless expressions, even when published without malacious intent.

13. In conclusion, His Excellency in Council desires to express his indebtedness to General Strange and to the staff of the Presidency Brigade for their prompt assistance and skilful dispositions. The troops employed in quelling the disturbances had a difficult task and carried out the duties allotted to them with humanity and consideration. The thanks of Government are specially due to the members of the Indian Defence Force, who turned out cheerfully for long hours of duty, in many cases at considerable sacrifice of their business arrangements and private convenience. Many of the senior members of the force did invaluable service in calming and reasoning with the rioters and pursuading them to abstain from further violence. A heavy call was made upon the Fire Brigade under Captain Westbrook, which received 16 calls between the 9th and 11th. They were successful in preventing all fires from developing, while they also assisted in dispersing the crowds and picking up the wounded. The two motor ambulances were kept very busy, and their drivers and attendants worked exceedingly well, while many taxi-cabs which were commandeered (including in particular those of the Indian Motor Taxi Cab Company) worked long hours without complaint and were of much use in expediting transport. Finally, the Governor in Council has great pleasure in acknowledging the excellent service of all ranks of the police who behaved with commendable restraint under very trying circumstances. Many of the officers and men were on duty for forty-eight hours at a stretch, and the strain imposed on the whole force was very severe. No authenticated case of misbehaviour of any kind on the part of the police has been brought to notice, and commendations of their beheviour have been received from many varied sources Special acknowledgments are due to Mr. R. Clarke, Commissioner of Police, on whom the main burden of responsibility lay. His tact and firmness and his thorough knowledge of the city and its inhabitants were of the greatest service throughout, and His Excellency in Council has great pleasure in recognizing the ability with which the situation was handled by him.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUPERSESSION OF THE BURDWAN MUNICIPALITY.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Municipal Branch.

DARJEELING, THE 29TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION No. 678T.—M.

THE maladministration of the Burdwan Municipality has long attracted the attention of Government and has been specially noticed in the last two annual resolutions reviewing the work of municipalities in Bengal. In the resolution recorded for the year 1915-16, it was remarked :—"Of Burdwan it is reported that little good can be said : the roads are bad, the drains are not flushed, the water-supply is abused with impunity, the finances are mismanaged and in confusion, the Municipal Board is rent by faction . . . The Municipality has entirely failed to reduce an abnormal balance of over Rs. 35,000, which for the last two years has been attributed to delay in disposing of the appeals against the revision of assessment in 1914-15—an explanation which Government has already held to be inadequate."

In the resolution for 1916-17 the administration was stigmatized as being "characterized by want of control over the municipal staff, inefficiency and waste of public money . . . The Burdwan Municipality is conspicuous, for the third year in succession, for its failure to reduce arrears, which at the close of the year amounted to Rs. 32,889. The Commissioner reports :—'The laxity of administration in this Municipality is deplorable. Hardly any warrants were issued after the first quarter, and the Municipal Commissioners are now recovering taxes by the cumbrous method of civil suits'."

2. The work of municipalities during the year 1917-18 has not yet been reviewed by Government, but in his report for that year the Commissioner has again drawn attention to the mismanagement prevailing in Burdwan :— "Dishonesty and corruption among the municipal staff have", he writes, "caused serious loss, and municipal affairs have been so mismanaged that general dissatisfaction has been roused among the rate-payers . . . There has been a lack of supervision over the municipal staff, with the result that serious embezzlements and irregularities have occurred, heavy arrears of taxes have accumulated, large outstanding liabilities have not been met, and the closing balances have been unduly reduced."

3. An audit by the Examiner of Local Accounts of the municipal accounts of Burdwan for the period May 1916 to October 1917, which was concluded on the 9th March 1918, disclosed general laxity of supervision, a diversion of the greater part of the credit balance of the water-supply fund, default in the payment of the dues of contractors, and serious malpractices. A special enquiry into the administration during the year 1917-18 was also held by a Deputy Magistrate on the orders of the District Magistrate, who had received numerous complaints from local gentlemen as to grave malpractices by which the administration of the Municipality was characterized. The District Magistrate had for 2½ years lavished advice and remonstrance upon the Municipal Commissioners without the slightest result, and he judged it necessary to institute an enquiry with a view to determining what steps, if any, could be taken to reform the administration and redress the grievances of the rate-payers. The Deputy Magistrate reported that his enquiry was attended with serious difficulties. Papers were suppressed in many cases on the plea that they could not be traced. Neither the Chairman nor the Vice-Chairman showed any alacrity in assisting the investigation. The Municipal Commissioners would not disclose facts that

might reflect discredit on their administration. The enquiry, though necessarily incomplete in these circumstances, disclosed a deplorable state of affairs and indisputably proved the fact that a number of the Municipal Commissioners had abused the trust imposed upon them by virtue of their position, and gravely failed in the discharge of their duties.

4. Further evidence of grave maladministration has been furnished by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, who reported in August 1918 that though the closing balance at the close of the year 1917-18 was shown as Rs. 10,806, the register of unpaid bills had not been written up, and that it was admitted that the unpaid bills amounted to over Rs. 7,000. The subsidiary accounts of special rates (water-rate, latrine-rate, etc.) had not been written up since October and had not been received even by the time when he wrote. The collections of taxes in the year 1917-18 were worse than in the previous year; 6,595 distress warrants were issued for the recovery of taxes due in the first and second quarters of the year 1917-18, and hardly any for the remainder of the year, but 5,463 were pending after the close of the year. There had been great laxity in the matter of remissions, which had been very large for some years past: altogether Rs. 11,834 had been recommended for remission in 1917-18, and it was admitted that in some cases at least no enquiry had been made. The uncollected arrears at the close of the year amounted to Rs. 38,855 or more than a third of the current demand.

5. After the most careful consideration, the Government of Bengal have come to the conclusion that the maladministration of the Burdwan Municipality is a grave public scandal which cannot be allowed to continue. It has been clearly demonstrated that the Municipal Commissioners have abused their powers and proved themselves incompetent to conduct the administration of the Municipality; and, in the opinion of the Governor in Council, it is only by their supersession, in exercise of the special powers of control vested in Government, that the administration can be reformed and the interests of the rate-payers safeguarded. The Governor in Council is, therefore, constrained to declare by this order, issued under section 65 of the Bengal Municipal Act, that the Commissioners of the Burdwan Municipality are incompetent to perform their duties and have abused their powers, and he directs that they be superseded for a period of one year with effect from the date of the publication of this Resolution in the *Calcutta Gazette*. In exercise of the powers conferred by section 66 of the Act, the Governor in Council further directs that all the powers and duties of the Commissioners shall, during the period of supersession, be exercised and performed by the District Magistrate of Burdwan.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 26th September 1918.

Summary.—During the week light scattered showers fell over the greater part of the province. Weeding of winter paddy continues. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute are still going on. The prospects of standing crops are generally reported to be fair. Fodder is reported to be scarce in the flooded tracts of North Bengal. Flood water is gradually subsiding. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 2·5 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather condition of crops, etc.
			This week	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	2·51	8	8½	Transplantation of *aman* paddy is finished. Prospects are fair. Harvesting and steeping of jute and harvesting of *aus* paddy continue.
	Diamond Harbour.	1·87	8½	8½	
	Barrackpore	0·46	7½	7½	
	Barasat ...	Nil	10	10	
	Basirhat ...	1·92	11	11	
2	Nadia ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	8	Report not received.
	Kushtia ..	(*a*)	(*a*)	8	
	Meherpur ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	9	
	Chuadanga ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	9	
	Ranaghat ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	8	
3	Murshidabad	0·91	10	10	Prospects of standing crops are good. Effects of weather are favourable to crops. No damage is reported now.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8½	10	
	Kandi ...	Nil	11	12	
4	Jessore ...	1·28	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and jute is nearly finished. Prospects of *aman* paddy are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	1·28	12	12	
	Magura ...	Nil	11	11	
	Narail ...	Nil	10	10	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	12 5/16	12 5/16	
5	Khulna ...	1·59	9	10	Transplantation of *aman* paddy is nearly finished. Harvesting of jute is going on.
	Satkhira ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	10	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	9	9	

(*a*) Not reported

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee. This week	Previous week	Character of the weather, condition of crops, &c.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ..	1·39	8½	9	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy and weeding of winter paddy are going on. More rain is wanted in places. Cattle-disease is reported from Katugram.
	Asansol ...	0·01	9½	9½	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	9½	
	Kalna ...	1·25	8	8½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Weather hot. Rain is badly wanted. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Moureswar.
	Rampurhat	Nil	9½	10½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8¼	10	Harvesting of *aus* paddy continues. Standing crops are suffering for want of rain. Cattle-disease is reported from thanas Gangajalghati, Majhia and Saltore.
	Vishnupur ..	Nil	10	10	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	10 1/16	10 1/16	Transplantation of winter rice is complete. Prospects of winter rice and *bhadoi* crops are fair. Harvesting of jute continues.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	9⅛	10	
	Tamluk ...	0·57	8½	9⅛	
	Contai ...	0·36	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0·40	9	8½	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are favourable.
	Serampore ...	0·16	7	7	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	10	9½	
11	HOWRAH ...	2·52	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting and steeping of jute continue. Sugarcane and *aman* paddy are doing well.
	Uluberia ...	0·82	8	8	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	1·84	8	8	Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is insufficient in flooded areas
	Naogaon ...	0·33	8	8	
	Nator ...	0·60	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	0·15	7	7	Transplanting of winter paddy is still in progress in some places. Scarcity of fodder is reported from Kushumundi, Itahar, Kotwali police-stations and from Balurghat subdivision.
	Thakurgaon	1·46	11	11	
	Balurghat ..	Nil	9½	9½	
14	JALPAIGURI	0·55	10	10	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy and transplanting of winter paddy are finished.
	Alipur	3·45	8	8	

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·55	8	8	Maize, cardamom and potatoes are being harvested. *Marua* is doing well. Paddy is being transplanted. Prospects of winter rice and other standing crops are fair. Cattle-disease is prevalent at places.
	Kurseong ...	0·35	7	8	
	Siliguri ...	1·61	10	10	
	Kalimpong...	0·67	9½	9½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of winter rice, steeping, and washing of jute are still going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Stock of rice is insufficient at Gaibandha. Price is rising steadily.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	0·45	8½	9	
	Gaibandha ...	0·37	7	7	
17	BOGRA ...	0·35	8	7	Steeping and washing of jute continues. Transplantation of winter paddy is going on. Prospects are improving.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	9	10	Weather very hot. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Steeping of jute is nearly completed. *Kalai* and *til* are being sown.
	Sirajganj ..	Nil	6	5½	
19	MALDA ...	0·19	9	10	Weather hot and cloudy. More rain is wanted for standing winter rice crop. Cattle-disease is reported from English Bazar thana.
20	COOCH BEHAR	0·53	8⅜	8½	Transplanting of *haimanti* seedlings, and cutting, steeping and washing of jute are going on Lands are being cultivated for tobacco and mustard seeds. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	0·01	(*a*)	8¾	Weather very hot. Harvesting of jute not yet finished Rivers are falling. Prospects of *aman* paddy are fair. Stocks of food-grains are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	0·35	9	9	
	Narayanganj	0·05	8⅞	9⅛	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	
22	MYMENSINGH	1·05	6⅜	7¾	Harvesting of jute is nearly finished Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	7	
	Tangail ...	Nil	8	9¾	
	Netrokona ...	0·04	7	7	
	Kishoreganj	(*a*)	(*a*)	8	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No	District and subdivision	Rainfall	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		General remarks on the weather condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
23	FARIDPUR ...	0·05	8	7	Weather is favourable to crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. Scarcity of fodder is reported from Gopalganj.
	Goalundo ...	0·23	8¼	8¼	
	Madaripur ..	0·03	8	8	
	Gopalganj* ...	Nil	9	9	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0·30	8	8	Prospects of *aus* paddy and jute are not good.
	Pirojpur ...	0·10	8	8	
	Patuakhali	0·63	8½	8	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	0·18	8	8	
25	CHITTAGONG	0·08	8	9	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers per rupee both at Sadar and Cox's Bazar
	Cox's Bazar	1·23	9	11	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	7¼	7½	Weather hot and cloudy. Transplanting of *aman* paddy and harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy continue. The flood water is subsiding. Prospects of crops are fair.
	Brahmanbaria.	0·08	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	9	8	
27	NOAKHALI ..	0·12	8	8	Weather hot and cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ...	0·04	9	9	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS	0·45	8	8	Reaping of *jhum* paddy continues. Prospects of standing crops are not good. Cotton is thriving well.

* The rainfall at Haridasdur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here

N GUPTA,

DACCA, *the 30th September 1918* for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of September 1918.

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 1 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	4 0 0
Kalna ...	.....				.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Raniganj ...	.....			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 1 0 (c)	2 1 0 (c)	2 6 0	1 14 0 (c)	1 14 0 (c)	2 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	4 2 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	4 6 0
Chandpur ...		.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Dacca ...	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0
Narayanganj ...	...	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Madaripur ...		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	
Pabna ...	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 10 0
Sirajganj ...		.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	2 8 0	1 12 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	1 8 0	2 8 0	6 4 0	5 4 0	6 4 0	5 0 0	3 12 0	4 12 0

(c) No sale.

MARTS.	WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 8 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	
Burdwan ...	5 8 0	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	6 2 0	5 12 0	4 7 0
Kalna ...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
Raniganj ...	...	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Midnapore ...	7 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 12 0	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	4 4 0 to 4 8 0	3 12 0	6 0 0 to 7 0 0	5 0 0 to 7 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0
Chittagong ...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 8 0
Chandpur ...	.....			.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	7 8 0	7 8 0	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	...
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Pabna ...	...	.....	4 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	5 0 0	7 8 0	5 0 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Rangpur ...	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 0 0	7 0 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of September 1918.

Marts.	Linseed.			Mustard			Gur.			Cotton (unginned).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	7 12 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	8 8 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	22 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Burdwan ...	.....	6 8 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	5 12 0	6 4 0 to 9 0 0	6 0 0 to 9 8 0	6 0 0	37 0 0	37 0 0	25 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Ranigunj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Midnapore ...	6 0 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	8 8 0 to 9 2 0	8 0 0 to 9 0 0	6 0 0 to 7 4 0	8 4 0	8 4 0	9 0 0	50 0 0	50 0 0	40 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	9 6 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	6 10 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	8 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	Jute.			Ghee.			Hides (cow).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	11 0 0	11 0 0	9 0 0	72 0 0	72 0 0	70 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0 Per 100 pieces.	400 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	9 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	58 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0 Per maund.	40 0 0
Kalna ...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj ...	...		...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....
Midnapore ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	70 0 0	67 0 0	55 0 0	225 0 0	200 0 0 Cleaned piece per 100	300 0 0
Chittagong ...	.	.....	.....	to 72 0 0 70 0 0	to 70 0 0 70 0 0	to 60 0 0 60 0 0	200 0 0	175 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100.	275 0 0
Chandpur ...	9 0 0 to 12 0 0	8 0 0 to 10 8 0	6 4 0 to 8 12 0	.	...	.....	.....	...	...
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	72 0 0	66 0 0	57 0 0	.....	...	...
Narayanganj ...	10 8 0 to 13 8 0	10 0 0 to 11 4 0	5 12 0 to 6 14 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Mymensingh ...	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	8 0 0 to 12 0 0	7 0 0 to 10 8 0	5 8 0 to 7 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	90 0 0	90 0 0	81 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	7 0 0 to 9 0 0	5 0 0 to 7 0 0	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	.....	... ..	.. ..	.....	.....	. ..
Rangpur ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	60 0 0	60 0 0	58 0 0	Per piece. 4 8 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	3 0 0

Wholesale prices-current of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of September 1918.

MARTS.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSENE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	35 0 0	35 0 0	20 0 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	3 12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0(d)
Chetla Hat ...	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	20 0 0 to 35 0 0	20 0 0 to 35 0 0	14 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 2 0	4 1 8	4 4 0	3 1 6(a)
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Raniganj ...	.. ...	.....	. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 28 0 0	3 0 0 to 28 0 0	3 0 0 to 17 0 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 0 6(a)
Chittagong ...	30 0 0	30 0 0	17 0 0	2 15 0	3 4 0	4 6 0†	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 1 6(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	3 8 0	3 4 0	4 8 0*	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 1 6(a)
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	26 0 0	26 8 0	18 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 3 6
Sirajganj ...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	22 0 0	14 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 4 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Mosque mark. | * Panga. | † Crushed. | (d) 4 Imperial gallons.

MARTS.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	22 8 8	22 8 0	14 8 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	...
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 11 0
Burdwan ...	19 8 0	19 8 0	15 4 0	0 8 6	0 8 6	0 8 0	0 8 6	0 8 6	0 7 6
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 6	0 13 0
Raniganj ...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	0 2 7	0 2 7	0 2 3
Midnapore ...	26 0 0 to 27 0 0	23 8 0 to 25 0 0	17 8 0 to 19 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	24 0 0	24 0 0	18 0 0	... .	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	..	.	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....
Dacca ...	32 0 0	25 0 0	18 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	...	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	..	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	24 0 0	22 10 0	16 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	23 0 0	23 0 0	17 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....

DACCA,
The 25th September 1918.

J. K. BISWAS,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

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Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat ...	7 2	7 2	8 0	8 10	9 2	9 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	6 8	6 8	8 0	9 2	9 2	10 0*
	2	Magra Hat ...	8 6	9 6	9 8	9 6	10 10	10 0	6 10	8 0	8 0	8 2	6 10	7 8	14 1	13 0	10 0
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	6 15	6 15	7 0	8 7	8 7	9 0	4 14	4 14	8 0	6 7	6 7	7 4	13 6	13 6	10 8
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	8 0	8 0	9 6	10 10	9 8	10 0	4 8	5 6	6 10	5 7	5 8	8 0	12 2	12 4	13 5*
	5	Ranaghat (n)... ...	...	8 4	8 0	...	8 8	9 0	...	6 8	6 6	...	6 0	6 4	..	10 8	10 8
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	10 0	8 4	10 0	10 4	8 8	10 4	5 8	5 8	7 0	8 8	7 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	13 0*
	7	Kandi ..	12 0	10 0	12 8	12 4	10 8	12 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	11 0	11 0	13 0
	8	Jangipur ...	10 8	10 4	10 8	11 0	10 12	11 8	...	4 8	6 8	7 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	12 8
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	10 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	10 8	10 8	5 8	6 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	12 0	10 0	8 8
	10	Bangaon ...	8 15	11 2	3 3	12 5	13 5	11 7	4 8	4 8	5 5	5 5	6 6	7 2	12 8	11 6	8 12
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	9 0	9 0	8 0	9 10	9 8	9 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 0
	12	Bagerhat ...	7 0	8 0	7 8	9 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	11 0	10 0	10 0
		Burdwan															
	13	Sadar	9 4	9 0	9 0	11 8	11 0	10 0	6 8	6 4	6 8	7 8	7 12	9 0	9 0	9 0	10 0
	14	Kalna	8 14	8 0	9 10	9 8	9 0	10 0	4 8	6 0	6 12	6 0	5 8	5 12	12 5	10 12	13 0*
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	9 0	9 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	11 4	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	10 0	10 8	12 0
	16	Rampur Hat	10 0	10 0	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 4	4 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	11 0	12 0	13 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	9 0	9 0	11 0	9 8	10 0	11 8	6 8	7 8	8 8	6 0	6 8	8 8	10 8	10 0	10 8
	18	Vishnupur	10 0	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	6 4	6 0	7 8	10 0	9 0	10 8
Burdwan.		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	10 1	10 1	9 11	10 6	10 6	10 12	5 4	5 4	7 0	5 4 to 6 0	5 4 to 6 0	6 0 to 8 0	10 8	10 0	9 0
	20	Contai	12 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	12 0	13 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	9 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	7 0	7 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	5 0	5 8	8 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	12 0	10 0	9 0
	22	Arambagh	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 10	5 8	5 4	5 8	5 0	5 4	5 8	11 0	10 8	10 8
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	8 0	9 0	8 4	9 0	10 0	9 0	5 0	6 4	8 0	5 8	6 0	8 0	13 0	9 0	10 4
	24	Ulubaria	8 0	9 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 0	4 8	6 0	7 0	5 12	5 12	8 0	13 2	11 6	10 0
		Rajshahi															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 8	7 8	7 14	9 0	8 4	8 4	4 14	4 14	6 0	5 4	5 4	6 12	9 12	9 12	9 0
	26	Nator	7 8	11 4	7 8	9 0	15 0	9 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 14	7 14	6 8	8 0	8 0	9 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	8 6	9 8	6 0	6 0	5 11	6 0	8 2	7 13	9 0	9 0	9 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	10 0	10 0	8 0	41 8	12 0	10 0	6 8	7 0	9 0	6 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0

* Karkatch.

(n) Return not received.

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		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	29	Sadar	7 8	8 0	7 12	9 8	10 0	8 8	6 0	6 8	5 4	5 8	5 8	...	6 8	7 0	7 0
	30	Siliguri	9 0	9 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar . .	6 0	10 0	8 0	8 8	11 0	8 4	6 0	6 0	5 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	32	Nilphamari	8 0	9 8	7 0	8 8	10 0	8 0	6 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	13 0	9 12
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 2	8 10	9 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	6 12	6 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 4
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	9 8	10 0	7 2	10 4	11 0	8 0	9 8	10 0	6 8	5 4	5 8	7 0	10 0	8 0	10 4
	35	Sirajganj	7 0	9 12	8 0	9 0	11 0	8 8	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	11 12
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	10 8	10 0	8 8	11 0	10 8	10 0	5 0	4 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	9 0	8 0	9 0
	37	Balia—Nawabganj ...	10 10	11 4	10 0	11 4	11 8	10 8	5 0	5 4	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0
		Dacca.															
Dacca.	38	Sadar	7 0	7 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	4 0	4 0	5 4	6 8	6 8	6 8	9 0	9 0	8 8
	39	Munshir Hat ...	8 8	8 0	8 0	...	8 0	8 0	...		...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	7 12	8 0	7 9	...	8 0	8 1	8 0	8 0	5 0	5 4	6 5	6 0	8 0	8 0	10 0
	41	Netrakona	7 8	9 0	7 9	8 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	7 4	8 0	8 0	9 0
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	7 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	8 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	6 4	10 0	9 0	8 0
	43	Rajbari	8 0	8 12	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 10	5 10	5 10	8 0	5 5	5 5	8 0	10 0	8 0	8 0
		Pakargani.															
	44	Barisal	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 6	8 6	3 8	8 0	8 0	10 0	6 0	6 0	7 4	8 14	8 8	10 4
	45	Pirojpur	8 0	10 0	7 4	...	10 0	7 4	...	...	7 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	8 10	7 8	7 6	8 15	7 10	7 8	5 4	5 4	5 5	4 10	4 10	6 6	8 8	8 8	8 0
	47	Chandpur	7 8	8 0	7 6	10 4	11 2	8 14	5 6	5 8	5 5	7 4	7 6	6 8	10 0	9 1	8 0
		Noakhali															
Chittagong.	48	Kalitara Hat	7 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 8	8 0	8 8	9 0	6 0	6 2	5 8	9 0	8 0	8 0*
	49	Feni Hat	10 0	10 0	8 12	12 0	12 0	9 5	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	8 12
		Chittagong															
	50	Sadar ...	8 0	9 8	9 0	10 0	10 8	10 8	8 0	6 0	7 0	5 8	6 8	6 8	12 0	10 0	8 0
	51	Cox Bazar	12 0	12 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	9 9	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	4 8	9 8	9 0	8 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Ranganati.	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 0	12 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 8	9 0	8 0	6 8

* Crushed.

J. K. Biswas,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca,
The 25th September 1918.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division	District	Station	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Sangor Island	0·10	0·93	0·07	0·06	0·02	3·00	0·01	...	1·54	0·93	0·65	..	0·33	0·01	0·17	0·20	0·24	0·04	1·00	0·28
		Diamond Harbour ...	0·20	...	0·60	1·73	0·79	...	...	...	0·93	0·23	...	0·19	0·53	...	0·30	0·50	0·04	1·45	0·82	0·34
		Budge-Budge	0·20	...	0·15	...	...	0·02	0·01	0·30	1·78	1·04	0·08	0·60	0·04	0·40	0·76	0·20	0·02	0·26	0·29	0·45
		Canning Town	...	0·54	0·12	2·55	...	0·56	0·31	0·05	0·97	0·05	3·60	...	...	0·67	0·20	0·27	...	...	1·50	0·35
		Alipore ...	0·33	...	0·29	0·01	0·01	0·20	0·08	0·32	2·78	1·74	0·02	...	0·16	0·01	0·08	0·18	...	0·16	1·89	0·32
		Barrackpore	...	...	...	0·31	1·00	0·40	1·00	1·61	0·08	0·89	0·17	...		0·26	...	..	0·26	0·30	1·00	0·02
		Dum-Dum ...	0·05	...	0·10	...	...	0·75	0·45	2·02	0·90	1·05	...	...	0·25	0·45	0·35	1·00	...	0·25	0·16	0·10
		Barasat* ...																				
		Basirhat ...	0·48	...	...	...	...	4·50	...	0·29	1·90	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·50	...	...	0·35	...
	Nadia ..	Ranaghat ...	...	...	...	...	0·77	1·70	0·30	0·83	0·82	0·75	0·68	...	...	..	...	0·11	0·08	0·12	0·20	0·12
		Krishnagar ...	0·17	...	0·17	0·17	0·20	0·75	0·50	1·04	1·91	1·84	0·40	0·23	...	..	0·06	0·13	...	...	...	0·53
		Chuadanga ...	0·05	0·22	0·01	0·09	0·46	0·09	1·46	0·34	0·30	1·20	1·61	...	0·03	0·03	0·02	0·13	0·08	0·04	0·01	...
		Meherpur ...	0·06	...	...	...	...	2·50	0·11	1·35	0·35	0·05	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia* ...															...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haringhata ...	...	...	0·08	...	0·12	0·78	..	...	0·56	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	0·05	...	...
	Murshidabad.	Kandi ...	...	0·33	...	1·27	...	0·29	0·09	1·72	0·25	1·80	0·71	0·84	1·72	0·25	...	0·65	0·17	0·11	1·90	0·05
		Berhampore ...	0·14	...	...	1·40	...	0·19	0·52	0·70	0·69	2·22	0·46	0·10	1·05	...	0·44	0·11	0·20	0·03	0·45	1·50
		Lalbagh ...	...	0·27	...	0·91	...	0·07	0·42	0·17	1·69	3·18	0·36	0·05	0·19	0·31	...	0·11	0·03	0·05	0·14	0·11
		Azimganj ...	0·42	...	...	0·27	...	0·52	0·36	0·07	0·30	2·00	0·28	0·02	0·30	0·92	...	0·17	0·24	...	0·05	0·40
		Jangipur ...	0·20	...	0·09	0·03	...	2·55	1·06	0·34	1·96	1·35	...	0·31	3·07	0·92	...	...	0·27	0·51	2·21	1·17
		Lalgola ...	...	...	...	...	2·35	2·46	...	0·56	2·15	0·25	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·55
		Akriganj ...	0·08	0·03	0·16	1·43	0·03	0·07	3·79	0·12	1·72	1·78	0·24	0·08	0·14	...	0·66	...	...	0·09	0·06	0·95
		Patkabari ...	...	...	0·09	1·58	0·22	0·71	0·53	0·55	1·14	1·51	0·06	...	...	0·14	0·04	0·02	0·32	...	...	0·28
		Dumkal ...	...	0·16	0·02	0·41	1·42	1·18	...	0·57	1·07	1·72	0·40	0·06	...	0·05	...	0·14	0·08	...	0·07	
		Kaliyanganj ...	...	0·41	0·09	0·14	...	1·08	1·70	0·80	0·67	4·80	0·50	0·19	0·80	0·26	0·14	...	0·33	...	0·34	0·10
	Jessore ...	Narail ...	...	...	...	0·16	0·22	0·98	0·20	0·12	1·22	0·60	0·48	0·12	...	...	...	0·42	...	..	...	...
		Jessore ...	0·12	...	0·14	...	0·35	2·70	0·64	1·31	1·69	1·02	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	0·12	...	...
		Jhenida ...	...	...	0·27	0·68	1·10	0·18	1·05	1·50	1·10	0·19	...	...	...	0·07	...	0·08	...	...	...	...
		Magura ...	...	...	0·30	0·17	2·00	1·59	0·48	0·35	3·53	0·86	0·08	...	0·32	...	...	...	0·19	...	..	...
		Bangaon ...	...	...	0·26	0·03	0·51	3·13	0·14	1·06	1·28	0·66	0·05	...	0·10	...	...	0·44	...	0·20	0·10	...
	Khulna ...	Satkhira ...	0·10	...	...	1·15	1·25	0·74	0·04	0·41	2·02	0·38	0·46	...	...	...	0·24	...	0·33	0·30	...	0·08
		Bagerhat ...	...	0·40	0·11	0·66	0·30	0·82	0·32	0·50	0·50	..	...	...	...	0·32	0·28	0·11	0·42	0·10	0·50	0·75
		Khulna* ...																				
		Kaliganj ...	...	...	0·20	0·10	...	3·78	0·81	0·19	3·00	0·54	...	0·26	...	...	0·10	0·10	0·50	0·02	2·15	0·70
		Nakipur ...	.	0·46	0·28	0·33	...	2·42	0·74	0·35	1·26	...	1·36	...	...	...	0·62	...	0·21	0·28	0·90	0·40
		Dumuria ...	...	...	0·61	0·34	0·02	0·76	0·69	0·54	0·92	0·52	1·50	...	...	0·07	0·80	0·41	0·20	0·12	0·10	0·06
		Rampal ...	0·18	0·26	0·27	0·19	0·33	0·20	1·10	0·10	0·72	0·19	1·56	0·20	...	...	0·31	0·31	0·12	0·10	0·38	0·60
		Kalaroa ...	...	...	0·50	0·92	...	4·45	0·44	1·02	0·82	0·78	0·10	...	...	...	0·37	0·60	...	0·24	0·04	0·27
		Paikgachha ...	0·12	...	0·80	0·55	...	1·80	0·65	0·65	1·85	0·26	3·24	...	1·50	0·26	0·28	...	...	0·09	0·03	0·28
		Mollahat ...	0·03	0·16	0·03	0·04	...	2·00	1·06	2·30	3·23	2·08	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·09	0·23	0·03	0·02	0·06
		Morelganj ...	0·48	1·53	0·27	0·12	...	0·50	0·90	0·50	1·05	0·55	0·21	0·16	0·65	...	1·07	0·23	0·05	0·26	1·14	1·20
		Tala ...	...	...	0·21	0·02	...	1·25	0·22	0·29	4·36	0·18	1·98	0·18	...	0·02	0·21	0·06	0·10	0·12	0·08	0·15
BURDWAN	Burdwan..	Kalna ...	...	0·20	0·40	0·71	1·90	...	0·20	1·05	1·05	0·09	0·13	0·10	0·12	0·17	0·32	0·13	0·12	0·18	0·31	0·62
		Burdwan ...	0·65	0·28	0·18	...	1·78	0·56	1·48	0·59	1·06	1·15	0·35	0·04	0·86	0·25	1·82	0·31	0·03	0·12	0·06	0·02
		Katwa ...	...	0·21	...	0·97	...	1·96	0·42	1·03	0·65	1·72	0·27	1·11	1·16	...	...	0·42	0·35	0·17	0·93	...
		Asansol ...	0·02	...	0·10	0·01	1·11	0·16	0·28	0·22	0·47	0·74	0·08	...	...	0·59	0·05	2·64	0·08	0·02	0·43	0·96
		Mankar ...	...	...	0·22	0·15	0·73	2·11	1·05	0·15	0·35	...	...	0·11	...	0·55	1·06	...	...	...	0·15	0·25
		Mangalkot ...	...	...	0·30	0·80	0·30	2·40	0·80	0·60	0·80	0·40	0·50	1·80	0·80	0·40	0·80	0·30	...	...	...	1·50
		Royna ...	...	...	...	1·05	3·20	1·60	0·20	0·40	0·40	0·39	...	0·40	0·29	0·40	0·35	...	...	...	0·30	0·20
		Monteswar ...	...	...	0·20	0·30	...	2·00	3·00	2·20	2·70	1·20	1·00	...	1·50	1·50	0·53	...	...	1·30	...	2·00
	Birbhum...	Suri ...	...	...	0·40	0·60	...	0·15	0·50	0·05	0·50	2·10	0·50	0·10	0·10	0·39	...	0·40	0·02	0·12	0·50	1·55
		Hetampur ...	...	...	...	0·06	0·08	0·62	1·51	0·72	0·18	1·00	0·08	...	1·78	1·04	0·27	1·05	0·23	0·14	...	2·14
		Rampur Hat ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	1·30	1·30	1·50	4·70	1·10	0·30	0·80	0·70	0·50	...	0·10	0·40	1·70	2·40
		Bolpur ...	...	...	...	0·61	0·05	1·80	1·91	1·18	0·46	0·84	1·50	0·75	0·47	0·17	0·05	0·28	0·06	0·04	0·32	1·90
		Murarai ...	0·25	...	1·20	0·10	0·20	0·95	0·70	0·05	0·85	2·10	0·25	0·25	0·15	0·30	0·70	0·15	0·15	...	0·25	2·50
		Labpur ...	0·74	0·09	0·03	0·45	0·42	0·80	0·83	0·31	0·33	1·45	2·21	1·61	0·19	1·27	0·28	0·13	...	0·36	1·52	1·61
	Bankura..	Bankura ...	0·05	...	..	0·90	0·05	0·43	0·34	0·28	0·05	0·64	...	0·52	...	1·05	0·11	2·05	0·53	0·90	0·10	2·50
		Vishnupur ...	0·64	...	0·61	0·05	0·15	0·35	0·10	1·05	0·05	0·57	...	0·93	0·44	0·74	0·15	1·03	0·25	0·31	...	2·50
		Maliara ...	...	...	...	1·65	0·01	0·61	0·08	0·11	0·55	0·07	...	...	0·13	[illegible]	0·48	0·02	0·01	0·40	...	0·60
		Khatra ...	...	0·30	...	0·09	0·02	0·26	0·07	0·11	0·28	0·44	..	0·02	...	...	0·14	0·61	0·74	1·60	0·02	0·04
		Indas ...	0·11	0·76	0·22	0·59	1·00	2·32	0·54	0·76	0·20	0·87	0·78	1·50	0·55	1·19	0·25	0·09	0·06	0·05	0·01	0·50
		Kotalpur ...	...	...	...	0·11	0·65	2·68	0·35	0·32	0·36	0·98	0·34	1·03	0·10	0·55	0·08	1·15	0·19	0·06	0·11	0·10
		Onda ...	0·04	...	0·21	0·25	...	0·29	...	0·22	0·19	0·51	...	0·48	0·48	2·80	0·15	1·11	0·73	0·88	0·10	0·67
		Gangajalghati	0·15	0·16	0·36	1·02	...	0·29	0·30	0·09	0·42	0·41	...	...	0·02	1·25	0·02	1·26	0·05	0·05	...	0·42
		Raipur ...	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·22	0·15	0·12	0·35	0·55	...	1·25	...	...	...	0·25	0·75	0·10	0·32	0·16
		Sonamukhi ...	...	0·50	...	0·24	...	1·21	0·95	0·10	0·15	1·37	...	0·09	0·46	1·21	0·19	0·58	0·22	..	...	0·69
		Taldangra	...	...	0·42	1·32	0·14	0·29	...	...	0·66	0·84	..	0·26	...	0·52	0·42	0·86	1·00	0·49	0·21	0·53
		Saranga ...	...	...	...	0·09	0·08	0·06	0·26	0·47	1·01	0·04	0·28	1·14	..	...	...	0·23	0·26	0·07	1·26	0·68
		Indpur* ...																				
		Amra ...	0·02	0·22	0·82	...	0·49	0·25	0·43	0·07	0·60	...	...	...	0·27	0·01	1·92	0·73	0·76	0·26	0·47	1·00
		Barjora ...	...	...	...	0·18	...	0·08	1·00	0·08	0·54	0·10	..	0·30	0·20	0·10	0·38	1·00	...	0·21	...	1·00
		Simlapal ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·14	0·55	0·13	0·58	...	0·08	0·02	0·09	...	0·29	1·00	0·40	0·48	0·14
		Mejia ...	...	...	...	1·01	...	1·29	0·45	0·25	0·83	0·16	...	...	...	...	0·71	0·95	...	0·43	0·32	2·81
	Midnapore	Contai ...	0·11	0·50	0·22	...	...	1·00	...	...	1·43	0·06	1·19	...	0·22	0·43	0·90	1·06	0·96	1·04	0·59	0·09
		Tamluk ...	0·35	0·61	0·06	...	..	...	0·33	1·01	2·40	...	0·10	0·13	0·25	...	1·14	0·07	0·77	1·29	...	...
		Midnapore ...	...	...	...	0·10	0·02	1·72	0·14	1·38	1·11	0·27	...	0·50	0·02	[illegible]	0·06	0·47	0·30	0·12	...	0·25
		Ghatal ...	0·11	0·13	0·33	...	...	2·20	0·15	1·56	1·11	0·57	0·41	0·24	0·21	0·60	0·15	0·12	0·21	1·21	0·73	0·28
		Kukrahati ...	0·58	...	0·04	0·85	...	0·22	0·26	...	0·96	0·05	...	...	0·45	0·19	0·78	1·00	0·22	...	0·58	0·10
		Amlagora ...	...	...	0·08	0·25	...	2·65	0·36	0·26	0·40	1·20	0·03	1·41	...	0·44	...	0·58	1·11	0·75	0·11	0·10
		Panskura ...	0·21	0·26	...	0·16	0·61	0·30	...	0·22	0·60	0·65	...	...	1·18	0·10	0·20	0·13	0·20	1·33	..	0·21
		Dantan ...	...	...	...	0·40	...	2·00	...	...	2·10	...	2·75	0·65	0·31	2·35	0·50	0·60	0·65	0·55	0·15	[illegible]
		Chandrakona*																				
		Pachet ...	..	...	...	...	1·69	...	...	...	1·89	...	0·62	...	..	0·42	...	0·12	2·10	0·25	0·59	0·10
		Bhagwanpur ...	0·33	0·22	0·11	0·73	...	0·49	...	...	0·75	0·08	1·10	0·15	1·61	0·69	0·74	0·25	0·50	2·84	0·70	...
		Kaltikri ...	...	0·24	...	0·60	1·30	...	0·46	0·65	...	...	2·33	...	...	...	0·59	1·30	0·17	...	...	...
		Nayabasan ...	...	...	...	...	...	2·50	0·40	...	0·50	0·40	1·65	...	0·45	0·20	...	0·80	0·54	0·42	...	1·06
		Silda (Belpahari)	0·08	0·05	0·15	0·66	1·55	...	0·42	...	0·32	0·44	0·08	0·28	0·09	...	0·95	0·17	0·58	0·13	0·19	[illegible]
		Chandri* ...																				
		Goaltore ...	0·15	...	...	...	...	1·56	...	0·33	0·80	0·40	...	0·69	...	...	...	0·15	0·70	0·25	0·80	...
		Salboni* ...																				
		Naraingarh	0·19	0·45	0·31	0·21	0·65	0·15	...	0·10	2·45	0·07	0·35	0·49	0·43	0·75	0·69	1·15	0·40	0·45	0·31	0·28
		Ramnagar ...	...	...	...	0·40	0·19	0·71	...	...	1·00	0·15	1·65	...	...	...	3·20	0·42	...	...	...	1·11
		Mohanpur ...	...	...	...	...	1·30	...	...	1·70	0·10	2·00	0·11	...	0·54	1·15	0·78	0·83	0·54	0·19	0·10	0·21
		Henria ...	0·05	0·10	0·20	...	...	...	1·20	...	1·45	...	...	0·45	1·00	0·45	2·00	0·40	0·50	0·10	...	0·60
		Jenka (Khajri)	0·46	0·30	0·70	0·03	...	1·00	...	...	1·20	0·12	0·47	...	1·05	1·72	1·17	0·40	0·17	1·70	0·31	0·02
		Nandigram ...	0·07	0·11	0·16	...	0·75	...	...	0·70	...	0·03	...	0·70	1·20	0·33	0·50	0·25	0·35	0·30	0·08	0·05
		Moyna ...	...	0·64	...	...	0·52	0·52	0·59	1·26	0·17	0·09	..	0·90	0·78	0·31	0·35	0·41	0·47	0·10	0·26	0·21
		Pingla ...	0·10	0·30	0·45	0·15	0·02	0·25	...	2·00	...	...	...	1·40	1·32	...	0·41	0·25	0·37	0·39	0·40	0·54
		Narajole ...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·05	0·07	3·72	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	1·04	...	...	0·71	1·38	0·02

* Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 1918.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 31st August 1918.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 31st August 1918.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.
0·77	0·04	0·95	0·46	...	0·04	...	0·27	0·25	0·02	1·20	19	16·8	14·52	13·84	3·00	37·40	39·45	Saugor Island	24-Parganas	PRESIDENCY.
0·82	0·22	0·83	0·03	...	0·37	...	...	...	...	0·17	18	18·0	11·09	13·66	1·79	38·66	39·64	Diamond Harbour.		
0·62	...	1·04	0·04	...	0·58	0·24	...	0·33	...	0·20	18	17·9	9·44	11·33	1·78	35·95	37·90	Budge-Budge.		
0·30	0·20	5·36	0·75	...	...	0·28	...	...	0·84	0·52	19	16·5	18·58	12·79	5·36	39·29	36·72	Canning Town.		
0·03	0·09	0·95	0·15	0·38	0·41	...	0·25	...	...	0·04	16	18·2	10·77	12·18	2·78	34·30	26·66	Allipore.		
0·35	0·48	0·86	0·24	0·50	0·15	0·05	...	...	0·65	1·00	19	16·3	11·57	11·24	1·64	46·89	32·85	Barrackpore.		
0·21	...	1·00	...	0·20	0·25	...	0·05	...	...	...	17	16·0	8·71	11·62	2·02	36·07	35·21	Dum-Dum.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16·2	13·76	11·41	...	...	23·47	Barasat.		
0·15	...	2·50	0·55	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	11	15·8	12·57	11·60	4·80	47·18	36·89	Basirhat.		
0·21	[illegible]	2·85	1·00	...	0·65	...	0·12	...	1·52	...	18	14·9	14·46	11·62	2·86	40·74	31·89	Ranaghat ...	Nadia ...	
0·77	[illegible]	2·48	1·00	...	0·83	0·79	...	...	...	0·67	20	14·5	15·59	10·51	2·48	37·19	31·37	Krishnagar.		
0·28	1·87	1·92	5·50	0·22	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·12	14	14·9	16·17	11·23	5·50	36·32	32·03	Chuadanga.		
0·66	2·17	1·90	6·30	1·05	0·87	0·45	...	...	0·20	0·70	14	15·4	20·13	11·25	6·30	36·48	32·12	Meherpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16·1	5·58	10·64	...	...	32·60	Kushtia.		
...	0·52	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	7	(n)	7·92	8·00	0·78	15·12	23·31	Harinaghata.		
0·89	0·82	1·08	4·81	2·58	1·65	0·25	0·28	...	1·32	1·34	24	16·3	27·12	11·06	4·81	54·56	33·31	Kandi ...	Murshidabad.	
1·66	1·12	0·51	4·76	3·73	5·94	2·28	0·53	...	...	0·29	24	16·5	30·70	11·75	5·94	53·98	32·50	Berhampore.		
0·71	1·40	0·40	3·81	3·39	6·57	1·66	0·25	...	0·63	0·51	29	15·9	27·87	13·06	6·57	51·35	35·68	Lalbagh.		
0·43	2·39	0·42	3·82	1·80	6·11	1·16	1·50	0·07	...	0·32	31	15·9	23·84	11·39	6·11	51·89	32·65	Azimganj.		
0·15	1·78	1·91	6·95	1·65	3·68	1·14	1·11	...	...	...	21	15·2	24·57	11·18	6·75	55·09	32·46	Jangipur.		
0·86	...	2·15	0·70	2·15	5·80	1·50	0·13	...	...	1·46	16	14·8	24·61	10·44	5·80	44·75	31·62	Lalgola.		
1·36	1·50	1·42	1·90	4·79	6·86	0·18	...	...	...	...	16	13·8	28·74	9·39	6·86	47·43	31·96	Akriganj.		
2·59	1·90	2·00	2·21	1·03	0·12	...	...	...	0·81	...	17	11·2	17·96	8·41	2·59	31·70	27·43	Patkabari.		
0·86	2·90	1·10	2·55	4·05	2·60	0·29	0·39	...	0·42	...	18	14·1	22·88	10·89	4·05	44·54	41·71	Dumkal.		
1·37	1·08	0·35	3·66	1·57	3·80	2·10	0·64	...	...	0·41	24	17·7	26·93	12·73	4·80	52·68	35·09	Kaliyaganj.		
0·22	0·19	1·27	0·08	1·01	0·19	0·11	...	...	0·19	...	17	14·6	7·78	10·16	1·27	29·16	32·76	Narail ...	Jessore ...	
...	0·48	0·36	3·37	0·89	...	0·24	...	...	0·72	0·10	18	17·1	14·77	11·37	3·37	35·25	36·17	Jessore.		
0·48	1·32	2·09	0·38	0·06	..	0·18	...	0·63	0·55	0·41	16	15·5	12·40	11·01	2·09	39·60	33·73	Jhenida.		
0·22	0·30	1·30	3·70	0·30	0·40	...	...	...	0·50	0·30	18	14·6	18·57	9·76	3·52	41·04	33·04	Magura.		
0·77	0·45	0·43	0·55	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	0·32	17	15·4	10·81	11·62	3·12	37·15	33·22	Bangaon.		
0·02	...	0·40	0·54	...	0·22	...	0·33	...	...	0·16	16	16·1	8·81	11·17	2·02	46·79	33·90	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...	
0·55	0·10	2·11	0·84	0·17	0·33	0·30	0·40	0·10	...	0·16	25	17·6	10·42	12·10	2·11	40·66	41·00	Bagerhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17·2	18·95	11·53	...	...	47·04	Khulna.		
0·67	0·50	2·50	0·12	...	0·25	2·10	0·20	0·07	0·08	0·18	21	16·0	19·01	15·10	3·76	56·76	47·39	Kaliganj.		
1·16	0·57	2·75	..	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	1·50	18	14·9	16·07	11·35	2·42	42·39	37·35	Nakipur.		
0·11	0·22	1·13	0·07	0·03	1·31	0·07	0·10	0·11	0·49	0·60	21	17·1	11·72	13·85	1·30	39·93	41·81	Dumuria.		
0·60	0·12	2·02	0·31	0·10	0·31	0·11	...	...	0·18	...	26	18·2	12·18	13·11	3·05	48·40	40·10	Rampal.		
0·17	...	0·84	0·72	0·70	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	17	18·0	17·44	11·46	4·45	43·13	35·37	Kalaroa.		
0·42	0·92	1·35	0·21	0·16	0·24	0·05	0·30	...	...	...	20	17·2	14·92	13·24	3·24	50·29	40·66	Paikgachha.		
0·04	0·13	1·68	0·44	...	...	3·58	0·07	...	...	0·06	11	17·2	17·49	16·36	3·58	50·64	47·28	Mollahat.		
1·35	0·65	1·21	1·54	0·30	0·21	0·61	0·54	...	...	0·36	26	19·8	16·66	14·22	1·54	68·90	46·72	Morelganj.		
0·20	0·40	1·15	0·25	...	0·35	...	0·08	...	0·04	0·06	17	17·0	9·32	11·11	1·98	41·81	38·62	Tala.		
1·09	0·30	0·24	0·19	0·30	0·12	0·10	0·20	0·16	1·80	...	27	14·3	13·20	10·90	1·80	32·13	32·60	Kalna ..	Burdwan	BURDWAN.
1·31	1·15	0·46	0·61	1·50	0·95	...	0·11	...	0·01	0·74	32	16·0	18·38	11·32	1·53	30·09	33·37	Burdwan.		
0·79	0·56	0·97	0·96	1·87	2·17	0·48	...	...	1·33	1·47	23	15·0	23·19	10·89	2·17	43·81	32·06	Katwa.		
0·87	0·01	0·75	0·64	1·48	0·88	0·02	..	...	0·24	1·04	18	16·0	13·54	12·01	2·64	29·51	34·94	Asansol.		
3·85	0·26	0·41	2·85	...	1·50	0·85	...	...	0·22	0·16	20	14·0	16·89	11·74	3·85	29·57	32·99	Mankar.		
...	0·30	0·75	0·60	0·40	0·20	...	...	0·30	...	1·60	22	(n)	16·75	9·84	1·40	38·15	33·43	Mangalkot.		
1·05	1·80	0·36	...	0·40	...	...	...	0·12	...	0·17	19	(n)	13·07	(n)	3·20	40·04	(n)	Royna.		
1·20	1·70	2·50	4·00	5·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	(n)	36·29	(n)	5·86	74·39	(n)	Monteswar.		
1·15	0·40	0·55	1·10	2·05	1·15	0·05	0·05	0·20	2·15	...	22	17·4	16·72	13·84	2·15	39·80	38·34	Suri ...	Birbhum ...	
1·94	...	1·06	1·21	0·96	0·87	...	0·47	...	...	...	18	16·6	17·47	13·20	2·14	40·42	35·11	Hetampur.		
2·70	1·10	0·80	2·40	1·10	1·10	0·20	...	...	...	0·30	22	15·6	27·60	11·73	4·70	44·96	38·77	Rampur Hat.		
2·00	1·74	0·05	3·20	0·97	0·40	...	0·15	0·30	0·05	0·75	21	15·1	22·33	10·88	3·20	53·34	31·42	Bolpur.		
0·55	2·05	1·45	5·10	1·20	0·20	0·15	...	...	...	...	22	15·0	21·80	11·50	5·10	43·64	30·12	Murarai.		
1·09	1·12	0·05	4·05	1·48	1·49	0·07	0·12	0·01	2·28	...	24	16·4	25·82	11·37	4·05	51·81	32·81	Labpur.		
1·48	0·35	0·67	0·02	0·19	0·04	0·52	0·67	...	...	0·18	20	15·6	14·54	11·85	2·50	38·58	44·35	Bankura ...	Bankura...	
0·28	0·28	0·26	0·90	0·24	1·67	0·68	0·24	...	0·10	0·47	25	15·5	15·07	12·41	2·50	34·63	34·10	Vishnupur.		
0·82	0·18	0·41	1·43	0·46	0·03	0·14	...	...	0·15	...	23	15·7	8·69	10·53	1·65	37·51	32·51	Mallara.		
1·17	0·05	0·30	0·20	0·12	0·50	0·47	0·04	0·31	0·01	0·01	16	16·1	7·77	11·08	1·60	25·30	34·45	Khatra.		
0·36	0·32	1·42	0·82	1·20	0·21	...	0·02	...	2·02	0·25	24	15·0	19·28	9·72	2·33	46·71	30·19	Indas.		
0·07	0·12	1·61	0·14	...	0·64	0·17	0·52	...	0·08	0·20	22	12·3	12·66	11·66	2·68	37·39	34·47	Kotalpur.		
0·93	0·70	0·15	0·92	0·31	0·90	0·92	1·04	...	0·02	0·50	24	13·7	15·24	9·78	2·80	28·68	27·78	Onda.		
1·61	0·53	1·36	0·40	0·24	0·10	0·18	0·16	...	...	...	19	14·5	11·60	10·83	1·61	36·09	32·86	Gangajalghati.		
0·18	0·30	1·45	0·52	0·10	1·25	...	0·85	0·62	...	...	20	15·7	11·44	12·10	1·45	34·59	34·71	Raipur.		
1·27	0·94	1·47	0·75	1·02	0·62	0·28	...	...	0·15	0·06	21	14·0	14·43	10·74	1·47	34·18	32·29	Sonamukhi.		
...	0·31	0·64	0·23	0·70	0·15	1·22	0·07	...	...	...	20	(n)	10·69	(n)	1·32	27·14	(n)	Taldangra.		
...	0·56	0·30	0·18	...	0·24	...	1·92	0·25	...	...	16	(n)	10·08	(n)	1·92	30·25	(n)	Saranga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(n)	...	(n)	...	...	(n)	Indpur.		
0·71	0·05	0·76	0·16	0·04	...	0·06	0·75	0·24	...	0·50	19	(n)	11·01	(n)	1·92	...	(n)	Arhia.		
0·18	0·18	0·26	0·96	0·60	0·31	0·62	...	...	0·27	0·18	20	(n)	8·59	(n)	1·30	...	(n)	Barjora.		
...	1·96	0·50	0·67	0·16	0·76	0·87	1·19	0·04	0·32	...	18	(n)	9·64	(n)	1·19	...	(n)	Simlapal.		
0·64	0·32	0·55	0·82	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	16	(n)	12·31	(n)	2·01	...	(n)	Mejia.		
0·15	0·15	0·76	0·02	...	...	...	0·50	0·25	...	...	14	16·4	11·23	12·42	1·43	29·92	35·04	Contai. ...	Midnapore	
0·08	...	0·96	...	...	...	...	...	0·57	...	...	13	14·3	10·12	12·70	2·40	33·61	30·25	Tamluk.		
0·33	0·10	1·92	0·08	...	0·12	0·12	0·09	1·17	...	0·06	18	16·6	10·69	11·84	1·92	40·38	34·49	Midnapore.		
...	0·32	1·12	0·08	...	...	0·45	0·81	...	0·32	0·74	24	16·5	14·14	13·60	2·20	30·10	34·96	Ghatal.		
0·01	0·05	0·54	...	...	0·28	...	0·26	0·14	...	0·04	15	16·4	7·58	11·81	1·00	28·90	38·84	Kukrahati.		
...	1·03	0·70	0·32	...	0·05	0·66	0·05	...	...	...	16	15·9	12·25	12·87	2·65	28·61	39·11	Amlagora.		
0·20	...	0·50	0·10	...	0·20	1·37	0·16	0·28	...	...	22	15·2	9·72	11·44	1·33	28·49	33·35	Panskura.		
...	0·55	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	15	15·7	15·15	11·18	2·75	29·31	33·36	Dantan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(n)	...	12·23	...	...	38·72	Chandrakona.		
...	...	0·23	...	...	0·22	...	0·34	...	...	...	13	(n)	8·68	10·86	2·10	31·11	36·57	Pachet.		
0·06	...	0·41	0·11	...	...	...	0·14	0·85	0·04	...	19	(n)	12·35	11·20	2·34	37·63	37·47	Bhagwanpur.		
...	0·80	...	...	...	0·80	0·77	...	...	...	...	12	(n)	9·26	10·36	2·23	25·02	32·04	Kultikri.		
1·50	1·20	1·60	...	...	0·50	0·40	0·06	1·32	...	0·40	18	(n)	14·90	(n)	5·00	...	(n)	Nayabasan.		
0·62	0·92	0·22	...	1·44	1·40	...	1·16	...	0·51	...	16	(n)	11·70	10·86	1·55	...	29·74	Silda (Belpahari).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(n)	...	(n)	...	...	(n)	Chandri.		
1·15	1·50	1·70	...	...	0·35	1·81	0·02	...	...	...	15	(n)	11·44	9·73	1·81	...	31·56	Goaltore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(n)	...	7·12	...	...	27·79	Salboni.		
0·19	0·20	0·49	0·09	...	0·20	0·21	0·35	0·73	0·43	0·61	27	(n)	13·59	10·37	2·45	35·78	37·45	Narayangarh.		
...	...	0·81	...	...	...	...	0·41	...	0·45	...	12	(n)	10·06	9·84	2·20	...	32·46	Ramnagar.		
...	0·22	0·02	...	...	0·46	1·55	0·32	...	...	0·90	18	(n)	12·89	9·24	2·00	24·06	33·31	Mohanpur.		
0·05	0·10	0·45	0·40	0·10	...	...	0·46	...	...	0·10	18	(n)	8·62	11·76	1·45	26·52	36·25	Henria.		
0·06	0·17	0·70	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·09	0·12	0·01	18	(n)	11·52	11·68	1·73	31·66	38·72	Jenka (*Khajri*).		
0·08	0·06	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	0·41	...	18	(n)	6·85	9·90	1·20	28·63	34·85	Nandigram.		
...	0·45	0·01	...	0·38	0·09	0·20	0·46	0·04	...	0·23	20	(n)	9·46	10·21	1·26	29·78	31·86	Moyna.		
0·18	0·40	0·06	...	0·69	0·25	1·40	[illegible]	...	...	...	20	(n)	11·40	8·27	2·00	29·16	34·47	Pingla.		
0·04	...	3·47	0·05	...	1·36	2·32	0·22	0·87	0·03	1·59	10	(n)	14·59	13·36	3·78	29·77	42·90	Narajole.		

(n) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN.	Hooghly	Serampore ...	0·03	...	0·01	...	0·14	0·45	0·55	0·42	0·82	0·59	0·06	...	0·07	0·47	0·09	0·22	0·05	0·06	0·66	0·08
		Hooghly ...	0·48	...	0·30	...	0·10	2·85	1·00	1·30	0·90	0·90	0·26	...	...	0·20	0·05	0·25	0·08	0·02	0·70	...
		Arambagh ...	...	0·10	0·22	0·32	0·16	3·24	0·19	1·28	0·19	0·68	0·19	...	0·31	1·41	1·40	0·06	0·10	0·10	0·45	0·14
	Howrah	Howrah ...	0·49	...	0·22	...	...	0·17	...	0·52	1·52	1·27	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·23	0·09	0·22	0·30	...
		Mahesreka ...	0·16	0·33	0·14	0·07	0·19	0·06	0·07	0·09	2·38	0·42	...	...	0·32	1·18	1·23	0·30	0·27	0·41	0·46	0·32
		Ulubaria ...	0·11	...	0·90	0·16	...	0·30	0·09	...	2·84	1·04	...	...	0·35	0·52	0·50	0·21	.	0·26	...	0·20
		Amta ...	0·08	...	0·30	0·20	...	0·30	0·42	0·70	0·80	0·62	...	...	0·90	1·70	0·40	0·06	0·24	0·50	0·26	1·56
	Bonlia ...	Bonlia ...	0·03	...	...	0·51	...	0·09	1·20	0·04	2·05	1·54	0·28	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·05	0·07	0·15	0·30
		Natoh ...	...	...	...	0·68	...	1·48	...	0·48	2·54	0·41	...	1·59	0·34	...	0·05	0·08	...	0·42	...	0·96
		Nangaon ...	...	...	0·08	0·27	1·08	...	0·07	2·10	...	1·70	0·50	0·15	...	0·26	...	...	...	1·08	1·08	0·40
		Bilmaria ...	...	...	...	1·17	...	2·56	1·10	0·43	1·95	1·32	1·30	0·75	.	...	...	...	...	0·48	0·86	0·21
		Mauda ...	0·09	...	...	0·03	0·13	0·20	0·50	0·88	0·99	1·40	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·36	...	0·17	0·24	0·50
		Mahadebpur ...	...	...	0·70	1·10	1·18	1·02	1·60	1·40	1·04	0·67	...	0·31	...	0·10	0·12	...	...	0·20	0·52	0·70
		Tanor ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·25	0·50	1·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chaugram ...	...	...	0·30	0·35	0·30	0·50	0·25	0·50	3·00	0·20	0·15	3·88	0·40	0·20	0·02	0·10	...	0·70	0·15	0·07
	Dinajpur	Nilphur ...	...	...	...	0·50	0·65	0·50	0·50	0·80	0·35	0·75	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	0·50	0·95
		Nawabganj ...	...	0·63	0·34	...	0·78	0·42	1·37	...	0·67	1·34	0·53	1·27	0·76	...	0·17	...	...	...	0·42	0·17
		Gangarampur ...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·83	2·09	0·43	2·24	0·36	0·21	0·43	0·09	...	0·76	...	...	...	1·05	0·21
		Dhuramon ...	0·17	...	...	0·71	0·22	0·46	0·44	1·52	0·35	0·43	1·31	0·17	0·33	...	0·11	...	...	...	1·00	0·14
		Raiganj* ...																				
		Dinajpur ...	...	...	...	...	1·00	5·55	1·20	0·10	1·80	0·32	0·55	0·04	0·05	.	0·13	...	..	...	2·60	0·32
		Balurghat ...	...	...	0·45	0·58	1·20	...	0·75	1·11	...	0·95	0·45	0·52	0·14	0·04	...	...	...	0·53	1·38	...
		Thakurgaon ...	...	...	0·97	0·10	1·58	4·75	2·32	1·48	0·87	0·20	0·44	0·14	0·49	..	0·78	0·11	...	...	1·68	1·03
		Setabganj ...	...	...	...	...	1·65	2·60	3·82	0·76	1·02	0·25	0·60	.	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	3·45	...
		Ramganj ...	...	...	0·29	0·13	0·29	2·15	1·50	0·64	2·14	0·17	0·24	0·47	0·49	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	0·13
		Atwari ...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	~	...		0·10	...	0·17	...	...		2·75	...	
		Birganj ...	...	...	.	...	1·70	3·23	3·61	0·61	0·15	0·74	0·45	0·67	0·17	0·14	0·26	0·06	..	...	3·50	0·32
		Parbatipur ...	...	...	0·06	0·76	...	2·36	0·60	0·50	0·74	0·67	0·35	1·37	0·10	...	0·16	...	...	...	0·38	1·75
RAJSHAHI.	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri ...	0·89	2·16	2·04	0·18	0·30	0·44	1·76	0·58	0·06	0·80	0·86	0·45	1·38	...	0·06	0·40	...	...	3·40	1·14
		Alipur Duars ...	...	...	0·15	0·08	0·34	0·65	1·84	0·86	0·35	1·02	0·68	0·24	0·86	...	3·50	0·40	...	0·76	0·72	0·03
		Falakata ...	0·24	...	0·50	...	0·15	0·90	1·53	0·38	...	0·75	...	1·06	0·30	0·16	0·77	1·30	...	0·47	0·80	0·30
		Debiganj ...	...	...	0·24	...	1·47	1·60	2·86	0·11	0·55	1·45	0·48	2·86	0·05	0·22	0·19	...	...	1·42	0·71	0·09
		Bhagatpur (*Nagrakata*).	1·48	...	5·40	0·24	1·11	1·87	7·44	2·75	0·60	0·18	0·22	0·57	0·06	0·23	...	0·96	0·91	0·16	1·54	0·30
		Buxa ...	0·55	1·30	6·52	0·95	1·19	1·84	9·70	0·26	1·79	0·12	0·49	0·88	...	...	...	1·82	1·20	1·40	...	...
		Kajchini ...	4·08	4·88	0·66	0·61		0·41	2·48	0·07	0·17	0·48	0·57	0·07	0·21	...	1·02	2·86	...	0·24	0·22	
		Kumargram ...	...	0·83	...	0·14	1·95	1·23	7·18	0·16	0·32	1·88	0·82	3·95	...	...	4·42	0·34	0·91	...	0·99	0·83
	Darjeeling	Siliguri ...	...	0·06	4·00	3·00	0·40	1·71	3·55	2·82	0·09	0·31	0·43	5·40	0·26	0·30	...	1·30	0·30	0·30	0·45	0·45
		Darjeeling ...	0·23	...	0·49	0·37	0·85	3·80	5·75	1·24	2·87	2·45	0·90	0·87	1·65	0·80	..	1·66	...	0·82	0·43	0·77
		Kalimpong ...	0·15	...	2·28	0·08	0·50	1·12	6·50	0·05	0·84	0·65	0·14	...	0·37	0·17	0·03	0·53	0·13	0·27	0·30	0·08
		Mongpoo ...	0·04	...	1·66	0·33	0·62	2·14	9·32	2·40	1·05	1·33	0·67	0·45	0·67	1·26	..	1·36	0·02	0·04	1·35	0·78
		Kurseong ...	0·60	...	3·62	0·10	0·95	2·44	13·19	1·23	2·48	1·94	0·90	1·23	1·96	0·24	...	1·75	0·04	...	1·96	0·34
		Pedong ...	0·40	0·41	2·92	0·06	0·86	1·26	5·51	0·62	2·12	1·28	1·11	0·26	0·84	0·17	0·08	0·13	0·06	0·39	0·65	0·87
	Rangpur	Bhawanigan) (*Gaibandha*).	...	...	0·06	1·85	0·10	1·45	0·21	1·61	0·20	1·26	0·69	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·84	1·95
		Rangpur ...	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·78	1·55	0·42	0·86	0·74	1·80	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·49	1·15
		Pirganj ...	..	2·26	...	0·20	1·53	0·11	...	1·28	5·34	0·78	0·20	...	..	...	...	...	...	0·42	0·53	0·72
		Kurigram ...	...	...	...	0·80	...	2·02	1·47	0·44	0·30	0·13	...	1·47	...	...	...	0·22	...	...	0·45	...
		Gobindganj ...	0·45	1·11	...	1·30	0·46	0·37	1·10	0·90	1·80	2·10	0·40	0·82	...	...	1·10	...	...	1·46	2·80	2·11
		Bagdogra (*Nilphamari.*)	...	...	...	0·20	0·03	1·53	1·04	2·05	0·28	0·09	0·61	...	0·09	0·28	...	...	...	...	1·62	0·62
		Ulipur ...	...	...	...	1·75	...	1·06	0·75	1·35	0·40	0·25	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·20	0·47
		Sundarganj ...	...	...	...	0·12	0·10	0·12	0·12	1·07	0·30	0·81	0·54	0·10	...	...	0·05	0·07	...	...	0·12	0·75
		Saidpur ...	...	...	...	0·78	4·42	0·80	0·64	...	0·77	0·54	0·21	...	...	1·85	...	...	...	...	1·84	...
	Bogra ...	Sherpur ...	...	...	...	0·18	1·55	0·40	0·45	0·09	0·82	2·09	0·17	0·33	0·02	0·06	0·06	0·15	0·06	0·19	0·35	1·18	0·51
		Nowkhilla ...	...	0·50	...	...	1·55	0·70	1·55	1·25	1·25	1·10	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	0·35	3·40	...
		Bogra ...	...	0·06	1·80	1·91	0·48	0·25	0·65	1·21	1·67	1·13	0·28	0·06	..	...	0·54	0·53	...	0·18	0·96	0·82
		Panchbibi ...	...	...	0·03	0·05	0·02	2·23	0·30	0·63	1·03	0·71	0·18	0·14	0·12	0·20	0·03	...	...		0·43	0·73
		Khetlal* ...																				
	Pabna ...	Shahzadpur ...	0·10	...	0·21	0·06	1·14	0·98	0·90	1·82	0·22	0·81	...	...	...	...	0·34	.	0·63	0·13	...	0·15
		Pabna ...	0·01	...	0·09	0·17	0·54	1·50	0·05	0·91	0·50	0·71	0·70	...	0·10	0·11	0·08	0·08	0·01	0·04	0·01	0·26
		Sirajganj ...	...	...	0·36	0·14	0·60	1·24	0·68	0·31	3·06	0·12	0·34	...	..	0·08	0·08	0·06	.	0·74	0·11	0·11
		Sara ...	...	...	0·09	0·65	...	2·09	0·21	0·19	0·92	0·80	0·24	0·40	0·05	...	...	...	0·09	...	0·04	...
	Malda	Malda ...	...	...	...	0·40	1·20	1·53	1·58	1·08	0·49	1·36	0·94	0·04	0·18	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·08	2·66
		Chanchal ...	...	...	...	0·49	...	0·65	0·47	1·21	0·31	1·21	1·16	0·27	0·06	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·78	0·08
		Gazol ...	0·22	...	...	0·22	0·45	0·53	1·05	1·55	0·44	4·60	1·08	0·46	...	0·09	0·11	...	.	0·45	0·30	0·80
		Sibganj ...	0·69	...	0·40	...	0·42	1·40	0·50	0·20	...	1·39	...	...	2·46	0·35	0·34	...	...	...	0·20	1·55
		Gomastapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	1·37	...	...	0·60	0·90	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·40
		Nawabganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·40	...	2·10	...	...	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DACCA.	Dacca ...	Munshiganj ...	0·08	0·12	...	1·39	3·34	1·58	0·42	0·98	0·73	0·28	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	0·09	..	0·14
		Dacca ...	0·05	0·06	0·24	0·02	0·90	6·23	0·87	1·37	1·54	0·10	0·90	0·20	0 07	0 02	0·11	0·25	...	0·32	0·02	0·01
		Nawabganj ...	...	...	0·09	...	4·50	4·25	1·25	1·35	2·33	0·48	0·90	...	...	...	1·85	...	...	0·28	0·17	0·11
		Narayanganj ...	0·16	0·06	1·47	0·19	1·43	4·72	0·14	1·95	1·41	0·38	0·09	...	0·18	0·03	0·05	0·05	...	0·20	0·03	0·18
		Narsingdi ...	...	0·03	0·12	0·15	4·98	0·76	0·24	1·48	0·52	0·30	...	...	...	0·13	1·04	0·29	...	0·04	0·06	0·23
		Manikganj ...	0·01	0·01	0 08	0·90	0 59	2·34	2 21	0·82	1 61	0·21	1·07	...	...	...	0·07	0·08	0·03	0·45	...	0·09
		Joydebpur ...	0·10	...	0·19	0·11	2·56	1·43	0·36	0·29	1·52	0·20	0·15	...	...	0·20	0·36	0·20	...	0·14	...	0·09
		Kapasia ...	...	...	0·10	0·01	2·20	1·60	0·10	0·05	1·80	0·40	0·50	...	...	0 35	0·10	...	...	...	1·20	0·04
	Mymensingh	Kishoreganj ...	...	0·30	0·54	1·32	0·18	0·58	0·36	2·34	0·81	0·22	..	...	...	...	1·57	1·44	1·36	0·42	...	1·08
		Atia (*Tangail*).	0·09	...	0·18	0 03	0·14	2·40	0·22	0·31	0·42	0·06	0·15	...	...	...	0·03	0·05	0 05	0·40	...	...
		Sariabari ...	...	0·45	1·02	0·80	2·65	6·25	1·00	0·45	1·77	0·33	0·05	...	0·10	0·35	0·60	0 05	...	...	0·50	0·45
		Mymensingh ...	0.01	0·08	0·65	0·62	2·70	0·7a	0·27	0·61	0·80	0·40	0·09	0·03	0·08	...	2·75	0·71	...	0·72	1·90	0·38
		Jamalpur ...	0·05	0·01	..	1·30	0·96	0·90	1· 4	0·27	0·95	0·18	.	...	0·24	.	1 05	0·10	...	1·07	0·50	0·20
		Netrakona ...	0·08	0·18	1 45	0·54	1 68	1·08	0·28	1·05	0·40	0·52	0·48	3·80	0·13	0·05	3·92	1·48	0·02	0·78	3·10	0·65
		Pingna ...	...	...	...	...	2·32	2 35	0 45	1 13	1·45	0·35	1·25	...	...	0·45	0·25	0·25	1·15	0·45	1·15	...
		Durgapur ...	0·30	2·40	3·20	2·60	1·20	1·40	3·20	1·90	2 05	0·90	0·40	0·40	...	3·60	0·55	...	0·75	3·75	3·25	1·50
		Sherpur* (*Town*)																				
		Dewanganj ...	...	...	0·54	0·60	3·60	1·20	0·55	1·05	1·70	0·08	0·07	0·02	..	...	1·12	...	0·14	0·24	0·62	1·10
		Nalitabari ...	...		...	0·08	0·61	1·21	0·48	3·11	1·19	0·31	0·32	...	...	...	1·53	0·69	...	1·40	1·09	0·81

* Return not received.

† The Rain gauge was under water from 25th to 29th due to high flood.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1918—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 31st August 1918.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 31st Aug. 1918.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.
0·02	0·63	0·11	0·64	...	0·58	0·37	0·12	0·08	...	0·27	16	17·1	7·12	11·30	0·66	23·37	34·02	Serampore ...	Hooghly	BURDWAN.
0·45	..	0·15	0·65	0·02	0·50	0·30	0·43	0·20	0·40	0·16	21	16·1	12·46	10·52	2·85	37·22	31·34	Hooghly.		
0·17	0·10	0·24	...	...	0·63	0·05	...	...	0·08	...	21	16·1	12·42	12·88	3·24	40·65	34·82	Arambagh.		
0·30	0 09	0·47	0·13	0·37	0·48	0·21	0·24	...	.	0·22	18	17·4	7·68	11·22	1·52	30·28	34·56	Howrah	Howrah	
0·10	0·19	0·07	...	...	0·09	1·17	0·11	...	...	0·23	19	16·6	10·17	12·56	2·38	44·17	37·25	Moheshrekha		
1·15	...	0·44	0·07	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	1·20	16	16·6	10·79	10·81	2·84	32·02	34·08	Uluberia.		
0·70	0·12	...	0·60	...	1·50	0·10	...	...	...	..	19	16·3	12·28	10·58	1·70	41·06	35·22	Amta.		
1·12	0·85	0·59	1·63	3·04	8·13	0·74	0·17	...	...	...	15	14·1	23·10	10·48	8·13	47·35	31·81	Boalia	Rajshahi	RAJSHAHI.
0·10	1·04	1·92	7·54	4·65	1·02	0·05	...	...	...	0·10	16	16·2	24·60	11·35	7·34	52·32	34·91	Natore.		
1·20	4·67	0·93	4·55	3·23	8·93	...	...	2·13	...	...	18	14·7	36·80	9·99	8·93	65·02	34·25	Naugaon.		
0·65	0·62	2·15	6·80	6·88	0·45	..	..	0·10	...	0·08	18	15·2	29·76	10·43	6·88	48·86	31·67	Bilmaria.		
1·15	1·06	0·96	1·02	1·33	8·76	0·08	...	...	0·61	0·07	18	18·1	21·17	10·27	8·76	42·94	33·21	Manda.		
3·41	1·70	0·65	1·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	14·6	18·25	11·75	3·41	41·84	35·51	Mahadebpur		
...	4·25	1·06	0·98	2·05	7·27	0·97	..	...	0·18	...	11	15·1	19·61	8·74	7·27	39·50	30·26	Tanore.		
0·80	0·20	0 35	8·42	6 60	2·50	0·10	...	...	...	...	22	(n)	30·44	(n)	8·42	...	(n)	Chaugram.		
2·60	0·30	1·90	1·75	4·80	1·35	...	...	0·50	...	0·30	17	14·0	18·90	10·53	4·80	44·60	34·02	Nithpur ...	Dinajpur	
0·35	0·58	0·66	3·75	4 93	5·88	0·27	0·42	...	...	...	21	18·9	26·34	12·04	5·76	...	46·21	Nawabganj		
0·85	0·48	0·81	8·79	2·27	13·56	3·03	..	...	...	...	18	15·4	37·14	13·56	13·56	72·35	42·26	Gangarampur.		
0·15	0·27	1·21	2·37	5·00	6·80	0·96	...	...	0·27	0·20	23	14·9	25·39	12·90	6·80	56·72	38·06	Chintamon.		
												16 0		12·86			41·66	Raiganj.		
0·70	0·31	0·73	2·85	7·00	7·80	0·71	0·17	...	1·19	0·21	20	15·6	35·35	12·25	7·80	80·82	41·91	Dinajpur.		
1·60	1·68	1·83	4·03	2·90	15·30	2·50	...	...	...	...	18	15·3	37·93	11·73	15 30	70·06	36·93	Balurghat.		
0·01	0 33	0·25	4·05	6·97	6·08	0·46	...	0·27	1·85	...	22	15·2	37·37	16·95	8·97	77·13	53 51	Thakurgaon.		
...	...	1·50	6·50	6·15	7·20	..	...	0·40	0·65	...	15	14·9	37·94	14·94	7·20	73·57	44·98	Setabganj.		
0·28	0·06	0·09	3·65	8·53	8·00	0·85	...	...	0·31	...	19	16·7	36·78	15·84	8·53	67 81	47·68	Ramganj.		
...	...	0·43	2·35	3·31	3·11	...	0·23	...	...	...	8	18·7	12·45	22·28	3·31	...	68·95	Atwari.		
0·11	...	0·41	4·11	6·21	7·05	0·57	...	0·28	0·36	0·07	21	15·0	34·78	15·52	7·05	76·30	46·66	Birganj.		
0·15	0·20	0·15	5·80	4·55	6·60	2·20	...	...	0·22	...	19	15 4	29·49	14·35	6·60	77·51	43·74	Parbatipur.		
0·27	0·44	0·03	1·08	4·60	3·86	0·77	...	0·12	...	...	22	20·0	27·86	25·00	4·60	101·91	79·78	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri	
0·29	0·15	0 03	2·30	2·46	1·72	...	..	...	1·20	...	20	17·5	20·40	26·24	3·50	110·90	88·11	Alipur Duars.		
0·20	0·18	0·25	1·50	2·60	2·52	...	...	...	0·22	...	22	17·8	16·06	22·63	2·60	74·65	72·74	Falakata.		
...	0·47	2·67	5·40	5·75	0·76	...	...	2·26	...	...	19	16·0	30·59	15·94	3·75	89·67	54·06	Debiganj.		
0·27	0·06	0·21	0·93	1·06	1·30	0·15	...	4·49	...	...	28	22·8	34·26	32·67	7·44	98·98	95·96	Bhagatpur (*Nagrakota.*)		
0·91	.	...	1·06	1·50	0·85	...	...	...	1·26	...	20	23·7	35·39	45·19	9·70	139·88	133 70	Buxa.		
0·68	...	...	0·56	1·49	0·97	...	...	..	0·21	...	19	21·0	32·65	33·44	4·88	102·54	94·40	Kalchini.		
0·51	0·12	0·83	1·15	2·05	1·12	...	...	...	..	...	21	(n)	31·73	30·30	7·18	112·73	101·76	Kumargram		
0·80	0·20	0·30	1·10	3·10	1·75	0·30	..	0·30	0·60	...	25	21 5	32·40	27·33	5·40	102·08	84·73	Siliguri	Darjeeling	
0·81	1·04	1·51	4·14	1·32	1·66	0·29	0·06	0·22	0·29	...	26	24 4	36·98	25·70	5·75	91·96	81·44	Darjeeling.		
0·04	0·82	0·37	2·21	0·98	1·42	0·22	0·11	0·11	0·02	0·07	22	20·3	20·34	19·37	6·50	63·09	60·61	Kalimpong.		
0·18	0·73	0·65	2·50	1 38	1·52	0·21	...	0·74	0·08	...	24	23·0	33·86	27·04	9·82	94 42	82·88	Mongpoo.		
0·53	1·11	0·47	3·18	1·12	2·84	0·12	...	2·05	1·10	1·78	26	26·2	49·52	35·81	13·19	119·81	111·08	Kurseong.		
0·79	1·52	0·36	2·77	1·30	1·22	0·28	0·01	0·55	0·38	0·13	27	26 8	28·38	32·53	5·51	78·64	65·59	Pedong.		
0·52	1·31	0·70	3·80	4·61	2·80	..	...	0·40	...	0·05	17	13·5	23·96	12·02	4·61	64·68	40·30	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibandha.*)	Rangpur	
0·15	1·16	0·66	4·30	5·85	6·90	0·05	...	...	0·57	...	16	14 1	27·88	13·11	6·90	62·81	46·75	Rangpur.		
2·34	0·28	3·00	6·34	3 44	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	15 0	31·74	13·60	6·34	95·92	43 29	Pirganj.		
0·05	0·25	1·01	4·24	5·45	2·00	...	...	1·15	0·16	...	16	12·8	21·81	12·11	5·45	71·87	49·50	Kurigram		
2·06	1·11	2·06	6·10	5·30	2·32	0·10	...	0·45	0·11	...	24	13·9	28·39	12·95	6·10	84·90	39·75	Gobindganj.		
0·43	0 88	1·43	3·84	4·80	6·59	0·28	...	...	1·31	...	17	15·9	27·.5	15·56	6·59	75·61	52·38	Bagdogra (*Nilphamari.*)		
0·05	0·07	0·38	3·25	6·15	2·64	...	...	0·04	0·31	...	14	13·0		12·86	24·81	75·30	44·07	Ulipur.		
0·06	0·04	0·41	3·56	4·83	3·70	...	...	0·10	0·03	...	16	11·9	17·89	12·90	4·83	67·29	42·59	Sunderganj.		
...	1·85	4·82	7·09	8·99	0·35	...	0·69	...	...	...	16	14·2	37·27	14·35	8·99	92·55	44·65	Saidpur.		
1·31	2 05	1·86	6·65	5·45	0·55	...	...	...	0·11	0·08	20	15 4	26·39	11·91	6·65	57·70	36·01	Sherpur ...	Bogra ...	
0·10	0·22	0 20	10·85	6·50	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·12	17	14·6	30·99	11·85	10·85	68·55	37·89	Nowkhilla.		
1·07	3·51	1·68	5·08	8·04	1·35	0·04	0·01	0·13	0·01	0·01	21	16·4	33·01	12·63	8·04	65·19	39·84	Bogra.		
1·09	2·18	2·50	4·00	5·08	5·35	0·67	...	0·62	...	...	19	13·9	26·69	11·88	5·35	61·09	36·06	Panchbibi.		
												(n)		(n)			(n)	Khetlal		
...	0·65	2·50	0·36	...	.	...	...	...	1·17	...	16	(n)	11·64	11·89	2·50	34·55	33·30	Shahzadpur ...	Pabna	
0·09	0·37	0·07	3·06	0·95	0·07	...	0·35	...	0·82	0·18	16	14·5	11·74	10·30	3·06	30·22	32·57	Pabna.		
0·45	1·23	1·15	5·95	2·54	0·19	...	...	...	...	1·03	18	15·0	20·79	11·31	5·95	48·35	34·95	Sirajganj.		
0·20	0·36	0 43	6·05	2·45	0·12	...	...	...	1·11	...	15	(n)	15·43	10·31	6·05	28·91	33·68	Sara.		
0·24	3·14	0·04	5·14	4·82	7·40	7·10	...	...	0·69	...	18	14·5	34·56	10·64	7·40	[illegible]	31·69	Malda ...	Malda	
0·25	0·50	0 40	2·50	5·83	7·22	1 25	...	...	1·56	..	17	15·1	25·95	12·56	7·22	48·80	37 96	Chanchal.		
0·38	3·65	0·70	4·75	6·00	6·25	1·60	...	0·20	1·50	0·42	24	14·5	37·90	12·45	6·25	67·73	35·09	Gazol.		
0·19	0·28	0·04	2·50	2·65	2·50	...	...	...	...	..	17	15·0	17·89	10·15	2·65	[illegible]	31·08	Sibganj.		
1·06	...	...	3·84	1·60	4 15	1·18	...	0·90	...	...	11	16·0	18·20	10·26	4·15		31·96	Gomastapur.		
...	3·10	...	5·44	...	..	...	3·40	4·60	...	...	7	15·3	21·93	10·75	5·44	50·35	32·52	Nawabganj.		
0·12	0·41	0 85	0·62	0·59	0·22	..	...	0·10	4·32	1·86	18	16·1	18·28	13·72	4·32	64·40	41·81	Munshiganj ...	Dacca ...	DACCA.
0 17	0·01	0·62	0·70	2·64	0·08	0·01	0·80	1·10	1·48	0·92	19	17·4	16·67	12·92	6·28	46·68	30·49	Dacca.		
0·28	0·43	1·08	6·20	3·47	1·12	0·07	...	0·47	0·31	0·52	20	(n)	21·30	11·21	6·20	68·73	41·11	Nawabganj.		
0 02	0·15	1·08	0·10	1·58	0·47	...	0·16	0·05	2·91	1·78	19	17·3	20·84	12·27	4·72	59·72	40·96	Narayanganj.		
0·60	0·56	0·08	0·46	1·72	...	0·13	0·17	0·05	1·27	0·78	20	(n)	16·17	11·64	4·96	50·15	38·86	Narsingdi.		
0·01	0·49	1·05	2·87	0·87	0·38	...	0·60	1·29	0·34	1·07	18	15·6	10·31	11·36	2·87	47·28	34·60	Manikganj.		
0·71	0·24	0 86	1·28	1·21	0·43	...	1·45	0·86	0·11	0·85	24	17·3	15·68	14·00	2·55	58·14	41·23	Joydebpur.		
0·80	0·05	0·05	1·80	0·80	0·22	...	0·80	0·20	0·15	0·10	18	(n)	13·55	12·85	2·20	48·50	42·22	Kapasia.		
1·17	1·35	0·09	0·37	8·40	0·90	...	1·30	0·15	...	...	21	17·0	23·25	14·89	5·40	78·31	47·44	Kishoreganj ...	Mymensingh.	
0·60	0·06	0·85	4·70	0·56	0·40	...	...	0·18	0·07	...	14	14·5	12·48	11·07	4·70	39·52	34·32	Atia (*Tangail*)		
1·00	1·05	0·00	2·40	3 50	0·10	...	0·05	..	0·25	1·90	22	(n)	28·27	13·65	6·35	58 38	41·35	Saishabari.		
0·29	0·53	0·37	1·38	2·32	0·70	...	...	0·17	0·80	0·10	22	19·5	21·06	15·36	3·32	68·97	50·58	Mymensingh.		
0·82	2·18	1·72	2·68	4·07	2·18	...	...	...	...	0·27	20	16·6	22·90	13·70	4·07	59·07	42·72	Jamalpur.		
0·64	0·32	0·60	0·47	2·65	3 47	...	0·50	0·50	0·26	0·65	27	21·3	31·65	20·75	3·92	68·56	54·32	Netrakona.		
0·45	1·35	2·25	4·45	2·35	1·35	0·45	1·25	1·25	2·45	1·25	24	15·7	32·04	18·49	4·45	63·72	35·66	Pingna.		
1·40	1·00	3·00	5·50	2·50	...	...	...	...	...	..	23	21·3	46·75	30 06	5·50	138·18	87·21	Durgapur.		
												17·1		16·65			49·92	Sherpur (*Town*)		
0·75	1·46	1·26	5·41	11·91	0·61	...	...	..	0·23	0·49	20	15·8	34·64	13·80	11·91	77·94	43·89	Dewanganj.		
1·03	1·76	1·52	4 56	2·05	2·18	...	...	...	...	...	18	19·2	25·36	20·07	4·56	83·30	61·96	Nalitabari.		

(n) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Dacca—concluded.	Faridpur...	Madaripur ...	0·14	0·32	0·38	0·05	1·18	2·78	0·27	0·61	0·55	0·85	0·16	...	...	...	0·08	0·32	0·18	0·22	...	0·85
		Faridpur ...	0·07	...	0·04	0·02	0·98	1·40	1·19	0·95	2·13	0·85	0·47	...	0·47	...	...	0·03	0·04	0·37	0·16	0·63
		Rajbari ... (Goalando).	0·04	0·07	...	...	1·20	0·63	0·27	0·49	1·84	0·22	0·09	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·03	0·06	0·05	0·06
		Haridaspur ...	0·06	0·01	...	...	...	1·20	0·68	0·45	1·84	0·24	0·74	...	0·25	0·02	0·02	0·12	0·06	0·09	...	0·12
		Taidirhat ...	0·07	0·17	0·29	0·02	0·40	1·57	1·62	0·70	1·72	0·06	0·80	...	..	0·02	0·04	0·22	0·01	0·07	0·02	0·02
		Bhanga ...	..	...	...	0·10	1·25	1·80	0·35	0·32	1·15	0·30	0·25	...	0·17	...	...	0·22	0·23	0·15	0·07	0·40
		Pangsa ...	...	...	...	0·07	0·17	2·07	0·47	0·11	0·87	0·85	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23
		Balukandi ...	...	0·45	0·25	...	1·81	0·36	0·09	0·78	1·81	0·62	0·11	...	...	0·07	0·06	0·74	0·04	0·09	1·01	0·25
		Bhusna ...	0·14	0·32	0·25	...	0·23	0·74	0·27	...	1·49	0·44	0·59	...	0·92	...	...	0·17	...	...	...	...
		Palong ...	0·10	..	...	0·55	2·00	1·34	0·94	1·05	1·74	0·13	0·22	...	...	...	0·20	0·20	..	0·34	...	3·78
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali ...	0·10	0·61	0·90	0·63	4·70	1·45	1·90	0·25	2·97	0·31	0·73	...	...	...	1·54	0·76	0·26	0·28	0·96	1·96
		Barguna ...		0·25	0·28	3·10	3·50	1·52	0·25	2·55	0·37	0·33	...	...	...	0·21	0·75	0·30	0·29	0·89	0·81	2·42
		Pirozpur ...	0·33	...	0·04	0·15	0·24	0·51	0·22	0·08	1·14	0·68	0·14	...	0·03	0·17	0·48	0·19	0·11	0·04	1·28	0·08
		Barisal ...	0·11	0·37	0·74	1·61	0·12	4·70	1·25	0·01	2·02	0·50	...	...	0·25	...	0·61	0·48	0·11	0·16	0·16	0·64
		Gaurnadi ...	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·45	1·05	0·35	3·45	0·22	...	...	0·08	...	0·24	0·12	0·08	0·58	...	0·10
		Bhola ...	0·12	...	0·16	0·40	1·25	0·84	0·52		2·45	1·03	...	...	0·08	...	1·04	1·27	0·06	1·23	0·58	1·82
		Daulatkhan ...	0·10	0·15	0·50	0·87	5·45	0·62	4·53	0·42	5·07	0·37	...	...	.	...	1·30	0·58	...	1·64	0·62	1·07
		Bauphal ...	0·30	0·93	0·63	4·27	1·26	1·81	0·32	4·18	3·18	...	0·11	0·17	0·07	0·81	0·27	0·51	0·13	0·14	3·51	1·09
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar ...	0·05	0·40	0·45	1·22	4·65	3·40	0·91	6·48	3·70	1·61	0·65	1·12	0·27	...	0·28	0·49	...	0·08	1·04	1·31
		Chittagong ...	0·08	...	0·23	3·84	2·42	4·81	3·20	3·06	2·87	0·36	1·96	0·11	...	0·03	0·02	...	...	...	...	...
		Kutubdia ...	...	...	0·38	1·70	2·56	2·73	1·55	1·99	3·34	0·85	0·11	0·30	0·02	0·15	0·07	...	...	...	0·10	0·68
		Satkania ...	...	0·45	1·59	1·00	1·25	2·21	5·60	4·72	1·57	0·62	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	0·45	1·22
		Kodala ...	0·26	...	0·94	1·42	1·13	1·68	2·79	4·20	0·48	0·31	0·56	0·09	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·32
		Mirsarai ...	0·09	0·15	1·55	4·50	3·40	2·30	1·70	4·80	1·00	0·50	...	..	..	0·10	...	...	0·10	...	0·20	1·50
	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	...	...	0·25	1·80	0·38	0·45	0·65	0·61	1·25	0·35	...	...	...	...	0·39	...	...	...	...	0·93
		Chandpur ...	...	...	0·31	0·15	0·10	3·11	0·70	0·38	1·00	0·17	0·09	0·10	0·37	0·05	0·19	..	...	0·04	0·51	0·33
		Brahmanbaria	0·26	...	0·26	0·09	...	0·08	0·48	1·90	1·35	0·62	...	...	...	0·19	0·14	0·37	..	...	0·25	0·16
		Ramchandrapur	...	...	0·32	0·30	2·50	1·50	1·80	3·10	0·60	..	...	0·10	...	...	0·70	...	...	0·25	0·75	...
		Nasirnagar ...	...	...	...	...	0·28	0·46	1·37	1·85	0·60	...	0·45	...	0·28	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daudkandi ...	...	...	0·26	...	2·40	...	1·18	1·04	1·08	1·55	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·08	0·13	0·15	...	...
		Kasba ...	0·15	...	...	...	0·08	0·25	1·15	1·26	1·22	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85
		Laksam ...	...	...	1·12	..	0·70	1·80	0·98	0·80	1·18	0·41	0·05	...	0·28	...	0·01	...	...	0·25	...	0·80
	Noakhali...	Noakhali ...	...	0·06	0·06	3·34	3·02	2·80	1·70	0·18	1·40	0·30	0·05	0·04	0·46	...	1·08	..	...	0·10	0·32	1·07
		Feni ...	0·20	...	0·12	1·77	2·55	4·82	1·40	0·74	2·57	0·40	0·08	...	...	0·04	0·29	...	...	...	...	1·78
		Hatiya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj ...	...	1·00	1·10	0·14	3·60	...	...	0·45	0·90	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	2·25
		Chhagalnaiya	1·45	...	0·05	0·60	3·70	3·75	2·53	0·56	3·68	0·38	0·30	...	...	...	0·77	...	...	...	...	0·15
		Hatiya ...	...	...	0·14	1·81	3·70	3·20	3·85	1·19	2·07	0·55	0·75	...	0·48	...	...	0·42	0·22	1·57	0·75	0·41
		Lakhmipur ...	0·38	...	0·96	0·36	0·65	0·75	0·50	0·23	1·31	0·20	...	...	0·32	1·40	...	0·03	...	...	0·20	2·40
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	0·35	0·13	0·35	0·40	1·04	0·96	1·50	0·50	3·90	0·16	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·27	1·67
		Bandarban ...	0·60	0·07	0·08	0·54	0·59	0·94	1·36	3·82	6·57	1·03	0·22	0·23	0·35	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·46
		Barkal ...	...	0·04	0·29	0·10	0·32	0·17	1·00	3·80	4·10	0·27	0·35	0·50	...	0·05	.	...	...	...	0·12	0·24
		Mahalchari ...	...	0·27	0·74	0·93	2·38	2·26	2·07	4·51	1·10	0·28	1·16	0·06	..	...	...	...	0·18	0·09	0·10	0·03
		Lama ...	0·23	0·14	0·16	2·40	2·45	2·00	1·21	2·64	4·10	0·42	1·65	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	0·08	0·99	0·83
		Ramgarh ...	0·25	0·56	2·01	1·33	3·45	1·82	2·61	0·48	0·31	0·12	...	0·09	...	0·03	.	...	0 0,	0 13	0·02	0·20
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala ...	0·04	0·28	0·16	0·16	0·21	0·51	0·63	1·81	0·85	...	0·05	...	0·12	0·96	0·04	0·02	...	...	0·61	0·09
Cooch Behar.	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata ...	...	...	...	...	0 10	0·96	2·07	1·45	0·03	0·59	0·91	0·31	0·14	...	...	0·73	...	0·15	0·38	0·43
		Cooch Behar...	...	...	...	0·09	0·18	1·07	1·88	1 71	0·04	1·23	0·42	5·10	1·22	...	...	1·40	0·05	...	1·83	0·27
		Mekliganj ...	0·03	0·09	0·43	...	1·87	0·54	1·61	1·18	0·08	0·13	0·70	1·10	1·51	..	...	0 94	...	...	1 07	1·47
		Mathabhanga	...	...	0·23	0 06	0 44	0·61	2·14	2·25	0·04	0 68	0·26	0·80	2·13	...	0·12	0·96	...	...	1·51	0·25
		Fulbari ...	...	...	...	0·47	0·31	1 55	1 57	0·85	0·10	03·28	0·40	0·91	1·58	...	0·30	1·43	...	0·57	2 54	0 26

* Return not received.

DACCA,
The 25th September 1918.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1918—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 31st August 1918.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 31st August 1918.	Station	District.	Division.
0·25	0·05	0·48	0·09	0·12	0·25	0·09	...	0·43	0·07	0·85	20	16·5	10·26	11·33	2·78	44·69	37·07	Madaripur	Faridpur	Dacca—*concld.*
0·02	1·10	2·16	2·22	0·82	0·20	...	0·42	0·14	2·05	0·01	10	17·1	18·35	12·17	2·22	51·35	37·99	Faridpur.		
0·05	0·84	2·15	3·18	1·18	0·71	0·34	1·41	1·09	2·05	0·67	16	15·0	19·00	10·66	3·38	46·06	34·01	Rajbari (Goalundo).		
0·34	0·01	0·25	0·10	0·70	1·87	0·29	0·01	..	0·06	2·25	16	(a)	9·88	14·13	1·87	46·89	41·35	Haridaspur.		
0·06	0·04	0·70	0·09	1·17	0·02	0·03	0 03	0·02	0·30	0·17	13	(a)	10·38	15·09	1·73	43·34	45·38	Takirhat.		
0·50	0·25	1·27	0·35	0·50	0·45	...	...	0·55	0·40	0·10	22	(a)	11·03	12·79	1·80	38·73	36·01	Bhanga.		
0·37	1·38	0·68	3·28	0·39	0·24	...	0·53	0·62	2·11	0·25	18	(a)	14·85	11·79	3·26	42·90	35·77	Pangsa.		
0·02	1·51	0·47	2·65	0·78	0 55	0·19	0·11	1·95	0·58	...	20	(a)	18·10	12 03	2·65	41·49	40 18	Ballakandi		
...	...	1·48	3·50	...	·10	0·49	0·01	...	...	1·32	16	(a)	13·60	13·06	3·50	34·36	37·49	Bhuvna		
0·15	...	1·20	0·22	...	0·58	0·50	..	...	0·10	2·15	20	(a)	17·55	17·22	3·78	58·01	57·90	Palong		
0·67	0·78	5·12	1·26	0·51	0·36	...	...	...	0·60	0·78	24	21 5	30·85	18 75	5·12	89·00	62·10	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj	
0·22	5·42	3·55	0·04	0·16	1·26	...	0·29	0·25	0·21	0·36	25	19·6	27·74	15·97	5·42	83·07	61·34	Barguna		
0·11	0·30	2·11	0·76	0·18	0·34	0·78	0·44	...	0·02	0·11	22	18·7	13·06	13·57	2·11	43·77	44 86	Pirozpur.		
0·20	0·13	0·70	1·44	0·18	0·71	0·24	0·03	0·46	0·29	0·39	26	20·0	18 63	13·23	4·70	53·06	45·77	Barisal.		
0·08	0·05	0·26	0·48	...	0·35	...	...	0·15	1·90	1·80	16	17·9	13·04	13·81	3·45	40·51	40 44	Gaurnadi.		
0·81	0·17	1·70	0·59	0·07	0·05	0·15	...	0·80	1·44	0·59	21	21·7	18·80	16·72	2·45	60 92	52·82	Bhola.		
0·75	0·09	1·90	0·32	0·41	0·21	...	...	0·50	0·60	0·80	23	21·7	28·26	18·73	5·45	77·07	59·16	Daulatkhan		
0·48	3·82	0·29	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·22	...	23	21·7	25·50	18·10	4·27	78·83	54 06	Bamphal.		
3·85	1·55	3·22	1·58	0·39	0·27	...	0·04	0·06	0·19	0·26	24	20·8	39 58	28·02	6·48	143·58	96 54	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong	Chittagong.
0·33	0·18	2·64	1·93	0·61	0·13	0·05	...	...	...	0·24	17	16·2	28·11	20·89	4·81	86·99	66·36	Chittagong.		
1·40	1·25	7·00	1·64	0·20	0 05	0·03	...	...	0·03	0·41	19	18·3	29·30	24·42	7·00	102·87	76·10	Kutubdia.		
0·19	4·85	2·37	1·00	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·15	...	17	20·3	30 42	19·47	5·60	103·16	64·31	Satkania		
0·08	2·15	1·27	0·45	0·26	1·50	0·23	...	2·69	0·90	0·72	22	21·0	24·94	18·49	4·20	84·90	56·03	Kodala.		
0·45	2 10	0·77	1·05	0·05	0·40	0·10	...	0·18	0·65	0 33	22	18·7	28 06	25·41	4·80	87·00	73·74	Mirsarai.		
0·10	0·61	0·31	0·85	0·55	0·15	0·36	0·77	0·11	0·75	2·75	21	17·7	15·03	16·67	2 75	58·04	60 37	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
0·23	0·07	0·29	0·99	0·12	0·04	0·35	...	0·73	3·03	2·22	21	20·4	14 64	16·32	3·11	48·42	46·15	Chandpur.		
0·19	0,62	0·18	0 34	0·94	0·36	0·25	...	0·18	0·57	0·47	21	15·9	10·39	11·22	1·99	46·80	39·23	Brahmanbaria.		
0·72	0·20	0·98	1·23	...	...	1·33	0·48	1·44	0·42	...	19	13·1	19·00	13·27	3·10	31·32	42·53	Ramchandrapur.		
...	...	...	2·45	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	9	14·4	8·06	11·84	2·45	28·18	39·99	Nasirnagar.		
0·80	0·82	0·42	0·32	..	0·16	..	1·15	2·15	2 40	2·35	17	16·1	18·99	13·10	2·40	55·66	39·85	Daudkandi.		
0·46	0·47	0·80	0·82	0·60	...	0.46	...	...	4·56	0·67	15	14·9	14·38	11·85	4·56	53·04	39·27	Kasba.		
0·16	0·80	1·80	0·70	0·18	0·07	...	0·12	1·40	0·48	0·34	19	16·8	13·99	17·79	1 80	58·90	52·91	Laksam.		
1·12	0·52	4·70	1·50	0·07	0·25	...	...	0·46	0·88	0·04	20	22·1	25·98	26·12	4·70	64·41	74·17	Noakhali ...	Noakhali.	
0·49	0 39	1·35	0·61	0·73	...	...	...	0·47	0·14	0·58	19	21·4	23·27	24·50	4·62	69·27	71·96	Feni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	21·6	...	27·17	...	...	84·34	Hatishpur.		
0·15	0·15	1·80	0·70	0·59	..	...	1·42	0·90	...	...	18	19·6	15·61	17·00	3·80	57·73	51·36	Ramganj.		
0·80	0·20	2·40	0·75	0·05	...	0·95	...	0·24	1·21	0·27	19	19·6	24·79	23 06	3·75	70·12	67·85	Chhagalnaiya.		
2·52	1·75	0·14	0·03	...		0 47	1·80	0 02	0·09	...	20	24·4	27·08	25·94	3·85	78·81	75·48	Hatiya.		
0·50	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	0 95	1·42	3·00	0·50	21	22·9	17 06	19 66	3·00	68·00	60·16	Lakhmipur.		
0·36	...	1·55	0·97	0·95	...	0·46	0·24	0·16	1·05	...	22	21·7	20·58	17·84	4·50	86·14	54 14	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
0·79	0·21	2·81	2·71	0·85	1·13	0 54	1·42	2·48	0 98	0·10	24	19·9	30·96	16·96	6·57	91·75	58·93	Bandarban.		
0·27	0·22	1·27	0·45	0·36	0·16	0·40	0·33	2·49	0·20	...	22	21·7	17·20	18·19	4 10	76·51	60·24	Barkal.		
...	1·91	1·54	0·40	...	...	...	2·62	...	...	1·12	17	(a)	23·75	(a)	4·51	87·38	(a)	Mahalcheri.		
0·75	1·69	4·57	4·69	0·87	0 15	0·53	0·87	0·49	...	0·09	23	(a)	34·64	(a)	4 89	102·00	(a)	Lama.		
0·15	1·36	0 75	0·38	0·32	0·17	0·08	0·79	0·37	...	0·72	21	(a)	19·59	(a)	3·45	61 52	(a)	Ramgarh.		
0·14	0·25	0·25	0·16	0·08	0 09	0·41	0·57	0·32	0·24	0·27	20	16·3	8·89	11·84	1·61	15·76	39·45	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera	
...	...	0·85	2·80	3·70	3·69	...	...	...	1·49	...	17	15·6	20·68	17·57	3·70	75·38	52·68	Dhubata ...	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar.
...	...	0·43	1·95	5·50	2·75	...	...	...	0·49	...	16	18·5	27·63	23·99	5·50	113·60	82 36	Cooch Behar.		
...	0·19	0·44	1·75	6 02	3·94	0·50	...	1·34	0·24	...	20	18·2	27·15	22·51	6·02	93·38	70 55	Mickligunj.		
...	0·09	0·85	2·58	4·23	3·47	0·07	...	0·99	1·08	...	19	18·0	26·17	22·60	4 23	83·89	76·29	Mathabhanga.		
...	...	0·11	3·85	3·12	2·05	...	...	...	1·50	...	20	16·3	23·67	20·67	3·85	104·41	75 66	Fulbari.		

(a) Not ascertained

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CALCUTTA TRADE FLUCTUATIONS.

THE following tables are intended to show the trade by all routes, *i.e.*, by rail, river, canal, road, and sea, of the Calcutta Block* in certain selected articles during the months of April to July, 1918, as compared with the corresponding period of 1917 and 1916. The statistics have been compiled from returns furnished by the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, Railway Audit Offices, Steamer Companies, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the Collectors of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, and the Assistant Engineer, Calcutta Canals.

General Summary.

Imports.—The imports of rice, including paddy†, into Calcutta by rail, river, canal, road, and sea (coastwise) during the months of April to July, 1918, amounted to 4,160,000 maunds as against 2,807,000 maunds in the corresponding period of the preceding year,—an increase of 48 per cent. There was a decrease (14 per cent) in the imports of coal and coke (26,132,000 maunds as against 30,565,000 maunds last year). The imports by rail, river, road, and sea (coastwise) of Indian cotton piece goods showed an increase of 49 per cent, the total value amounting to Rs. 1,85,38,000 as against Rs. 1,24,55,000 in 1917. The quantity of indigo imported during the months of April to July, 1918, increased by 2,800 maunds or 215 per cent. to (4,100 maunds). The imports of raw jute amounted to 1,394,000 bales as against 613,000 bales,—an increase of 127 per cent. The importations of gunny-bags, however, showed a decrease of 16 per cent (122 million bags as against 145 millions in the preceding year). The total imports of oilseeds (linseed and rape and mustard seed) increased by nearly 1 per cent from 2,122,000 maunds to 2,139,000 maunds. The imports of tea increased by 43 per cent from 564,000 maunds to 806,000 maunds, and those of sugar by 7 per cent. from 249,000 maunds to 267,000 maunds.

Exports.—The exports of cotton piece goods, foreign, from Calcutta, by all routes during the months of April to July, 1918, increased by 6 per cent (Rs. 8,65,68,000 as against Rs. 8,15,86,000 last year). The exports of gunny bags (excluding the exports by sea to foreign countries) increased from 35 million bags to 45 million bags. The shipments of gunny bags to other Indian ports increased by 1,250,000 in number in the period under review (9,370,000 as against 8,120,000 last year). The quantity of kerosene oil despatched from Calcutta and Budge-Budge by internal routes and by sea (coastwise) decreased from 1,940,000 maunds to 1,650,000 maunds, or by 15 per cent.

* The Calcutta block consists of the town of Calcutta with Howrah and Kidderpore Docks.
† One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

TABLE I

Trade of Calcutta in certain selected Articles for the four months, April to July, 1918, compared with the corresponding months of 1917

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE) (a)		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE)	
		April to July 1918.	April to July 1917.	April to July 1918.	April to July 1917
Food-grains—					
Rice ...	Mds	3,678,017	2,415,[illegible]	567,974	5,044
Paddy	,,	771,090	626,269	.....	.....
Total (in rice) (b) ...	,,	4,159,948	2,806,959	567,974	5,044
Wheat	,,	2,[illegible],075	4,542,757	28,794	14,048
Wheat flour	,,	14,279	85,533	99,569 (c)	94,314 (c)
Gram and pulse	,,	2,279,687	2,048,608	140,974	165,903
Other food-grains	,,	167,363	194,603	13,362	11,386
Total food-grains ...	,,	9,113,352	9,678,460	850,673	290,695
Coal and coke	,,	26,132,293	30,565,518	1,144,[illegible]	7,746,302
Cotton, raw	Bales	44,293	75,001	10,041	24,799
,, twist and yarn, Indian	Mds	113,677	168,157	[illegible],487	37,893
,, piece goods, Indian ...	Rs.	1,85,38,491	1,24,55,019	5,10,918	15,69,562
Indigo	Mds	4,082	1,281	15,483	12,194
Jute, raw	Bales	1,394,128	613,308	733,269	317,537
,, gunny bags	No.	122,490,297	145,377,645	9,370,109 (c)	8,120,093 (c)
Lac	Mds	175,325	232,750	145,940	148,850
Oilseeds—Linseed	,,	975,831	692,521	434,515	290,756
,, —Rape and mustard	,,	1,168,692	1,428,520	135,454	95,931
Silk, raw	,,	525	1,335	1,292	1,063
Sugar—Refined	,,	74,404	101,553	4,569	1,464
,, —Unrefined	,,	192,668	147,973	44	770
Tea (Indian)	,,	805,955	563,697	5,065 (c)	5,742 (c)
Tobacco, unmanufactured	,,	283,772	355,726	35,016	67,257
,, manufactured ...	,,	26,145	22,407	1,473	1,990

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE) (d)		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE)	
		April to July 1918.	April to July 1917	April to July 1918.	April to July 1917.
Cotton twist and yarn—Foreign	Mds	39,963	26,856	76,152	63,721
,, ,, —Indian	,,	13,423	183	130,563	149,702
Cotton piece goods—Foreign	Rs.	8,28,34,333	7,81,09,806	8,65,67,769	8,15,86,084
,, ,, —Indian	,,	37,00,747	7,768	76,40,930	78,81,457
Kerosene oil (e)	Mds	1,739,145	1,620,732	1,650,432	1,940,043
Salt	,,	3,459,296	2,224,162	2,628,418	2,357,252
Gunny bags	No	.....	.....	45,184,114	35,023,676

(a) The imports by sea are coastwise imports from other Indian ports only.
(b) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(c) Represents trade by sea coastwise only.
(d) The imports by sea include imports from other Indian ports, together with imports from foreign countries.
(e) Including figures of Budge-Budge trade.

TABLE

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b) (c)
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
	Rice	Paddy (a)	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
Burdwan	125,631	155,246	322,680	2,873	809	13,146	135	239,633	11,017,466	5	26	7,129
Birbhum	356,682	4,210	359,313	.....	79	457	.....	359,849	.....	14	.....	133
Bankura	3,872	1,599	4,871	174	72	.....	.....	5,117	.....	.....	.....	4 310
Midnapur	368,132	5,913	371,389	534	2	367	11	372,292	10,676	19	61	21,521
Hooghly	317,580	100,017	380,091	2,509	40	21,730	28	404,398	22,210	45	15,573	3,01,397
24-Parganas	855,563	201,329	1,037,681	1,321	24	11,854	892	1,051 372	47,836	417	28,737	3,31,300
Nadia	6,880	183	6,976	101,918	264	453,369	2,830	565,345	1	291	159	12,249
Murshidabad	113,447	13	113 484	101,754	.....	86,704	10,399	312,311	.....	35	27	.....
Jessore	9,154	6,686	13,333	2,697	.....	118,866	16	134,412	.....	308	2a	.....
Khulna	93,907	174,412	174,014	900	6	29,099	.....	204,019	.....	165	4	133
Rajshahi	926	.....	926	6,576	.....	9,177	232	16,971	.....	4	.....	467
Dinajpur	2,427	9,857	8,463	818	32	1,055	...	10,368	.....	3	.....	333
Jalpaiguri	103	.....	103	.....	.....	1,325	.....	1,428	.....	.....	.....	.....
Darjeeling	28	.....	28	798	.....	32	.....	857	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	13,033	.....	13,033	621	106	123	.....	13,893	...	384	.....	999
Bogra	676	206	882	540	12	9,634	...	11,068	.....	20	.....	2,731
Pabna	54	402	308	7,897	.....	8,907	2	17,114	221	20	14	6,363
Malda	343	62	382	43,172	.....	10,131	634	54 309	.....	.....	.....	600
Cooch Behar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	9,712	1	9,713	131	.....	1,285	163	11,292	.....	5,493	58	20,189
Mymensingh	218	.....	218	93	2	7	.....	320	.....	341	5	996
Faridpur	10,031	5,880	13,706	23,667	.....	70,879	2,055	110,307	.....	407	47	466
Bakarganj	410,414	3,544	412,642	37	.....	4,731	.....	417,410	.....	23	23	.....
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	443	4,107	3,010	.....	.....	244	315	3,569	.....	39	27	66
Noakhali	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong	169	7,976	5,144	.....	.....	1,236	6,173	12,553	.....	4,837	8	11,773
Chittagong Port	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	380	.....	.....
Total of Bengal	2,869,495	770,790	3,151,234	299,008	1,445	853,569	23,925	4,329,188	11,098,410	13,230	44,794	7,23,567
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.												
Bihar and Orissa	124,138	4	124,141	876,702	540	823,736	48,498	1,873,607	14,980,646	296	153	29,119
Assam	5,099	31	5,118	2,901	8	173	120	8,320	43,227	89	65	14,289
U P of Agra and Oudh	953	265	1,118	1,324,923	12,366	503,077	17,924	1,769,308	.....	742	1,495	3,39,456
Punjab	8,327	.....	8,327	23,465	17	13,303	32	44,144	.....	3,078	41	57,965
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	90	.....	90	51,416	.....	50,354	24	101,884	.....	1,740	11,688	8,48,371
Bombay	29	.....	29	1	.....	197	95	322	.....	6,772	20,828	1,00,83,506
Madras	1,918	.....	1,918	.....	.....	1,970	16	3,904	.....	10,582	24,997	24,29,104
Burma	867,965	.....	867,965	.....	.....	28,975	76,729	973,669	.....	7,750	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India	4	.....	4	4,659	.....	4,343	.....	9,006	.....	63	.....	66,552
Nizam's Territory	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,39,684
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,196	14,125
Port Blair	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918	3,878,017	771,090	4,159,948	2,492,075	14,279	2,379,687	167,362	9,113,352	26,132 293	44,293	105,354	1,46,37,744
GRAND TOTAL 1917	2,415,541	626,269	2 806,959	4,542,757	85,533	2 049,808	194,603	9,678,460	30,565,518	73,001	167,974	1,24,47,351
GRAND TOTAL 1916	4,437,849	1,036,533	5,085,682	1,790,098	80,992	1,921,206	253,713	9,131,684	38,555,365	63,916	119,835	1,38,89,415

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.

II

Canal, and Sea (Coastwise) in the four months of April to July, 1918.

Indigo	Jute: Raw(d)	Jute: Gunny bags(e)	Lac	Oilseeds: Linseed	Oilseeds: Rape and mustard	Silk raw	Sugar: Refined	Sugar: Unrefined	Tea, Indian	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Tobacco: Manufactured	Whence Imported
Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
.....	1,680	24,290	.....	3,398	.....	.....	.....	396	... ..	36	2	Burdwan
.....	.....	4,551	511	2,935	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	Birbhum
.....	2	9,266	30	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	. ....	11	Bankura
.....	1,900	78,200	.... .	1,418	82	8	340	13,612	.....	128	8	Midnapur
.....	6,464	39,067,701	.. ...	2,051	.....	3	2	9,598	.... .	5,876	2,010	Hooghly
.....	57,883	82,298,619	.....	1,392	.....	.....	7,689	25,829	.....	3,642	2,742	24-Parganas
.....	14,676	28,433	...	26,803	.....	57	33	6,293	.. ...	3,362	13	Nadia
.. ...	7,945	41,418	1,234	10,096	541	371	1	40	1	4,106	...	Murshidabad
.....	10,103	6,150	.. ..	534	164	.....	20	44,174	.....	1,784	.....	Jessore
.....	19,261	5,606	.....	778	.....	.....	62	7,035	. ....	436	.....	Khulna
.....	58,433	3 239	.....	1,392	... ..	6	.....	1,300	.....	16,658	144	Rajshahi
.....	26,460	224,286	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	1,079	.....	Dinajpur
.....	39,014	45,469	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	891	237,287	31,347	.....	Jalpaiguri
.....	6,335	40,590	.... .	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	85,038	5,068	10	Darjeeling
.....	358,435	130,089	.....	19	.. ...	.....	.....	10,080	220	55,912	5	Rangpur
.	40,980	6,437	.....	27	.....	.....	. ..	.....	9	3,701	.....	Bogra
.....	80,884	23,575	.....	2,586	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	190	2	Pabna
.....	18,617	13,489	.....	1,182	144	91	.....	326	4	6,134	464	Malda
.....	22,821	328	...	.....	... ..	.....	..	631	.....	2,258	.....	Cooch Behar
.....	184,472	7,544	1	12	.....	.....	.....	91	.....	8	25	Dacca
.....	145,243	27 224	.....	700	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	38	.....	Mymensingh
.....	73,749	98,333	.....	234	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	227	3	Faridpur
.....	1,120	12,624	.....	147	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	Bakarganj
.....	20,213	1,312	.....	188	21	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	... ..	Tippera (including Hill Tippera)
.....	.....	533	....	532	.....	.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	... .	Noakhali
.....	.. ...	6,939	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	1,273	.....	.....	Chittagong
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	245	.....	.....	Chittagong Port
.....	1,193,190	122,187,240	1,776	56,415	962	535	8,147	120,682	314,075	148,986	5,444	Total of Bengal
												OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.
2,205	138,343	161,662	110 025	800,846	37,989	.....	1,447	25,108	638	86,431	18,942	Bihar and Orissa
.....	62,525	33,513	4,511	449	4,166	.....	...	.....	488,248	40	16	Assam
1,100	.....	78,349	36,010	94,600	108,282	.....	2,586	11,553	930	920	319	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	.....	410	.....	.....	739,840	.....	.....	.....	213	.....	... ..	Punjab
.....	.....	41	1,462	.....	26,667	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	.... .	3,380	4,639	10,177	54,163	.....	.....	.. ..	7	.....	212	Central Provinces and Berar
71	.. ...	2,419	.....	.....	154,978	.....	1,316	1	171	10,299	15	Bombay
706	.....	5,658	.....	11,475	11,382	... ..	60,959	55,324	1,596	20,008	125	Madras
.....	.....	4,260	11,413	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	11	17,089	538	Burma
.....	.....	16,359	5,449	2,467	40,323	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	1	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
.. ...	.....	2,034	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	189	Mysore
.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	8	.....	.....	Port Blair
4,082	1,394,128 (f)	122,490 297	175,325	976,831	1,163,692	535	74,404	199,668	505,956	268,772	26,145	1918
1,281	613,208	145,377,645	232,750	693,631	1,478,620	1,335	101,553	147,973	563,697	335,726	23,407	1917 GRAND TOTAL
1,295	524,496	125,574,779	206,964	2,042,742	1,895,566	1,678	53,727	177 220	637,591	431,7..	28,876	1916

(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta Block which are 1,084,305 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpore Docks, namely, 43,810 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth=1 bag.
(f) Of this 748,944 bales came by rail, 643,362 bales by river, 5,142 bales by road and 6,680 bales by sea.

TABLE III

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. II were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the four months of April to July, 1918

	Routes	Food grains: Rice	Paddy (a)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton, twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece goods, Indian (b)(c)	Indigo
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	548,336	173,311	1,535,050	13,081	1,203,337	46,298	17,841,123	3,540	3,863	6,74,322	966
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	337,662	68,226	309,102	414	442,376	8,012	2,357,907	756	9,840	25,19,501	.....
	A.-B. Railway...	59	.....	.....	.....	.....	47	.....	.....	35	3,546	.....
	B.-N. Railway...	130,963	1,607	53,351	127	60,331	51	5,829,020	11,693	57,036	1,09,50,684	566
	B. and N.-W. Railway	166	.....	533,849	478	60,803	9,250	.....	100	6	1,865	2,339
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	799	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	4,109	148	.....	4	248	3	.....	.....	.....	16,856	.....
	Kalighat-Falta Railway.	39,027	15,433	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
By river steamer	Bengal	147,282	13,160	14,947	149	39,360	10,687	222	10,833	282	38,290	.....
	Bihar and Orissa	9	.....	1 210	.....	63,992	12,714	.....	163	.....	.....	.....
	Assam	3,409	31	478	8	168	73	43,237	55	28	9,344	.....
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh	.....	.....	46	.....	13,290	173	.....	10	.....	6,996	.....
By boat	... ...	1,295,170	478,536	44,031	38	361,996	3,059	9,877	1,079	26,311	2,80,300	.....
,, road	... ...	280,665	20,348	.....	.....	5,525	218	50,907	350	7,173	4,15,241	.....
,, sea	... ...	871,260	.....	1	.....	30 261	76,729	.....	15,714	.....	.....	211
Total	1918 ...	3,678,017	771,090	2,492,075	14,379	2,379,687	167,363	26,132,293	44,393	105,354	1,48 37,744	4,062
	1917 ...	2,415,841	626,269	4,543,757	86,533	2,048,808	194,603	30,565,918	75,001	167,974	1,24,47,251	1,281
	1916 ...	4,427,849	1,036,533	1,760,098	80,983	1,921,208	253,713	38,558,865	63,216	118,825	1,38,89,416	1,295

	Routes	Jute: Raw(d)	Gunny bags(e)	Lac	Oilseeds: Linseed	Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	Sugar: Refined	Unrefined	Tea, Indian	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Manufactured
		Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	14,085	170,806	74,849	369,404	1,085,324	89	732	19,083	1,429	928	5,216
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	726,252	1,419,215	7,655	80,160	6,288	178	881	54,626	318,724	155,895	12
	A.-B. Railway...	33	14,719	106	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,442	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway...	7,543	104,181	80,042	28,586	61,674	.....	24,805	35,325	1,966	18,056	453
	B. and N.-W. Railway.	997	2,952	11	509,763	2,960	.....	584	5,495	2	18,878	40
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	1,394	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	84,421	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	34	22,673	.....	1	.....	.....	2	23	.....	42	18
	Kalighat-Falta Railway.	.....	574	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
By river steamer	Bengal ...	481,037	107,379	445	5,663	21	268	36	986	1,736	24,083	662
	Bihar and Orissa	9,018	9,389	.....	7,277	484	.....	415	19	139	28,708	13,988
	Assam	42,887	13,961	804	449	2,054	.....	.....	.....	305,000	40	16
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh	.....	47,794	.....	11,313	465	.....	2,361	1,578	.....	895	116
By boat	... ...	100,428	117,795,270	.....	17,639	.....	.....	60	58,546	.....	6,133	.....
,, road	... ...	5,143	2,765,620	.....	576	.....	.....	6,828	19,848	.....	5,810	4,737
,, sea	... ...	6,880	14,420	11,415	.....	422	.....	27,730	.....	96	17,108	922
Total	1918 ...	1,394,1 28	122,490,297	175,325	975,831	1,163,693	536	74,404	192 648	803,955	283,772	26,145
	1917 ...	613,308	146,377,645	232,750	693,321	1,428,520	1,335	101,553	147,973	563,697	356,728	22,407
	1916 ...	524,496	135,574,779	206,964	2,042,742	1,995,566	1,678	53,737	177,230	637,891	431,733	28,876

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 28 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta block, which are 1,054,305 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpore Docks namely, 43,610 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.

TABLE IV

Imports of certain Articles into the Port of Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the four months April to July, 1918.

	Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece goods		Kerosene oil	Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		
	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds
From Foreign countries* ...	36,462	...	8,18,36,921	.....	196,823	3,432,988
Coastwise—						
From British Ports in						
Bombay ...	2,175	13,353	5,93,831	36,91,20	..	.....
Madras ...	...	.....	...	525	...	10,000
Burma ...	1,326	70	1,03,581	8,960	1,542,322	16,308
Total ...	3,501	13,423	9,97,412	37,00,747	1,542,322	26,308
Grand Total 1918 ...	39,963	13,423	8,28,34,333	37,00,747	1,739,145	3,459,296
Grand Total 1917	26,856	183	7,81,09,806	7,768	1,620,732	2,224,162
Grand Total 1916 ...	38,616	8,755	7,88,93,969	34,029	1,688,094	3,868,548

Publication of detailed figures has been temporarily discontinued

TABLE V

Exports of Principal Articles from the port of Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign Countries) in the four months of April to July, 1918

	FOOD-GRAINS							Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian	Cotton piece goods Indian
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total					
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
To British Ports in—												
Bengal ...	49	...	49	.....	43	44	.....	136	....	.....	183	3,100
Bihar and Orissa	..	.....	.....	...	...	927	.....	927	.....	.....	2,941	...
Bombay ...	412,871	.....	412,871	.....	.....	.....	636	413,507	...	.....	.....	.....
Madras ...	151,498	.....	151,498	1	.....	33,918	693	186,110	110,903	.....	805	..
Burma ...	3,556	.....	3,556	28,793	99,537	106,085	13,033	249,994	427,574	84	18,913	4,80,863
Total ...	567,974	.....	567,974	28,794	99,569	140,974	13,362	850,673	538,477	84	22,841	4,83,963
To Foreign countries †	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	605,912	9,957	3,646	26,950
GRAND TOTAL 1918 ...	567,974‡	.....‡	567,974‡	28,794‡	99,569‡	140,974‡	13,362‡	850,673‡	1,144,389	10 041	26,487	5,10,913
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	5,044	.....‡	5,044‡	14,048‡	94,314‡	185,903‡	11,886‡	290,696‡	7,746,302	24,799	37,893	15,69,562
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	26,443‡	...‡	26,443‡	52,810‡	70,016‡	155,387‡	9,681‡	313,817‡	11,632,654	40,346	29,304	4,04,059

	Indigo	JUTE		OILSEEDS			Silk, raw	SUGAR		TOBACCO		
		Raw	Gunny bags*	Lac	Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined	Tea (Indian)	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise - To British Ports in—	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
Bengal ...	...	.....	462	.....	.....	.....	.....	795	8	4	38	2
Bihar and Orissa	...	.....	66,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	675	.....	.....	659	229
Bombay ...	35	.....	118,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	518	.....	.....
Madras ...	..	.....	790,337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
Burma ...	...	90	8,394,110	28	.....	822	.....	3,099	36	4,503	34,319	1,226
Total ...	35	90	9,370,109	28	.....	822	.....	4,569	44	5,065	35,016	1,473
To Foreign countries †	15,448	783,179‡	...	145,912	434,515	134,632	1,293	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918 ...	15,483	783,269	9,370,109‡	145,940	434,515	135,454	1,293	4,569‡	44‡	5,065‡	35,016‡	1,473‡
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	12,194	317,537	8,120,993‡	146,850	290,786	93,931	1,043	1,464‡	770‡	5,742‡	67,287‡	1,990‡
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	5,580	450,253	8,509,300‡	262,2 8	1,498,673	2,179	1,587	3,689‡	5,097‡	6,064‡	48,088‡	1,603‡

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
† Publication of figures under food-grains, gunny bags, sugar, tea and tobacco as also of detailed figures under other heads, has been temporarily discontinued.
‡ Represents trade by sea (coastwise only).

TABLE VI

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in the four months of April to July, 1918

Whither exported	Cotton twist & yarn		Cotton piece goods*		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge‡	
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	158	3,523	14,93,897	82,148	296,185	17,773	51,326	100 051
Birbhum	33	3,233	4,29,461	17,722	73,472	57	12,068	60,890
Bankura	84	5,278	1,66,344	2,199	24,231	38	.....	30 207
Midnapur	5,572	4,445	16,59,684	1,01,735	97,607	2,266	28,478	102,271
Hooghly	1,719	178	7,31,812	90,914	417,641	14,528	31,929	81,512
24-Parganas	1,774	989	4,23,490	1 91,300	311,370	42,471	39,989	97,149
Nadia	1,357	9,737	21,30,648	1,94,189	238,383	1,350	19,983	91,166
Murshidabad	1,037	3,691	15,33,584	20,387	214,397	2,590	31,357	106,108
Jessore	1,158	2,742	6,24,178	68,766	53,056	648	31,469	35 438
Khulna	1,430	275	4,20,880	48,436	24,384	4,806	28,028	31,900
Rajshahi	127	414	8,37,847	1,65,630	41,246	2,889	4,809	30,369
Dinajpur	6	642	5,60,145	97,606	83,550	13	16,958	69,702
Jalpaiguri	30	996	11,73 379	1,38,446	46,371	705	15,285	57,380
Darjeeling	.....	976	7,87,911	92,075	14,432	131	14,573	35,397
Rangpur	248	903	19,58,615	2,03,375	35,137	119	29,163	123,034
Bogra	.....	430	7,79,361	4,16,873	74,625	669	19,273	89,768
Pabna	3,732	1,743	11,51,147	2,18,996	33,333	192	76,329	81,630
Malda	363	2,522	7,44,788	1,15,396	68,962	2	.....	29,694
Cooch Behar	.....	264	5,42 163	56,099	11,070	49	3,092	24,136
Dacca	10,426	861	37,47,972	1,78,393	35,588	971	138,831	166,160
Mymensingh	3,468	1,603	15,88,684	7,65,122	16,113	78	35,116	142,322
Faridpur	5,537	654	7,34,674	1,25,722	51,977	548	19,617	86,230
Bakarganj	7,795	120	4,21,850	2,67,499	109,716	1,350	9,007	83,573
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	2,957	2,635	13,36,225	12,695	17,056	45	.....	34,945
Noakhali	1,162	3,791	6,06,922	29,320	17,056	1	.....	218
Chittagong	1,525	76	1,24,589	33,578	101,680	1,318	.....	304
Chittagong Port	954	2,315	6,78,618	64,919	4,141	.....	.....	18
Total of Bengal	51,932	54,926	2,73,35,758	37,38,832	3,527,799	95,406	639,562	1,806,067
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES								
Bihar and Orissa	7,434	44,833	2,17,56,959	17,76,761	4,275,096	2,915	432,390	610,722
Assam	4,438	2,659	50,78,697	4,60,282	219,514	3,758	8,825	196,616
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	541	2,068	1,88,49,535	7,43,888	6,384,315	1,337	397,390	6 869
Punjab	1,767	1,307	68,48,987	58,776	9,439,184	21	46,240	5
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	18,263	.....	796,585	.....	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	34	2,120	3,80,746	46,815	1,672,267	484	13,172	5,046
Bombay	235	994	12,45,082	3,04,567	8,699,017	86	2,284	.....
Madras	374	2,681	3,75,696	26,251	1,973,392	41	.....	1,705
Burma	9,391	18,912	45,71,863	4,80,863	8,394,110	...	.....	845
Rajputana and Central India	6	.....	113,640	.....	774,941	1,019	13,536	238
Kashmir State	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,094	.....	.....	..
Nizam's Territory	.....	...	22,473	1,344	22,427	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	84,911	.....	.....	802
Port Blair	.....	183	9,000	2,100	462	.....	26	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918	76,152	130,583	8,65,67,769	70,40,930	45,184,114	105,017	1,545,415	2,633,818
GRAND TOTAL 1917	63,731	149,702	8,15,86,084	78,81,457	35 023,676	141,350	1,798,693	2,357,252
GRAND TOTAL 1916	65,162	131,669	6,93,86 655	65,61,305	32,647,538	172,720	1,854,120	2,359 674

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
‡ The exports of kerosene oil from Budge-Budge to Calcutta during the four months April to July 1918 were 390,499 mds as against 287,234 mds. and 338,964 mds. in the corresponding periods of 1917 and 1916, respectively.

TABLE VII

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. VI were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the four months of April to July, 1918.

	Routes	Cotton twist and yarn		Cotton piece-goods *		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
		Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge	
		Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ..	1,626	24,894	2,03,26,674	5,66,645	6,913,338	19,503	472,799	424,991
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway).	1,061	27,154	1,23,36,134	19,80,229	1,034,881	2,758	281,745	760,144
	A.-B Railway ...	927	9,437	37,36,320	1,51,256	40,672	1,660	192	36,640
	B. N. Railway ...	514	22,953	26,46 217	3,49,815	1,737,047	3,288	2,016	309,285
	B. and N.-W. Railway	114	3,874	89,72,332	9,36,141	1,213,313	167	198,461	68,119
	O. and R. Railway .	154	185	13,50,713	80,429	1,248,752	414	185,046	32
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	606	...	3,58,362	.....	12,546	645	.....	8,632
	N.-W. Railway ..	632	1,304	3,08,082	52,647	7,096,125	21	30,322	.....
	G. I. P. Railway ...	281	999	12,57,815	3,07,122	7,165,939	434	16,084	.....
	B. B. & C. I. Railway	6	.....	53,902	8,261	2,284,807	581	9,546	.....
	M. & S. M. Railway ..	223	674	2,02,501	15,590	1,575,917	.....	.....	2,205
	S. I. Railway ...	.....	70	2,632	866	73,595	.....	.....	.....
	J. B. Railway ...	.....	.....	10,646	.....	51,824	.....	.....	.....
	N. G. S. Railway ..	.....	.....	23,473	.....	29,971	.....	.....	.....
	Other Railways ..	11	5	1,49,503	40,914	190,199	1,054	9,420	5,799
By river steamer.	Bengal	42,598	6,989	1,08,43,916	14,09,087	596,468	6,901	284,415	450,184
	Bihar and Orissa ...	3,314	6,556	90,98,846	5,46,815	2,613,463	198	.....	8,215
	Assam	4,302	1,915	35,65,235	3,80,760	152,028	2,804	6,332	124,976
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh	175	333	66,41,666	1,04,949	1,096,185	.....	.....	1,188
By boat		5,672	57	3 23,300	7,900	480,406	18,489	57,659	378,768
,, road		1,356	323	5,24,418	2,47,571	206,029	47,020	3,015	52,542
,, sea		12,550	22,841	47,39,975	4,83,963	9,370,109	.....	7,861	1,498
Total ..	1918 ...	76,152	130,563	8,65,67,769	76,40,930	45,184,114	105,017	1,545,415	2,628,418
	1917 ...	63,721	149,702	8,15,84,084	78,81,457	35,023,676	141,350	1,798,693	2,357,252
	1916 ...	65,162	131,669	6,99,86,655	65,61,305	32,647,538	172,720	1,856,120	2,359,674

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA. G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,

October 1, 1918. *Director of Statistics*

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 28th September 1918.

Names of Articles	Wholesale price per maund. From—			To—			Retail price per seer From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rice—												
Balam, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	8	0	0	2	4½	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
Patnai, coarse ...	4	6	0	4	14	0	0	2	3	0	2	9
„ medium ...	5	8	0	6	4	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
Nagra, coarse ...	5	0	0	.....			0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	4	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
Dudhkalma ...	5	10	0	6	4	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
Rangoon Boiled ...	4	6	0	4	12	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
Kajla	4	0	0	4	8	0	0	2	0	0	2	3
Wheat, Dudhia	7	2	0	8	6	0	.....			.....		
„ Jamali	6	12	0	7	12	0	.....			.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	5	8	0	6	4	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ dal	7	0	0	7	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
Mung .. (Hari)	10	8	0	11	0	0	0	2	6	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	9	8	0	10	0	0	0	3	0	.....		
Arhar „	6	8	0	8	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
Masur „ (split)	5	0	0	6	4	0	0	2	3	0	2	9
„ „ (khanri) ...	7	0	0	7	12	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Kalai „	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	3	0	4	0
Salt	3	14	0	3	15	0	0	1	9	0	2	0
Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	12	0	.....			0	5	0	0	6	6
Gur, Bheli	6	8	0	7	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
„ Bhursut	8	8	0	8	12	0	0	4	0	.....		
Milk	10	0	0	.....			0	4	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil	24	0	0	28	12	0	0	10	0	0	12	0
Flour (country)	10	8	0	11	10	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Atta No. 3	7	0	0	.....			0	5	0	.....		
„ „ 2½	7	8	0									
„ „ B	11	8	0									
Suji	10	12	0	12	0	0	0	5	0	.....		
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	79	0	0	80	0	0	2	4	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	75	0	0	76	0	0	2	0	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	70	0	0	71	0	0	1	14	0	.....		
Maize	4	8	0	5	4	0	.....			.....		
Potato	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
Patal	...	..		.....			.....			.....		
Brinjal	4	0	0	4	6	0	0	1	6	0	2	0
Onion	4	0	0	4	6	0	0	1	6	0	2	0
Fish, Rahu	25	0	0	.....			0	10	0	0	14	0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	.....		
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets:—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. RAY,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 30th September 1918.*

Statement of weekly gauge readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 21st September 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks
1918.					
15th Sept.	7 A.M.	23·3	23·3	21·3	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
16th ,,	7 ,,	23·1	23·1	21·2	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
17th ,,	7 ,,	22·8	22·8	21·3	
18th ,,	7 ,,	22·6	22·6	21·1	
19th ,,	7 ,,	22·4	22·4	21·0	Its reduced level is 22·41
20th ,,	7 ,,	22·2	22·2	20·9	
21st ,,	7 ,,	21·9	21·9	20·7	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·0 on 9th August 1917
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	4·3 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 14th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do	... ...	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 18th March 1908.
Do	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR, H. N. GANGULY,
The 22nd September 1918. for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 21st September 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water. Time.	At highest water. Readings.	At lowest water. Time.	At lowest water. Readings.	At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
1918.							
15th Sept.	67·3	...	...	...	...	67·2	
16th ,,	67·15	...	...	...	...	67·08	
17th ,,	67·05	...	...	...	...	67·0	
18th ,,	66·9	...	...	...	...	66·85	
19th ,,	66·7	...	...	...	...	66·66	
20th ,,	66·6	...	...	...	...	66·60	
21st ,,	66·5	...	...	...	...	66·5	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·5	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st ,,	1911	68·46	
13th ,,	1912	67·98	
31st ,,	1915	69·7	
18th ,,	1916	68·4	
12th ,,	1917	67·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide
13th ,,	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th ,,	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·8	
15th ,,	1916	50·6	
3rd March	1917	51·0	

DACCA, S. N. BANERJI,
The 24th September 1918. *Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.*

Statement of weekly gauge-reading on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 21st September 1918.

Date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B. M now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B. M.	Remarks.
1918.						
15th Sept.	8 A.M.	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	63·92	57·60	62·50	B. M. on College step 63·42
16th ,,	8 ,,		63·62	57·30	62·60	
17th ,,	8 ,,		63·12	56·80	62·60	
18th ,,	8 ,,		62·57	56·25	62·40	
19th ,,	8 ,,		61·62	55·30	62·20	
20th ,,	8 ,,		61·02	54·70	61·90	
21st ,,	8 ,,		60·02	53·70	61·60	

			Value according to old gauge	Value according to new value of B M = 63·42
The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60·18
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	... 40·15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 33·83
Record ...	...	Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62·93
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62·76
Do ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·80 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 61·89
Do ...	...	Lowest ,,	... 37·68 on 26th April 1884	... 31·31
Do ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 38·18 on 14th-15th April 1888	... 31·81
Do ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32·70
Do ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32·96

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 21st September 1918.

S. C. BHATTACHARJI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 28th September 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 28th September 1918. Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Week ending Saturday, the 29th September 1917. Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs.		Mds	Rs.
Rice and paddy	955	128,562	2,160	269	17,830	279
Jute	172	62,560*	797	231	68,090*	838
Firewood	133	44,475	730	67	26,950	391
Other articles	897	165,059	1,962	842	210,533	2,280
Total ...	2,157	400,656	5,649	1,409	323,403	3,788
Empty boats and rafts ...	575	...	1,296	461	...	1,132
GRAND TOTAL ...	2,732	400,656	6,945	1,870	323,403	4,920

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 67,875
† Ditto ditto 75,067½

CALCUTTA,
The 1st October 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 414T.—Mis.—The 3rd October 1918.—The Governor in Council hereby declares that, in celebration of the cessation of hostilities between the Allies and Bulgaria and the recent successes on the various battle fronts, Monday, the 7th October 1918, shall be a public holiday under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881.

No. 442T.—Com.—The 1st October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11-J of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published under the Government of India's Notification No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915 (as subsequently amended), read with the Government of India's Notification No. 9647, dated the 14th September 1918, the Governor in Council is pleased to prescribe the following conditions under which cotton cloth and cotton piece-goods may be sold within the municipal limits of the town of Calcutta, namely :—

Conditions.

1. In these conditions—

(1) "Wholesale transaction" means a sale or purchase of one or more unbroken bales of cotton cloth or cotton piece-goods; and

(2) "Wholesale dealer" means a dealer who deals in any wholesale transaction

2. On or before the 25th October 1918, every wholesale dealer shall apply to the Chairman of the Cotton Advisory Committee appointed by the Local Government for a license to deal in wholesale transactions.

3. The said Committee shall consider every such application, and may, at its discretion, grant or refuse any such license.

4. From and after the 25th October 1918, no wholesale dealer shall, without a license, make any wholesale purchase of cotton cloth or cotton piece-goods.

5. From and after the 31st January 1919, no wholesale dealer shall, without a license, make a wholesale sale of cotton cloth or cotton piece-goods.

N.B.—The Chairman of the Cotton Advisory Committee is the Hon'ble Mr C. F Payne, office of the Calcutta Corporation, Calcutta and applications for licenses should be submitted to him

J. A. L. SWAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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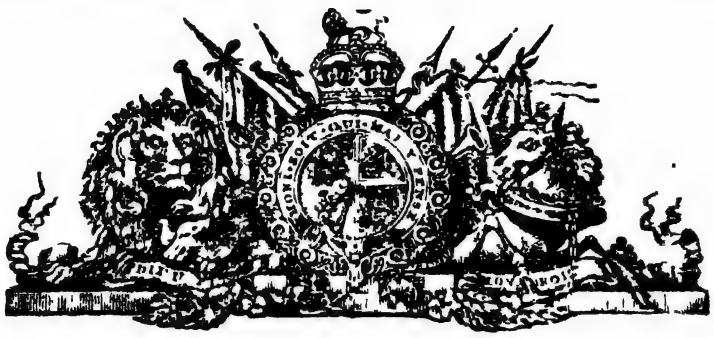

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 228T.L., dated Darjeeling, the 2nd October, 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 75, sub-section (*1*), of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 & 6 Geo. V, c. 61), His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint Tuesday, the 26th November, 1918, at 11 A.M., as the time, and the Council Chamber in Government House, Calcutta, as the place, for a meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council.

By order of the Governor in Council,

A. M. HUTCHISON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5453A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2040A.D.—The 1st October 1918.*—Mr. J. T. Rankin, I.C.S., Officiating Commissioner of the Dacca Division, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Dacca Divn. Rajshahi Divn.

No. 2044A.D.—The 1st October 1918.—Mr. Abdul Faiz Muhammad Badrul Alam, Barrister-at Law, is appointed to act as Coroner of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. F. K. Dobbin, on leave.

Calcutta.

No. 2088A.D.—The 3rd October 1918.—Maulvi Nasir-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed, under section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to act temporarily as a Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

24-Parganas. Calcutta.

No. 2100A.D.—The 3rd October 1918.—Khan Bahadur Haji Khundkar Fazl-ul-Haq, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. C. French, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 2112A.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Mr. C. Bartley, I.C.S., Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the Dacca district.

Dacca.

No. 2132A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. P. H. Waddell, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Dinajpur.

Dinajpur.

No. 2135A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. Debendra Kumar Mitra, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Malda, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Noakhali.

Malda. Noakhali.

No. 2139A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Babu Manindra Bhusan Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is transferred temporarily to the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district

Chittagong. Faridpur.

No. 2142A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Babu Kshirod Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Jessore district.

Jessore.

No. 2145A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. Satyendra Nath Mustafi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the Jessore district.

Jessore.

No. 2150A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—The services of Mr. J. D. V. Hodge, I.C.S., Additional Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Political and Judicial Departments, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department.

POLICE.—*No. 2153A.D.—The 7th October 1918.*—Mr. R. H. S. Hutchinson, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, on leave, is appointed to be Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Bakarganj Range.

Bakarganj.

No. 2155A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. R. G. Watling, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Tippera.

Tippera.

No 2157A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. E. G. Hart is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Eastern Bengal Railway Police, Sealdah, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Bakarganj Range.

Bakarganj. Sealdah.

No. 2159A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. E. B. Jones, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, Eastern Bengal Railway Police, Sealdah, is appointed to act as Additional Superintendent of Police, Bakarganj.

Sealdah. Bakarganj.

No. 2161A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Babu Bhawani Nath Nandi, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police, Noakhali.

Noakhali.

No. 2163A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. Tuni Meerza, Superintendent of Police, Noakhali, is appointed to be Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas.

Noakhali. 24-Parganas.

No. 2165A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. G. C. Sturgis, Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as Additional Superintendent of Police, Faridpur.

24-Parganas. Faridpur.

This cancels the orders of the 9th September 1918 appointing Mr. G. C. Sturgis to act as Superintendent of Police, Bogra.

No. 2167A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. L. H. Colson, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Nadia.

Nadia.

No. 2169A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. H. C. Hunt, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, Tippera, is appointed to act as Additional Superintendent of Police of that district.

Tippera.

No. 2171A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr. C. F. Freeman, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted to the headquarters station of the Howrah district, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Tippera.

Howrah. Tippera.

No. 2182A.D.—The 8th October 1918.—Mr. T. C. Simpson, Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. W. C. Plowden, C.I.E., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No, 2117A.D.—The 4th October 1918.*—It is hereby notified in pursuance of rule 4 in Schedule IX to the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, and in continuation of Notification No. 4661A., dated the 4th September 1918, that the Hon'ble Mr. George Anson Bayley was, on the 27th September 1918, elected, under rule 3 in the same schedule, by the Commissioners of the Port of Chittagong to be an Additional Member of that Council.

Council.

JAILS.—*No. 4490A.—The 30th August 1918.*—Mr. F. S. Groser, Officiating Deputy Superintendent, Presidency Jail, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Superintendent of that Jail during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. C. Thompson, I.M.S., or until further orders.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2069A.D.—The 4th October 1918.*—Mr. J. H. Lindsay, I.C.S., is allowed combined leave for seven months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and nineteen days, with effect from the 2nd October 1918, or the amount due on any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

No. 2071A.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Mr. G. C. Sankey, I.C.S., Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rangpur, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October 1918 to the 23rd December 1918, inclusive.

Rangpur.

No. 2075A.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Mr. J. A. Ross, I.C.S., Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October 1918 to the 23rd December 1918, inclusive.

Midnapore.

No. 2084A.D.—The 3rd October 1918.—Babu Kumud Bandhu Das Gupta, Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October 1918 to the 23rd December 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 2097A.D.—The 3rd October 1918.—Mr. J. C. French, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Khulna, is allowed leave for twelve days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Khulna.

POLICE.—*No. 1993A.D.—The 30th September 1918.*—Major D. I. Macpherson, Commandant, Dacca Military Police Battalion, is allowed leave for three weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Dacca.

No. 2081A.D.—The 3rd October 1918.—In modification of the orders of the 19th March 1918, Mr. F. P. McKinty, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, Pabna, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 29th March 1918 to the 13th May 1918, inclusive.

Pabna.

No. 2179A.D.—The 8th October 1918.—Mr. C. W. C. Plowden, C.I.E., Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Calcutta.

RESIGNATION.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.—*No. 2008A.D.—The 1st October 1918.*—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation of his commission tendered by Honorary Major Henry Hobbs, V.D., 1st (Calcutta Port Defence) Group Garrison Artillery, Indian Defence Force, with effect from the 31st March 1917.

THE following orders are re-published from the *Assam Gazette*, dated the 2nd October 1918:—

No. 7748L.—The 30th September 1918.—The Chief Commissioner is pleased to accept, with effect from the 29th September 1918, the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. J. F. Graham of his office of member of the Council of the Chief Commissioner.

No. 7750L.—The 30th September 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Regulation XI(*a*) of the Regulations for the nomination and election of members of the Legislative Council of the Chief Commissioner of Assam, the Chief Commissioner, with the sanction of the Governor-General, is pleased to nominate Mr. Abdul Majid to be a member of his Council in place of the Hon'ble Mr. J. F. Graham, resigned.

No. 7753L.—The 30th September 1918.—The Hon'ble Mr. Abdul Majid, Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Assam, is appointed to be Secretary to the Council of the Chief Commissioner of Assam for Making Laws and Regulations.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1324T.R.—The 1st October 1918.—Babu Apurba Ranjan Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Nadia, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join the Nadia settlement.

Nadia.

No. 1327T.R.—The 1st October 1918.—Maulvi B. W. M. Abdur Rahaman, Sub-Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join the Jessore settlement.

Jessore.

No. 1330T.R.—The 1st October 1918.—Babu Dinesh Chandra Sen Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join the Jessore settlement.

Midnapore.
Jessore.

No. 1340T.R.—The 1st October 1918.—Mr. J. M. Pringle, I.C.S., now employed as Settlement Officer in the district of Jessore, is appointed to act as Settlement Officer in the district of Nadia, with effect from the 1st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join the Nadia settlement.

Jessore.
Nadia.

No. 1343T.R.—The 1st October 1918.—Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Momen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to act as Settlement Officer in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur, which has been transferred to it by Notification No 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, with effect from the 1st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join the Jessore settlement.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

No. 1358T.R.—The 2nd October 1918.—Babu Madhu Sudan Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Manager of the Pachetgarh Wards' Estate, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 1388T.R.—The 2nd October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Momen is appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 1335T.R.—The 1st October 1918.—The following account of the receipts and disbursements of the Mohsin Endowment Fund for the year 1917-18 is published for general information:—

Annual Account of the Mohsin Endowment Fund for the year 1917-18.

—	⅛th share of the Matwali.	⅞ths share for religious purposes.	⅛th and ⅞ths shares for secular and educational purposes.	Total
Receipts.				
Income from endowment.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Syedpur Trust Estate—				
Ordinary receipts	6,666 10 8	20,000	33,333 5 4	60,000 0 0
Interest on fixed investment ...	.....	.....	36,902 8 2	36,902 8 2
,, ,, variable investment ...	.....	.....	3,156 1 6	3,156 1 6
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	153 0 0	153 0 0
Total receipts ...	6,666 10 8	20,000	73,544 15 0	1,00,211 9 8
Opening balance ...	1,666 6 11	.....	11,341 11 0	13,008 1 11
GRAND TOTAL ...	8,333 1 7	20,000	84,886 10 0	1,13,219 11 7
Expenditure.				
Education.	Rs. A. P.	Rs	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Special Muhammadan Scholarship	.....	.....	24,788 11 1	24,788 11 1
2. Stipends	.....	.....	2,158 2 11	2,158 2 11
3. Short-fee payments by Muhammadan students in—				
(*a*) Government colleges ..	.....	.....	6 453 0 0	6,453 0 0
(*b*) Government schools ..	.....	.....	4,593 0 2	4,593 0 2
(*c*) Private colleges ...	.....	.....	223 0 0	223 0 0
(*d*) Private schools ...	.....	.....	1,736 6 8	1,736 6 8
4. Contribution for Muhammadan education in Bihar and Orissa.	.....	.....	3,200 0 0	3,200 0 0
Secular.				
A. Medical—				
1. Contribution to Dufferin Hospital	.....	.....	12,460 0 0	12,460 0 0
2. Contribution to Imambara Hospital.	.....	.....	1,740 0 0	1,740 0 0
3. Unani Dispensary—				
(*a*) Establishment ...	.....	.....	1 413 15 9	1,413 15 9
(*b*) Bazar medicine ...	.....	.....	419 8 9	419 8 9
(*c*) Contingencies and miscellaneous.	.....	.....	25 0 0	25 0 0
B. Local agents establishment—				
1. Clerks and servants ...	.....	.....	792 13 3	792 13 3
2. Contingencies ...	.....	.....	50 2 0	50 2 0
3. Gratn compensation allowance.	.....	.....	11 0 0	11 0 0
4. Miscellaneous ...	.....	.....	28 13 0	28 13 0
C. Imambara Establishment ...	.....	.....	9,669 5 0	9,669 5 0
D. Pension	.....	.....	557 15 3	557 15 3
E. Charges on account of Haj Committee.	.....	.....	403 7 7	403 7 7
Religious endowment.				
1. Matwalis' ⅛th shm	6,666 11 0	.....	.....	6,666 11 0
2. Committees' ⅞ths share ...	.....	20,000	.....	20,000 0 0
Total payments ...	6,666 11 0	20,000	70,724 5 5	97,391 0 5
Closing balance ...	1,666 6 7	.....	14,162 4 7	15,828 11 2
GRAND TOTAL ...	8,333 1 7	20,000	84,886 10 0	1,13,219 11 7

No. 1389T.R.—The 2nd October 1918.—Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Momen, Settlement Officer, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under—

Jessore.
Faridpur.

1. the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822),
2. the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825),
3. the Bengal Land Revenue Assessment (Resumed Lands) Regulation, 1828 (III of 1828),
4. the Bengal Land Revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833 (IX of 1833),

to be exercised in the district of Jessore, as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R, dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914.

No. 1390T.R.—The 2nd October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*16*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Momen, Settlement Officer, Jessore, is appointed to discharge the functions of a Collector, under section 58 of that Act, in the district of Jessore, as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606 Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

No. 1391T.R.—The 2nd October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 109C of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Momen, Settlement Officer, Jessore, to settle rents in accordance with the provisions of that section, in the district of Jessore, as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

No. 1513T.R.—The 7th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*16*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. J. M. Pringle, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Nadia, is appointed to discharge the functions of a Collector, under section 58 of that Act, in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas.

Nadia.
Murshidabad.
Burdwan.
Hooghly.
24-Parganas.

No. 1514T.R.—The 7th October 1918.—Mr J. M. Pringle, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under—

Nadia.
Murshidabad.
Burdwan.
Hooghly.
24-Parganas.

1. The Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822),
2. The Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825),
3. The Bengal Land Revenue Assessment (Resumed Lands) Regulation, 1828 (III of 1828),
4. The Bengal Land Revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833 (IX of 1833),

to be exercised in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas.

No. 1515T.R.—The 7th October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 109C of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. J. M. Pringle, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Nadia, to settle rents in accordance with the provisions of that section in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas.

Nadia. Murshidabad. Burdwan Hooghly. 24-Parganas.

No. 1512T.R.—The 7th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. J. M. Pringle, I.C.S., is authorised to discharge, in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas, the functions of a revenue officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Nadia. Murshidabad. Burdwan. Hooghly. 24-Parganas.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 1436T.R.—The 4th October 1918.—Maulvi Fazlur Rahman, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Inspector of Co-operative Societies, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1346T.R.—The 2nd October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed Public Street No. III (Gobra Main Road), from Lower Circular Road to Kamardanga Road, South, in Ward No. XX of the Calcutta Municipality, a plan of which has been sanctioned by the Governor in Council, under section 63 (*6*) of the Calcutta Improvement Act of 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, being the portion of premises No. 26, Phulbagan Road, and measuring, more or less, ·0609 of an acre, bounded on the—

Calcutta.

North—By the remaining portion of premises No. 26, Phulbagan Road,

East—By a portion of premises No. 25, Phulbagan Road and a portion of premises No. 2, Hatibagan Road, North,

South—By a portion of premises No. 2, Hatibagan Road North, and a portion of premises No. 28, Phulbagan Road,

West—By premises No. 27, Phulbagan Road,

is required within the aforesaid Ward No. XX in the town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Collector, at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No 1441 T.—R.—The 4th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dhulian Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Dhulian Bhagabati Charan Charitable Dispensary Buildings at Kanchantala, in the village of Kanchantala, pargana Rajshahi, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the

Murshidabad.

above purpose a piece of land, consisting of 3 plots altogether measuring, more or less, 0·31 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Tara Chand Mandal, Atul Chandra Ghosh and Jasoda Bewa,
East—By the Dhulian-Kanchantala Municipal Road,
South—By the Dispensary land (compound),
West—Partly by the Dispensary compound and partly by the lands of Tara Chand Mandal and Atul Chandra Ghosh.

is required within the aforesaid village of Kanchantala.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Sub-Divisional Officer, Jangipur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 1444 T.—R.—The 4th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for improving the 40-feet road between Chowringhee Road and Lee Road and formation of suitable building sites in the village of Bhowanipore, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·52 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the remaining portion of premises Nos. 59, Chowringhee Road and 240, Circular Road (Lower),
East—By the Municipal land,
South—By 40-feet road,
West—By Chowringhee Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bhowanipore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman, Calcutta Corporation.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Howrah.

No. 1451T.-R.—The 4th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Howrah for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Mojyad, pargana Khalor, zilla Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·37 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the paddy lands of Ambica Bhakta and Manmatha Nath Bhakta,
East—By the paddy lands of Ambica Bhakta and Kedar Nath Mandal,
South—By the paddy lands of Kedar Nath Mandal and Khal,
West—By the paddy lands of Nimai Sardar, Sashi Bhusan Naya and Manmatha Nath Bhakta,

is required within the aforesaid village of Mojyad.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Sub-divisional Officer, Ulubaria.

L. BIRLEY.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 1491T.—R.—The 7th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the South Suburban Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for Barisha Hospital, in the village of Gangarampur, pargana Magura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·33 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Raghunath Katki and Barisha Hospital.

East—By the Barisha Hospital and Diamond-Harbour road,

South—By the Diamond-Harbour road and lands of Raghunath Katki and Chandra Kumar Ghose,

West—By the lands of Raghunath Katki and Chandra Kumar Ghose,

is required within the aforesaid village of Gangarampur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 1494T.—R.—The 7th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank, in the village of Fatehpur, pargana Yusufpur Amirabad, district Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Hari Charan Guha and others, and Rakhal Chandra Das and others,

East—By the public road and by the lands of Rakhal Chandra Das and others,

South—By the lands of Rakhal Chandra Das and others and by the public road

West—By the lands of Rakhal Chandra Das, Prollad Chandra Das and Hari Charan Guha and others,

is required within the aforesaid village of Fatehpur

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Tippera.

No. 1497T.—R.—The 7th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the police-station at Faridganj, in the village of Kachiara, tape Farakabad, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·32 acres, bounded on the—

North—By acquired land,

East—By District Board Elliot road and khas land of zamindar,

South—By Local Board road and nal land of Abdul Rahman Patwari,

West—By Ditch of Abdul Rahman Patwari.

is required within the aforesaid village of Kachiara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Howrah.

No. 1500 T—R.—The 7th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a ring bund and breach-filling at Fateypur, in the 82nd to 83rd mile of the Damodar left embankment, in the village of Fateypur, pargana Balia, zilla Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·38 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Aghore Sadukhan,

East—By Damodar Embankment,

South—By the land of Nut Behari Dhara,

West—By khaspatit land of Kundu Babus of Mahiary,

is required within the aforesaid village of Fateypur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Sub-Divisional Officer, Uluberia.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Howrah.

No. 1475 T—R.—The 5th October 1918.—In lines 11 and 13 of Declaration No. 6503 L.A., dated the 12th August 1918, published at pages 1149-50, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the Bally Municipality for widening the Salt Chauki Lane in Ward No 1, joining the Grand Trunk Road in the village of Bally, pargana Boro, zilla Howrah, *for* "Anadi Kanchuni" *read* "Lalit Mohan Bandopadhya".

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1379T.R.—The 2nd October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (Act XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the further retention of the temporary office of the Joint Sub-Registrar of Boda at Debiganj, in the district of Jalpaiguri, up to the 30th September 1919.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 1465 T.—R.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Mohabbat Ali to be a Muhammadan Registrar within the police-station Munshiganj and Unions Nos. 1, II, III, IV, VIII, and IX of police-station Tangibari, in the district of Dacca, until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 1466 T.—R.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Mohabbat Ali to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within the police-station Munshiganj and Unions Nos. I, II, III, IV, VIII and IX of police-station Tangibari, in the district of Dacca, until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 1469T.—R.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Latif, II, to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Sabhar, in the district of Dacca, until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 1470T.—R.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Latif, II, to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Sabhar, in the district of Dacca, until further orders.

Rangpur.

No. 1478 T.-R.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Syed Kafil-ur Rahman to act temporarily as a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Pirgacha and Kaunia, in the district of Rangpur, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Aziz Khondkar, deceased, until further orders.

Rangpur.

No. 1479 T.-R.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Syed Kafil-ur Rahman to act temporarily as the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies in police-stations Pirgacha and Kaunia, in the district of Rangpur, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Aziz Khondkar, deceased, until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 1506 T.—R.—The 7th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abul Fazal Mafizuddin Ahmed to act temporarily as a Muhammadan Registrar within the villages in police-station Iswarganj in the district of Mymensingh, specified in Government Notification No. 4436Regn., dated the 15th June 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Syed Abdus Samad, or until further orders.

No. 1507 T.—R.—The 7th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abul Fazal Mafizuddin Ahmed to act temporarily as the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within the villages in police-station Iswarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, specified in Government Notification No 4437 Regn, dated the 15th June 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Syed Abdus Samad or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 1519T.—R.—The 7th October 1918.—Babu Srish Chandra Chakrabatti, District Sub-Registrar, Jalpaiguri, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 1522T.—R.—The 7th October 1918.—Babu Kali Kumar Ain, Sub-Registrar, grade III, of Mainaguri, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar, Jalpaiguri, during the absence on leave of Babu Srish Chandra Chakrabatti or until further orders.

Jalpaiguri.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Under section 20 of Calcutta Survey Act, I of 1887.

To

All Owners, Managers, and Agents of lands in the "Town of Howrah", lying within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, from Wards Nos. 1 to 15, Circle Nos. 1 to 11.

WHEREAS a survey has been made, and boundaries demarcated, of all municipal holdings situated in the above area within the Howrah Municipality. You are hereby informed that the maps and records are open to inspection. You are, therefore, requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within sixty days of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps and records can be inspected at any time at the Municipal Office, Howrah, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.; on any day excepting holidays and Sundays.

O. E. C. JUDD,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1323Edn.—The 5th October 1918.—The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following members to constitute the Governing Body of the Bethune College for the academic year 1918-19:—

1. The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, *President* ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Principal, Bethune College, *Secretary*... } *Ex-officio.*
3. The Hon'ble Sir Deba Prosad Sarbadhikari, C.I.E., M.A., LL.D.
4. Lady Woodroffe.
5. Lady Bose.
6. Mrs. P. K. Mazumdar.
7. Babu Bijay Gopal Mukharji, M.A., Professor, Bethune College.
8. Mr. Subodh Chandra Mahalanabis, B.Sc., F.R.S.E., Professor, Presidency College.

No. 1321Edn.—The 5th October 1918.—The following promotions and confirmations are made in the Provincial Educational Service :—

Promoted to class II.

Mr. J. V. Francies, with effect from the 30th May 1918, *vice* Mr. P. W. Byers, retired.

Babu Rakhal Das Ghosh, with effect from the 13th July 1918, *vice* Khan Bahadur Maulvi Muhammad Ibrahim, retired.

Promoted to class III.

Babu Rakhal Raj Biswas, with effect from the 30th May 1918, *vice* Mr. J. V. Francies, promoted.

Babu Hriday Chandra Banarji, with effect from the 13th July 1918, *vice* Babu Rakhal Das Ghosh, promoted.

Babu Nalini Mohan Sanyal, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Rai Sahib Phani Bhusan Basu, retired.

Promoted to class IV.

Babu Hem Chandra Sarkar, with effect from the 30th May 1918, *vice* Babu Rakhal Raj Biswas, promoted.

Shams-ul-'Ulama Maulvi Abu Nasr Muhammad Wahid, with effect from the 13th July 1918, *vice* Babu Hriday Chandra Banarji, promoted.

Babu Aswini Kumar Mukharji, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Nalini Mohan Sanyal, promoted.

Promoted to class V.

Mr. Jiban Mohan Basu, with effect from the 30th May 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Sarkar, promoted.

Babu Hari Narayan Basu, with effect from the 13th July 1918, *vice* Shams-ul-'Ulama Maulvi Abu Nasr Muhammad Wahid, promoted.

Babu Gopi Bhusan Sen, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Aswini Kumar Mukharji, promoted.

Confirmed in class VI.

Babu Padmini Bhusan Rudra, with effect from the 1st April 1918, in an existing vacancy.

Maulvi Ghulam Yazdani, with effect from the 30th May 1918, *vice* Mr. Jiban Mohan Basu, promoted, but to continue to be seconded.

Babu Nripendra Chandra Banarji, with effect from the 13th July 1918, *vice* Babu Hari Narayan Basu, promoted.

Promoted to class VI.

Mr. F. J. Cuerden, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 1st April 1918, *vice* Babu Padmini Bhusan Rudra, confirmed.

Dr. Nagendra Mohan Gupta, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 1st April 1918, *vice* Mr. F. J. Cuerden, on deputation.

Babu Praphulla Chandra Ghosh, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 1st April 1918, *vice* Babu Abinash Chandra Mazumdar, on deputation.

Babu Aghor Nath Banarji, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 30th May 1918, *vice* Maulvi Ghulam Yazdani, confirmed.

Maulvi Alfaz-ud-din Ahmad, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 13th July 1918, *vice* Babu Nripendra Chandra Banarji, confirmed

No. 1065Mis.—The 8th October 1918.—During the Durga Pujah and Lakshmi Pujah the Reading Rooms of the Imperial Library will be closed on the 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th October 1918. On all the other days they will be open from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Education Branch.

CALCUTTA, THE 8TH OCTOBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 1331Edn.

READ—

Letter No. 175, dated the 18th March 1918, from the Government of India, Department of Education, forwarding a revised set of rules relating to State Technical Scholarships.

IN the year 1903 His Majesty's Secretary of State for India sanctioned, as a provisional measure, the institution of a certain number of technical scholarships tenable by Indians in Europe or America. The purpose of these scholarships was to provide for that higher technical education which might qualify them to assist in promoting existing Indian industries and developing new industries whenever this might be possible. It has been the practice for the Government of India to award scholarships of the value of £150 a year, tenable for two years and not exceeding 10 in number, of which one is ordinarily allotted to the Presidency of Bengal.

2. The existing procedure for nomination to these scholarships is as follows. The industries to be encouraged in any particular year are fixed by this Government in consultation with the representatives of mercantile and industrial firms and associations, preference being given to industries in which Indian capital and enterprise are engaged and which offer scope for the skill and ability of the scholars on their return to this country. After the industries have been selected, applications are invited by the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, who submits his nominations to this Government. The Governor in Council then forwards his recommendations to the Government of India, who finally decide whether the scholarships should be awarded to the candidates nominated by this Government or not.

3. Under the revised rules promulgated by the Government of India, with their letter No. 175, dated the 18th March 1918, the number of scholarships tenable at one time has been raised to a maximum of 30, out of which 4 have been assigned to this Presidency. The scholarships will be of the value of £150 a year and will be tenable for not less than two years or more than five years. Before proceeding to Europe the scholars will be required to undergo a course of practical training of not less than one year, and after their return they will have a further training for one year in practical work. As regards the selection of industries, the principles hitherto followed will be observed. The rules also provide that a Board of Selection should be constituted in each province for the purpose of recommending candidates to the Local Government.

4. The Governor in Council is accordingly pleased to constitute a Board of Selection as follows :—

(1) The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, *Chairman.*
(2) The Director of Industries, Bengal.
(3) The Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
(4) The Chairman of the Indian Engineering Association Committee of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce.
(5) (Mr. Nilmoni Choudhury of Messrs. Choudhuri & Co., Calcutta (representative of the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce).
(6) Sir R. N. Mukerji, K.C.I.E.
(7) The Chief Inspector of Factories, Bengal.
(8) The Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical Institutions, Bengal, *Secretary.*

The functions of the Board will be—

(*i*) To select and recommend candidates to the Local Government for appointment as State technical scholars, in accordance with the rules laid down by the Government of India ;

(*ii*) To submit to Government any suggestions that the Board may consider necessary regarding the course of training to be followed by the scholars in England or elsewhere ;

(*iii*) To settle the nature of the preliminary training which the selected scholars shall undergo for one year before their departure, and of the practical training which they will receive after their return, when these are considered necessary ; and

(*iv*) To endeavour, with the assistance of local manufacturers and employers, to find employment for the scholars on their return to India.

ORDER.—Ordered that the Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, that copies, with copies of the rules, be forwarded to the Chairman and members of the Board, and the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, for information.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Midnapore. *No. 230 T.-S.R.—The 3rd October 1918.*—Babu Jnanendra Nath Sircar, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Midnapore, is appointed to act as an Inspector of Excise and Salt, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Abdullah, Inspector of Excise and Salt of that district.

Darjeeling. *No. 259T.-S.R.—The 5th October 1918*—Maulvi Bazlur Rahman, Probationary Superintendent of Excise and Salt, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to hold charge of the district of Darjeeling as Superintendent of Excise and Salt, *vice* Mr. J. C. Vyse, deceased.

Calcutta. *No. 261T.-S.R.—The 5th October 1918.*—Rai Sahib Sharat Kumar Raha, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-two days, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Calcutta. *No. 263T.-S.R.—The 5th October 1918*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*5*) of section 2 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918 (VII of 1918), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. C. H. Crosse, Assistant Collector of Income-tax, Calcutta, to be Second Collector of Income-tax, to exercise and perform all the powers and duties conferred by the said Act on a Collector in the following areas, namely :—

(*a*) the district of Calcutta ;

(*b*) so much of the district of the 24-Parganas as is under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta ; and

(*c*) so much of the district of Hooghly as is comprised within the limits of the Municipality of Howrah.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 244T-S.R.—The 4th October 1918.—In column 3 against article 6 (*l*) of the table subjoined to the Notification, No. 388A, dated the 5th February 1913, published in Part 1, on pages 251-263, 288-299 and 329-341 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th, 19th and 26th February 1913, respectively, *for* "6 P.M. to 9 P.M." *read* "6 P.M. to 9 A.M."

F. D. ASCOLI,
Secretary, Board of Revenue, Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 206T.—Medl.—The 1st October 1918.—Babu Hem Chandra Chakravarty, M.B., a passed student of the Medical College, Calcutta, is temporarily admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 29th August 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 209T.—Medl.—The 1st October 1918.—Babu Sarat Chandra Ray, Head Assistant, Office of the Surgeon-General, is appointed to act as Porsonal Assistant to that officer, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Rai Saheb Mahendra Nath Bhattacharji.

Calcutta.

No. 211T.—Medl.—The 1st October 1918.—Rai Saheb Mahendra Nath Bhattacharji, Porsonal Assistant to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal, is allowed privilege leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 218T.—Medl.—The 2nd October 1918.—Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R. Newman, C.I.E., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Dacca, is allowed privilege leave for twenty-two days, viz., from the 17th September to the 8th October 1918 (both days inclusive), under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Dacca.

No. 221T.—Medl.—The 2nd October 1918.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Nripendra Kumar Basu, Teacher of Anatomy, Dacca Medical School, and House Surgeon, Mitford Hospital, is appointed to act as Superintendent of that Hospital, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R Newman, I.M.S.

Dacca.

No. 223T.-Medl.—The 2nd October 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Baroda Sankar Bhattacharji, Teacher of Medicine, Dacca Medical School, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon (2nd class) of Dacca and Superintendent of the School, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R. Newman, I.M.S.

Dacca.

No. 225T.-Medl.—The 2nd October 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Shah Jahan Ali, Teacher of Medical Jurisprudence, Dacca Medical School, is appointed to act as Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum, Dacca, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R. Newman, I.M.S.

Dacca.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5454A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5243A.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Noakhali, for a period of three years from the 7th October 1918,

Noakhali.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Feni Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language:—

Babu Guru Das Kar. | Maulvi Bazlul Haq.

No. 5245A.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Nurul Haq, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Noakhali, for a period of three years from the 7th October 1918,

Noakhali.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Feni Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 2027A.D.—The 1st October 1918.—Maulvi Adilazzaman Khan, Deputy Magistrate, Nator, Rajshahi, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Rajshahi.

No. 2059A.D.—The 2nd October 1918.—Maulvi Abdus Sobhan Mahmud, Deputy Magistrate, Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Faridpur.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 589J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Satchidananda Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Additional Munsif of Jamalpur, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Kishorganj, *vice* Babu Ram Lal Banerji, under orders of deputation to the Settlement Department.

Mymensingh.

No. 592J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, substantive *pro tempore* Additional Munsif, in the district of Dacca, now employed at Narayanganj, is appointed to be a substantive *pro tempore* Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, *vice* Babu Madhu Sudan Ray, under orders of deputation to the Settlement Department.

Dacca.

No. 595J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Sitesh Chandra Sen, substantive *pro tempore* Additional Munsif of Serajganj, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is appointed to be a substantive *pro tempore* Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Bogra, *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Banarji, transferred.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 598J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Upendra Chandra Mazumdar, substantive *pro tempore* Additional Munsif, in the district of Chittagong, now employed at the Sadar station, is appointed to be a substantive *pro tempore* Additional Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Satkania, but for the present to be employed at Patiya, *vice* Babu Nikunja Bihari Banarji, under orders of deputation to the Settlement Department.

Chittagong.

No. 601J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Priya Nath Basu, substantive *pro tempore* Additional Munsif, in the district of Khulna, now employed at the Sadar Station, is appointed to be a substantive *pro tempore* Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Satkhira, *vice* Babu Binod Bihari Ray, transferred.

Khulna.

No. 604J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Dwijendra Nath Pal, substantive *pro tempore* Additional Munsif of Balurghat, in the district of Dinajpur, is appointed to be a substantive *pro tempore* Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Sudharam, *vice* Babu Prandhan Bhar.

Dinajpur. Noakhali.

No. 608J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Biman Bihari Sarkar, substantive *pro tempore* Additional Munsif of Iswarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be a substantive *pro tempore* Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Bajitpur, *vice* Babu Shashi Shekhar Ghosh, transferred.

Mymensingh.

No. 672J.D.—The 5th October 1918.—Mr. E. H. Keays, Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. D. Swinhoe, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 674J.D.—The 5th October 1918.—Mr. Pormotha Nath Dutt, Bar.-at-Law, is appointed, under section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to act as a Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, *vice* Mr. E. H. Keays, on deputation.

Calcutta.

No. 3726J.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Jadab Chandra Bhattacharji, Subordinate Judge, Dacca, is appointed to act as Small Cause Court Judge of Dacca and Munshiganj, and is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 3728J.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Ashutosh Pal, Munsif, on leave, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Jadab Chandra Bhattacharji, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 3730J.—The 8th October 1918.—In modification of Government Order No. 3378J., dated the 9th September 1918, Babu Surendra Chandra Basu, substantive *pro tempore* Munsif of Jalpaiguri, in the district of Dinajpur, is appointed to be a substantive *pro tempore* Munsif, in the district of Rangpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Nilphamari.

Dinajpur. Rangpur.

No. 3734J.—The 8th October 1918.—In modification of Government Order No. 451J.D, dated the 21st September 1918, Babu Kumud Bandhu Sen, Munsif of Habiganj, in the district of Sylhet, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Goalundo.

Sylhet. Faridpur.

No. 3867J.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Ashutosh Pal, Munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge, Dacca, from the 6th November 1918.

Dacca.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 3737J.—The 8th October 1918.—The following confirmations and promotions are sanctioned in the Judicial Branch of the Provincial Civil Service :—

Promoted to the first grade of Subordinate Judges.

1. Babu Lalit Mohan Das, with effect from the 28th February 1918, *vice* Babu Ambika Charan Majumdar, retired.
2. Babu Bhagabati Charan Kundu, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Sharat Kishore Basu, retired.
3. Babu Ananda Kishore Datta Ray, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Chandra Bhusan Banarji, retired.
4. Babu Nagendra Nath Chatarji, No. 1, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Kunja Bihari Gupta, retired.

Promoted to the second grade of Subordinate Judges.

1. Babu Umes Chandra Sen, with effect from the 28th February 1918, *vice* Babu Lalit Mohan Das, promoted.
2. Babu Bipin Chandra Chatarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Bhagabati Charan Kundu, promoted.
3. Babu Bhupal Chandra Gangali, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Ananda Kishore Datta Ray, promoted.
4. Babu Amulya Chandra Ghosh, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Nagendra Nath Chatarji, No. 1, promoted.
5. Babu Shyama Charan Ukil Banarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Sukumar Bhattacharji, retired.
6. Babu Apara Prasad Mukharji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Bipin Bihari Ghosh, retired.

Confirmed to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

1. Babu Paresh Nath Ray Chaudhuri, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Mr. Purna Chandra Basu, confirmed in the third grade of District and Sessions Judges. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.
2. Babu Parada Kinkar Mukharji, with effect from the 28th February 1918, *vice* Babu Umesh Chandra Sen, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.
3. Babu Hem Kumar Neogi, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Bipin Chandra Chatarji, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

Promoted to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

1. Babu Jitendra Prasad Chatarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Bhupal Chandra Gangali, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.
2. Babu Srish Chandra Chaudhuri, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Shyama Charan Ukil Banarji, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.
3. Babu Manmatha Nath Basu, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Apara Prasad Mukharji, promoted.
4. Mr. Iradat Ulla, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Debendra Nath Banarji, retired. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.*

1. Babu Jitendra Prasad Chatarji, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Paresh Nath Ray Chaudhuri, confirmed. The order of the 19th February 1918, promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, *vice* Mr. Purna Chandra Basu, is cancelled.
2. Babu Srish Chandra Chaudhuri, with effect from the 19th November 1917.

3. Babu Manmatha Nath Basu, with effect from the 19th November 1917.

4. Mr. Iradat Ulla, with effect from the 28th February 1918, *vice* Babu Parada Kinkar Mukharji, confirmed.

5. Babu Bhupal Chandra Sen, with effect from the 1st May 1918.

6. Babu Phanindra Mohan Chatarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Kumar Neogi, confirmed.

7. Babu Krishna Kumar Sen, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Jitendra Prasad Chatarji, confirmed.

8. Babu Amrita Lal Mukharji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Chaudhuri, confirmed.

9. Babu Bijay Gopal Chatarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Manmatha Nath Basu, confirmed.

10. Babu Nirad Ranjan Guha, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Mr. Iradat Ulla, confirmed.

11. Babu Rajendra Lal Sadhu, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Ghosh, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of District and Sessions Judges.

Confirmed in the first grade of Munsifs.

1. Babu Haripada Majumdar, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Paresh Nath Ray Chaudhuri, promoted.

2. Babu Kshetra Nath Banarji, with effect from the 28th February 1918, *vice* Babu Parada Kinkar Mukharji, promoted.

3. Babu Baman Das Mukharji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Kumar Neogi, promoted.

Promoted to the first grade of Munsifs.

1. Babu Kumud Kanta Basu, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice*, Babu Jitendra Prasad Chatarji, promoted.

2. Babu Satindra Nath Guha, with effect from the 1st May 1918.

3. Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Chaudhuri, promoted.

4. Babu Debabrata Mukharji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Manmatha Nath Basu, promoted.

5. Babu Nalini Kanta Basu, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Mr. Iradat Ulla, promoted.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the first grade of Munsifs.*

1. Babu Kumud Kanta Basu, with effect from the 17th November 1917 *vice* Babu Haripada Majumdar, confirmed. The order of the 23rd March 1918 promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, *vice* Babu Jitendra Prasad Chatarji is cancelled.

2. Babu Satindra Nath Guha, with effect from the 19th November 1917, *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Chaudhuri, promoted substantively *pro tempore*.

3. Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, with effect from the 19th November 1917, *vice* Babu Manmatha Nath Basu, promoted substantively *pro tempore*.

4. Babu Debabrata Mukharji, with effect from the 28th February 1918, *vice* Babu Kshetra Nath Banarji, confirmed.

5. Babu Narendra Nath Lahiri, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Baman Das Mukharji, confirmed.

6. Babu Surendra Krishna Ghosh, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Kumud Kanta Basu, confirmed.

7. Babu Sarada Prasad Banarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Satindra Nath Guha, confirmed.

8. Babu Hemendra Lal Singh, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, confirmed.

9. Babu Atul Chandra Banarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Debabrata Mukharji, confirmed.

10. Babu Mati Lal Ray, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Rajendra Lal Sadhu, promoted.

Confirmed in the second grade of Munsifs.

1. Babu Aswini Kumar Das, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Haripada Majumdar, promoted.

Promoted to the second grade of Munsifs.

1. Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Baman Das Mukharji, promoted.
2. Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Kumud Kanta Basu, promoted.
3. Babu Hem Chandra Basu, No. II, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Satindra Nath Guha, promoted.
4. Babu Mahendra Nath Mukhati, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Netai Charan Ghosh, promoted.
5. Babu Bimal Chandra Chatarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Debabrata Mukharji, promoted.
6. Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Nalini Kanta Basu, promoted.
7. Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, with effect from the 5th May 1918.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the second grade of Munsifs.*

1. Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Aswini Kumar Das, confirmed. The order of the 18th May 1918, promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, is cancelled.
2. Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, with effect from the 19th November 1917, *vice* Babu Satindra Nath Guha, promoted substantively *pro tempore*. The order of the 18th May 1918, promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, is cancelled.
3. Babu Hem Chandra Basu, No. II, with effect from the 19th November 1918, *vice* Babu Netai Charan Ghosh, promoted substantively *pro tempore*.
4. Babu Mahendra Nath Mukhati, with effect from the 28th February 1918.
5. Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, confirmed.
6. Babu Baku Lal Biswas, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, confirmed.
7. Babu Manmatha Chandra Basu, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, confirmed.
8. Babu Chandra Sekhar Sen, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Basu, No. II, confirmed.
9. Babu Natabihari Ghosh, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Mahendra Nath Mukhati, confirmed.
10. Babu Surjyamani De, with effect from the 5th May 1918, *vice* Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, confirmed.
11. Babu Praphulla Chandra Datta, with effect from the 6th July 1918, *vice* Babu Chandra Sekhar Sen, deceased.
12. Babu Ramesh Chandra Basu, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Mati Lal Ray, promoted.

Confirmed in the third grade of Munsifs.

1. Babu Upendra Kumar Kar, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Aswini Kumar Das, promoted.
2. Babu Debendra Chandra Biswas, with effect from the 28th February 1918.
3. Babu Daibaki Lal Sen Gupta, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, promoted.

Promoted to the third grade of Munsifs.

1. Babu Nripendra Nath Guha, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, promoted.
2. Babu Satya Prasanna Majumdar, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Mahendra Nath Mukhati, promoted.
3. Babu Praphulla Krishna Ghosh, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Bimal Chandra Chatarji, promoted.
4. Babu Satya Charan Mukharji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, promoted.
5. Babu Pran Kumar Basu, with effect from the 5th May 1918, *vice* Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, promoted.
6. Babu Rebati Mohan Goswami, with effect from the 6th July 1918, *vice* Babu Chandra Sekhar Sen, deceased.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the third grade of Munsifs.*

1. Babu Nripendra Nath Guha, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Upendra Kumar Kar, confirmed. The order of the 18th May 1918, promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, is cancelled.

2. Babu Prandhan Bhar, with effect from the 19th November 1917, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta, promoted substantively *pro tempore* and again from the 1st May 1918. The order of the 18th May 1918, promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, is cancelled.

3. Babu Satya Prasanna Majumdar, with effect from the 19th November 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Basu, No. II, promoted substantively *pro tempore.*

4. Babu Praphulla Krishna Ghosh, with effect from the 6th December 1917 and again from the 28th February 1918, *vice* Babu Debendra Chandra Biswas, confirmed.

5. Babu Satya Charan Mukharji, with effect from the 28th February 1918 to the 24th April 1918 and again from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Daibaki Lal Sen Gupta, confirmed.

6. Babu Pran Kumar Basu, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Nripendra Nath Guha, confirmed.

7. Babu Rebati Mohan Goswami, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Satya Prasanna Majumdar, confirmed.

8. Babu Hira Lal Mukharji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Praphulla Krishna Ghosh, confirmed.

9. Babu Narendra Kumar Mukharji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Satya Charan Mukharji, confirmed.

10. Babu Kshiroda Ranjan Dhar, with effect from the 1st May 1918.

11. Babu Jyotish Chandra Neogi, with effect from the 5th May 1918. *vice* Babu Pran Kumar Basu, confirmed.

12. Babu Rajendra Kumar Gupta, with effect from the 6th July 1918, *vice* Babu Rebati Mohan Goswami, confirmed.

13. Babu Madhu Sudan Ray, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Ramesh Chandra Basu, promoted substantively *pro tempore.*

Confirmed in the fourth grade of Munsifs.

1. Babu Dhirendra Kumar Mukharji, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Upendra Kumar Kar, promoted.

2. Babu Sharat Chandra De, with effect from the 28th February 1918, *vice* Babu Debendra Chandra Biswas, confirmed.

3 Babu Upendra Lal Das Gupta, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Daibaki Lal Sen Gupta, promoted.

4. Babu Rajendra Lal Chakrabatti, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Nripendra Nath Guha, promoted.

5. Babu Durga Prasanna Pal, with effect from the 1st May 1918.

Promoted to the fourth grade of Munsifs.

1. Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Satya Prasanna Majumdar, promoted.

2. Maulvi Paziruddin Ahmad, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Praphulla Krishna Ghosh, promoted.

3. Babu Kshirodeswar Banarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Satya Charan Mukharji, promoted.

4. Babu Sharat Chandra Mukharji, with effect from the 5th May 1918, *vice* Babu Pran Kumar Basu, promoted.

5. Babu Bishnu Pada Ray, with effect from the 6th July 1918, *vice* Babu Rebati Mohan Goswami, promoted.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade of Munsifs.*

1. Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, with effect from the 31st October 1917, *vice* Babu Bisseswar Majumdar, on deputation. The order of the 18th May 1918, promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, is cancelled.

2. Maulvi Paziruddin Ahmad, with effect from the 31st October 1917, *vice* Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, on deputation. The order of the 18th May 1918, promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, is cancelled.

3. Babu Kshirodeswar Banarji, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Dhirendra Kumar Mukharji, confirmed. The order of the 18th May 1918, promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, is cancelled.

4. Babu Sharat Chandra Mukharji, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Kshirodeswar Banarji, on deputation. The order of the 18th May 1918, promoting him substantively *pro tempore*, is cancelled.

5. Babu Bishnupada Ray, with effect from the 19th November 1917, *vice* Babu Prandhan Bhar, promoted.

6. Babu Kshitipati Nath Mitra, with effect from the 19th November 1917, *vice* Babu Satya Prasanna Majumdar, promoted substantively *pro tempore*.

7. Babu Nishi Kanta Banarji, with effect from the 6th December 1917, *vice* Babu Praphulla Krishna Ghosh, promoted substantively *pro tempore* and again from the 25th February 1918, *vice* Babu Sharat Chandra De, confirmed.

8. Babu Rabindra Nath Dhar, with effect from 28th February to 24th April 1918, *vice* Babu Satya Charan Mukharji, promoted substantively *pro tempore* and again from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Upendra Lal Das Gupta, confirmed.

9 Babu Kshitish Chandra Chatarji, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, confirmed Babu Kshitish Chandra Chatarji will continue to be on deputation.

10. Babu Bagala Prasanna Basu, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Kshitish Chandra Chatarji, on deputation.

11. Babu Harendra Kumar Maitra, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Kshirodeswar Banarji, on deputation.

12. Babu Bama Charan Chakrabatti, with effect from the 5th May 1918, *vice* Babu Sharat Chandra Mukharji, confirmed. Babu Bamacharan Chakrabatti will continue to be on deputation.

13. Babu Mayataru Haldar, with effect from the 5th May 1918, *vice* Babu Bama Charan Chakrabatti, on deputation.

14. Babu Pyari Mohan Chatarji, with effect from the 6th July 1918, *vice* Babu Bishnupada Ray, confirmed. Babu Pyari Mohan Chatarji will continue to be on deputation.

15. Babu Surendra Nath Mitra, with effect from the 6th July 1918, *vice* Babu Pyari Mohan Chatarji, on deputation.

16. Babu Manindra Prasad Singh, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Madhusudan Ray, promoted. Babu Manindra Prasad Singh will continue to be on deputation.

17. Babu Nirodeswar Banarji, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Manindra Prasad Singh, on deputation. Babu Nirodeswar Banarji will continue to be on deputation.

18. Babu Srish Chandra De, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Nirodeswar Banarji, on deputation.

Confirmed in the fifth grade of Munsifs.

1. Babu Satish Chandra Sen, with effect from the 17th November 1917, *vice* Babu Dhirendra Kumar Mukharji, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

2. Babu Gobinda Chandra Chakrabatti, with effect from the 28th February 1918, *vice* Babu Sharat Chandra De, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

3. Babu Atal Bihari Datta, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Upendra Lal Das Gupta, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

4. Babu Bhuban Mohan Singh, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Rajendra Lal Chakrabatti, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

5. Babu Satya Saran Guha, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Durga Prasanna Pal, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

6. Maulvi Saiyid Amjad Ali, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

7. Babu Satchidananda Gupta, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Maulvi Paziruddin Ahmad, promoted.

8 Babu Manindra Nath Bhanja, with effect from the 1st May 1918, *vice* Babu Kshirodeswar Banarji, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

9. Babu Suresh Chandra Sen, No. II, with effect from the 5th May 1918, *vice* Babu Sharat Chandra Mukharji, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

10. Babu Amulya Charan Chakrabatti, with effect from the 5th May 1918, *vice* Babu Sharat Chandra Mukharji, promoted. He is also confirmed in his present appointment.

LEAVE.

No. 669J.D.—The 5th October 1918.—Mr. D. Swinhoe, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 3864J.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Subordinate Judge and Small Cause Court Judge of Dacca and Munshiganj, is allowed leave under articles 271 and 345, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd October 1918, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 30th September 1918.

Dacca.

No. 3863J.—The 30th September 1918.—Binod Bihari Mukharji, Munsif of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave from the 18th July to the 2nd October 1918, viz., six days, under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period, under article 271 of the same Regulations, in modification of the leave granted to him, under the orders of the 8th and 27th August 1918.

Tippera.

E. B. H. PANTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8600A.—The 5th October 1918.—Mr. E. Brown, second grade Inspector (Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Police, Dacca), is promoted substantive *pro tempore* to the 1st grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* first grade Inspector Babu Adhar Chandra Basu, appointed substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police. He will continue to act as Deputy Superintendent of Police.

Dacca.

No. 8601A.—The 5th October 1918.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen, third grade Inspector, Birbhum, is promoted substantive *pro tempore* to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* Mr. E. Brown, second grade Inspector, promoted.

Birbhum.

No. 8602A.—The 5th October 1918.—Babu Sarat Chandra Ghosh, I, second grade Inspector, Midnapore, is promoted substantive *pro tempore* to the first grade, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* substantive *pro tempore* first grade Inspector Babu Kshetra Nath Basu, appointed substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police.

Midnapore.

No. 8603A.—The 5th October 1918.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Ray, third grade Inspector, Rangpur, is promoted substantive *pro tempore* to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* second grade Inspector Babu Sarat Chandra Ghosh, I, promoted.

Rangpur.

C. W. C. PLOWDEN,
Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 8th October 1918.

No. 98.—Mr. C. W. Sibold, Executive Engineer, is, on return from leave, appointed to officiate as Superintending Engineer of the Central Circle until further orders.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 5th October 1918.

No. 27R.—The following Notification issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 52P.—17, dated the 16th September 1918.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department, Railway Board.

IN continuation of this office Notification No. 52P.—17, dated the 31st August 1917, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Railway Board have sanctioned a detailed survey being carried out by the agency of the Assam-Bengal Railway Company for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Maungdaw to Akyab, a distance of about 77 miles.

2. This survey will be known as the Maungdaw-Akyab Railway.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 8th October 1918.

No. 101Marine.—Mr. C. W. H. Ansell, Senior Master Pilot, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, under article 676(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5455A.

No. 1997A.D.—The 30th September 1918.—Babu Manindra Lal Banarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for four months and eleven days, viz., privilege leave for one month and twenty-one days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th August 1918, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations.

No. 2030A.D.—The 1st October 1918.—The orders of the 10th June 1918, posting Babu Hangsha Prasad Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, to the Chittagong Division, are cancelled.

Chittagong Divn.

No. 2034A.D.—The 1st October 1918.—Babu Hangsha Prasad Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Presidency Division.

Presidency Divn.

No. 2123A.D.—The 5th October 1918.—Babu Harendra Narayan Bose, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Murshidabad.

No. 2148A.D.—The 7th October 1918.—Maulvi Ali Asghar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jhenida, Jessore, is allowed leave, on medical certificate, for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th September 1918.

Jessore.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 385.—The 2nd October 1918.—Maulvi Abdur Razzak, Sub-Registrar of Baliakandi, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave for two months granted to him in Notification No. 287, dated the 6th August 1918.

Faridpur.

No. 386.—The 2nd October 1918.—Babu Surendra Krishna Ray, Sub-Registrar of Indas, in the district of Bankura (on leave), is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Garbetta, in the district of Midnapore.

Bankura.
Midnapore.

No. 387.—The 2nd October 1918.—Babu Rajani Ranjan Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar of Garbetta, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Gopiballavpur, in the same district.

Midnapore.

No. 388.—The 2nd October 1918.—Babu Lakshmi Narayan Pathak, Sub-Registrar of Gopiballavpur, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kotalpore, in the district of Bankura.

Midnapore.
Bankura.

No. 389.—The 2nd October 1918.—Babu Tarak Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar of Monohardi, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Dacca.

No. 390.—The 2nd October 1918.—Babu Brindaban Chandra De, B.A., Sub-Registrar of Balurghat, in the district of Dinajpur, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for forty-nine days, with effect from the 5th November 1918.

Dinajpur.

No. 391.—The 2nd October 1918.—Mr. V. G. Andrews, Sub-Registrar of Boserhat, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and three days, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Noakhali.

No. 392.—The 5th October 1918.—Babu Shib Chandra Banerji, Sub-Registrar of Dhaniakhali, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and three days, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Hooghly.

No. 393.—The 5th October 1918.—Babu Haripada Sen, Sub-Registrar of Morrelganj, in the district of Khulna, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Khulna.

No. 394.—The 5th October 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Zaki Reza, Sub-Registrar of Chandpur, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date of his relief.

Tippera.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 12247, dated Calcutta, the 2nd October 1918.—Dr. H. Suhrawardy, took over charge of the Howrah Jail from Lieut.-Col. E. E. Waters, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 9th September 1918.

Howrah.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Campbell Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1410Medl. dated the 7th July 1913, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 11 A.M., on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 24th, 25th and 26th October 1918, at the Campbell Medical School.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School, at least one week before the 24th October 1918, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge. No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.

3. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

Note.—The attention of candidates is drawn to rules 9 and 10 and of the persons granting the certificates to rules 11 and 14 (*3*) and to the Certificate Forms C (*3*), D, E and F in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid notification as circulated by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Calcutta Hospitals, Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Chief Medical Officers, etc., with his Circular No. 25, dated the 22nd July 1913.

A. LEVENTON, F.R.C.S.I., D.P.H., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL, CALCUTTA, *the 28th August 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next examination for admission of students to the Compounder Class, Campbell Medical School, will be held on Tuesday, the 29th October 1918, between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M.

A. LEVENTON, F.R.C.S.I., D.P.H., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd September 1918.*

NOTICE.

EXAMINATION OF COMPOUNDERS AT THE DACCA MEDICAL SCHOOL.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next Half-yearly Examination of Compounders will be held on the 1st November 1918 and subsequent days.

The examination will be conducted in accordance with Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 1410 and 1411Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*a*) The Examination Committee will consist of—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R. Newman, C.I.E., M.D., I.M.S. *President.*
Teacher of Medicine ... ... } *Members.*
Teacher of Surgery ... ... }

No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government Notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*b*) All male candidates must forward to the undersigned an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the commencement of the examination; a fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination; but a candidate, who after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination, will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate to that effect, to attend the next examination without payment of a fresh fee.

NOTE.—Women candidates are examined free of charge.

(*c*) Passed compounders, who have completed the three months' course of dressing prescribed in rule 13, and students of the Licentiate Class of these schools, on completion of their second year's course, will be allowed to appear at an examination, to be conducted by the Superintendent of the school, as President and two of the teachers as members, in bandaging, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in the minor duties of hospital work. A fee of Rs. 2 shall be charged for this examination.

This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the Rules for the Grant of Certificates to Compounders, on production of a certificate that they have received instruction in a hospital or dispensary recognized by Government in bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in the duties of a hospital dresser. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for this examination.

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D. (Cantab), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;
The 12th September 1918.

NOTICE (*z*).

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next examination for admission of students to the Compounder Class, Medical School, Dacca, will be held on the 1st November 1918, at 8 A.M.

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D., (Cantab), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;
The 12th September 1918.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU LALIT KUMAR SEN, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, has been placed in the executive charge of the Jalpaiguri Treasury, with effect from the afternoon of the 16th September 1918, *vice* Babu Jatindra Nath Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, transferred, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

F. W. STRONG, *Deputy Commissioner.*

JALPAIGURI, *the 19th September 1918.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU BHUJENDRA NATH MUKHARJI has been placed in charge of the Howrah Treasury from the forenoon of the 1st October 1918, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

A. G. R. HENDERSON, *Collector.*

HOWRAH, *the 2nd October 1918.*

NOTICE.

BABU MANI MOHAN GHOSE, Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Dinajpur Treasury, *vice* Babu Ambu Nath Chatterjee, with effect from the 26th September 1918. He is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

B. BAGCHI, *Offg. Collector.*

DINAJPUR COLLECTORATE, *the 3rd October 1918.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

THE following Rule made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, under section 107 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 & 6 Geo., 5, Chapter 61), is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT;

ENGLISH DEPT.—CIVIL,

The 28th September 1918.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,

Registrar.

Rule.

Cancel Rule 94 at page 40, Chapter I, Volume I of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, and *substitute* therefor the following:—

"94 (*1*) Subject to the proviso in Order XXI, rule 43, sales of property in execution of decrees in the Courts (not being Courts of Small Causes) at each station of each district shall commence on a certain day in each month.

(*2*) (*a*) For the Courts at headquarters such day shall be fixed by the District Judge.

(*b*) In the districts of Burdwan, Midnapore, Hooghly, the 24-Parganas, Jessore, Dacca, Mymensingh, Faridpur, Bakarganj, Tippera, Chittagong and Sylhet, it will be in the discretion of the District Judge to divide the Courts at headquarters into groups and to fix consecutive days for the sales of each group.

(3) For the Courts at an outlying station, the day for the commencement of the sales shall be fixed by the District Judge in consultation with the Judges of those Courts o any one of them as he may think fit."

BABU MANMATHA NATH BASU, Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Rangpur.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT: N. G. A. EDGLEY,
CIVIL, *Registrar.*
The 30th September 1918.

BABU KUMUD BANDHU SEN, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Goalundo, in the district of Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Goalundo Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT: N. G. A. EDGLEY,
CIVIL, *Registrar.*
The 30th September 1918.

BABUS AMULYA GOPAL RAY and SATISH CHANDRA CHAKRABATTI, Munsifs of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, are vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Barisal Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT: N. G. A. EDGLEY,
CIVIL, *Registrar.*
The 2nd October 1918.

BABU MANMATHA CHANDRA BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Basirhat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Basirhat Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT: N. G. A. EDGLEY,
CIVIL, *Registrar.*
The 3rd October 1918.

BABU SATYA SARAN GUHA, substantive *pro tempore* Munsif, under orders of transfer to Hatiya, in the district of Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Hatiya Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT: N. G. A. EDGLEY,
CIVIL, *Registrar.*
The 3rd October 1918.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1918 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta,

on Monday, the Second day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

F. W. CARTER,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৮ সাল, তারিখ ২৫শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে স্থপ্রিম বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৮ সালের ২রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

এফ, ডব্লিউ, কার্টার,
সরিফ।

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 28For.—The 1st October 1918.—On the expiry of the period of deputation under the Director of Industries, Bengal, Mr. H. S. Gibson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is appointed to prepare working-plans for the forests of the Chittagong and Chittagong Hill Tracts Divisions, with headquarters at Chittagong.

Chittagong. Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 29For.—The 5th October 1918.—Babu Sachindra Nath Mitra, B.Sc., Probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, Instructor, Kurseong Forest School, is, on relief by Babu Sarat Kumar Mukharji, Forest Ranger, transferred to the charge of the Apalchand Range, Jalpaiguri Division.

Kurseong. Jalpaiguri.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 153J.C.T.—Babu Hari Das Chatterjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, Malda, is transferred temporarily to the Gaibandha subdivision of the Rangpur district.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP, DARJEELING *the 3rd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3601J.—Babu Surendra Nath De, Sub-Deputy Collector, Malda, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Pabna district.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 29th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3592J.—The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be non-official visitors of the Malda Jail :—

(1) Babu Pramatha Nath De. | (2) Khan Sahib Maulvi Kader Baksh.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 30th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 42L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the bye-election held at Gangni thana on the 6th September 1918, Munshi Zahiruddin Ahmed has been elected to be a member of the Meherpur Local Board, in the district of Nadia, in the place of Mr. C. D. Fraser, resigned.

Md. F. KARIM, *Persl. Asst.* for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Burdwan, of Babu Ashu Tosh Ray as their Chairman is approved under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 29th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Birbhum, of Babu Bhairab Nath Banerjee as their Chairman is approved under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 2nd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 76M.C.T.—In exercise of the power conferred on me by section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by Act V (B.C.) of 1908, I approve the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Pabna, of Maulvi A. M. Abdul Hamid to be their Chairman.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP, DARJEELING, *the 4th October 1918*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 43L.S.-G.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended by section 13(*b*) of the Local Self-Government Act, V of 1908, I approve the election of the following gentlemen as Chairmen of the several Local Boards, in the district of Murshidabad, mentioned against their names :—

Sadar	...	Babu Nilmani Bhattacharji, B.A.
Kandi	...	The Subdivisional Officer, Kandi (*Ex-officio.*)
Jangipur	...	Maulvi Syud Abul Fazal.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4058G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20(*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, Babu Kumudini Kanta Mukhuti has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Dispensary at Chandpur, in the district of Tippera, in place of Babu Mohendra Kumar Mukherjee, deceased.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 30th September 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the King Edward Charitable Dispensary at Midnapore, in the district of Midnapore :—

1. The District Magistrate, Midnapore ..
2. The Civil Surgeon, Midnapore ...
3. The Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Midnapore ...
4. The Vice-Chairman, Midnapore Municipality
5. The Vice-Chairman, Midnapore District Board

Ex-officio.

6. Babu Shital Prosad Ghose.
7. „ Manmatha Nath Bose.
8. „ Peary Lal Dutt.
9. „ Raja Behary Bose,
10. Maulvi Mahmood Suhrawardy.
11. Maulvi Saminuddin Ahmad

D. H. LEE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 2nd October 1918*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 12266—The 1st October 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Gobindapur Co-operative Credit Society (registered No. 147 of 1914), in the district of Nadia, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Nadia, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 12352.—The 3rd October 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Chinchira Co-operative Credit Society (registered No. 572 of 1910), in the district of Midnapore, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Midnapore, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following Notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 28th September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION. *

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

Simla, the 28th September 1918.

No. 10168.—The following War Trade Department list, dated the 2nd July 1918, of goods the export of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited or restricted, is published for general information :—

WAR TRADE DEPARTMENT,
4, CENTRAL BUILDINGS,
WESTMINSTER, S. W. 1.
2nd July 1918.

List of goods the export of which is prohibited by the Royal Proclamation of the 10th May 1917, as amended by Orders of Council of the 22nd June 1917, the 13th July 1917, the 14th August 1917, the 28th August 1917, the 18th October 1917, the 27th November 1917, the 18th December 1917, the 22nd January 1918, the 8th February 1918, the 26th February 1918, the 8th March 1918, the 12th April 1918, the 25th April 1918, the 14th May 1918, the 11th June 1918, and the 2nd July 1918, to be exported from the United Kingdom to the following destinations, viz. :—

Goods marked (A) to All Destinations ;
Goods marked (B) to All Ports and Destinations Abroad other than Ports and Destinations in British Possessions and Protectorates ;
Goods marked (C) to All Destinations in European and Asiatic Russia and in other Foreign Countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean, except France and French Possessions, Italy and Italian Possessions, Spain and Portugal, and to all Ports in any such Foreign Countries.

The dates appended to various prohibitions are those of Orders of Council imposing or amending those prohibitions since the Royal Proclamation of 10th May 1916. Where no date appears it may be assumed that the prohibition stands as it did on the 10th May 1916.

List E (page 551).—Goods specially prohibited by Royal Proclamation of the 25th June 1918, to be exported to Switzerland. The goods in this list are consignable to the Société Suisse de Surveillance Economique. It must be understood, however, that all goods mentioned in the General List, pages 532 to 551, are prohibited to be exported to Switzerland whether mentioned in List E or not. Goods mentioned in the General List but not in List E are not consignable to the Société Suisse de Surveillance Economique.

List F (page 559).—Goods specially prohibited by Royal Proclamation of the 29th September 1917, to be exported to Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Holland.

* This list cancels all similar lists issued by the War Trade Department prior to 2nd July 1918

Orders of Council issued subsequently to the date of this list are published in the "Board of Trade Journal," which may be obtained either directly or through any bookseller from the undermentioned branches of H. M. Stationery Office :—

London : Imperial House, Kingsway, W. C. 2,
Cardiff : 1, St. Andrew's Crescent,
Manchester : 37, Peter Street,
Edinburgh : 23, Forth Street,

or from Messrs. E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 115, Grafton Street, Dublin.

Attention of exporters is drawn to the fact that various articles marked B or C may, in view of the percentage of copper contained in them, be subject to the Copper Prohibition (List A) (See "Copper.")

Application must therefore be made to the War Trade Department for licenses to export goods which fall within the aforementioned copper prohibition on account of the quantity of copper contained therein. Such applications should always indicate clearly the actual quantity of copper and or copper alloys the goods contain.

A

Abrasives, artificial, see Emery.
(B) Accoutrements, not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17.
(A) Acetanilide, 11-6 18.
(A) Acetates, all metallic.
(A) Acetic acid.
(A) Acetic Anhydride, 19-2-17.
(A) Aceto-celluloses.
(A) Acetones and their compounds and preparations, 7-6-16.
Acetylene burners, see Burners.
(A) Acetylsalicylic acid (aspirin) and its preparations.
(A) Aconite root, 11-6-18.
(A) Acriflavine, proflavine and other acridine derivatives having antiseptic or therapeutic properties, and mixtures or preparations containing any of those substances, 18-10-17.
(C) Adrenaline, 22-6-17.
Adzes, see Tools, see also Handles.
(A) Aerated and Mineral Waters, 1-5-17.
(A) Aeroplane dope.
(A) Aeroplane engines and their component parts.
(C) Agar-agar, 23-10-16.
Agricultural machinery, see Machinery.
(A) Aircraft of all kinds and their component parts, together with accessories and articles suitable for use in connection with aircraft.
Aircraft, Steel stampings suitable for, see Steel.
Ajowan seeds, see Seeds.
(A) Albumen, 8-9-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Alcohol, absolute.
(A) Alcohol, ethylic, mixtures and preparations containing (not otherwise prohibited) ; 14-8-17.
(A) Alcohol, methylic, and its esters, 15-1-17.
Ale, see Beer.
(C) Algae, 1-5-17.
(B) Algin and its compounds ; 12-12-16, 1-5-17, 12-1-18.
Alkaline bromides, see Bromine.
Alkaline tartrates, see Tartaric acid.
(A) Aloes ; 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
Alumina, see Phosphate Rock.
(A) Aluminium, alloys of aluminium and manufactures of aluminium, or of its alloys, 18-10-17.
(A) Aluminium nitrate.
(B) Aluminium, oxides of, and mixtures containing aluminium oxides.
(A) Aluminium powder.
(C) Aluminium, salts of (except aluminium nitrate and sulphate, alumino-ferric, and ammonia alum),
(B) Aluminium sulphate.
(B) Alumino-ferric.
Alundum, see Emery.
(B) Alunite.
(C) Alypin, 22-6-17.
(A) Ambergris, 8-2-18.
(A) American cotton ties, varnished or blacked, 28-7-16.
(A) Amidol and mixtures containing amidol.
(B) Amidopyrine, 10-5-17.
(B) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound, and mixtures containing such salts (except ammonia liquor, liquefied ammonia, ammonium alum, ammonium carbonate, chloride, nitrate perchlorate, sulphate and sulphocyanide, and nickel ammonium sulphate, and mixtures containing such ammonium salts), 19-1-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Ammonia, liquefied, 22-1-18.
(A) Ammonia liquor, 22-1-18.
(A) Ammonium alum and mixtures containing ammonium alum, 22-1 18.
(A) Ammonium carbonate and mixtures containing ammonium carbonate : 22-1-18.
(A) Ammonium chloride, including muriate of ammonia and salammoniac, and mixtures containing these substances, 22-1-18.
(A) Ammonium nitrate and mixtures containing ammonium nitrate ; 19-1-17, 26-2-18.
(A) Ammonium perchlorate and mixtures containing ammonium perchlorate 26-2-18.
(A) Ammonium sulphate and sulphocyanide, 26-2-18.
(A) Amyl acetate and other amyl esters ; 15-1-17.
Amyl alcohol, see Fusel Oil.
(C) Amylene, 22-6-17.
(A) Anchors, 30-3-17.
(C) Anchusa, 22-6-17.
(A) Anchusin, 22-6-17.
(A) Aneroids, suitable for aircraft.
Animal fats, see Fats.

Animal hair, see Hair.
Animal hoofs, see Gluestock.
Animal oils, see Oils.
Animal waxes, see Waxes.
(A) Animals, living, for food, 12-12-16.
(A) Animals, pack, saddle and draught, suitable, or which may become suitable, for use in war, 8-1-15.
(A) Anthracene oil, and mixtures and preparations containing anthracene oil, 26-7-16, 2-2-17.
(B) Antimony and alloys of antimony.
(C) Antimony, compounds of (except sulphides and oxides of antimony).
(A) Antimony, sulphides and oxides of, and mixtures containing sulphides and oxides of antimony, 11-6-18.
(A) Antipyrine (phenazone) and its preparations.
(A) Anti-tetanus serum.
(A) Anvils, 12-3-17, 27-11-17.
Apatites, see Phosphate Rock.
(C) Apiol, 22-6-17.
(C) Apparel, waterproof wearing, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 17-11-16.
(A) Araroba or Goa powder, 27-11-17, 11-6-18.
(A) Areca or betel nuts, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Arecoline, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Armour plates, armour quality castings, and similar protective material.
(A) Arms, not being Firearms and their component parts.
(A) Arrowroot.
(B) Arsenical ore, 18-10-17.
(B) Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, and mixtures containing arsenic, 18-10-17.
(A) Asbestos and articles manufactured wholly or partly of asbestos, 27-11-17.
Aspirin, see Acetylsalicylic Acid.
(A) Asphalt and articles containing asphalt, 22-6-17, 22-1-18, 26-2-18.
(A) Asphalt, coal tar, 25-5-16, 22-6-17, 22-1-18.
Augers, see Tools.
(A) Axes, 10-5-17, 27-11-17, see also Handles.
Axles, see Carts, Bicycles, Motor Vehicles, Railway Material, Waggons.

B

(A) Baggings, old.
(A) Bags and sacks made wholly or partly of jute other than such bags or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(C) Bags, wrappers or sacks not otherwise specifically prohibited (except unwoven paper bags) other than such bags, wrappers or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings, 19-12-16.
Bakery utensils, see Tinplate.
(A) Baking powder, 12-3-17.
Balata, see Rubber.
Ball bearings, see Bearings.
Ball clay, see Clay.
(A) Balsams, 12-4-18.
(C) Bamboo, 4-7-16.
(A) Banana meal and banana flour and preparations containing banana meal and banana flour, 22-6-17.
Bandoliers, leather, see Leather Goods.
Barbed wire, see Wire.
(B) Barium peroxide, 30-3-17.
(B) Barium sulphate, 11-6-18.
Bark, see Cascarilla, Cinchona, Cuprea, Quillaia, Quercitron, Saponaceous berries.
(A) Barley, barley meal and pearled and pot barley.
(A) Barographs, suitable for aircraft.
(A) Barometers and their component parts, 17-11-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Barrels and casks, wooden (other than such barrels or casks as contain goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as the containers of such goods), whether whole or in shooks, and their distinctive component parts, 12-12-16, 1-5-17, 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
(A) Basic slag, 23-10-16.
(A) Baskets and basket ware, 1-5-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Baudruche skin.
(B) Bauxite.
(A) Bayonets and their component parts.
(A) Beans of all kinds including haricots, but not including Calabar and St. Ignatius beans, which see, 12-12-16, 27-11-17.
(A) Bean flour and meal.
Bearded needles, see Needles.
(A) Bearings, ball and roller and steel balls and rollers suitable for bearings, 15-8-16.
(B) Bedding (not including bedsteads and parts thereof), 1-5-17, 8-3-18.
(A) Bedsteads, metal, and metal frames for bedsteads, 12-4-18.
(A) Beer and ale, 1-5-17.
(A) Beeswax, 28-8-17.
Beet seed, see Seeds.
Belaying pins, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Belladonna and its preparations.
(A) Belladonna alkaloids, and their salts and preparations.
Belt fasteners, see Castings and Wire.
(A) Belting, cotton, including belting made with cotton duck impregnated with balata or with rubber, 14-5-18.
(B) Belting, woven hair, 8-3-18.
(C) Belting, not otherwise prohibited, 8-3-18.
Belting, see Cotton, Leather, Linen, Rubber, &c.
Belts, see Leather Goods.
Benzamine, see Eucaine Hydrochloride.
(A) Benzoic acid (synthetic) and benzoates, 12-4-18.
(A) Benzol and its compounds and preparations.

Betel nuts, see Areca.
(C) Bicycles and their component parts not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17 (see also Motor).
(A) Binder twine, 23-10-16, 12-3-17.
(A) Binnacles, 30-3-17.
(A) Binoculars and their component parts, 10-5-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Bins, iron or steel, 12-4-18.
Biscuit meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Biscuits.
(C) Bismuth and its salts (except bismuth nitrate).
(A) Bismuth nitrate.
(A) Bitumen, liquid or solid, and articles containing bitumen, 10-5-17, 22-6-17, 22-1-18, 26-2-18.
(A) Bladders, 19-2-17, see also Fish Bladders.
(B) Blankets, manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair, 8-3-18.
(C) Blankets, not otherwise prohibited, 8-3-18.
(A) Bleaching powder, 8-9-16.
Blocks, wood and iron rigging, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Boats and craft, 10-5-17, 18-12-17.
(A) Bobbins and their component parts, 22-6-17.
(A) Boilers, including portable boilers and their component parts, 25-5-16, 14-5-18.
Boiler packings, see Packings.
(A) Boiler tubes.
(A) Bolts, iron and steel, 13-7-17.
Bolts, see also Ships' rigging.
Bone ash, see Bones.
(A) Bone black, 5-1-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Bones (except fish bones) in any form and bone ash (see also Fish bones, Whalebone).
(A) Boots and shoes, with soles, or uppers of leather, 8-7-16, 30-3-17.
(C) Boots and shoes not otherwise prohibited, 30-3-17.
Boots and shoes, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following, 8-9-16, 15-1-17, 19-2-17, 1-5-17, 22-6-17, 13-7-17.
(A) Boots and shoes grindery, including clog nails.
(A) Cutters, 2-7-18.
(A) Drivers, 2-7-18.
(A) Eyelets, 2-7-18.
(A) Groovers, 2-7-18.
(A) Hooks, 2-7-18.
(A) Lasts, 14-8-17.
(A) Shoemakers' machines and their component parts, 14-8-17.
(A) Shoemakers' tools, hand and machine, 14-8-17.
(C) Borax and mixtures containing borax.
(C) Boric acid.
Boring cutters, see Tools.
(C) Boron compounds.
(A) Bottles, metal, such as can be used for containing mercury, 1-5-17.
Bottles, metal, see Hollow-ware, Tinplate.
Bowls, see Tinplate.
Braces and bits, see Tools.
Braid, see Hemp; Silk.
Bran, see Offals of Corn.
Brass, see Copper.
Brazier, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Bread.
Brewers' grains, see Grains.
Bricks, see Fireclay, Magnesite, Silica.
(A) Bristles 26-6-16, 8-3-18, 2-7-18.
Broccoli seed, see Seeds.
(A) Bromine and alkaline bromides, 12-4-18.
Bronze, see Copper.
(A) Bronze powder, 10-5-17.
(A) Brooms and brushes, 10-5-17, 8-3-18, 2-7-18.
Brussels sprouts seed, see Seeds.
(A) Buchu leaves, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Buckets, iron or steel, 12-4-18.
Buckles, see Castings.
(A) Buckwheat, 12-12-16.
Buffalo hides, see Hides.
Builders' ironmongery, see Castings.
Bullion, see Silver.
(C) Burners, acetylene.
(A) Butter.

C

Cabbage seed, see Seeds.
(A) Cables, chain.
(B) Cables, insulated.
Cables, see also Copper manufactures.
(B) Cadmium, alloys of cadmium and cadmium ore, 15-8-16.
(A) Caffeine and its salts, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Cakes and Meals (which may be used as forage or food for animals), the following:—
Biscuit meal.
Calf meal.
Coconut and poonac cake.
Compound cakes and meal.
Cotton seed cake and cotton seed meal.
Fish meal and concentrated fish.
Gluten meal or gluten feed.
Ground nut or earth nut cake and meal.
Hemp seed cake and meal.
Husk meal.
Linseed cake and meal.
Locust bean meal.
Maize germ meal.
Maize meal and flour.
Meat meal.
Palm nut cake and meal.
Poppy seed cake and meal.
Rape seed or colza seed cake and meal.
Sesame seed cake and meal.
Soya bean cake and meal.
Sunflower seed cake and meal.
Whale cake.
Whale meal.
(A) Cakes.
(A) Calabar beans, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Calcium carbide, 12-3-17.
(C) Calcium silicide, 1-5-17.
(C) Calcium sulphate.
(C) Calcium sulphide.
Calf meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Calfskins.
(A) Calumba root, 11-6-15.
(A) Calves, stomachs, 25-5-16.
Cambrics, see Cotton.

(B) Camp equipment, military articles of, not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17.
Camp kettles, see Kettles.
(B) Camphor, 1-5-17.
Canary seed, see Seeds.
(A) Candles, 1-5-17, 8-2-18.
(A) Canes, unmounted, 14-5-18.
Cannabis Indica, see Indian hemp.
(A) Cannon and other ordnance, and their component parts.
Cans, see Hollow-ware, Tinplate.
(A) Cantharides, 12-4-18.
Canvas, cotton, see Cotton.
(C) Canvas, old ship.
(A) Canvas cuttings.
Caoutchouc, see Rubber, also Gums.
(A) Capsicum, including oleo resin of capsicum, 2-7-18.
(A) Caramel, liquid or solid, 1-5-17.
(A) Carbolic acid and compounds thereof, and preparations containing carbolic acid.
(A) Carbon, Brazilian.
Carbon electrodes, see Electrodes.
(A) Carbon, gas, 19-2-17.
(A) Carbons, suitable for searchlights.
(A) Carbon disulphide.
(B) Carbon tetrachloride and its preparations.
Carbonyl chloride, see Phosgene.
Carborundum, see Emery.
(A) Card clothing, 1-5-17, 10-5-17.
Card pins, see Steel.
Cardboard, see Paper.
Carnauba wax, see Wax.
(B) Carpets and carpet rugs made wholly or partly of wool or hair, 8-3-18.
(C) Carpets and carpet rugs, not otherwise prohibited, 8-3-18.
Carrot seed, see Seeds.
(A) Carriages and mountings for cannon and other ordnance and their component parts.
Carriages, see Railway.
(A) Cartridges, charges of all kinds, and their component parts, and tools, appurtenances and accessories for the filling and repair of rifle and shot gun cartridges, 8-2-18.
(B) Carts, two wheeled, capable of carrying 15 cwt. or over, and their component parts.
(A) Casein and preparations thereof, 17-11-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Cascara Sagrada and its preparations, 30-3-17, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Cascarilla bark, 12-4-18.
(A) Casings, 19-2-17.
Casks, see Barrels.
(A) Cassava powder.
(A) Castings, malleable; hæmatite iron, the following, 12-3-17, 14-8-17 :—

Belt fasteners.
Buckles.
Builders' ironmongery.
Chain fittings.
Coat and hat hangers.
Conduit fittings.
Cycle fittings.
Furniture fittings.
Hinges.
Horse clippers.
Lamp fittings.
Pipe flanges.
Spurs.
Stove fittings.
Tramway fittings.

Castings, see Armour Plates and Shipbuilding material.
Cast iron guttering, etc., see Guttering.
Cast iron pipes, see Pipes.
(A) Catechu, 11-6-18.
Cattle foods, see Cakes and meal.
Cattle foods, patent and proprietary, see Patent.
Cattle hides, see Hides.
Cauliflower seed, see Seeds.
Caustic potash, see Potash.
Caustic Magnesite, see Magnesite.
Caustic soda, see Soda.
Celery seed, see Seeds.
(A) Celluloid.
(A) Celluloid articles, wholly or partly manufactured of, 1-5-17, 10-5-17, 22-1-18.
(A) "Celluloid" sheet, non-inflammable, and similar transparent material non-soluble in lubricating oil, petrol or water.
(A) Cement for building and engineering purposes, 14-5-18.
(A) Cereals, prepared foods derived wholly or partly from.
(B) Cerium, oxide and salts of, 10-5-17.
(A) Cerium and its alloys (except ferrocerium, the exportation of which is prohibited to all ports and destinations abroad other than ports and destinations in British Possessions and Protectorates).
Chain cables, see Cables.
Chain fittings, see Fittings.
Chains, rigging, Ships' rigging.
Chamois, see Leather and Leather goods.
(C) Charcoal.
Charges, see Cartridges.
(A) Cheese.
Chestnut extract, see Tanning extracts.
(A) Chicory, 30-3-17, 27-11-17.
Chicory seed, see Seeds.
(A) Chick peas, 12-12-16.
China clay, see Clay.
China fibre, see Fibre.
(C) China stone.
Chisels, see Tools.
(A) Chloral and its compounds and preparations, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Chloroform, 12-4-18. See also Halogen derivatives, &c.
(A) Chlorates, all metallic.
(C) Chlorides, metallic and metalloidic, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
(B) Chlorine.
Choppers, see Tools.
(B) Chrome ore.
(B) Chromium, compounds of (except chromium acetate, chromium chlorate and chromium nitrate), and mixtures containing such compounds of chromium.
(A) Chromium acetate.
(A) Chromium chlorate.
(A) Chromium nitrate.
(A) Chronometers, 23-10-16.
(C) Chrysarobin, 27-11-17, 11-6-18.

Chucks, see Tools.
Cigarette paper, see Paper.
(A) Cinchona bark, its alkaloids and their salts and preparations of any of these substances, 1-5-17, 27-11-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Cinematograph films.
Cisterns, see Hollow-ware.
(B) Citrates. 22-6-17.
(B) Citric acid, 25-5-16, 30-3-17.
(C) Clay, china, potters and ball.
Clay, fire, see Fire clay.
Cleats, see Ships' rigging.
Cleavers, see Tools.
Clog nails, see Boots and shoes.
Clothing, see Card, Uniform, Apparel, Wool, Silk.
Cloth, see Cotton, Hemp, Insulating materials, Jute, Wool, etc.
Clover seed, see Seeds.
(A) Coal, except coal allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as bunker coal, 27-11-17.
(A) Coal tar.
Coal tar asphalt, see Asphalt.
(A) Coal tar, all products obtainable from and derivatives thereof, suitable for use in the manufacture of dyes and explosives, whether obtained from coal tar or other sources, and mixtures and preparations containing such products or derivatives, 26-7-16.
Coat and hat hangers, see Castings.
(B) Cobalt, cobalt ore, and alloys of cobalt.
(A) Cobalt nitrate.
(B) Cobalt, oxides and salts of (except cobalt nitrate), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of cobalt.
(A) Cobaltchrom and similar alloys, 12-4-18.
(A) Coca leaves and their preparations, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Cocaine and its salts and preparations; 17-11-16.
Coconut cake, see Cakes and Meals.
Coconuts, see Oleaginous Kernels, etc.
(A) Cocoa, raw, and manufactures thereof, 19-2-17.
(A) Cocoa husks, 19-2-17.
(A) Cocoa shells, 19-2-17.
Cocoons, see Silk.
(A) Coffee, 19-2-17.
(A) Coffee essence, including coffee essence containing Chicory, 27-11-17.
(B) Coir yarn, 1-5-17.
(A) Coke and manufactured fuel, 18-12-17.
(B) Colchicum and its preparations.
Collar check, see Wool.
(A) Collodion.
(A) Colocynth, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
Colza seed, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Comb pins, see Steel.
Combs, see Curry.
Combings, see Malt.
(A) Compasses for ships, and component parts thereof, 30-3-17.
(A) Compasses, other than ships' compasses, and their component parts, 2-7-18.
Compound cakes and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Condenser tubes, see Shipbuilding materials.
(A) Condiments (except Table Salt) not otherwise specifically prohibited, 1-5-17, 2-7-18.
Conduit fittings, see Castings.
(A) Confectionery manufactured wholly or partly of sugar, 12-3-17.
(A) Copper acetate.
(C) Copper, compounds of (except copper acetate, copper iodide, copper nitrate, copper sulphate, and suboxide of copper) and mixtures containing such compounds of copper.
(B) Copper iodide.
(A) Copper manufactures, the following:— 23-2-17.
All articles wholly or partly manufactured or copper or its alloys except articles partly manufactured of copper or its alloys in which the total weight of copper and copper alloy does not exceed 5 per cent. of the total weight of the article, and does not exceed 56 lbs.
(A) Copper nitrate.
(A) Copper ore, regulus, matte, concentrate and precipitate, 27-2-17.
(A) Copper, whether refined or unrefined, unwrought, wrought, or partly wrought of all kinds and descriptions, including brass, bronze, yellow metal, and all other alloys of copper, 23-2-17.
(A) Copper stamps for stamping woven piece goods, 28-6-16.
(B) Copper, suboxide of, and mixtures containing suboxide of copper.
(A) Copper sulphate, 12-4-18.
(A) Coppers and their component parts, 14-5-18.
Copra, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Cordage and Twine, see Binder twine, Flax, Hemp manufactures, Jute cordage.
Cordite presses, see Implements, &c.
(A) Cork and cork dust, and articles manufactured therefrom, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 22-1-18, 14-5-18.
(B) Corks, crown, 14-5-18.
(A) Cornflour.
(A) Corn grits.
Corn offals, see Offals.
Corundum, see Emery.
Corrugated sheets, see Galvanised sheets.
Cotton, manufactures of, the following:—
(A) Typewriter cloth and fine cotton cambrics, in the grey, from 40 to 50 inches wide and weighing from 1¼ ounces to 4 ounces per square yard, 11-6-18.
(C) Cotton, all manufactures, mixtures, and products of, not otherwise specifically prohibited.

Cotton belting, see Belting.
(A) Cotton canvas, duck or sailcloth, weighing more than 25 ounces per square yard, 14-5-18.
(A) Cotton pulp.
(A) Cotton rags and rags containing cotton.
(A) Cotton raw, 12-3-17.
(A) Cotton yarn, made from or containing Sea Island Cotton, whether grown in the United States of America or the West Indies, 1-5-17, 14-5-18.
Cotton seed, see Oleaginous Kernels, &c.
Cotton seed cake, and cotton seed meal, see Cakes and Meal.
(A) Cotton shoddy.
Cotton ties, see American.
(A) Cotton Wadding, and articles containing cotton wadding.
(A) Cotton waste, and articles containing cotton waste.
(A) Cotton wool, and articles containing cotton wool.
Craft, see Boats.
Cramps, see Tools.
Cream of Tartar, see Tartaric Acid.
(A) Creosote and creosote oils (except wood tar oil, for which see Oils) and mixtures and preparations containing such creosote or creosote oils, 26-7-16, 2-2-17.
(A) Cresol, compounds and preparations of cresol and nitro-cresol, 18-10-17.
Crowbars, see Tools.
(B) Crucibles (plumbago).
(A) Crysolite, 15-8-16.
Crystolon, see Emery.
(A) Cubebs, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
Culms, see Malt.
(C) Cuprea bark, 27-11-17.
(A) Curry combs, 15-8-16.
(A) Cutch, and extracts thereof, 28-8-17.
Cutters, see Boots and Shoes, materials for; Tools, Small; Wire barbed.
(A) Cyanamide.
Cycle fittings, see Castings.
Cycles, see Bicycles, Motor Vehicles.
(A) Cylinders, metal, capable of use for the storage of gases or liquids under pressure, 14-8-17.

D

Dairy utensils, see Tinplate.
(A) Damiana; 12-4-18.
(A) Dari.
Deadeyes, see Ships' rigging.
(B) Deer skins.
Delta metal, see Copper.
(A) Dextrine and all articles and mixtures and preparations containing dextrine, 19-2-17, 10-5-17.
Dhol, see Gram.
(A) Diamonds suitable for industrial purposes.
(A) Diatomite or infusorial earth, 2-7-18.
Dies for cartridge cases, see Implements, &c.
(A) Diethylbarbituric acid (veronal) and veronal sodium
Diesel engines, see Shipbuilding material.
(C) Digitaline, 22-6-17.
(A) Dimethylaniline.
Distillers' grains, see Grains, &c.
(B) Docks, floating, and their component parts.
Domestic utensils, see Hollow-ware; Tinplate.
Down, see Feathers.
Drawings, see Maps.
(B) Draw plates, jewelled for drawing wire, 8-1-15.
Drilling posts, see Tools.
Drivers, see Boots and Shoes, material for.
(A) Drums, iron or steel, other than such drums as contain goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as the containers of such goods, 14-5-18.
Duck, cotton, see Cotton.
(A) Dyes and dyestuffs manufactured from coal tar products, and articles containing such dyes and dyestuffs.
(C) Dyes, vegetable, and dyestuffs and their extracts used in the preparation of vegetable dyes, and articles containing such dyes, dyestuffs and extracts, not otherwise prohibited, 28-8-17.

E

Earth nut cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Earth nuts, see Oleaginous Kernels.
(A) Eggs in shells.
(A) Egg Powder, 1-5-17.
(A) Egg, yolk and liquid, 8-9-16, 19-2-17.
(C) Electrical apparatus and plant for the generation, distribution and utilisation of electric power not otherwise prohibited, see also Copper and Magnetos, 17-11-16.
Electrical insulating materials, see Insulating.
(B) Electric lamps (except carbon filament lamps, arc lamps for street lighting and pocket electric lamps and their component parts; 7-6-16, 12-12-16.
(C) Electric lamps, pocket, and their component parts, 12-12-16.
Electric lamp filaments, see Tungsten.
(A) Electrodes, carbon, for electric furnaces.
(A) Emery and corundum and manufactures thereof, carborundum, alundum, crystolon, and all other artificial abrasives and manufactures thereof, 7-6-16, 17-11-16, 11-6-18.
(A) Emetin and its salts.
Enamel, gold, see Gold.
Engine packings, see Packings.
Engines, internal combustion, see Shipbuilding material.
Engines, see Aeroplane, Railway carriages.
(B) Equipment, military, not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17.
Equipment web, see Web.
(A) Ergot of rye, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(C) Ergotine, 22-6-17.
(C) Eryngo, 22-6-17.
(C) Eserine, 22-6-17.
(A) Esparto grass.

Essential oils, see Oils.
(A) Ether, acetic.
(A) Ether, formic.
(A) Ether, sulphuric.
Ethylic alcohol, see Alcohol.
(A) Eucaine hydrochloride, eucaine (benzamine) lactate, and their preparations.
(C) Exalgin, 22-6-17.
(A) Explosives.
Eyelets, see Boots and shoes, materials for.
Eyeplates, see Ships' rigging.

F

Faller pins, see Steel.
(A) Farina, 19-2-17.
Farming implements, see Machinery, agricultural.
(A) Fats, all animal and vegetable, and articles and mixtures containing such fats, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 19-2-17, 27-11-17.
(A) Fatty acids, and articles and mixtures containing fatty acids, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 27-11-17.
(C) Feathers and down, except ornamental feathers, 4-7-16, 15-8-16, 29-9-16.
(C) Felspar, 4-7-16.
Fencing staples, see Wire.
(B) Felt made wholly or partly of wool or hair (except roofing felt and saddle felt, which see); 8-3-18.
(C) Felt, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 8-9-16, 26-2-18.
(A) Felt roofing, 26-2-18.
Felt, saddle, see Wool.
Fenugreek seed, see Seeds.
Ferberite, see Tungsten Ores.
(C) Ferrets, 19-12-16.
Ferro-alloys, the following:—
(B) Ferro-cerium.
(B) Ferro-chrome.
(A) Ferro-manganese, 22-6-17.
(A) Ferro-molybdenum.
(B) Ferro-titanium.
(B) Ferro-vanadium.
(B) Silicon spiegel, 15-8-16.
(B) Spiegeleisen.
(A) Ferro-silicon.
Fibre, Maguey, see Hemp.
Fibre matting, see Mats.
(A) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 15-8-16, 19-12-16, 1-5-17, 28-8-17, 8-2-18.
(C) Fibres, vegetable; tissues and manufactures thereof not otherwise specifically prohibited, 8-2-18.
Fibre, vulcanised, see Insulating materials.
(A) Field glasses, and their component parts, 2-7-18.
Filaments for Electric Lamps, see Tungsten
Files, see Shoemakers' tools, Tools, small.
Films, see Cinematograph; Photographic.
Finings, see Glue.
(A) Firearms and their component parts, and tools, appurtenances and accessories for use in connection therewith, 8-2-18.
(A) Fireclay, and articles wholly manufactured of fireclay including firebricks, 28-6-16, 18-12-17, 26-2-18.
(A) Fish.
Fish bladders, see Gluestock.
(B) Fish bones, 12-12-16.
Fish glue, see Glue.
(A) Fish hooks, 18-10-17.
Fish oil, see Oils.
Fish skins, see Gluestock, etc.
(C) Fishing gear, including tackle (other than fish hooks, which see) for fishing by rod and line, 2-2-17, 18-10-17.
Fishmeal and concentrated fish, see Cakes and Meal.
Fittings, harness, see Harness.
Fittings, metal, see Castings.
(A) Flax and linen, all goods wholly or partly manufactured of, except made up articles of wearing apparel, 29-9-16, 28-8-17, 27-11-17, 18-12-17, 8-2-18.
(C) Flax and linen, made up articles of wearing apparel wholly or partly manufactured of, not otherwise prohibited, 8-2-18, 8-3-18.
(A) Flax cordage and twine, 18-12-17.
(A) Flax, raw.
(A) Flax shakings.
(A) Flax tow.
(A) Flax waste.
Fleshes, see Pickled Grains.
Flour, see Banana, Bean, Corn, Lentil Malt, Maize, Pea, Potato, Rice Rye, Sago, Tapioca, Wheat.
(C) Fluorine compounds, not otherwise prohibited, 1-5-17.
Flyers, see Steel.
Foods prepared from cereals, see Cereals.
Forage and food which may be used for animals, see specific headings as, *e.g.*, Beans, Cakes, Hay, Oats, etc.
(A) Forage, green.
(B) Forage, portable.
Forks, see Tools, see also Handles.
(C) Formates, not otherwise prohibited, 12-12-16.
(A) Formic acid, 27-11-17.
(A) Formic aldehyde, 12-4-18.
Formic ether, see Ether.
Fountains, see Hollow-ware.
French chalk, see Talc.
(A) Fruit and fruit preserves, 29-9-16, 15-1-17, 19-2-17.
(A) Fuel economisers constructed of cast iron pipes, used as auxiliary heating apparatus in connection with land or marine steam boilers, 12-12-16.
Fuel, manufactured, see Coke.
Fuel oil, see Oil.
Furniture fittings, see Castings.
(C) Furs and manufactures thereof (except Sealskin Fur, which see), 12-3-17, 1-5-17.
(A) Fusel oil (amyl alcohol).
(A) Fuses.
(A) Fustic (chips and extracts), 22-1-18.

G

(A) Gall nuts and extracts thereof, 28-8-17.

(A) Galvanised sheets, corrugated or flat, 26-7-16, 10-5-17.
Galvanised wire, see Wire.
(A) Gambier and extracts thereof, 28-8-17.
(A) Game.
Gas carbon, see Carbon.
Gas Mantles, see Incandescent, Mantles, Ramie.
Gas masks, see Respirators.
Gasmeters, see Tinplate.
Gauges for cartridges and shells, see Implements, etc.
Gelatine, see Glue.
(A) Gelsemium root, 12 4-18.
(A) Gentian root, 10-5-17, 11-6-18.
Gilding solution, see Gold.
Gill pins, see Steel.
Gimlets, see Tools.
(A) Ginger, crystallised or preserved, 2-2-17, 10-5-17.
(A) Glass for optical instruments.
Glasses, field, see Field.
(B) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 8-9-16, 23-10-16, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Gloves, men's made wholly or partly of leather, 12-4-18.
(A) Glucose, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing glucose, 19-2-17, 10-5-17.
(A) Glue, osseine, and concentrated size (and other sizes and sizings made from glue), fishglue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Gluestock of all kinds, including animal hoofs, untanned hides and pelts, not otherwise specifically prohibited, fish bladders, and fish skins, 12-12-16, 1-5-17, 14-5-18.
Gluten meal, or gluten feed, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Glycerine, and preparations containing glycerine not otherwise specifically prohibited.
Goa powder, see Araroba.
(A) Goat skins, 18-10-17.
(A) Goldbeater's skin.
(A) Gold, liquid, including gold paint, gold enamel, gilding solution and all other pigments containing gold, 12-4-18.
(C) Gold paint containing sulphide of tin, 1-5-17.
Gouges, see Tools.
(A) Grains, Brewers' and Distillers', 12-12-16.
Grains, Pickled, see Pickled.
(A) Gramophone and other sound records, including perforated music rolls; 10-5-17.
(C) Gramophone record composition; 8-9-16.
(A) Gram or dhol, 12-12-16.
(B) Graphite, and mixtures containing graphite.
(A) Grass, esparto.
Grass seed, see Seeds.
Grass matting, see Mats.
(A) Green forage, 12-12-16.
(A) Green oil, and mixtures and preparations containing green, 26-7-16 2-2-17.
(A) Grenades and component parts thereof, 10-5-17.
(A) Grindelia, 12-4-18.
Grindery, see Boots and Shoes, Material for.
(A) Grindstones, 8-9-16.
Ground nut, or earth nut cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Ground nuts, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Groovers, see Boots and Shoes, Material for.
(B) Guaiacol and guaiacol carbonate.
(A) Guanos, 2-2-17.
(B) Gums containing caoutchouc.
(A) Gums not otherwise specifically prohibited, 1-5-17, 12-4-18.
Guns, see Cannon, Firearms, Machine.
Gun-metal, see Copper.
Gutta-percha, see Rubber.
(A) Guts; 19-2-17. See also Silkworm.
(A) Guttering, cast iron, and cast iron gutter fittings and connections, 2-7-18.

H

Hackle pins, see Steel.
Hacksaws and their component parts; see Tools.
(A) Hair, animal, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof, 8-9-16, 18-10-17.
(B) Hair, human, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof, 10-5-17, 14-8-17.
(B) Hair, all manufactures, mixtures and products of, except such as are prohibited to all destinations, 8-3-18.
Hair, see belting, Blankets, Carpets, Felt, Rugs.
(C) Halogen derivatives of aliphatic hydrocarbons (except carbon tetrachloride, chloroform and iodoform, which see), 12-4-18.
(B) Hammers, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 12-3-17, 27-11-17, see also Tools, also Handles.
(A) Handles and helves for grubbers, pickaxes, spades, and shovels, 12-3-17.
(A) Handles for adzes, axes, forks (agricultural, stone, roadmaking, and coke), hammers (hand), hoes, hooks (brushing and reaping), road scrapers and scythes, 27-11-17, 14-5-18.
(A) Harness and metal fittings therefor, see also Leather.
Harness and saddlery, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following, 18-12-17:—
(A) Harness and saddlery making machines and their component parts.
(A) Harness and saddlery tools, hand and machine.
(A) Needles for harness and saddlery making machines.
Haricots, see Beans.
(A) Hatchets, 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
Hat hangers, see Castings.
Hawsers, see Steel.

(A) Hay.
(A) Heliographs and their component parts, 2-7-18.
Hemp and hemp manufactures, the following :—
(A) Hemp ropes, old.
(A) Hemp waste.
(A) Hemp of all kinds (including Indian hemp used in textile manufacture), Maguey fibre and manufactures thereof, except Tagal braid, 8-3-18.
(C) Tagal braid, 7-6-16, 29-9-16, 23-10-16, 17-11-16.
See also Indian Hemp.
Hempseed, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Hempseed cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(B) Henbane and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(B) Hexamethylene tetramin (urotropine) and its compounds and preparations, 11-6-18.
(A) Hides of cattle, buffaloes, and horses.
(A) Hides and pelts, clippings of, 12-12-16, 14-5-18.
Hides and pelts untanned, see also Gluestock, &c.
Hides, manufactures of, the following :—
(A) Pickers and drop box pickers, 14-8-17, 8-3-18.
(B) Pinions, centres and other goods manufactured from hide, suitable for textile machinery, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 14-8-17, 8-3-18.
Hinges, see Castings.
Hods, see Hollow-ware.
Hoe handles, see Handles.
(A) Hollow-ware, wrought, made wholly or partly from iron and steel sheet or plate, the following, 2-7-18 :—
Bottles, empty, braziers, cans, measures, scoops, pales, pans, riddles, skips, troughs and trunks.
Cisterns and tanks.
Domestic utensils,
Fountains.
Hods.
Hoppers seed.
(A) Hominy.
(A) Honey and all articles, mixtures and preparations containing honey, 25-5-16, 19-2-17.
Hoofs, animal, see Gluestock.
Hooks, see Boots and Shoes, material for ; Fish ; handles.
Hoppers, seed, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Horns, animal, and articles manufactured therefrom in which the total weight of horn exceeds 50 per cent. of the total weight of the article, 2-7-18.
Horse clippers, see Castings.
Horsehides, see Hides.
Horse rugs, see Rugs.
(B) Horse, mule, and pony shoes, 23-2-17.
Hosiery needles, see Needles.
Hosiery, see Cotton manufactures.
Hosiery, see Wool.
Hubnerite, see Tungsten Ores.
Husk meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(B) Huts, wooden.
(A) Hydrastis canadensis and hydrastine, 22-6-17, 22-1-18, 12-4-18.
(A) Hydrobromic acid, 11-6-18.
(B) Hydrochloric acid.
(A) Hydrocyanic (prussic) acid and solutions thereof, 22-6-17.
(B) Hydrogen peroxide, 30-3-17.
(A) Hydroquinone, and mixtures containing hydroquinone.

I

(A) Implements and apparatus designed exclusively for the manufacture of munitions of war, for the manufacture or repair of arms or of war material for use on land or sea, the following :—
Cordite presses ;
Dies for cartridge cases ;
Gauges for cartridges or shells ;
Incorporators ;
Lapping machines ;
Rifling machines ;
Wire-winding machines.
Implements for cutting or fixing barbed wire, see wire.
(A) Incandescent gas mantle rings, 18-12-17.
Incandescent mantles, see Mantles, Ramie.
Incorporators, see Implements.
(B) Indian hemp (*Cannabis indica*), 27-11-17.
(A) Indigo, natural and synthetic.
Infusorial earth, see Diatomite.
(A) Ingot moulds manufactured of hæmatite iron, 14-5-18.
(C) Insecticides, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
Insulated cables, see Cables.
Insulated wire, see Wires.
(C) Insulating materials, 28-6-16, 17-11-16, 2-2-17, 30-3-17, the following :—
(C) Compounds intended for the purpose of electrical insulation ;
(C) Leatheroid ;
(A) Oiled insulating cloth, paper, silk, and tape, 14-5-18.
(B) Vulcanised fibre, 14-5-18.
See also Mica.
(A) Invert sugar, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing invert sugar, 28-8-17.
(C) Iodine and its compounds and preparations (except iodoform), 12-4-18.
(A) Iodoform ; 12-4-18.
(A) Ipecacuanha root.
(B) Iridium and its alloys and manufactures containing iridium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Iridium compounds, 27-11-17.
Iron and steel castings, and forgings for hulls and machinery of ships, see Shipbuilding material.
(A) Iron and iron articles containing chrome, cobalt, molybdenum, nickel, tungsten or vanadium, 1-5-17.
Iron, 1-5-17, the following :—
(A) Angles, channels, joists, tees and other sectional material.

(A) Bars, including flats, rounds and other sections and shapes.
(A) Billets, blooms and slabs.
Bins, see Bins.
Bolts, see Bolts.
(A) Bridgework, pierwork and constructional material.
Buckets, see Buckets.
Castings (see also Shipbuilding material).
Channels, see Angles above.
Constructional material, see Bridgework above.
Drums, see Drums.
Flats, see Bars above.
Forgings (see Castings, also Shipbuilding material).
Guttering, etc., cast, see Guttering.
Hollow-ware; see Hollow-ware.
(A) Hoops and strips.
(A) Ingots.
Joists, see Angles above.
Moulds, see Ingot.
Nails, see Nails.
Nuts, see Nuts.
(A) Ore.
Pierwork, see Bridgework above.
(A) Pig.
(A) Pipes, wrought (see also Pipes, cast).
Piping, see Piping.
(A) Plates and sheets.
(A) Pyrites.
Radiators, see Radiators.
Rails, see Railway material.
Rivets, see Rivets.
Rounds, see Bars above.
(A) Scrap.
Sections, see Bars above.
(A) Sheet bars.
Sheets, see Plates above.
Slabs, see Billets above.
Sleepers, see Railway material.
Springs, see Railway material.
Tees, see Angles above.
(A) Tubes.
Tubs, see Tubs.
Wire and wire rods, see Wire.

(A) Iron, oxides of, and mixtures containing iron oxides, 2-7-18.
(C) Iron sulphate.
Irommongery, builders, see Castings.
Isinglass, see Glue.
(A) Ivory, vegetable and manufactures thereof, 10-5-17, 22-6-17.

J

(A) Jalap, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
Jellies, see Mineral, Rubber.
Jimcrows, see Tools, small.
(A) Jute cordage and twine, 7-6-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute padding, 30-3-17, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute, piece-goods made wholly or partly of, 28-7-16, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute rags, 15-1-17.
(A) Jute, raw and carded, 12-3-17.
(A) Jute threads, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute twist, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute waste.
(A) Jute webbing, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute wrappers (Surat tares) other than such wrappers as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings, 28-6-16, 19-12-16.
(A) Jute yarns, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.

K

Kale seed, see Seeds.
Kernels, oleaginous, see Oleaginous.
(B) Kettles, camp.
Knives, see Tools, small.
Kohl rabi seed, see Seeds.
(A) Kola seeds, 14-5-18.

L

(A) Lacs, not including lac dye, 12-4-18.
(A) Lactates, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
(A) Lactic acid, 22-6-17.
Lactose, see Milk sugar.
Lamp fittings, see Castings.
Lamps, see Electric, Signalling, Tinplate.
(B) Lanterns suitable for camp use.
Lapping machines, see Implements.
(A) Lard of all kinds and imitation lard, 19-2-17, 10-5-17.
Lasts, see Boots and Shoes, material for.
Latch needles, see Needles.
Lathe tools, see Tools, small.
(A) Lead coated sheets, 15-8-16.
(A) Lead ore, 18-10-17.
(A) Lead, lead alloys, and manufactures of lead or of lead alloys, 12-12-16, 30-3-17.
(A) Lead compounds and mixtures containing lead compounds, 30-3-17.
(A) Leather, 30-3-17.
Leather goods of the following descriptions:—8-9-16, 30-3-17.
(B) Articles of personal equipment suitable for military purposes.
(B) Bandoliers.
(B) Belting, leather manufactures suitable for textile machinery (except pickers and drop box pickers, which see), and leathers cut or shaped for hydraulic or pump purposes, 18-10-17, 8-3-18.
(B) Belts.
Boots, see Boots.
Gloves, see Gloves.
Hydraulic leather, see Belting above.
(B) Laces.
(A) Pickers and drop boxpickers, 8-3-18.
(B) Pouches.
Pump leather, see belting above.
Shoes, see Boots.
Textile machinery leather, see Belting above.
(B) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise prohibited, 19-2-17, 22-1-18.

(A) Waste, leather, 8-3-18.
Leatheroid, see Insulating materials.
Leek seed, see Seeds.
(A) Lentil flour and meal.
(A) Lentils, 12-12-16.
Lettuce seed, see Seeds.
Levels, spirit, see Tools, small.
(A) Levulose, 22-6-17.
(C) Lichens, 1-5-17.
Lime phosphate, see Phosphate Roch.
Lime soda, see Soda.
Linen, see Flax.
(A) Linen rags.
(A) Linen waste.
(A) Linoleum, 15-8-16, 22-1-18.
Linseed, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Linseed cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Liquorice roots and juice, 22-6-17, 11-6-18.
(C) Lithium, 22-6-17.
(C) Lithium compounds, 22-6-17.
Locomotives, see Railway Carriages.
Locust bean meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Logwood (clips, extract, and preparations), 22-1-18.
(A) Lubricants not otherwise specifically prohibited and articles and mixtures containing such lubricants, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
Lupin seed, see Seeds.
(C) Lycopodium, 22-6-17.

M

(A) Macaroni.
(A) Machine guns, mountings for machine guns, and component parts thereof.
(A) Machinery, agricultural or farming, and component parts thereof, including hand tools for agricultural or farm purposes, 26-7-16, 12-12-16, 12-3-17, 14-8-17, 18-10-17.
(C) Machinery, metal-working, and component parts and accessories thereof, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 27-11-17.
Machinery, Ships, see Shipbuilding material.
Machines, harness and saddlery making, see Harness.
Machines, shoemakers', see Boots and Shoes, material for.
(A) Magnesite and magnesite bricks.
(A) Magnesite, caustic or lightly calcined, and dead burnt magnesite.
(B) Magnesium chloride, and sulphate and mixtures containing magnesium chloride or sulphate.
(A) Magnesium and its alloys.
(A) Magnetos and component parts thereof, 10-5-17.
Maguey Fibre, see Hemp.
(A) Maize, 12-12-16.
(A) Maize germs, 12-12-16.
Maize germ meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Maize meal and flour, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Male fern rhizome, 12-4-18.
(A) Malt, 19-2-17.
(A) Malt dust, malt flour, culms, sprouts or combings, 12-12-16.
(A) Malt sugar (maltose) and articles and preparations containing malt sugar, 19-2-17, 28-8-17.
(A) Mandioka.
(C) Manganese compounds not otherwise prohibited, 1-5-17.
(A) Manganese, peroxide of, and mixtures and preparations thereof, 12-12-16.
(B) Manganese and Manganese ore.
Mangold seed, see Seeds.
(A) Manna, 22-6-17.
(A) Mannite, 22-6-17.
(A) Mantles, Incandescent.
Mantles, see Ramie.
(A) Manures, compound, 2-2-17.
(A) Manures, organic, 2-2-17.
(B) Maps and Plans of any place within the territory of any belligerent or within the area of military operations, on a scale of four miles to one inch or on any larger scale, and reproductions on any scale by photography or otherwise of such maps or plans.
(A) Margarine, 19-2-17.
(C) Marjoram leaves, 28-8-17.
(A) Matches, 29-9-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Matchets, 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
(C) Mate or Yerba mate (Paraguay tea), 2-7-18.
(C) Mats and matting made of fibre, grass or straw, 19-2-17.
(A) Mattresses, wire, fixed on wooden frames, 14-5-18.
Meals, see Banana, Barley, Bean, Cakes, Lentil, Oat, Pea, Rye, Sago, Whale bone Wheat.
Measures, see Hollow-ware, tinplate.
Measuring tools, see Tools, small.
(A) Meat of all kinds (including tinned and potted meat), 19-2-17.
(A) Meat, extract of, 19-2-17.
Meat meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(C) Menthol, 10-5-17.
(A) Mercury.
(B) Mercury, compounds and preparations of (except nitrate of mercury) and mixtures containing such compounds of mercury.
(A) Mercury nitrate.
(C) Mess tins.
Metals and Ores, see specific headings, *e.g.*, Copper, Iron, etc.
Meal containers, see Bottles, Cylinders.
Metal harness fittings, see Harness.
Metal nozzles, see Nozzles.
Metal saddlery fittings, see Saddlery.
Metal-working machinery, see Machinery.
(A) Methylaniline.
Methylated spirits, see Spirits.
(B) Methyl salicylate, 10-5-17.
(A) Methylic alcohol and its esters, see Alcohol.
(A) Metol and mixtures containing metol.
(A) Mica block, mica sheets, and mica splittings, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Mica waste, mica powder, micanite, and articles made from and insulating materials containing mica in any form, 17-11-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
Middlings, see Offals of Corn.

(A) Milk, condensed or preserved.
(A) Milk powder, 12-12-16.
(A) Milk sugar (lactose), 22-6-17.
Milk dust and screenings, see Offals of Corn.
Millboard, see Paper.
(A) Millet, 12-12-16.
Milling cutters, see Tools, small.
(A) Mineral jellies ; 22-6-17.
Mineral waters, see Aerated.
Mineral waxes, see Waxes.
(B) Mines and their component parts
(A) Molasses, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing molasses, 26-7-16, 22-6-17.
(B) Molybdenum and molybdenite.
(B) Molybdic acid and its salts, 20-9-16.
(C) Monazite sand.
(A) Moss, Carrageen, 12-12-16, 1-5-17.
(C) Mosses, other than Carrageen Moss, 12-12-16, 1-5-17.
Motor ploughs, see Machinery, Agricultural.
(A) Motor spirit, 22-6-17.
(A) Motor vehicles, motor bicycles, and their component parts and accessories, 14-8-17, 12-4-18.
Moulds, Ingots, see Ingot.
Mule shoes, see Horse.
Mungo, see Woollen Rags.
Muriate of ammonia, see Ammonium chloride.
Music rolls, perforated, see Gramophone.
(A) Mustard, 1-5-17, 11-6 18.
Mustard seed, see Seeds.

N

(A) Nails, wrought and cut, iron or steel, 11-6-18.
(A) Naphthalene and its compounds and preparations.
(A) Nautical instruments and their component parts, 30-3-17, 2-2-18.
(A) Needles for bootmaking machines, 10-5-17.
Needles, harness and saddlery making machine, see Harness.
(A) Needles, hosiery machine (latch and bearded), 23-10-16, 18-10-17.
(A) Neo-salvarsan.
(A) Nickel, its ores, alloys, and manufactures (except nickel-plated goods not otherwise prohibited), 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
(A) Nickel nitrate.
(B) Nickel, oxides and salts of (except nickel ammonium sulphate and nickel nitrate, which are prohibited to all destinations) and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of nickel, 22-1-18.
(A) Nickel ammonium sulphate and mixtures containing nickel ammonium sulphate, 22-1-18.
(A) Nightlights, 18-12-17, 8-2-18.
Nitrate of soda, see Soda.
(A) Nitrates, all metallic.
Nitre cake, see Sodium Sulphate.
(A) Nitric acid.
Nitro-cresol, see Cresol.
(A) Nitro-toluol.
Noils, see Hair, Silk, Wool.
(A) Notes, Russian rouble, 26-2-18.
(A) Novocain and its preparations.
(B) Nozzles, metal, having an orifice less than one and one-half inches in diameter, 14-8-17.
(A) Nuts, iron or steel ; 13-7-17.
(A) Nuts used as fruit.
Nuts, see Ground Nuts, Oleaginous, Saponaceous.
(A) Nux Vomica, 12-4-18, 14-5-18, 11-6-18.
(B) Nux Vomica, preparations of, 11-6-18.
(B) Nux Vomica alkaloids and their preparations, 12-4-18.

O

(A) Oakum, 8-2-18.
(A) Oates.
(A) Oatmeal and rolled oats.
Offals of corn and grain which may be used as food for animals, the following :—
(A) Bran.
(A) Middlings.
(A) Mill dust and screenings.
(A) Pollard.
(A) Rice meal (or bran) and dust
(A) Sharps.

Oils, various :—
Oil anthracene, see Anthracene.
(A) Oil, blast furnace, 12-4-18.
Oils, creosote, see Creosote.
(C) Oils, essential (except sandalwood and turpentine oils, for which see below), 17-11-16, 18-10-17.
(A) Oils, fish, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing such oils, 1-5-17, 18-10-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Oil fuel, except oil fuel allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped for use on board the exporting ship, 22-6-17.
(A) Oil fuel, shale, 22-6-17.
Oil fusel, see Fusel.
Oil green, see Green.
Oil, paraffin, see Paraffin.
Oils, petroleum, see Petroleum.
(B) Oil, sandalwood, 18-10-17.
Oil, tar, see Tar.
(B) Oil waste.
(B) Oil wood tar.
(A) Oils, fixed, all animal and vegetable, and articles and mixtures containing such oils, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 27-11-17.

Oiled insulating cloth, paper silk and tape, see Insulating Material.
(A) Oilstones, 27-11-17.
(A) Oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds, and products of all kinds. 12-3-17, 27-11-17.
(A) Oleo-margarine, 19-2-17.
Oleo-resin of capsicum, see Capsicum.
Oleum, see Sulphuric Acid.
(A) Onions.
Onion seed, see Seeds.
(A) Opium and its preparations.
(A) Opium alkaloids and their salts and preparations.
Optical glass, see Glass.

Ordnance, see Cannon, Carriages.
Osiers, see Willows.
(B) Osmium and its alloys and manufactures containing osmium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Osmium compounds, 27-11-17.
Osseine, see Glue.
(B) Ovens, suitable for camp use.
(C) Oxalates, not otherwise prohibited, 12-12-16.
(B) Oxalic acid.

P

(A) Packing cases, empty wooden, and their distinctive component parts, including box shooks and staves, other, than such wooden packing cases as have been previously imported, full and are being returned empty whether whole or in parts.
(C) Packings, engine and boiler.
Paddings, see Jute.
Pails, see Hollow-ware.
Paint, gold, see Gold.
(B) Palladium and its alloys and manufactures containing palladium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Palladium compounds, 27-11-17.
Palm nuts, and palm kernels, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Palmnut cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Pans, see Hollow-ware, Tin plate.
Paper, printing, see Photographic.
Paper, cigarette, 2-7-18.
(B) Paper and cardboard (including strawboard, paste board, millboard, and wood pulp board) and manufactures of papers and cardboard and otherwise specifically prohibited, 2-7-18.
(A) Paper, waste.
(B) Paper, waxed.
(A) Paraffin, liquid medicinal, 22-6-17.
(A) Paraffin oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Paraffin wax, and mixtures and preparations thereof, containing 20 per cent. and upwards of paraffin wax, but not including wax-paper, 1-5-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Paraformaldehyde.
(A) Paraldehyde.
(C) Parchment, 27-11-17.
Parsnip seed, see Seeds.
Paste board, see Paper.
(A) Patent and proprietary cattle foods of all kinds.
(A) Pea flour and meal.
Peanuts, see Oleaginous Kernels.
(A) Peas, 2-2-17.
(C) Peat.
(A) Pegs, wooden, suitable for use in the manufacture of boots and shoes, 15-1-17.
Pelts, see Gluestock, etc., Hides, Sheepskins.
(A) Pencils, carpenters', 27-11-17.
(A) Pencils, copying ink, 8-2-18.
(A) Pepper, 19-2-17, 22-6-17, 12-4-18.
(C) Pepsin, 22-6-17.
(C) Peptone, 22-6-17.
(A) Perchlorates, all metallic.
(A) Periscopes and their component parts 10-5-17.
(A) Petroleum fuel oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum gas oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum lighting oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum spirit and articles containing petroleum spirit, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum and its products not otherwise specifically prohibited, and mixtures thereof, 22-6-17.
(A) Phenacetin and its preparations.
Phenazone, see Antipyrine.
(A) Phosgene (carbonyl chloride).
(A) Phosphate rock, namely :—Apatites, Phosphates of lime and alumina, 2-2-17.
(A) Phosphorus and its compounds, 22-1-18.
(A) Photographic materials, sensitised, of all kinds, whether exposed or not, 14-5-18.
Photographs, see Maps.
(A) Pickaxes (see also Handles), 12-3-17.
Pickers, see Hides, also Leather.
(B) Pickled grains and fleshes, 26-7-16.
(A) Pickles, 15-1-17.
(A) Picric acid and its components.
(A) Pigeon peas, 12-12-16.
Pigments containing gold, see Gold.
(B) Pigskins.
(C) Pilocarpine, 22-6-17.
(C) Pimento.
Pincers, see Tools, small.
Pins, see Steel.
Pipe cutters, see Tools, small.
Pipe flanges, see Castings.
(A) Pipes cast iron, and cast iron pipe fittings and connections, 26-7-16, 2-7-18.
Pipes, see also Copper, Iron, Lead.
(A) Piping, sheet iron or steel, for or stoves or for ranges, and parts thereof, 14-5-18.
Pistols, see Firearms.
(C) Pitch, and all mixtures, preparations and commodities of which pitch forms an ingredient not otherwise specifically prohibited, 26-7-16, 26-2-18.
Planes, wood and iron, see Tools, small.
Plans, see Maps.
Plates, see Copper; Drawplates; Iron Photographic, Steel, Tin Plates.
(A) Platinum, alloys of platinum, and manufactures containing platinum.
(A) Platinum, salts of.
Ploughs, see Machinery, Agricultural.
(B) Plumbago, see also Crucibles.
(A) Plywood, 1-5-17.
Pocket lamps, see Electric Lamps.
(A) Podophyllum rhizome, 12-4-18, 14-5-18.
Pollard, see Offals of Corn.
Ponyshoes, see Horse.
Poonac cake, see Cakes and Meals.
Poppy seed cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Poppy seeds, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Pork, see Meat.
(A) Potash, Caustic, and articles containing caustic potash.

(A) Potash, muriate, nitrate (saltpetre), sulphate, and crude manurial potash salts, and mixtures containing any of these substances, 19-2-17.
(B) Potash salts, and mixtures containing such potash salts not otherwise prohibited, 19-2-17.
(A) Potassium bicarbonate and mixtures containing potassium bicarbonate, 13-7-17.
(A) Potassium carbonate and mixtures containing potassium carbonate, 22-6-17.
(A) Potassium chlorate, and mixtures containing potassium chlorate.
(A) Potassium cyanide, and mixtures containing potassium cyanide.
(A) Potassium perchlorate.
(A) Potassium permanganate.
(A) Potassium prussiates and mixtures containing potassium prussiate, 12-3-17.
(A) Potatoes, 7-6-16.
(A) Potato flour; 7-6-16, 19-2-17.
Pots, see Tin plate.
Potters' clay, see Clay.
(A) Poultry, 4-7-16, 29-9-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Prepared foods wholly or partially derived from cereals.
Preserves, see Fruit.
Prints, see Maps.
Proflavine, see Acriflavine.
(A) Projectiles of all kinds and their component parts.
Prussic acid, see Hydrocyanic.
Pulp, see Cotton, Tomato, Wood.
(A) Pulp-board, waste.
(C) Pumice stone, including powdered pumice stone, 14-8-17.
Pump leather, see Leather.
(A) Pyridine.
(C) Pyrites cinders, 28-8-17.
Pyrites, see Iron, Copper.
(A) Pyrogallic acid, and mixtures containing pyrogallic acid.

Q

(A) Quassia wood, 11-6-18.
(A) Quercitron bark and extracts thereof, 30-3-17, 10-5-17, 28-8-17.
(C) Qaillaia bark, 23-10-16.
Quinine, see Cinchona.

R

(A) Radiators, manufactured of cast iron pipes, 2-7-18.
(A) Radium and its compounds, 27-11-17.
(A) Raffia, 12-3-17.
Rags, see Cotton, Jute, Linen, Wool.
Railbenders (or Jimcrows), see Tools, small.
(A) Railway material of iron or steel, 1-5-17, the following:—
Rails.
Sleepers.
Springs.
Wheels, axles and tyres.
Other railway constructional material.
(A) Railway carriages, locomotives and wagons and their component parts.
(C) Railway material (except railway carriages, locomotives and wagons and their component parts, steel rails, and steel sleepers).
(B) Ramie stokings and ramie fabrics suitable for the manufacture of gas mantles.
(A) Range finders and their component parts.
(A) Ranges, cooking, and their component parts, 14-5-18.
Ranges, piping for, see Piping.
Rape or colza seed, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Rapeseed, or colza seed cake, and meal, see Cakes.
(A) Rattan, woven, 28-6-16, 14-5-18.
(A) Rattans, 30-3-17.
Receptacles, empty, see Tin plate.
Records, and Record Compositions, see Gramophones.
Reamers, see Tools, small.
(A) Rennet powder, rennet extract, and other preparations of rennet, 4-7-16.
(A) Resins, resinous gums and resinous substances (except such as contain caoutchouc) and articles containing them, 4-7-16, 1-5-17, 12-4-18.
(B) Resinous substances containing caoutchouc.
(A) Respirators and self-contained breathing sets intended to afford protection to the wearer against toxic atmospheres, 22-1-18.
(A) Revolution indicators suitable for aircraft.
Revolvers, see Firearms.
(A) Rhatany root, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(B) Rhodium and its alloys and manufactures containing rhodium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Rhodium compounds, 27-11-17.
(A) Rhubarb (medicinal), 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
Rice meal (or bran) and dust, see Offals of Corn.
(A) Rice and rice flour, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing rice or rice flour.
Riddles, see Hollow-ware.
Rifles, see Firearms.
Rifling machines, see Implements.
(A) Rivets, iron or steel, 13-7-17.
Road Scrapers, see Tools.
(C) Rock crystal.
Rock salt, see Salt.
Roller bearings, see Bearings.
Rope made of steel wire, see Steel.
Ropes, see Hemp.
Rouble notes, see Notes.
(B) Rubber (raw, waste, and reclaimed), solutions containing rubber, jellies containing rubber, and any other preparations containing rubber, and also balata gutta-percha, and the following varieties of rubber, viz:—Borneo, Guayule, Jelutong, Palembang, Pontianac, and all other substances containing caoutchouc, 20-11-14.
(B) Rubber, gutta-percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly or not otherwise specifically prohibited, 29-9-16, 23-10-16, 19-2-17, 4-5-18, see also Tyres.
(B) Rubies, natural or synthetic, 2-2-17.
(B) Rugs, manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair, 8-3-18.

(C) Rugs, not otherwise prohibited, 8-3-18; see also Carpets.
(B) Rugs, horse.
Russian rouble notes, see Notes.
(B) Ruthenium and its alloys and manufactures containing ruthenium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Ruthenium compounds, 27-11-17.
(A) Rye, rye flour and meal.

S

Sabadilla seeds, see Seeds.
(A) Saccharin, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing saccharin, 28-8-17.
(B) Sacks, coal.
Sacks, other sorts, see Bags.
(A) Sackings, old.
Saddle felt, see Wool.
Saddle serge, see Wool.
(A) Saddlery, and metal fittings therefor, see also Leather.
Saddlery, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, see Harness.
(C) Saffron, 22-6-17.
(A) Sago and sago flour and meal.
Sailcloth, Cotton, see Cotton.
(C) St. Ignatius beans, 27-11-17.
Salammoniac, see Ammonium chloride.
(B) Salicylic acid and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(B) Salipyrine, 10-5-17.
(B) Salol and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(C) Salt, rock and white (except table salt).
Saltpetre, see Potash, Muriate, etc.
(A) Salvarsan.
(B) Sandalwood for medicinal purposes, 18-10-17.
Sandalwood oil, see Oils.
(C) Santonin and its preparations, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(C) Saponaceous berries (soap nuts and saparita), barks and root, 27-11-17.
(B) Sapphires, natural or synthetic, 2-2-17.
(A) Sassafras root, 12-4-18.
(C) Sauces, 29-9-16, 19-2-17, 1-5-17.
(A) Sausages, 2-2-17.
(A) Sausage skins, 19-2-17.
Saws, see Tools, small.
(A) Scammony root, 12-4-18.
Screenings, see Offals of Corn.
Scheelite, see Tungsten Ores.
Scoops, see Hollow-ware.
Scrap, see Copper, Iron Steel.
Scythe handles, see Handles.
Screwdrivers, see Tools, small.
Screwing, tackle, see Tools, small.
Screws, rigging, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Sealskins, fur and hair, 12-3-17, 8-2-18.
(B) Searchlights, and their component parts, 1-5-17.
Searchlight carbons, see Carbons.
Seeds, 12-12-16, 12-3-17, the following:—

(A) Ajowan, 11-6-18.
(A) Beet, 14-8-17.
(A) Broccoli, 14-8-17.
(A) Brussels sprouts, 14-8-17.
(A) Cabbage, 14-8-17.
(C) Canary.
(A) Carrot.
(A) Cauliflower.
(A) Celery, 14-8-17.
(A) Chicory, 14-8-17.
(A) Clover, 14-8-17.
(B) Fenugreek, 22-6-17.
(A) Grass, 14-8-17.
(A) Kale, 14-8-17.
(A) Kohl rabi.
(A) Leek, 14-8-17.
(A) Lettuce, 14-8-17.
(A) Lupen, 12-12-16.
(A) Mangold.
(A) Mustard, 23-2-17.
(A) Onion.
(A) Parsnip.
(C) Sabadilla seeds and preparations therefrom.
(A) Shallot, 14-8-17.
(A) Spinach, 14-8-17.
(A) Strophanthus; 12-4-18.
(A) Swede.
(A) Tomato; 14-8-17.
(A) Turnip.
(C) Vegetable, not otherwise prohibited; 18-10-17.

Seeds, oleaginous, see Oleaginous.
(B) Selenium.
(A) Semolina.
(A) Senega root, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Senna leaves and pods, 12-4-18.
(A) Serpentary rhizome; 12-4-18.
(C) Sera, except anti-tetanus serum which is prohibited to all destinations, 13-7-17.
Sesame and cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Shackles, see Ships' rigging.
Shale, see Oil, Fuel.
Shallot seed, see Seeds.
Sharps, see Offals of Corn.
Shaves, see Tools, small.
Shears and snipes, see Tools, small.
(A) Sheepkins, haired or woollen and pelts, 23-10-16, 18-10-17.
Sheets, see Galvanised, Iron, Lead coated, Mica, Steel.
Shipbuilding Materials, 15-1-17, 30-3-17, the following:—

(A) Condenser tubes.
(A) Engines for use on board ships (including Diesel and other internal combustion engines for marine propulsion) and component parts of such engines.
(A) Iron and steel castings and forgings for hulls and machinery of ships.
(A) Machinery for steam ships and component parts thereof, 10-5-17.
(A) Sectional materials for shipbuilding, 26-7-16.
(A) Shlps' Auxiliary machinery.
(A) Ships' telegraphs and component parts thereof.
(A) Steering gear and component parts thereof.
(A) Winches.
(A) Windlasses.
See also Fuel Economisers.

Ships' Rigging 27-11-17 ; Fittings for the following :—

(A) Belaying pins.
(A) Blocks, wood and iron rigging.
(A) Bolts.
(A) Chains, rigging.
(A) Cleats.
(A) Deadeyes.
(A) Eyeplates.
(A) Screws, rigging, set or stretching.
(A) Shackles.
(A) Thimbles.

Ships' compasses, see Compasses.
Shoddy, see Cotton, Wool.
Shoemakers' tools and materials, see Boots.
Shoes, see Boots ; Horse.
(A) Shovels ; 13-7-17.
(A) Shuttles and their component parts ; 22-6-17.
(A) Sie mas, 2-7-18.
(B) Signalling lamps and their component parts.
Signalling apparatus, see Submarine.
(A) Silica bricks.
(C) Silicon, 22-6-17.
(A) Silicon manganese, 10-5-17.
(B) Silicon-speigel, 15-8-16.
Silk and Silk Manufactures, 23-10-16, 15-1-17. the following :—

(C) Articles of clothing for men's wear, not otherwise prohibited, manufactured from tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials, in the grey, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted, 14-8-17, 8-3-18.
(A) Cocoons.
(A) Raw silk and all threads, yarns and twists thereof, 15-1-17.
(A) All threads, yarns and twists of Tussah silk and of artificial silk.
(A) Silk waste of all kinds (including artificial silkwaste), and all threads, yarns and twists thereof, including noils and noil yarns.
(B) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk) whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials in the grey, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted, with the exception of velvets, plushes, laces, mourning crepe, trimmings, braids, ribbons, not exceeding 6 inches in width, furnishing fabrics (embroidered or brocaded), fabrics containing any kind of metal thread, and all made-up articles, not otherwise prohibitied, 15-1-17, 22-6-17, 14-8-17, 8-2-18.

(A) Silkworm gut (surgical), 12-4-18.
(A) Silver bullion, specie and coin and articles wholly or mainly manufactured of silver, 12-4-18.
(A) Sisal strings, old.
(A) Sisal waste.
(B) Size and sizings of all kinds (whether nitrogenous or not), not including articles, the exportation of which is prohibited to all destinations under the prohibition attached to farinaceous substances, dextrine, concentrated size and other size and sizings made from glue (which see), 22-1-18.
Skins, see Baudruche, Calf, Deer, Fish, Gluestock, Goat, Goldbeater, Hides, Pig, Sausage, Seal, Sheep.
Skips, see Hollow-ware.
(C) Slagwool.
Slitting saws, see Tools.
Small tools, see Tools.
(A) Soap including soft soap, 26-2-18.
Soap nuts, see Saponaceous.
(A) Soda, caustic, and mixtures containing caustic soda, 8-2-18.
(C) Soda lime, 12-12-16.
(C) Soda, nitrite of, 27-11-17.
(B) Sodium.
(C) Sodium bicarbonate, 25-5-16.
(A) Sodium carbonate in all forms including sodium sesquicarbonate and mixtures containing any of these substances, 25-5-16, 22-1-18.
(A) Sodium cyanide, and mixtures containing sodium cyanide, 12-3-17.
(B) Sodium hyposulphite (thiosulphate) and mixtures containing sodium hyposulphite.
(B) Sodium peroxide, 22-6-17.
(A) Sodium prussiates and mixtures containing sodium prussiates, 12-3-17.
(B) Sodium salicylate and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(C) Sodium silicate and mixtures containing sodium silicate, 1-5-17.
(C) Sodium sulphate and bisulphate (nitre cake).
(B) Sodium sulphide, 12-4-18.
Solder, see Copper, Lead.
Sound records, see Gramophone.
(A) Soups, compressed and dessicated, 19-2-17.
Soya beans, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Soya bean cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Spaghetti.
Spanners, see Tools, small.
(A) Sparking plugs, 15-8-16.
(A) Spelter and spelter dross.
(A) Spent oxide.
(A) Spermaceti, 1-5-17.
(A) Spices and mixtures thereof not otherwise specifically prohibited, 12-12-16, 12-4-18, 12-7-18.
(A) Spiegeleisen.
Spinach seed, see Seeds.
Spirit, Motor, see Motor.
Spirit, Petroleum, see Petroleum.

(A) Spirits, methylated, and mixtures containing methylated spirits.
(A) Spirits of a strength of not less than 43 degrees above proof.
(A) Spirits, potable, of a strength less than 43 degrees above proof, 26-7-16, 22-1-18
Spokeshaves, see Tools, small.
(C) Sponges, raw and prepared.
Spurs, see Castings.
Squares, see Tools, small
(A) Squills, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
Stamps, copper, used for stamping woven piece goods, see Copper.
(A) Starch, articles containing starch and mixtures, and preparations of starch, 19-2-17.
Steel, 1-5-17, 10-5-17, the following:—
(A) Angles, channels, joists, tees and other steel sectional material.
Balls, see Bearings.
(A) Bars, including flats, rounds, and other sections or shapes, 1-5-17.
(A) Billets.
Bins, see Bins.
(A) Blooms.
Bolts, see Bolts.
(A) Bridgework, pierwork, and structural material.
Buckets, see Buckets.
Castings, see Shipbuilding Material.
Channels, see Angles, etc., above.
Drums, see Drums.
(A) Flats, see Bars above.
(A) Flyers, 10-5-17.
(A) Hawsers, 25-5-16.
Hollow-ware, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Hoops, 8-9-16.
(A) Ingots.
Joists, see Angles, etc., above.
Nails, see Nails.
Nuts, see Nuts.
Pierwork, see Bridgework, etc., above.
Piping, see Piping.
(A) Plates and sheets, 29-9-16, 1-5-17.
Pins, see Textile below.
Rails, see Railway Material.
Rivets, see Rivets.
Rounds, see Bars, etc., above.
(A) Scrap.
Screws, see Wood Screws.
Sectional material, see Angles, etc., above.
Sections, see Bars, etc., above.
Sheets see Plates, etc., above.
(A) Sheet bars.
(A) Slabs.
Sleepers, see Railway Material.
Springs, see Railway Material.
(A) Stampings suitable for aircraft.
Structural material, see bridgework, above.
Tees, see Angles, etc., above.
(A) Textile pins, of all kinds, including card pins, comb pins, faller pins, gill pins, and hackle pins.
(A) Travellers.
(A) Tubes.
Tubs, see Tubs.
Wire and wire rods, see Wire.
(A) Wire rope, 25-5-16.
(A) Steel, containing tungsten or molybdenum, and any tools or other articles made from such steel.
(A) Steel and steel articles containing chrome, cobalt nickel, or vanadium, 29-9-16, 1-5-17.
(A) Stellite and similar alloys, 12-4-18.
(A) Sticks, unmounted, 14-5-18.
(A) Stoves, heating, capable of consuming coal, coke, or other solid fuel, and their component parts, 14-5-18.
Stoves, piping for, see Piping.
Stove fittings, see Castings.
(B) Stramonium leaves and seeds.
(A) Straw.
Straw-board, see Paper.
(A) Straw-board waste.
Straw matting, see Mats.
(C) Straw plait, 13-7-17.
(A) Strontium compounds, and mixtures containing strontium compounds, 19-12-16.
Strontium sulphate, see Strontium Compounds.
(A) Strophanthus seeds, see Seeds.
(B) Submarine sound signalling apparatus.
(A) Sugar, cane and beet, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing sugar, cane or beet, 10-5-17, see also Confectionery, Malt Sugar, Milk Sugar, Invert Sugar.
(A) Sulphate of ammonia, 19-1-17.
Sulphates, Iron, see Iron.
(C) Sulphites, metallic, not otherwise prohibited, 12-12-16.
(C) Sulphocyanides, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
(C) Sulphoricinates, 22-6-17.
(A) Sulphonal.
(A) Sulphur and preparations containing sulphur.
(A) Sulphur, chlorides of.
(A) Sulphur, dioxide, liquefied.
(A) Sulphuric acid and mixtures containing Sulphuric acid, 26-7-16.
(A) Sulphuric acid, fuming (oleum).
Sunflower seed, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Sunflower seed cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Superphosphates.
Surat tares, see Jute Wrappers.
(A) Surgical bandages and dressings, 12-4-18.
(A) Surgical instruments, 14-5-18.
Swede seed, see Seeds.
(A) Swords and their component parts.
(B) Syringes, hypodermic.
(A) Syrups which may be used as food for man, 19-2-17.

T

Tagal braid, see Hemp.
(C) Talc, all forms, including French chalk, 7-6-16, 1-5-17.
(A) Tallow, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing tallow, 19-2-17, 1-5-17, 22-6-17.
Tanks, see Hollow-ware.
(C) Tannalbin, 22-6-17.
(C) Tannigen, 22-6-17.

(A) Tanning extracts, and substances for use in tanning, 23-10-16, 30-3-17, 14-8-17, 28-8-17.
(A) Tantalum, alloys of tantalum, and ores containing tantalum.
Tape, Oiled, see Insulating Materials.
(A) Tapers, 8-2-18.
(A) Tapioca and tapioca flour.
(A) Tar, coal.
(A) Tar, oil, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 22-6-17.
(B) Tar, vegetable.
(A) Tar, wood, 2-7-18.
(A) Tarpaulins.
(A) Tartaric acid, cream of tartar, and alkaline tartrates, 5-12-14, 8-1-15, 12-4-18.
(A) Tea, including tea waste, sweepings, dust and fluff, whether denatured or not, 28-6-16. 19 2-17, 2-7-18.
Tea, Paraguay, see Mate.
(A) Telegraphs (including wireless) and telephones, and instruments and material for, including valves for wireless telegraphic apparatus, 15-1-17, 23-2-17, 28-8-17.
Telegraphs, ships, see Shipbuilding Materials.
(A) Telescopes and their component parts, 2-7-18.
(B) Tents and their component parts.
(A) Terebene, and articles containing terebene, 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Medicinal terebene only, for painters terebene, see Turpentine Substitute.
(A) Terneplates and receptacles made from terneplates, 15-8-16.
Textile machinery, articles for, see Hides.
Textile pins, see Steel.
(B) Theobromine sodium salicylate, 10-5-17.
(A) Theodolites and their component parts, 2-7-18.
(A) Thermometer, 17-11-16, 12-12-16.
Thimbles, see Ships' rigging.
(C) Thiosulphates, metallic, not otherwise prohibited, 12-12-16, see also Sodium Hyposulphite.
(A) Thorium and its alloys, 12-12-16.
(B) Thorium oxide and salts of, 10-5-17.
(A) Thread, see Cotton, Jute, Silk.
Thread milling hobs, see Tools.
(C) Thyme leaves, 28-8-17.
(B) Thymol and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(A) Tin and alloys of tin, 8-2-18.
(B) Tin, manufactures of (not otherwise specifically prohibited), 10-5-17, 8-2-18, 12-4-18, 2-7-18.
(A) Tin, chlorides of, 8-2-18.
(B) Tin, compounds of (except chlorides and oxide of tin), 8-2-18.
(A) Tin, ore, 8-2-18.
(A) Tin, oxide of, and mixtures and preparations containing tin oxide, 5-12-16, 10-5-17, 8-2-18.
(A) Tin plates and receptacles made wholly or partly made therefrom (not otherwise specifically prohibited), the following, 15-8-16, 12-4-18, 2-7-18 :—
Receptacles, empty.
Bottles, cans, measures, pots, pans, tins and bowls, empty.
Lamps,
Bakery, dairy and domestic utensils,
Gasmeters and component parts thereof.
(A) Tin plate scrap, including scrapped and disused receptacles wholly or partly made of tin plate, 11-6-18.
(A) Titanium, titanium alloys and Titanium ores, 10-5-17.
(A) Titanium compounds, 10-5-17.
(A) Tobacco, unmanufactured and manufactured, 4-7-16, 1-7-17, 27-11-17.
(A) Toluol and its compounds and preparations.
(A) Tomato pulp, 19-2-17.
Tomato seed, see Seeds.
Tongs, see Tools.
Tools, agricultural and farm, see Machinery, also Handles.
Tools, etc., for firearms, see firearms.
Tools, etc., for the filling and repair of rifle and shot gun cartridges, see Cartridges.
Tools, harness and saddlery, see Harness.
Tools, shoemakers', see Boots and Shoes, Material for.
(A) Tools, small, the following :—
Adzes, 27-11-17.
Augers, 27-11-17.
Bars, boring, jumping and pinching, 27-11-17.
Boring cutters, 27-7-16.
Braces and bits, 27-11-17.
Chisels, 27-11-17.
Choppers, 14-5-18.
Chucks, 26-7-16.
Cleavers, 14-5-18.
Cramps, 27-11-17.
Crowbars, 27-11-17.
Drilling posts, 27-11-17.
Files, other than shoemakers' seat files, 8-9-16.
Forks, stone, roadmaking and coke, 27-11-17.
Gimlets, 27-11-17.
Gouges, 27-11-17.
Hacksaws and their component parts, 22-6-17.
Hammers (hand varieties), 27-11-17.
Knives, carpenters', cooper's, farriers', glaziers', and painters', 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Lathe tools, 26-7-16.
Levels, spirit, 17-11-17.
Measuring tools, 26-7-16.
Milling cutters, 26-7-16.
Pincers, 27-11-17.
Pipe cutters, 27-11-17.
Planes, wood and iron, 27-11-17.
Railbenders (or Jimcrows), 27-11-17.
Reamers, 26-7-16.
Road scrapers, 14-5-18.
Saws, cross cut, frame and pit, 22-1-18.
Saws, hand, 27-11-17.
Screwdrivers (or turnscrews), 27-11-17.
Screwing tackle, 26-7-16.
Shaves, coopers', 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Shears and snips, tinman's, 27-11-17.

Slitting saws, 26-7-16.
Spanners, 27-11-17.
Spokeshaves, 27-11-17.
Squares, carpenters', fitters' and smiths', 27-11-17.
Thread milling hobs, 26-7-16.
Tongs, farriers', 27-11-17.
Twist drills, 26-7-16.
Wedges, wood splitting, 14-5-18.
Wrenches, 27-11-17.

(B) Torpedoes and their component parts.
(B) Torpedo nets.
(B) Torpedo tubes.
Tramway fittings, see Castings.
Travellers, see Steel.
(A) Trional.
(A) Trioxymethelene.
(A) Triphenyl phosphate.
Troughs, see Hollow-ware.
Trunks, see Hollow-ware.
Tubes, see Boiler, Copper Manufactures, Iron, Shipbuilding Material, Steel, Torpedo, Umbrella.
(A) Tubs, washing, iron or steel, 12-4-18.
(A) Tungsten alloys, 22-6-17.
(A) Tungsten (except tungsten filaments for electric lamps).
(B) Tungsten filaments for electric lamps.
(B) Tungsten ores (including terberite, hubnerite, scheelite and wolframite), 19-12-16.
(B) Tungsten, compounds, 10-5-17.
(A) Turnbuckles suitable for aeroplanes.
Turnip seed, see Seeds.
(A) Turpentine (oil and spirit), and articles containing turpentine, 18-12-17.
(A) Turpentine substitute, and articles containing turpentine substitute, 22-6-17, 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Twine, see Binder, Hemp, Jute.
Twist drills, see Tools, small.
Typewriter cloth, see Cotton manufactures.
(A) Typewriters and parts thereof, 13-7-17, 14-8-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Tyres for motor vehicles and for cycles (whether attached to a vehicle or cycle or not), together with articles and materials especially adapted for use in the manufacture or repair of tyres.

U

(C) Ultramarine and mixtures containing ultramarine.
(A) Umber, 2-7-18.
(A) Umbrella ribs, tubes and tube frames.
(B) Uniform clothing (except second-hand naval and military uniform clothing).
(A) Uniform clothing, second-hand naval and military, 15-12-17.
(A) Uranium, alloys of uranium and uranium ores, 12-3-17.
(C) Uranium compounds, 10-5-17.
(B) Urea and its compounds.
Urotropin, see Hexamethylene.

V

(C) Vaccines, 22-6-17.
(C) Valerianates, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
(C) Valerianic acid, 22-6-17.
Valves for wireless telegraphic apparatus, see Telegraphs.
(C) Valves, gas, steam and water (not otherwise prohibited), 29-9-16, 12-12-16, 14-8-17.
(B) Valves, metal, of all descriptions, 14-8-17.
(B) Vanadium.
(C) Vanadium compounds, 1-5-17.
(B) Vanadium ore, 28-8-17.
(A) Vanillin, vanilla and vanilla pods, 22-6-17, 28-8-17, 2-7-18.
(C) Varnishes not otherwise prohibited; 17-11-16.
Vegetable fats, see Fats.
Vegetable ivory, see Ivory.
Vegetable oils, see Oils.
(A) Vegetables of all kinds, whether fresh, dried, preserved, canned or bottled; 29-9-16, 12-12-16, 15-1-17, 10-5-17.
Vegetable seeds, see Seeds.
(C) Vellum, 27-11-17.
Venison, see Poultry and Game.
Veronal, see Diethylbarbituric Acid.
(A) Vessels, 18-12-17.
(A) Vermicelli.
(A) Vices, 12-3-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Vinegar containing not more than 6 per cent of acetic acid, 28-6-16.
(A) Vinegar essence and similar preparations containing more than 6 per cent. of acetic acid, 28-6-16.
Vulcanized fibre, see Insulating Materials.

W

Wadding, see Cotton.
(B) Waggons, four-wheeled, capable of carrying one ton or over, and their component parts.
Waggons, see Railway Carriages.
(A) Waggon covers.
Waste, see Cotton, Flax, Hair, Hemp, Jute, Leather, Linen, Mica, Oil, Paper, Pulpboard, Rubber, Silk, Sisal, Strawboard, Wool.
(B) Watches and watch movements, 18-10-17, 18-12-17.
(C) Waterbottles suitable for military use.
Waterproof wearing apparel, see Apparel.
(A) Wax, carnauba, 13-7-17.
(A) Wax, paraffin, 1-5-17.
(B) Waxed paper.
(B) Waxes, animal, mineral, and vegetable not otherwise prohibited, 8-9-16, 1-5-17, 18-10-17.
(A) Waxes, composite, 18-10-17.
(B) Webequipment.
Wedges, wood splitting, see Tools.
(A) Whalebone, 1-5-17.
(A) Whalebone meal, 1-5-17.
Whale cake, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Whale fins, 1-5-17.
Whale meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Wheat, wheat flour and wheat meal and all articles, mixtures and preparations containing wheat, wheat flour, or wheat meal.
Wheels, see Carts, Cycles, Motor vehicles, Railway materials, Waggons.
(A) Willows, and osiers, 22-1-18.

Winches, see Shipbuilding material.
Windlasses, see Shipbuilding material.
(A) Wine; 19-12-16, 22-1-18.
(A) Wire, barbed, and galvanised wire, and implements for cutting or fixing such wire; 28-6-16, 10-5-17.
(A) Wire, card.
(A) Wire, heald.
Wire mattresses, see Mattresses.
(A) Wire, reed.
(A) Wire rods, and wire of iron or steel, and articles manufactured wholly of such wire rods or wire; 8-2-18.
Wire-winding machines, see Implements.
(B) Wires, insulated.
(B) Wolfenite.
Wolframite, see Tungsten ores.
(A) Wood and timber of all kinds, hewn, sawn, or split, planed or dressed, 29-9-16, 15-1-17, 2-2-17, 12-3-17. See also Plywood.
(A) Wood pulp, 12-12-16
Wood-pulp-board, see Paper.
Wood tar, see Tar.
Wood tar oil, see Oils.
Wood packing cases, see Packing.
Wooden pegs, see Pegs.
(A) Wood screws, made of iron or steel, 29-9-16, 12-12-16, 18-10-17.
(A) Wool grease, and articles and mixtures containing wool grease, 12-4-18.
Wool and Woollen Goods:—
Blankets, see Blankets.
Carpets, see Carpets.
Collar check, see below.
Felt, see Felt.
Rags, see below.
Rugs, see Rugs, also Carpets.
(A) Saddle felt.
(A) Saddle serge.
Sheepkins, woolled or haired, see Sheepskins.
Shoddy, see below.
(A) Wool, raw and mixtures thereof, 8-9-16, 18-10-17.
(A) Wool tops and mixtures thereof, 18-10-17.
(A) Wool noils and wool waste and mixtures thereof, 18-10-17.
(A) Woollen and worsted yarn and mixtures thereof, 18-10-17.
(A) Woollen collar check.
(A) Woollen rags, shoddy and mungo applicable to other uses than manure, 18-10-17.
(B) Wool, all manufactures, mixtures, and products of, except such as are prohibited to all destinations, 17-11-16, 8-3-18.
Wrappers, see Bags, Jute.
Wrenches, see Tools, small.

X

(A) X-ray apparatus, 14-5-18.
(A) Xylol and its compounds and preparations.

Y

Yarns, see Coir, Cotton, Hair, Jute, Silk, Wool.
(A) Yeast, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing yeast, 8-9-16, 22-6-17.
Yellow metal, see Copper.

Z

(A) Zinc, alloys of zinc, manufactures of zinc and zinc dust, 2-2-17.
(A) Zinc ashes.
Zinc barium pigments, see the various headings affecting zinc salts.
(B) Zinc chloride and sulphate, and mixtures containing zinc chloride, or sulphate.
(B) Zinc ore.
(A) Zinc oxide, and mixtures containing zinc oxide, 2-2-17, 14-8-17.
(A) Zinc sulphide and mixtures containing zinc sulphide, 10-5-17, 14-8-17.
(A) Zirconium and its alloys, 12-12-16.
(A) Zirconium compounds, 12-12-16.
(B) Zirconium minerals, 12-12-16.

LIST E.

List of goods in the schedule appended to the Royal Proclamation of the 25th June 1918, prohibiting the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to any destination in Switzerland; the prohibition also applies to any articles composed wholly or partially of such articles. (*See page 532.*)

Abaca.
Abaca yarn.
Accumulators, electric, and accumulator plates.
Acetanilide.
Acetates.
Aceto-cellulose.
Acetone.
Acids:—
Acetic.
Benzoic.
Boric.
Carbolic.
Chlorosylphuric.
Citric.
Fatty.
Formic.
Gallic.
Hydrobromic.
Hydrochloric.
Lactic.
Nitric.
Oleic.
Oxalic.
Palmitic.
Phenic.
Pyrogallic.
Salicylic.
Stearic.
Sulphuric.
Tannic.
Tartaric.
Aconite and its preparations and alkaloids.
Aconitine.

Acorns, roasted or not.
Aeroplanes and airships, and engines and parts.
Aeroplanes, component parts of, with accessories and articles suitable for use in connection with aircraft.
Agar agar.
Albumen, including yolks of egg.
Alcohol, industrial.
Alcohol, portable.
Aldehyde.
Alfa.
Alimentary pastes.
Alkaline bromides.
Alkaline tartrates.
Alkaloids (vegetable).
Almonds.
Almond oil.
Alpaca yarn.
Alpiste.
Alum.
Alumina : anhydride, hydride salts.
Alumina (sulphate).
Aluminium ore.
Aluminium in all forms; pure metal, alloys of.
Aluminium, manufactures of, not including aluminium, jewellery.
Aluminium, oxides and salt of.
Aluminium bronze.
Alundum, cast or not.
American cloth.
Amidopyrine.
Ammonium salts.
Ammunition.
Amyl alcohol (fusel oil).
Aniline (materials for).
Aniline and its compounds.
Animal wax, beeswax, spermaceti.
Animals, living.
Aniseed and starred aniseed.
Anthracene.
Anti-bacterium.
Anti-febrine.
Antimony, metallic (native antimony and regulus of antimony), alloys of.
Antimony, native sulphide, ore, and other combinations of antimony.
Apples, residue of.
Arms of all kinds and component parts.
Arsenic, ore and metal.
Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, mixtures containing arsenic.
Asbestos, crude.
Asbestos, manufactured.
Asphalt, all kinds.
Asses.
Atropine.
Automobiles, and parts and accessories.
Awls, shoemakers.
Axes.

Bacon.
Bags (except paper bags).
Balata, all forms.
Balata belting.
Balloons and parts.
Balloon stuffs.
Bamboos.
Bananas.
Banana meal.
Barges.
Barium, nitrate of.
Barium sulphate.
Bark for tanning and dyeing.
Barley.
Barrels.
Batteries, electric, and parts.
Bauxite.
Bayonets.
Beans, dried, whole.
Beans for cattle feeding.
Beans, split, and meal.
Beans, locust.
Beef, corned.
Beef oleo for margarine.
Bees'-wax, crude or worked and articles in bees'-wax.
Beet pulp for cattle.
Beetroot salin.
Belladonna and its preparations and alkaloids.
Bell-metal, all forms.
Belting (machine) in all materials.
Benzine.
Benzo naphthol.
Benzol; benzoates.
Berries for dyeing and tanning.
Billhooks.
Biphosphate of lime.
Biscuits.
Bismuth, ore and metal.
Bismuth salts.
Bitumen, and bituminous compositions.
Bladders.
Blankets (woollen).
Blasting powder.
Blocks, stereos, clichés (copper).
Boats for river use (barges, &c.).
Boiler compositions.
Bone fat.
Bones, whole, dissolved, melted, calcined, and bone ash.
Bootmakers' tools.
Boots and shoes, rubber and leather, including footwear in textile with leather soles or parts, also parts thereof, and grindery used in the manufacture thereof.
Borax (borate of soda) and mixtures containing borax.
Boron compounds.
Bran.
Brass, all forms.
Brazil nuts.
Bread.
Bristles, pigs', assorted and in bundles.
Bromine and bromides, and their compounds and salts.
Bromoform.
Bronze, all forms.
Brooms, Sorghum fibre.
Brucine.
Buckwheat.
Burners, acetylene.
Butter.
Butter substitute.
Buttons and eyelets for boots and shoes (celluloid or metal).
Buttons of vegetable ivory.

Cabbages.
Cable, insulated.
Cables, cordage, ropemakers' wares, of any textile materials.
Cadmium ore and metal.
Cadmium salts.
Cafeo.
Caffeine and its salts.
Cakes.

Calcium, carbide of.
Calcium cyanamide.
Calves.
Camels' hair.
Camels' hair yarn.
Camp equipment.
Camphor.
Canary seed.
Candles, nightlights, tapers, of bees'-wax, stearine, spermaceti, and other substances.
Canes.
Cantharides and its preparations.
Canvas.
Caoutchouc.
Capsicum.
Caraway seeds.
Carbolic acid and its compounds, and mixtures containing carbolic acid.
Carbon sulphide.
Carbon chloride and tetrachloride and their preparations.
Carbon (gas).
Carbons (electric).
Carborundum in all forms.
Cardamoms.
Cardboard, asphalted.
Card clothing.
Carpets of animal hair, wool, linen, jute, and cotton, and mixtures thereof.
Carriages and carts.
Carrots.
Cartridges.
Caseine.
Cashew nuts.
Casks.
Cassava root.
Cassia.
Castor oil.
Cattle.
Cattle cake.
Cattle feeding stuffs, brewery grains, and other; also prepared cattle foods
Cauliflowers.
Celluloid, in all forms, including wares.
Cellulose.
Cellulose yarn.
Cement.
Cement, dental.
Cereals, cereal foods.
Ceresine.
Cerium, ore and metal.
Cerium, salts of.
Chamois leather.
Charcoal.
"Charcuterie" (pork butchers' meat).
Charts.
Cheese.
Chestnuts, fresh or dried.
Chestnut meal.
Chicory, ground.
Chicory root, dried or roasted, and substitutes,
"Chiendent" fibre.
Chisels.
Chloral and its compounds and preparations.
Chloraynide.
Chlorates.
Chloride of ammonia.
Chlorine, liquefied and in solution.
Chlorine and its compounds.
Chloroform.
Chocolate.
Chrome ore and metal.
Chrome salts.
Chronometers, ships'.
Cigars and cigarettes.
Cinchona bark.
Cinchonine.
Cinematograph films, including blank, unexposed films.
Cinnamon.
Citrate of lime and other citrates.
Citrate of magnesia.
Clay, china (kaolin).
Cliches.
Clothing for men, non-waterproofed.
Clothing for women, non-waterproofed.
Clothing, waterproofed.
Cloves.
Cloves, essence of.
Coal-tar, its products and derivatives capable of being utilised in the manufacture of dyes or explosives; compounds containing such products and derivatives (except coal-tar dyes).
Cobalt, salts, and oxides of cobalt, and articles containing cobalt.
Cocoa and its preparations.
Cocaine and its salts and preparations.
Coca.
Cocoa beans.
Cocoa pods, husks and dust.
Cocoa butter.
Cocoa powder.
Coconut butter.
Coconut oil.
Coconuts.
Codeine (alkaloid of opium).
Coffee, raw, roasted, and hygienic coffee.
Coffee substitutes, not otherwise specified, in a dry state, including ground acorns, kubin, cafeo, ground chicory.
Coffee extracts, essences, and substitutes, liquid.
Coin, nickel, bronze, and copper.
Coir yarn and wares.
Colchicum and its preparations.
Collodion.
Colophany.
Colts.
Colza oil.
Conicine.
Copal gum.
Coper: ore (including pyrites); pure metal and alloys of, in all forms; waste.
Copper wares, including carbons for electricity containing copper, and including all metal articles containing 10 per cent. or more of copper or its alloys; enamelled or plated copper wares; perforated copper plates; copper leaf; insulated and non-insulated copper cables; insulated electrical copper wires; copper cables with lead sheath, or iron fittings; electrical cables of all kinds containing copper; copper trellis work; copper bolts, screws, nails, rivets; church and other bells; unfinished brass machine parts; brass valves and taps imported apart from their machines; copper or alloyed copper wares not otherwise specified, whether turned or not; bronze wares.
Copper, suboxide of, and articles containing suboxide of copper.
Copper, sulphate of.

Copra butter.
Copra oil.
Cordage.
Cordage (old).
Cork, in sheets, including cork unworked, waste and old corks.
Cork, worked, including corks.
Cornflour.
Corozo (vegetable ivory) nuts, and buttons made thereof.
Corundum, all forms.
Cotton and cotton waste (including cotton yarn waste), carded or not; cotton wool.
Cotton-rags.
Cotton-seed oil.
Cotton stearine.
Cotton tissues, all kinds, made up or otherwise.
Cotton yarn.
Cream.
Cream of tartar.
Creosote, wood.
Creosote oil.
Cresol and nitro-cresol, and their compounds and preparations.
Crucibles.
Cryolite.
Crystolon.
Cutch.
Cyanides.
Cycles and motor cycles and component parts.
Cylinders and discs for phonographs and gramophones with or without impressions, new or old, broken or waste.
Cylinders and receptacles of iron or steel for compressed or liquid gas.

Damar gum.
Dari.
Dates.
Daturine.
Degras.
Delphinine.
Dental apparatus, teeth sets, and their accompaniments.
Dental rubber, waxes, cement, and fillings.
Dermatol.
Detonators.
Dextrines.
Diamonds, cut or pierced for industrial use.
Diamonds, industrial, including rough diamonds for cutting into jwellery gems, and boart.
Digitaline.
Dismethyl-aniline.
Distillers' grains, and residues from apples, raisins, or olives.
Diuretine.
Down.
Drains, rubber.
Draw-plates jewelled.
Dress protectors, proofed.
Dying substances, all kinds, except coal-tar dyes.
Dynamite.
Dynamos.

Earth containing infusoria.
Ebonite.
Eggs.
Eggs, preserved and egg yolk.
Electrical appliances adapted for use in war, and their component parts.
Electrical fire-lighters.
Electrical insulated wire and cables.
Electric insulation, compositions or products, suitable for.
Electrodes (unmounted).
Electrodes (mounted), piles, and component parts.
Emery, all forms, including wheels and paper.
Emetine and emetic salts.
Engines (locomotive).
Engines, marine and aerial, and parts.
Equipment, military.
Erasers, rubber.
Ether sulphuric and ether acetic.
Eucaine, hydrochloride, eucaine (benzamine) lactate, and their preparations.
Explosives, gunpowder and similar explosives, nitro glycerine, dynamite, melinite, etc.
Extracts, liquid and solid, for dyeing, extracts of colouring matter other than those derived from coal tar.
Extracts, tanning.
Extracts of meat.

Farinaceous articles of all kinds being food-stuffs: wheat, rye, oats, barley, maize, buckwheat, grain, meal and flour, malt, bread and biscuits, groats, semolina, Italian paste, sago, salep, mandioca and flour, tapioca and flour, rice of all kinds, dried vegetables of all kinds, and their meal chestnuts and flour, dari millet, and alpiste (long millet).
Fats, animal.
Fats, vegetable, comestible.
Feathers, feather waste and down (other than fancy feathers).
Fecula of all kinds.
Felspar.
Felts, asphalted.
Felts of animal hair.
Ferro-chrome and ferro-nickel, and all other ferro-alloys.
Ferro-cyanides.
Fibre.
Figs, fresh, dried.
Figs, roasted.
Filings and scrap, of old copper, lead, tin, zinc and their alloys.
Firearms of all kinds and their component parts.
Fish, in brine, preserved dried, salted.
Fish, potted or canned, all kinds.
Flannels (cotton).
Flannels (woollen).
Flax, raw, as tow or combed, waste.
Flaxen canvas, hammock canvas, kit-bag canvas, navy canvas, tent canvas.
Flaxen fabric suitable for balloons.
Flour: Wheat, maize, rice, peas, beans, and other sorts of.
Flour-mill waste.
Foodstuffs, preserved, all kinds.
Forges, portable.
Fermaldehyde, denatured.
Formaldehyde, non-denatured.
Formal.
Fruit, juice and syrup.
Fruit kernels.
Fruits, fresh.
Fruits, exotic.
Fruits, dried, preserved, drained.
Fruits for dyeing and tanning.
Fullers' earth.

Furs, rough or prepared, but not worked or made up.
Fusel oil.
Fuses (miners').
Fustic.

Gambier.
Game.
Game (preserved).
Garlic.
Geodetic instruments.
Ginger.
Ginger, preserved.
Glass paper.
Gloves (leather).
Gloves (rubber).
Gloves (woollen).
Glucose, liquid.
Glucose, solid.
Glucose, solid, for the manufacture of artificial silk.
Glue.
Gluten, all kinds.
Glycerine and preparations containing glycerine.
Glycerophosphates.
Goats.
Goatskins.
Goldbeaters' skin.
Grains (brewery and distillery).
Grapes, fresh and pressed grapes.
Grapes, residue of.
Graphite, all forms, including crucibles.
Grease.
Grease curriers' and leather dressers'.
Grease for vehicles and machinery.
Grease, machine.
Grenadines.
Grindery used in the making of boots and shoes, including rivets, plates, nails, buttons, etc.
Grindstones.
Groats, all kinds.
Ground-nut oil.
Guaiacol and guaiacol carbonate.
Guano.
Gums, all kinds, solid and liquid, such as arabic, cherry, tragacanth, Senagal acacia, agar, Bassorah, and mahogany.
Gun cotton.
Gunpowder.
Gun-metal, all forms.
Guns and parts.
Gut, animal, in all forms.
Gut, cords of (except those for musical instruments), including gut cords for machinery.
Guts of oxen.
Gutta-percha, all forms.

Hair, human and animal, rough, cleaned, spun or otherwise prepared or manufactured.
Hair, textiles of.
Halogen, derivatives of aliphatic hydrocarbons.
Hams.
Hand carts.
Handles of tools.
Haricot beans.
Harness and parts.
Haulers.
Hausers and ropes of iron and steel wire.
Hay.
Heliographs.
Hematite cast iron in pig and other forms.
Hemp, cloth.
Hemp, cordage and twine.
Hemp, crushed, dressed, and combed, waste.
Hemp, yarn and knotted.
Hexamethylene-tetramine.
Hides and skins rough or prepared, including fur skins not put together.
Honey, natural or artificial.
Horn.
Horsecloth of hair.
Horsehair, and vegetable substitute for horsehair.
Horses.
Horseshoes.
Hosiery (cotton).
Hosiery (woollen).
Hydrocarbons and hydrocarbides.
Hydroquinone.

Indigo, natural.
Injectors, rubber.
Instruments nautical, of all kinds.
Insulating materials.
Iodine and its compounds and preparations.
Iodoform.
Ipecacuanha root.
Iridium, ore and metal.
Iridium, compounds of.
Iron, unworked, forged, rolled or drawn, including wire, unworked cast iron, all forms.
Iron alloys.
Iron ore (including pyrites).
Iron and steel plate, all kinds, including black, tinned, annealed, terne, nickelled, leaded, coppered, zincked, galvanised, corrugated, painted, varnished, and boxes for packing food.
Isinglass.

Jams, with or without sugar.
Jellies, fruit.
Jellies, mineral.
Jewellery, imitation.
Jute, raw, carded, &c.
Jute yarn.
Jute sacks.
Jute : piece-goods.

Kaolin (china clay).
Kermes, mineral.
Kernel oil for industrial use.
Kernels of fruit.
Kino.
Kubin.

Lac.
Laces, for boots, and shoes, all kinds.
Lamps, signalling.
Lard imitation.
Lava, volvic.
Lead (ore and metal, pure and alloyed) in all forms, including lead type, old or new.
Lead, salts, and compounds of.
Leather, hides, and skins, raw.
Leather, hides, and skins, tanned and dressed.
Leather wares, including travelling articles in leather, but not including fancy light leather goods ("maroquinerie.")
Leaves for dyeing and tanning.
Leeks.
Lemons and fresh lemon skins.

Lemon juice.
Lentils.
Lichens for dyeing and tanning.
Lime, acetate, and pyrolignite of.
Lime, chloride and phosphate of.
Lime, phenate of.
Linen tissues.
Linen yarn.
Lingerie, cotton.
Linoleum.
Linseed.
Linseed meal.
Linseed oil.
Liqueurs.
Liqueurs, wines containing a higher percentage of alcohol than that indicated in the Swiss Tariff.
Liquorice.
Liquorice juice (in cakes, sticks, &c.).
Liquorice root.
Llama hair, yarns, and tissues.
Logwood.
Lorries motor.
Lubricants.

Marcaroni.
Mace.
Machine tools and parts thereof.
Machinery, agricultural, all kinds, and spare parts thereof.
Machinery and mechanical apparatus of all kinds, including spare parts.
Machinery and parts thereof, suitable for use in marine and aerial navigation.
Machinery and parts thereof, exclusively used for the manufacture of munitions and weapons of war.
Machinery and parts thereof in special steel, such as high speed steel, nickel steel, &c.
Machinery, electrical, electric dynamos, and motors.
Machinery, metal-working.
Machinery, refrigerating.
Magnesia, calcined.
Magnesium chloride and sulphate, and mixtures containing magnesium chloride and sulphate.
Magnetos and their parts.
Maize.
Maize floor.
Maize meal.
Maize stalks.
Malt.
Malt (exhausted) and malt germs, for cattle.
Mandarines.
Mandioca and flour.
Manganese, ore and metal, all forms; dioxide and peroxide of manganese.
Manganese salts.
Mangrove bark and extract.
Manilla yarn.
Manioc, raw or dried.
Manures of all kinds, chemical and other.
Maps.
Marble unworked or sawn.
Mares (residues).
Margarine, oleo-margarine, copra butter, and similar products.
Marmalade.
Mats of horse hair.
Mats of straw and fibre.
Meal, farinaceous, all kinds.
Meat meal for cattle.
Meats, fresh and refrigerated.
Meats, salt and smoked.
Meats, tinned, and extracts of.
Melinite.
Mercury, and its compounds and preparations, and mixtures containing such compounds of mercury.
Mercury, fulminate of.
Metal, anti-friction.
Methylene, methylic alcohol, crude or chemically pure.
Methyl-ethyl-acetone.
Mica, crude or in sheets; mica splittings; ground mica.
Mica, cut, manufactured and mica wares.
Milk, condensed, sweetened or not.
Millet.
Millet, long (alpiste).
Millinery, cotton.
Mineral oils and essences.
Mohair yarn and tissues.
Molasses.
Molybdenum ore and alloys.
Molybdenum salts.
Monazite sand.
Morphia; morphine.
Mosses, Iceland, Irish, caragheen, and sphagnum.
Motor-cars, motor-lorries: parts and accessories.
Motor-cycles and parts and accessories.
Motors, electric, all kinds.
Mowing machines and spare parts.
Mules.
Munitions.
Muriate of ammonia.
Mustard seed.

Nails for boots and shoes.
Naphtha.
Naphthalene.
Naphthol, naphthylamine and similar products.
Narcotine.
Nets, fishing and other.
Nickel: ore, metal, pure and alloyed, all forms.
Nickel wares and coin.
Nickel, salts and combinations.
Nicotine.
Nitro-benzine.
Nitro-cresol and its compounds and preparations.
Nitro-glycerine.
Novocaine.
Nutmegs.
Nuts.
Nuts and seeds, oleaginous.
Nuts for dyeing and tanning.
Nuts, pistachio.
Nux vomica and its alkaloids and preparations.

Oats.
Oatmeal.
Observation instruments.
Oil, animal, including neat's foot oil.
Oil, fish.
Oil mineral, crude, refined, heavy.
Oil (tar).
Oil, vegetable, all kinds.
Oil, whale.
Oil and grease for machinery.
Oil, residual of distillation of alcohol.
Oil-cake, whole or ground.
Oil, essential.

Oiled cloth for furniture.
Oiled cloth for packing.
Oleine.
Oleo-margarine.
Olive oil, comestible.
Olive oil, denatured.
Olives packed in oil.
Olives, residue of.
Onions (including small picking onions), both edible and for planting.
Opium and preparations containing opium.
Optical instruments, not including spectacles.
Oranges and fresh orange skin.
Orange juice, citronelle, citrates.
Osiers.
Osmium, ore and metal.
Osmium, compounds of.
Oxalates.
Oxen.
Oxide of tin and stanniferous waste.
Oxides of lead (litharge and minium).
Ozokerit.

Packings, engine and boiler.
Paleine.
Palladium, compounds of.
Palm nuts.
Palm oil.
Paper, Japanese, and similar paper, including serviettes of Japanese paper.
Papers, sensitised.
Paraffin.
Paraffin, liquid medicinal.
Paraffin wax.
Paraformaldehyde.
Paraldehyde.
Paste, Italian.
Peaflour.
Pease, dried, whole.
Pease, split and meal.
Peal, candied.
Pepper.
" Peptone Witte ".
Perchlorates.
Peroxides, metallic.
Petroleum, crude, refined and spirit.
Petroleum, jelly.
Petroleum residue and waste.
Pewter, all forms.
Phenacetine
Phenazone.
Phenetidine.
Phosgene (oxychloride of carbon).
Phosphor bronze.
Phosphorus.
Phosphoric acid and compounds of phosphorus.
Photographic papers.
Photographic plates and films.
Pickles.
Picks.
Pigeons, live and dead.
Pigs.
Pimento.
Pineapples.
Pitch.
Pitch (wood tar).
Plait (straw, hemp, tagal or other), for hat-making.
Plants for dyeing and tanning.
Plated wares.
Plates for bootmaking.
Platinum, in all forms, including manufactures (except platinum jewellery).
Platinum salts.
Plumbago.
Pollards.
Poppy oil.
Pork-butchers' meat (" charcuterie ").
Potash, prussiate of.
Potassium, chlorate and perchlorate.
Potassium, cyanide of.
Potassium, nitrate.
Potatoes.
Pottery and refractory bricks with magnesite base.
Poultry, live and dead.
Precious stones, uncut, and artificial precious stones, cut or uncut.
Presspahn (" carton amréicain ").
Projectiles and other munitions of war.
Prunes, dried.
Pyridine (base).

Quebracho extract.
Quebracho wood.
Quinine and its salts.
Quinine, extracts of.

Rabbits.
Radium and its salts.
Rags of all kinds.
Railway carriages, trucks, and lorries.
Raisins, dried.
Ramie, raw and waste.
Ramie tissues.
Ramie yarn.
Rapeseed.
Rattans, all kinds, and articles wholly or partly composed of rattans.
Reaping machines and spare parts.
Regurine.
Rennet.
Residues, exhausted, from gas production (Masses d épuration épuisées).
Resin and resin pitch.
Resin oil.
Resinous substances, pine and fir.
Rhodium, ore and metal.
Rhodium, compounds of.
Rice.
Rice flour.
Rifles and parts.
Rigging.
Rivets used in bootmaking.
Roots for dyeing and tanning.
Ropes and rope-makers' wares.
Rosin, rosin pitch.
Rubber : Balata, gutta-percha, raw or remelted, including waste vulcanised rubber and ebonite and rubber substitutes, rubber wares, rubber-proofed and rubber-mixed goods, rubber preservatives.
Rum.
Ruthenium, ore and metal.
Ruthenium, compounds of.
Rye.
Rye, ergot of.

Sabadilla seeds.
Sacks, satchels and bags of all textile materials, including paper thread.
Saddlery, leather.
Saddlery, metal parts.
Safrol.
Sago and flour.
Salad oil.

Salep.
Salicine.
Salipyrine.
Salophene.
Saltpetre, refined.
Saltpetres (Chile), crude.
Salts of—

Thorium, carium, platinum, titanium, molybdenum, vanadium, and other salts of rare earths.

Salts of copper, chrome, tin, mercury, and other metals.
Sandarac gum.
Sandpaper.
Santonin and its preparations.
Satchels.
Sausage casings.
Sausages.
Saws.
Scheelite.
Scrap steel, *i.e.*, scrap, filings and waste of special steel, broken-up special steel wares.
Scraps, metal, and filings, copper, lead, tin, zinc, and their alloys.
Screws.
Sealing wax.
Searchlights.
Seeds, sowing.
Selenium, ore and metal.
Semolina.
Senna leaves and pods.
Sesamum oil.
Shale oil.
Sheep.
Sheepgut.
Sheepskins.
Shellac.
Shell-fish, preserved.
Shipbuilding materials, rigging and apparatus.
Ships, all kinds.
Shoddy (wool).
Shoe fittings, shoe mercery, grindery.
Shovels.
Silica bricks.
Silica paper.
Silicon.
Silk: cocoons, raw, spun and tissues (including artificial silk): all kinds and forms.
Silver, raw, bar, ingot, powder, crap, scoin.
Skins, raw and dressed.
Slag wool.
Sledges.
Snuff.
Soap (including "Monkey Brand"). Perfumed toilet soaps.
Socks and stockings (wool).
Soda, carbonate of, in all forms, including bicarbonate.
Soda, caustic.
Soda, peroxide of.
Soda, prussiate of.
Sodium bichromate.
Sodium chlorate.
Sodium cyanide.
Sodium (metal).
Sodium nitrate.
Sodium nitrite.
Sodium, sulphate, sulphide and hyposulphite.
Soles, lifts, and other cut leather for boots and shoes.
Soups, compressed, desiccated, preserved.
Soy.
Spades.
Spaghetri.
Spelter.
Spermaceti.
Spices, ground or not.
Spirits, potable.
Sprits of wine.
Sponges of all kinds, including waste.
Sprayers and spraying machines other than those for toilet, medicinal and domestic use.
Starch; also starch waste for cattle.
Stearine.
Stearine, cotton for industrial purposes.
Steel, special, containing 0·5 per cent. of nickel chrome, or tungsten, 0·2 per cent. of molybdenum, 0·1 per cent. of vanadium or titanium, 9 per cent. of manganese, 0·5 per cent. of cobalt (stellite); scrap, filings, and waste of special steel.
Steel, unworked, forged, rolled or drawn (including wire).
Stencil paper.
Stereos.
Stirrups.
Stramonium leaves and seeds.
Straps (textile).
Straw.
Strontium, compounds of.
Strychnine.
Sublimate, corrosive.
Suet.
Sugar, raw, refined, candy.
Sugar of milk.
Sulphate of copper and cuprous powder; green copper.
Sulphoricinates.
Sulphur in all forms.
Sulphur dioxide (anhydride).
Surgical bandages and dressings.
Surgical, medical and orthopaedic instruments and apparatus.
Swords, and other arms.
Syrups of mollasses.

Tagal plait.
Talc.
Tallow.
Tanning substances of all kinds.
Tapioca and flour.
Tar.
Tar (coal), derivatives and products of, for the manufacture of dyes.
Tar oil derivatives.
Tarpaulins.
Tartar, cream of trartar and its alkaloids; tartrates.
Tea.
Tedders and spare parts.
Teeth, artificial.
Telegraph apparatus, parts of, and materials for.
Telephone apparatus, parts of, and materials for.
Tents and fittings.
Terpine, terpinol.
Textile fabric for balloons.
Theobromine.
Thiosulphates and polythionates.
Thorium ore and metal.
Thorium nitrate.
Thorium salts.
Thyme, essence of.

Thymol and its preparations.
Tin, chloride of.
Tin: ore, metal, pure and alloyed, in all forms.
Tin oxide.
Tin wares, including alloys.
Tinned plate and terne plate; tinned plate boxes for packing foodstuffs.
Titanium, ore and metal.
Titanium salts.
Tobacco, unmanufactured and substitutes.
Tobacco, manufactured and substitutes.
Toluidine, toluol.
Tomatoes, fresh.
Tomatoes, preserved.
Tools, edge, with or without handles, of ordinary iron or steel, also spades, chisels, picks, axes, shovels, saws, farriers', carpenters', wheelrights', and saddlers' tools, entrenching tools, bill-hooks, hoes.
Tools, instruments,, and their parts, of special steel (such as high-speed steel, nickel steel, &c.), except watchmakers' tools.
Tools used in the making of boots and shoes.
Toys, rubber.
Traction engines.
Treacle
Trional.
Trioxymethylene.
Trucks and trollies, railway and other.
Tubes and tubing for boilers; cocks (vannes) for steam, gas and water.
Tubes, drain.
Tungsten ore and metal and tungstic acid.
Tungsten, compounds of.
Turkey red oil, and other sulfericinates.
Turnips.
Turpentine and mixtures containing turpentine.
Twine.
Type, metal.
Typewriters.
Tyres, solid or pneumatic.
Union cotton goods (containing 25 per cent. of cotton).
Uranium, ore and metal.
Urea and its compounds.
Urethane.
Urotropine (hexamethylene tetramine) and preparations containing urotropine.
Vanadium, ore and metal.
Vanadium salts
Vanilla.
Varnishes, all kinds.
Vaseline.
Vegetable fibre, also yarn and wares, vegetable substitutes for horsehair, vegetable substances for plaiting, rough, spun, or manufactured in any way.
Vegetable ivory (corozo).
Vegetables, dried, and their meal.
Vegetables, fresh.
Vegetables, preserved.
Vegetaline (butter substitute).
Vehicles of all kinds, haulers and traction engines of all kinds, all articles (unmanufactured or manufactured) for military, naval, or transport purposes.
Ventilators of 50 to 250 kilogrammes.
Veratrine.
Vermouth.
Vessels, sailing, steam, motor.
Vinegar.
Vitriol, oil of.
Vulcanised fibre, all forms.
Waggons.
Walnuts.
Waterproofed clothing, with or without rubber.
Waterproofed (rubber) goods.
Wax, animal.
Wax paper.
Wax polish for floors, leather, furniture, etc.
Wax cloth.
Waxes, dental.
Waxes, mineral.
Waxes, vegetable.
Wheat, in grain.
Wheat, flour.
Wheat, meal.
Wheel-barrows.
Wheelwrights' tools.
Whisky.
White spirit.
Wicker, osier and ratten wares.
Wines, in bottles and registering over 15 degrees Gay-Lussac, but not including Burgundy (over 15 degrees), Madeira (up to 21 degrees), Marsala (up to 18 degrees), and Port (up to 23 degrees).
Wine, in casks.
Wire, barbed.
Wire, insulated.
Wolfram (tungsten), ore and metal.
Wood alcohol.
Wood, ash, beech, birch, lime, mahogany, okoume, plane, teak.
Wood, for building.
Wood, for rifle stocks and rifle parts.
Wood spirit.
Wood, walnut, unhewn, squared and sawn.
Wool of all kinds, including waste, artificial wool.
Woollen hosiery and knitted goods.
Woollen tissues, including alpaca, mohair and camels' hair, but excluding felted woollen cloths in circular bands having a felted surface and warp and weft, and exclusively used for paper-making.
Woollen yarn.
Xeroform.
Yarn of vegetable fibre.
Yeast.
Zinc, ore, metal, pure and alloyed, in all forms, not including zinc wares.
Zinc chloride and mixtures containing zinc chloride.
Zinc sulphate and mixtures containing zinc sulphate.
Zinc dust.

LIST F.

Goods of every description (other than (1) printed matter of all descriptions, and, (2) personal effects accompanied by their owners), whether mentioned in the foregoing lists or not, are prohibited from export to Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Holland in accordance with the Royal Proclamation of 29th September, 1917.

In this connection attention is drawn to announcements published in the issues of the Board of Trade Journal dated 21st February, 1918 (p. 218), and 18th April, 1918 (p. 476), indicating a modification of the prohibition on exports to Sweden and Holland, and in the issue dated 16th May 1918 (p. 605), on exports to Norway and Denmark.

PETROLIUM

The 28th September 1918.

No. 10461.—In pursuance of Rule 11-J. of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that it is necessary, for the purpose of securing the public safety, to control the supply of kerosene oil throughout the Punjab.

C. E. LOW.
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 28th September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 24th September 1918.

No. 1640-G.—With reference to Notification No. 624-G., dated the 21st May 1917, Mr. E. Rolfsen resumed charge of the Consulate General for Norway, at Calcutta, on the 4th September 1918.

The 26th September 1918.

No. 1674-G.—With reference to Notification No. 1941-G., dated the 20th December 1917, the provisional recognition of the appointment of Mr. N. Sakenobe as Consul-General for Japan, at Calcutta, has been confirmed by His Majesty's Government.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 28th September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 27th September 1918.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 2211.—The following despatch from Lieutenant-General Sir W. R Marshall, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., Commanding-in-Chief, Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force, on the operations in Mesopotamia from October 1st, 1917, to March 31st, 1918, is published for general information :—

I assumed the command of this Force on the 18th November last on the death of the late lamented Lieutenant-General Sir Stanley Maude, and now have the honour to submit a report on the operations in Mesopotamia from October 1st, 1917 till 31st March of this year.

2. The last despatch of General Maude covered the period April 1st to September 30th, 1917, and concluded with the operations which resulted in

the capture and occupation of Ramadi on the Euphrates. At the commencement of the period covered by the present despatch this force was opposed on the north-east by Turks, who were holding the hills known as Jebel Hamrin, while up the Tigris they were entrenched in front of Daur, and the left wing was secure at Ramadi.

3. At the beginning of October it was decided to clear the Turks from the left bank of the Diala, and occupy the Jebel Hamrin astride of that river, in order that the control of the canals might be in our hands. This operation was entrusted to the Corps then under my command. I decided as a preliminary operation to drive the Turks out of their forward positions on the right bank of the Diala, where they were holding a line near Deli Abbas, and after that to hold them in front whilst my main attack developed from the south-east against their left flank. These measures had the desired effect of dislodging the enemy from a very strong position with extraordinarily few casualties in my force but owing to the Diala being, at that time of year, fordable in innumerable places the bulk of the Turks evaded capture, destroyed their bridge at Kizil Robat and retreated to the right bank of the river. All our objectives were gained and a position astride the Diala gorge, protecting the head works of the canals, was seized and consolidated.

To ensure a perfect system of communication in the new forward area, considerable work was necessitated. The main canals, *i.e.*, Khalis, Mansuriya, Khorassan, Mahrut, Harunıya, and Ruz, as well as their numerous distributaries, were rapidly bridged often at more than one place and this mobile bridging equipment was subsequently replaced by more permanent structures capable of carrying heavy loads. 75 bridges of various sizes were built in this area alone, and the Jebel Hamrin, which, prior to our occupation, was a roadless tangle of hills, was gradually pierced by a very complete and convenient number of roads suitable for wheeled traffic. These roads have involved heavy work not only in digging but in rock cutting through the hills and in metalling over the sandy flats.

4. Whilst the operations referred to in paragraph 3 were in progress the 18th Turkish Army Corps on the Tigris undertook a counter demonstration against our troops on that line and in the middle of October advanced as far as El Huweslat, 8 miles north of Samarra, where they proceeded to entrench themselves. General Maude decided to attack before they had time to consolidate their position to any great extent, and on the 24th October after a night march our leading division on the Tigris front captured El Huweslat, which the Turks had evacuated in haste, and then pushed north to Daur supported by our cavalry. This position was captured on 2nd November by the 28th Infantry Brigade, who by pressing on with vigour caused the Turks to evacuate also their second line of trenches. The cavalry endeavoured to press round the western flank but were met with heavy artillery fire, under cover of which the Turks withdrew to Tekrit. Although by this time our infantry had already marched 30 miles in 24 hours, it was decided to push on to Tekrit and on 5th November the 8th Infantry Brigade assaulted the hostile position at that place, capturing the whole of their objectives and repelling two counter-attacks in force The enemy suffered heavily and many prisoners were taken. Meantime the cavalry supported by the 19th Infantry Brigade had pushed round the flank, and in the afternoon a spirited attack by the infantry coupled with a charge by the Cavalry Brigade on the flank, threw back the Turks in disorder who fled panic stricken under cover of strong rearguard positions which had previously been prepared for some miles in rear and which held up our pursuit. During the following night the enemy withdrew the whole of their forces to Shoreimiya and burnt large quantities of ammunition and stores. Their losses were estimated at 2,000 including 300 killed, and considerable booty fell into our hands.

The Turkish position was found to consist of an intricate system of trenches many of which had been well and deeply dug with numerous machine gun emplacements, and its capture at a moderate cost redounds to the credit of all ranks.

The main portion of our troops were then ordered back to Samarra.

5. On the 19th November 1917 the army in Mesopotamia received the news of the death from cholera of our beloved and revered Chief Lieutenant-General Sir Stanley Maude, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O. Needless to say it was

a bitter blow to the whole force that he of all men should have been singled out by this fell disease, which was not in any way in epidemic form.

General Maude, whose genius had altered the whole face of affairs in Mesopotamia, was an almost irreparable loss; he had taken over an army whose moral had been severely tried by their failure to effect the relief of Kut, whose health had been sapped by very trying climate, and consequently he had a very difficult task to restore its fighting efficiency, but in a few months by his hard work and great gifts of organization, clearsightedness, determination, and above all by his intense sympathy with and love of his soldiers, a very different state of affairs came into being. Strongly backed by the efforts of His Excellency the Viceroy and the Government of India and by the War Office he thoroughly reorganized the transport services, and the troops were well fed and made as comfortable as circumstances permitted though training and discipline were never relaxed. When he considered that all was perfectly ready, and not until then, he moved and from that time this force never looked back. When, therefore, I had the honour of being appointed as his successor the moral of the army was magnificent whilst organization and training had reached a high level of efficiency. The Turkish army on the contrary was low in moral and desertions from it were numerous and frequent; on the Tigris and Euphrates they had retreated out of rapid striking distance and only on our right flank was there a good opportunity of hitting them. Towards the end of November therefore I determined to attack that part of the 13th Turkish Army Corps which was holding the Diala river above Mansuriya, the passes over the Jebel Hamrin and Kara Tepe.

The Turkish forces were well placed for defence and the task set to our troops included the forcing of the passages of the Diala and Nahrin rivers, as well as the Sakaltutan and Abu Zenabil passes through the Jebel Hamrin.

The operations were entrusted to Lieutenant-General Sir R. Egerton, K.C.B., K.C.I.E., whilst an independent force of cavalry under Major-General L. C. Jones, C.M.G., M.V.O., was ordered to demonstrate up to Adhaim river and prevent strong reinforcements being brought down against our attacking force from the line Tuz Kermatli-Kirkuk.

The passage of the Diala was successfully forced by night but it was found that the Turks had flooded the whole of the low lying ground on the right bank about its confluence with the Nahrin river and this proved a serious obstacle. In spite however of the bad going the whole of the Turks position between Mirjana and the Nahrin river was occupied on the 3rd December, the Turks falling back northwards. During the same time the 38th Infantry Brigade advanced north-west along the Jebel Hamrin and drove the enemy towards the Sakaltutan pass and Nahrin river, while the 40th Infantry Brigade cleared Kishla Suhaniya capturing 44 prisoners and 2 field guns. During the night the Turks withdrew and we occupied the Sakaltutan pass, and devoted the following day to a forward concentration of troops and supplies, all of which had been delayed by the unavoidable difficulties of ground and weather.

On the 5th December a combined column pushed forward against Kara Tepe, but progress was slow and it was not till the midday of the 6th that an assault carried out by the 35th Infantry Brigade coupled with a flank attack by the 40th Infantry Brigade, captured the position. The majority of the Turks fled and the hilly nature of the ground coupled with the bad going saved them from heavy punishment. In their retreat through Kifri they set fire to their dumps of coal and the Kifri coal mine. Two hundred and forty-nine prisoners were taken and over 100 dead were buried by us. The features of the day's fighting were the determination and dash of the infantry, their close support by the artillery, and the valuable co-operation of the flying corps with both. During these operations our troops received valuable assistance from the Russian detachment under Lieutenant-Colonel Bicharakhov. On the 8th December the troops were withdrawn from the forward areas but the Sakaltutan and Abu Zenabil passes were held and a bridgehead established at Kizil Robat with a view to further action in the future. Our casualties were very small, in spite of the difficulties of terrain, and the operations reflected great credit on the commanders and staffs concerned, as well as on the regimental officers and men.

On the 9th December Khanikin was occupied and the communications in that area improved.

6. On the Euphrates Ramadi had been captured in September and the months from October to December were occupied by the troops in that area in consolidating their forward positions and in establishing a sense of security amongst the surrounding tribes. Offensive measures were of a minor kind and consisted of raids against hostile shaikhs, some of whom were smuggling food to the Turks, of air raids, and of reconnaissances along both banks of the river and into the desert on either flank. Several bridges were thrown across the river Euphrates and the development of the forward area was taken in hand so as to relieve the strain on transport which had to bring supplies by road from Baghdad until the railway to Feludja was completed on 21st December.

During December and January it was evident that the Turks were being reinforced, the bulk of their troops being near Hit, and as their strength grew, their patrols were pushed downstream as far as Uqbah and Nafata. I accordingly issued orders to Major-General Sir H. T. Brooking, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., commanding the troops on the Euphrates front, to capture Hit and its garrison as soon as his arrangements were completed and the state of the ground permitted. My opinion was that there would be no difficulty in capturing the town and driving the Turks out of their positions, but that the capture of the Turkish force would be a matter of extreme difficulty in consequence of their previous experience at Ramadi.

On 19th February troops were pushed forward to Uqbah which was found evacuated and it was ascertained that the Turkish main position was two miles above Hit behind a depression known as Broad Wadi, while about two-thirds of his troops were 15 miles further upstream at Salahiya. I did not wish to commit our troops to serious fighting unless I saw a chance of delivering a severe blow against the enemy, and accordingly touch was ordered to be maintained by constant patrolling and reconnaissances while forward communications were improved and supplies pushed up.

On March 8th it was discovered that the Turks had vacated their Broad Wadi position and were falling back on Salahiya. The troops were accordingly pushed forward and the Royal Flying Corps which co-operated by bombing and machine gun fire caused many casualties and much confusion amongst the retreating columns of the enemy and their transport. Hit was occupied on the 9th and Salahiya on the 10th, the Turks retreating to Khan Baghdadi.

I then issued orders to drive the enemy as far as possible from Hit and to inflict all possible damage on him. To assist in this object additional mobile troops including a cavalry brigade and light armoured motors were ordered to Hit with instructions to move by night and conceal themselves by day so that the enemy might think that no further advance by my troops was intended; in many other ways, efforts, apparently successful, were made to deceive the Turks as to our intentions.

On the 26th the plan of operations was to make an attack in strength against the enemy's left and to send the cavalry and armoured motor cars round his right flank. Preparations for this attack were nearing completion when it became evident that the enemy had already commenced to withdraw from their forward positions but intended to make a stand north-west of Khan Baghdadi. Arrangements for assaulting this position were accordingly made and under cover of an effective barrage it was carried out at 5-30 P.M. with slight loss.

Meantime the cavalry after a long and difficult march gained the Aleppo road where it crosses the Wadi Hauran shortly after 5 P.M., and cut off the enemy's retreat by road and river. About 11-30 P.M., the Turks launched a heavy attack in the hope of breaking through the centre of the cavalry but were completely repulsed and lost 1,000 prisoners.

By 5-30 A.M. next morning the infantry columns arrived and completed the defeat capturing a large number of prisoners, supplies and munitions of all kinds. An energetic pursuit by the cavalry and by a mobile column in motor cars was then carried out. Haditha was captured without serious resistance, the enemy having no time to destroy his ammunition dumps at that place, and in the evening Khan Feheme was reached. On the 28th Ana was captured and another large dump of ammunition was found in it. The pursuit by motor was continued for 73 miles along the Aleppo road, many prisoners were taken, the Turks in most cases surrendering freely, being worn out and demoralised by the rapidity of our pursuit. The total prisoners taken were the commander and staff of the 50th Turkish Division,

the commandant of Ana, 2 regimental commanders, 213 officers and 5,022 other ranks, inclusive of Germans. Twelve guns, 47 machine guns and great quantities of rifles, ammunition and stores were also captured. The amount of ammunition found at Ana, being too large to be brought away, was blown up and on 30th March the troops were gradually withdrawn down the Euphrates to previously arranged positions.

The complete success of this operation I attribute to the masterly way in which the force was handled by Major-General Sir H. T. Brooking and his very complete preparatory arrangements.

The endurance of the troops and their determination to get at the enemy was worthy of all praise, whilst the tactical ability of their commanders was of a very high order. The magnificent work done by the 11th Cavalry Brigade under Brigadier-General R. A. Cassels as well as by the light armoured motor batteries, both in cutting off the enemy's line of retreat as well as in the pursuit to and beyond Ana, was a notable feat. Best of all, our casualties were very slight.

7. With the advent of the New Year the weather which had been unexpectedly good in December became consistently wet. Continuous operations on any large scale were rendered out of the question, and the greatest strain was thrown on the lines of communication and supply formations.

On the north-east front a small column was sent at the beginning of January as far as Pai Tak at the foot of the Tak-i-Girra pass. It met with no opposition and on its return occupied Kasr-i-Shirin. Towards the end of the month the state of famine to which the Turks had reduced northern Persia made it incumbent on me to endeavour to open the main trade route *via* Kirmanshah in order to get supplies to the poor inhabitants of the towns and villages and provide them with an outlet for their home manufactures. With this object in view I increased the garrison of Kasr-i-Shirin and pushed small posts towards Kirmanshah. A large amount of tribal labour was also employed in improving the road which was in a lamentable state of disrepair. The continuance of wet weather up to the present date coupled with snow on the high ground east of the Tak-i-Girra pass has rendered the maintenance of troops along the road a matter of extreme difficulty.

8. In addition to the operations on the Diala, Tigris, and Euphrates and the activities towards Kirmanshah to which I have referred, numerous minor operations have been carried out on all fronts. These consisted generally of reconnaissances by cavalry and light armoured motor cars and by bombing raids by the Royal Flying Corps. At the end of March manoeuvres under war conditions were carried out on a large scale near Tekrit but the Turks in that area withdrew northwards before the arrival of our troops.

9. In the time of my predecessor the Civil Commissioner, Sir Percy Cox, had strongly urged that the whole of the Euphrates line from Feludja to Nasiriyah should be brought under military and civil control, but at that time circumstances did not permit of any extension of our military responsibilities. By the middle of December 1917, however, the military position had completely changed owing to the magnificent successes gained by General Allenby in Palestine. I therefore considered that the time was ripe to establish a firm control of the line of the Euphrates and by that means encourage and assist in the development of the rich agricultural lands in that area. To that end I issued orders for troops to be despatched from Nasiriyah and Baghdad to garrison various villages, thus establishing through communication by river between Basra and Feludja and controlling the development of local resources throughout the lower Euphrates valley The extension of military control over this area was also desirable in order that the shaikhs of important towns like Kerbela, Nedjef, Hilla and Diwaniya might be brought more closely into the sphere of British influence and that pro-Turk sympathisers might be expelled.

Care was taken not to establish troops in either of the religious cities of Kerbela and Nedjef, and they were quartered at a distance. The inhabitants of Nedjef are for the most part well disposed holy people but there is in addition a proportion of irreconcilables in the town. On 12th January some of these fired on the troops exercising near the town causing a few casualties. Not wishing to injure a town which is full of sacred memories for Mahomedans I decided to punish two of the leading shaikhs, who were known to be responsible for the offence, and to levy a heavy fine. The

shaikhs however fled before they could be arrested and they became outlaws. The fine was paid. After this incident matters seemed to be going on satisfactorily when on 21st March to my great regret the political officer in Nedjef, Captain W. M. Marshall, was murdered. No reason was given for the act as the deceased officer was universally liked. I immediately ordered a blockade of the town until all those implicated in the murder were given up, and surrounded it by a cordon of military posts joined by barbed wire. While I am prepared to go to extreme measures if necessary, in order to exact reparation for so foul a deed, I feel confident that by blockade methods I shall cause all the delinquents to be surrendered. When these have been removed the further punishment of the town will be a matter for subsequent consideration.

Meantime the development of the Hilla area has proceeded apace. Many hundred tons of seed grain have been planted and to assist in bringing the harvest into Baghdad a branch line down to Hilla is being made which is expected to be open for traffic by the middle of May. I have every confidence that this scheme will prove beneficial and enable this force to be dependent largely on local produce.

10. The riverain tribes of the Euphrates had long been independent and though the capture of Feludja and Ramadi had produced a very marked effect upon them and checked any serious attempt of hostile action, nevertheless certain minor punitive operations had been necessitated. These took the form of despatching small columns of all arms assisted by river gunboats by means of which the towers of recalcitrant chiefs were demolished and the tribe in question punished. Five such expeditions were sent out from Nasiriyah between November and February and were uniformly successful Though of a minor nature, nevertheless they taxed the powers of endurance of the troops employed.

11. A portion of this force is maintained along the Karun river primarily to protect the oilfields near Tembi, but also to maintain order in Ahwaz, Shushtar and Dizful. In this work the troops have been markedly successful. A disturbance occurred at Shushtar on November 2nd during which the British Consulate was threatened, but it was quickly and easily suppressed, thanks to the energetic action of the officers in responsible positions and by the rapidity with which the troops employed performed a long and difficult march to the scene of action.

12. The maintenance of the line of communication defences along both the Tigris and Euphrates has been carried out with marked efficiency. Though the work has at times been arduous and often more monotonous than that of troops employed in forward areas, the inability of enemy agents to cause even the slightest damage or delay on the lines of communication redounds to the vigilance and credit of all concerned.

On the Tigris the only trouble caused has been due to losses by theft from trains and boats specially between Kurnah and Amarah. This district is inhabited by marsh Arabs who in their native swamps are afforded complete immunity against attack by land, as they retreat rapidly into their boats leaving nothing of value behind.

The tribes between Basrah and Nasiriyah have been absolutely quiet and have made no hostile movement.

I have nothing but praise for the patrols, railway guards and escorts whose work has brought out qualities of self-reliance and devotion to duty.

The defences at Fao have been consolidated and improved, and the examination service of ships entering the Shatt-el-Arab has been effective. During the six months under review 581 vessels other than British and 8,466 native craft have been examined.

13. I desire to bring to favourable notice the names of my two Corps Commanders, Lieutenant-General Sir R. G. Egerton, K.C.B., K.C.I.E., and Major-General (temporary Lieutenant-General) Sir A. S. Cobbe, V.C., K.C.B., C.S.I., D.S.O., who have rendered me every assistance and have commanded their respective corps with ability.

My thanks are also due to the commanders of higher formations and staffs for their loyalty and untiring work, and to the gallantry, endurance and devotion to duty displayed by regimental officers, non-commissioned officers and men of all arms throughout the period under review.

Throughout the whole period covered by this despatch the work of the Royal Flying Corps has been as usual perfectly admirable and enemy machines, which endeavoured at one time to carry out raids on our camps

and communications, were either driven off or brought down. Many reprisals were also carried out on the enemy aerodromes and camps both by day and night. During all operations the Royal Flying Corps have co-operated with other arms, cavalry, artillery and infantry, in the closest and most effectual way, whilst the pursuit of the retreating enemy columns has been harassed by our machines in the boldest manner both by bombing and machine gun fire.

14. The extension of the lines of communication to the north-east and north-west coupled with the opening up of the lower Euphrates has thrown an ever-increasing responsibility on Major-General Sir George MacMunn, K.C.B., C.S.I., D.S.O., Inspector-General of Communications, and I concur wholeheartedly in the opinion of his ability which was held by my distinguished predecessor.

One of the principal features of the lines of communications has been the rapid development of the port of Basrah by the completion of the dockyard and of the first set of wharves earlier planned, as well as the continuance of the arrangements for improving the working of ocean shipping. A large island at Magill has been raised by dredging to take ocean ships on one side and to load river steamers on the other. The auxiliary annexe of Nahr Umr has also given very great assistance with little outlay of material. All this work reflects great credit on the construction branch of the Port Administration and Conservancy.

The period covered by this despatch contains the worst months of low water when every day was a constant anxiety with regard to river navigation, and the river was kept open only by the most unremitting care of the buoying establishment. The river-borne tonnage has steadily improved, and the organisation of the Inland Water Transport has shown a very high state of efficiency

Considerable progress has also been shown in the development of the railways in all sections of the lines of communication, and in the improvements of the river ports of Amarah and Kut-el-Amarah.

15. The high standard of efficiency displayed by all ranks of the Medical Service has been most gratifying to me, and reflects great credit on Surgeon-General A. P. Blenkinsop, C.B., C.M.G., my Director of Medical Services. The health of the troops has shown marked improvement as compared with the corresponding months of 1916-17. The sanitary organization and administration has steadily progressed and the standard of comfort and efficiency of the hospitals is most satisfactory.

The nursing sisters have as always devoted themselves with untiring care and zeal to the welfare of the sick and wounded. Through the generosity and kindness of Her Excellency Lady Willingdon clubs and convalescent homes for these devoted ladies are being established at suitable centres.

I also wish to take this opportunity of recording my gratitude and that of all ranks under my command for the valuable help afforded by the Red Cross Society which has resulted in the increased comfort of the troops.

16. I was lucky to receive a visit, early in March, from Lieutenant-General Sir E. Altham, K.C.B., C.M.G., Quartermaster-General in India, and Sir Thomas Holland, K.C.I.E., Head of the Munitions Board, who were thus able to see for themselves the wants of the country and the results of the efforts made by India to supply our needs.

The work thrown on the administrative services and departments, most of which is primarily due to the long line of communications, has been consistently heavy. In spite of distances traversed over a roadless country and of interruptions by floods supplies to the fighting troops have been maintained with the utmost precision. In transport a salient feature has been the welcome arrival of extra mechanical transport companies which increased the radius of action of the troops in the large areas over which they had to operate. The maintenance of these companies reflects great credit on the mechanical transport branch of the Army Service Corps.

Similarly, the mule columns and animal-drawn transport have shown a high standard of efficiency. In this connection I would specially mention the assistance rendered by the corps raised by Indian Princes, viz., Jaipur, Bharatpur, Gwalior and Mysore Imperial Service transport.

The Ordnance Services have been conducted and developed with energy and efficiency with a view to making the force as self-supporting as possible and to the consequent saving of sea transport. To this end boot-repairing

shops, disinfecting and repair stations and other workshops have been established or extended.

The duties of the Works Department in providing protection for the communications to Baghdad and Baghdad itself against floods have proved long and arduous and show good progress. It is not perhaps realised that in this undeveloped country the only local produce are mud bricks, reeds for making mats, lime and bitumen in small quantities, and gravel in isolated localities. Every other requirement from a constructional point of view has to be imported. The supply of good drinking water has been well maintained. Automatic suction chlorination is now in general use and mechanical filtration plants have been or are being erected at all important posts.

The conduct and administration of the Remount Department is most satisfactory and I consider that the remount depot and attached farm at Baghdad are models of their kind.

Owing to the increased area over which this force operates, to the amount of animal diseases existing in the territories conquered and to the consequent danger of the animals of the force becoming infected it has been found necessary to increase the veterinary administrative staff and to form extra veterinary hospitals. The results are most gratifying and reflect great credit on this Department.

The Irrigation Department, as such, has been recently constituted though irrigation work was carried out previously, chiefly on the Euphrates. The work done can only be described as extraordinary and I look forward to a great development in this direction next year. The excellent results already achieved are due to the untiring zeal and energy of all ranks in a country where until recently there was no military control.

The period has been one of constant construction work and of steadily increasing demands on the Railway Department. Floods have caused several interruptions, but the service of trains has been maintained with great success in face of difficulties inherent to lines rapidly constructed in a new country where all material has had to be brought from overseas.

The Department of Local Resources has in addition to its former duties taken over the control of grass farms, the feeding of a civil population, and the arrangements for the collection and transportation of the coming harvest. Tanneries, and a poultry farm primarily to supply hospitals, are being formed. The blockade system has been carefully regulated and ample evidence is available of severe shortage of supplies among the Turkish troops resulting in increased desertions and loss of moral. The department has been conducted with considerable ability.

Agriculture has made great progress and my especial thanks are due to Mr. C. C. Garbett, I.C.S., first revenue officer for the initiative displayed and the valuable work done by him in this connection. The latest estimate for the coming harvest is most gratifying. I hope by the institution of a properly constituted Department of Agriculture and by its co-ordination with the Irrigation Department that a very large increase will be shown next year in the agricultural development of this country.

The Postal Services have had to compete with the ever increasing wants of this Force and the Department has worked satisfactorily.

17. The chaplains of all denominations have continued to devote themselves to the spiritual welfare of the troops and have carried out their duties to my entire satisfaction. I am indebted also to the Church Army for the provision of tents for social and religious purposes which have not only afforded opportunities for recreation to the troops but have assisted the chaplains in their work.

The activities of the Young Men's Christian Association have extended considerably during the last six months. There are now a total of 70 centres and the system of soldiers' clubs has been initiated throughout the country; I greatly appreciate the excellent work of this society in undertaking the management of these recreational centres which tend so largely to the well-being of the troops.

Considerable advance has been made in graves registration and the special difficulties inherent to this country have been satisfactorily overcome.

To all those ladies and gentlemen who have so generously worked for, and contributed to the comfort of the troops by the provision of war gifts, hospital ships and launches, and in numberless other ways I can only, on behalf of this force, tender our very grateful thanks and assure them that their kindness will never be forgotten.

18. The Directorate of Signals and Telegraphs has had to deal with ever increasing communications, and to improve those already existing in connection with the extension of the area occupied and of the railway system, and with the development of the country. In addition the telephone system have been enlarged and extended, and the work done by the wireless squadrons has been of a high order. The efficiency of this directorate has been well maintained.

The work performed by the Surveys has assumed very large proportions, but my demands have always been met in the most satisfactory manner, and the Map Compilation Section has been of the greatest assistance.

19. In the work of the civil and political branch of this force I have been most ably advised by the Civil Commissioner, Sir Percy Cox, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., to whom I am greatly indebted. The military developments on both flanks have involved a corresponding extension of our political responsibilities. The functions of the civil administration consist in the extension of political control, the exercise of influence on agricultural shaikhs and tribes, the levy of revenue in kind, and not least the work connected with Central Arabian politics and the local Arab tribes.

The administration of the Basrah Vilayet continues to run smoothly on what are practically peace lines and satisfactory progress is noticeable in all branches.

20. The Royal Navy has ever been anxious to give me every assistance when called upon, and I am grateful to Rear-Admiral D. St. A. Wake, C.B., C.I.E., and the officers and ratings under his command for their ready co-operation.

21. Lastly, I desire to record my most sincere thanks to my staff and technical advisers who have so ably and loyally carried out my wishes.

Major-General W. Gillman, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., my Chief of the General Staff, has rendered me most loyal and invaluable assistance, whilst during his absence on an important mission his place was ably filled by Brigadier-General T. Fraser, C.B., C.M.G., to whose capable work I owe much both during that period and on previous occasions.

Major-General the Hon'ble A. R. M. Stuart-Wortley, C.B., D.S.O., my Deputy Quarter-master-General, has had an ever increasing load of work and responsibilities placed on his shoulders owing to the various new directorates which have come into being within the past six months, but his energy and ability have overcome all initial difficulties.

Major-General F. F. Ready, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., my Deputy Adjutant-General, has been a tower of strength to me and I owe much to his painstaking work and sound advice.

The entire absence of friction or discord which has characterized the work of all branches of the staff has been a source of great gratification to me and I feel sure to the entire force.

22. As a proof of the gallantry and devotion to duty displayed by regimental officers and men during the period covered by this despatch I have, under the powers delegated to me as Commander-in-Chief, made the following immediate awards for service in the field:—Distinguished Service Order, 15; Military Cross, 109; Distinguished Conduct Medal, 33; Military Medal, 67; Indian Order of Merit, 30; Indian Distinguished Conduct Medal, 104.

Note.—A list giving the names of those officers, ladies warrant and non-commissioned officers and men whose services are deemed to be deserving of reward and special mention will be published later.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Supplement to the Gazette of India*, dated the 28th September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 959A., dated Simla, the 19th September 1918.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Home Department.

THE Governor-General in Council has been pleased to accept the recommendation contained in the following resolution of the Imperial Legislative Council:

"This Council recommends to the Governor-General in Council that a Committee of official and non-official members of this Council be appointed to consider and report to the Governor-General in Council to what extent the Indian Arms Act and the rules thereunder can be amended,"

and in accordance therewith to appoint the following Committee:—

The Hon'ble Sir William Vincent, K.C.S.I. ...	*Chairman.*
The Hon'ble Dr. Tej Bahadur Sapru	*Members.*
The Hon'ble Sardar Bahadur Sardar Sundar Singh Majithia	
The Hon'ble Raja Rajendra Narayan Bhanja Deo, O.B.E., of Kanika	
The Hon'ble Mr. M. A. Jinnah	
The Hon'ble Rao Bahadur B. N. Sarma Garu ...	
The Hon'ble Rai Bahadur B. D. Shukul	
The Hon'ble Lieutenant-Colonel S. L. Aplin, C.S.I., Burma	
The Hon'ble Sir John Donald, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., North-West Frontier Province	
The Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan, Bengal	
The Hon'ble Mr. E. H. C. Walsh, C.S.I., Bihar and Orissa	
The Hon'ble Mr. C. A. Kincaid, C.V.O., Bombay ...	
The Hon'ble Mr. Surendra Nath Banerjee ...	
The Hon'ble Mr. W. A. Ironside	
The Hon'ble Sir Verney Lovett, K.C.S.I., United Provinces	
The Hon'ble Mr. Loftus Tottenham, Madras ...	
The Hon'ble Mr. W. J. Reid, C.S.I., Assam ...	
The Hon'ble Mr F. S. A. Slocock, C.I.E., Central Provinces	
The Hon'ble Mr. S. R. Hignell, C.I.E., Secretary, Home Department, Government of India ...	
The Hon'ble Mr. J. P. Thompson, Punjab ...	

Ordered that a copy be forwarded to the Chairman and each of the members of the Committee, and to the local Governments and Administrations* named on the margin for information.

*Madras.	Burma.	North-West Frontier Province	
Bombay	Bihar and Orissa.	Coorg	
Bengal.	Central Provinces.	Delhi.	
United Provinces	Assam		
Punjab			

Ordered further that the resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Commerce and Industry Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 1st October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POST OFFICE.

Simla, the 1st October 1918.

No. 10629.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 21 of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in rule 27 of the rules issued with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 2883-45, dated the 26th April 1913, as subsequenty amended, namely:—

"In clause 6, the words 'myrrh' and 'mace' shall be inserted after the word 'ginger'."

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 5th October 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE—WAR.

Simla, the 5th October 1918.

No. 10546.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2043, dated the 27th April 1918, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

Additions.

Consortium des Industriels Belges en extrême-Orient, Peking (Charles Ley, Representative).

Fernbach, R. R., Dr. (Mei Lung Silk Filature), Newchwang and Haicheng

Kreglinger and Fernau (William Fog, Representative).

Lafile, J., Tientsin.

Mei Lung Silk Filature (Fernbach, R. R., Dr.), Newchwang and Haicheng.

Alterations.

Ley, C., Peking, should *read* Ley, Charles (Representing Consortium des Industriels Belges en extrême-Orient), Peking.

Fog, William, Shanghai, should *read* Fog, Willam (Representing Kreglinger and Fernau).

No. 10799.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to the Notification in this Department No. 3075-W., dated the 11th May 1918, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

For the existing entry "(C) Linseed oil" *substitute* "(B) Linseed oil."

CUSTOMS—WAR.

The 5th October 1918.

No. 10772.—The following notices regarding imports issued by the War Trade Board of the United States is published for general information :—

LIST OF RESTRICTED IMPORTS No. 2.

The following announcement was made by the War Trade Board on April 22, 1918 :

No import licenses for shipments made after May 13, 1918, will be granted for articles on this list, except as specifically herein provided. These provisions authorize the importation of the specified commodities only when the goods originate in one of the countries designated in the particular provision covering such commodity and do not permit the importation of goods originating in other countries but coming through such designated countries.

Licenses for the following articles may be granted only for shipment coming from Canada :

101. Lime.
102. Talc and soapstone.

Licenses for the following article may be granted only for shipments coming from Canada and Newfoundland :

103. Shellfish. (Does not include crab meat from Japan.)

Licenses for the following articles may be granted only for shipments coming from Canada and Mexico :

104. Molybdenum.

Licenses for the following article may be granted only for shipments coming from Cuba and West Indies :

105. Tobacco leaf.

Licenses for the following articles may be granted only for shipments coming from Canada, Mexico, Newfoundland and Scandinavia :

106. Fish, fresh, cured, or preserved.

Licenses for the following articles will not be granted for shipments from Europran countries, but may be granted for shipments from all other countries :

107. Animal oils.

Licenses for the following articles will be granted only for shipments coming overland or by lake from Canada, or coming overland from Mexico.

108. Aloxite and boro-carbone.
109. Borax.
110 Cement for building purposes.
111. Chloride of lime.
112. Cyanide of soda.
113. Dairy products.
114. Ferromanganese and spiegelesien.
115. Lead.
116. Mangnesite.
117 Meat products and preserved meats.
118. Paraffin.
119. Pumice.
120. Starch.
121. Stone and manufactures thereof.

Licences for the following articles will be granted only for shipments coming (*a*) overland or by lake from Canada, (*b*) overland from Mexico, (*c*) as return cargo from European countries, and then only when shipped from a convenient port and when loaded without undue delay :—

122. Argols, or wine lees.
123. Bones, hoofs and horns, unmanufactured.
124. Baskets of wood, bamboo, straw, or compositions of wood.
125. Cork, unmanufactured, and manufactures thereof.
126. Edible substances, not specifically provided for in the tariffs schedules.
127. Eggs, dried, frozen, prepared or preserved, and yolks of eggs
128. Fans.

129. Fuller's earth.
130. Furniture.
131. Furs and manufactures thereof. (Does not include fur hats, fur not on the skin prepared for hatters' use, nor raw seal skins from Uruguay.)
132. Glass and glassware. (Does not include lenses, opera and field glasses, optical instruments, spectacles, eyeglasses, goggles, surveying instruments, telescopes, microscopes, and plates or disks for use in the manufacture of optical goods.)
133. Glue and glue size.
134. Glue stock and rawhide cuttings.
135. Hair, human, and manufactures thereof.
136. Horsehair, artificial, and manufactures thereof.
137. Indigo, synthetic.
138. Ivory, animal, and manufactures thereof.
139. Licorice root.
140. Moss and seaweed.
141. Paper and manufactures thereof. (Does not include books and other printed matter.)
142. Paper stock, crude. (Does not include wood pulp.)
143. Straw and grass, unmanufactured, and manufactures thereof.
144. Tea waste, siftings or sweepings.
145. Vanilla beans.

Licenses for the following article may be granted from any country, but only for shipments coming as deck cargo or coming on vessels unfit for essential imports:

146. Quebracho wood.

All outstanding licenses to import the above articles from any country from which, under the above announcement, licenses for such article, will not be granted, shall expire and become void unless ocean shipment thereunder is made on or before May 13th, 1918.

Also, all outstanding licenses to import from European countries articles covered by above items numbered 122 to 145, inclusive, and all outstanding licenses for quebracho wood shall expire and become void unless ocean shipment thereunder is made on or before May 13th, 1918. As to these, new applications may be made for shipments after May 13th, 1918.

NOTICE AS TO PRODUCTION OF NUMBERS OF IMPORT LICENSE.

NEW TRADE BOARD RULE.

MUST BE OBTAINED ON ALL COMMODITIES BEFORE THEY LEAVE FOREIGN PORTS.

Expected the order will avoid uncertainty on form of procedure.

The War Trade Board issues the following:—

The War Trade Board, through its Bureau of Imports, has issued a ruling to United States consular agents throughout the world, that on and after 27th May 1918, no consular invoices for any commodity are to be consulated unless the shipper furnishes the Consul the number of the United States import license covering the shipment. The only exception to this rule is the case of shipments covered by general import licenses.

Extends present regulations.

Already it is necessary for importers to communicate to their shippers abroad the number of the United States import license for articles on the restricted lists before consular invoice can be obtained and shipments started from abroad The present ruling extends this regulation to all articles, both restricted and unrestricted, except such as are covered by general import licenses. This means that import licenses must be obtained for the importation of all commodities before they leave foreign ports. It is believed that this will avoid much uncertainty in the minds of both importers here and consular agents abroad as to what import license numbers must be communicated abroad. It will also give the War Trade Board an opportunity of passing upon all importations from a standpoint of enemy trade connection before shipments are put in transit.

Prompt action on applications.

The Bureau of Imports will pass promptly on all applications for import licenses, so that, if the license is granted, the importer may be informed immediately of his license number and send it by mail or cable to his shipper abroad.

As intimated above, certain classes of importations are permitted to enter under general import licenses; and where these licenses exist it is unnecessary for importers to apply for individual import licenses. These general licenses are designated as "PBF Licenses." The principal ones now in effect are the following:—

"PBF-1."—Covering the importation of all commodities not on the restricted lists, where the value does not exceed one hundred (100) dollars.

"PBF-2."—Covering all importations into Alaska, Canal Zone, Phillippine Islands, Hawaii, Guam, Totuila, Porto Rico, Virgin Islands, when they are for consumption in those countries and not for transhipment.

"PBF-3."—Covering the importation of all commodities from Canada and Newfoundland, except those mentioned in the President's import proclamation of November 28, 1917. Where such commodities are on the restricted lists, this general license covers them only when shipped by rail or lake, and when they originate in Canada or Newfoundland or in a country from which they would be licensed for importation directly.

"PBF-4."—Covering the importion of fresh fruits and fresh vegetables, when transported overland from Mexico, or overland or by great lakes from Canada, or by rail from Cuba.

"PBF-5."—Covering the importation of goods previously exported from the United States, when the value thereof does not exceed five hundred (500) dollars.

"PBF-6."—Covering the importation of personal baggage accompanying a passenger when containing only articles necessary for personal use on journey.

"PBF-7."—Covering the importation of fresh vegetables from Bermuda when shipped on vessels approved by the War Trade Board.

"PBF-8."—Covering the importation of fresh fruit and vegetables from Cuba when shipped on vessels approved by the War Trade Board.

"PBF-9."—Covering importations of all empty drums, cylinders and containers, American owned, which have been used in the exportation of commodities from the United States.

"PBF-10."—Covering the importation of tobacco from Cuba and the West Indies.

"PBF-11."—Covering the importation of cotton from Mexico.

Consuls Abroad Informed.

Consuls abroad have been informed of the existence of these general import licenses, and they will certify consular invoices for shipments coming under them without requiring the number of the individual import license.

Notice No. W.T.B.R.-114, dated the 17th May 1918, regarding Revocation of small shipment Import license.

The General License heretofore issued covering the importation of all commodities under dollars 100 value is hereby revoked as to all articles on Restricted Lists or any Supplements thereto, as to shipments made after 10th May 1918. The General License covering the importation of all commodities under dollars 100 value is still effective as to the importation of commodities not on Restricted Lists or any Supplements thereto.

TRADING BY FOREIGNERS.

The 5th October 1918.

No. 10858.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the business carried on in Aden by Max Klein, a hostile firm within the meaning of the said Act; and in pursuance of rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding Up) Order, 1916, he is further pleased to direct that all proceedings connected with the winding up of the said business be transferred to the Government of Bombay.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 696T-M.—The 2nd October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 148 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and with the consent of the Commissioners of the Azimganj Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, the Governor in Council is pleased to make over to the said Commissioners, to be administered by them until the Governor in Council shall otherwise direct, the Azimganj ferry over the river Bhagirathi within the limits of the aforesaid Municipality.

Murshidabad.

II. In exercise of the power conferred by the same section the Governor in Council is also pleased to direct that all the proceeds of the said ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received in respect thereof shall be paid to the credit of the Municipal Fund of Azimganj.

III. So much of Government Order No. 2841, dated the 18th June 1887, as relates to the Jeaganj ferry, is hereby cancelled.

No. 699T.—M.—The 3rd October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all provisions of Part X of that Act to the said Municipality.

Hooghly.

No. 702T.M.—The 4th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Netrokona Municipality in the district of Mymensingh :—

Mymensingh.

Maulvi Paziruddin Ahmad.
Babu Hem Chandra Rauth.
Maulvi Abdur Raub Mazumdar.
Babu Hemada Kanta Chaudhuri.

No. 709T.—M.—The 6th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Nator Municipality, in the district of Rajshahi, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Nalini Kanta Chaudhuri to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Rajshahi.

No. 2500M.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Midnapore Municipality, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Upendra Nath Maiti to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Midnapore.

No. 2502M.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Tangail Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Jogendra Nath Mazumdar to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Mymensingh.

No. 2504M.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Muktagacha Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Brojendra Narayan Acharji Chaudhuri to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Mymensingh.

No. 2506M.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Pabna Municipality, in the district of Pabna, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Benoy Kumar Ray to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Pabna.

No. 2508M.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Sherpur Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Satyendra Mohan Chaudhuri to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Mymensingh.

No. 2511L.S.-G.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), and in partial modification of Notifications Nos. 968L.S.-G., 972L.S.-G. and 989L.S.-G., dated the 10th April 1917, relating to the Annadanagar, Chhawla and Tepamadhupur Unions in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, the Governor in Council is pleased to exclude the villages Arazi Sudura (Jurisdiction List No. 366), Sahebkhan (Jurisdiction List No. 379), Sudura Nilamkharida (Jurisdiction List No. 380), Arazi Narayan (Jurisdiction List No. 381), and Sudura Taluk (portion) (Jurisdiction List No. 388), from the Chhawla and Annadanagar Unions and to include them in the Tepamadhupur Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2512L.S.-G.—The 5th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), and in partial modification of Notifications Nos. 969L.S.-G., 983L.S.-G. and 996L.S.-G., dated the 10th April 1917, relating to the Kursa, Kalyani and Tamfat Unions, in thana Mahiganj, in the district of Rangpur, the Governor in Council is pleased—

Rangpur.

(*a*) to exclude the villages Mandira (Jurisdiction List No. 97), Kuber Sadar (Jurisdiction List No. 98), and Dardil (Jurisdiction List No. 99), from the Kalyani Union and to include them in the Tamfat Union; and

(*b*) to exclude the villages Kamdeb (Jurisdiction List No. 113), and Hara Gobinda (Jurisdiction List No. 114), from the Kursa Union and to include them in the Kalyani Union.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916*

OFFICE MEMORANDUM BY THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS BURDWAN DIVISION.

KRISHNA CHANDRA BANERJEE, son of late Babu Ram Chandra Banerjee, of Chopa, in the district of Hooghly, who appeared at the Upper Primary Scholarship Examination of 1917 from the Gurbari Upper Primary School, in the district of Hooghly, is awarded an Upper Primary Scholarship of Rs. 3 a month, tenable at the Chakdigh High English School, in the district of Burdwan, for the period from 1st March 1918 to 31st December 1919, in place of Satish Chandra Das, deceased

W. E. GRIFFITH.
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA, *the 18th September 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

List of candidates who passed the Half-yearly Examination in the Art of Teaching held on the 23rd September 1918.

Babu Jotindra Nath Das	...	Head Master, Patiram Middle English School (Dinajpur).
Babu Bhola Nath Dhar	...	Fourth Master, Dinajpur Municipal Middle English School.
Munshi Izzatullah Pramanik	..	Second Pandit, Kutubpur Middle English School (Rangpur).
Babu Chandra Nath Das	...	Second Master, Gomnati Middle English School (Rangpur).

P. CHATTERJEE.
Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.

JALPAIGURI, *the 27th September 1918.*

COUNCIL OF POST-GRADUATE TEACHING IN ARTS, CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

AN endowment, created by the Assam Students' Conference, for the award of a gold medal every alternate year to be called the "Anandaram Baruya Gold Medal" on the following conditions, has been accepted by the University:—

"(1) That a gold medal to be called the "Anandaram Baruya Gold Medal" be instituted in memory of the late Mr. Anandaram Baruya, B.A., I.C.S., who was a brilliant Graduate of this University from Assam and subsequently enhanced its reputation by his original contributions in various departments of Sanskrit Learning.

(2) That the medal be open for competition amongst all persons who have at any time been admitted to a Degree in this University and be awarded every alternate year.

(3) That the medal be adjudged to the author of the best thesis or record of original work on a prescribed subject relating to Sanskrit Learning.

(4) That the subject be selected not less than two years in advance by the Board of Higher Studies in Sanskrit. The name of the subject selected to be notified in the Gazette and published in the University Calendar for general information.

(5) That each candidate for the medal be required to submit not later than the 30th June in the year in which the medal is to be awarded three typewritten or printed copies of his thesis or record of work to the Secretary to the Council of Post-Graduate Teaching in Arts under a distinguishing motto. The name of the candidate must also be forwarded at the same time in a sealed envelope with the motto outside.

(6) That every candidate be required to indicate generally in a preface to his thesis and specially in notes the sources from which his information is taken, the extent to which he had availed himself of the work of others and the portions of the thesis which he claims as original; and that he be also required to state whether his research has been conducted independently, under advice or in collaboration with others and in what respect his investigations appear to him to tend to the advancement of knowledge.

(7) That a Board of Honorary Examiners consisting of three experts shall be appointed by the Council of Post-Graduate Teaching in Arts on the recommendation of the Board of Higher Studies in Sanskrit to adjudicate upon the merits of theses or records of original work submitted by the candidates. The award of the Board of Examiners shall be subject to the eventful confirmation of the Council and the thesis of the successful candidates shall be published by the University.

(8) That the name of each medalist and the subject of his thesis shall be published in the Gazette and shall also be printed in the University Calendar.

(9) That if in any year no thesis is received or the theses submitted are pronounced by the Board of Examiners not to be of sufficient merit to deserve the medal, a second medal or a medal in a second subject may be awarded in a subsequent year as the Council may on the report of the Board of Higher Studies in Sanskrit direct."

The subject for the "Anandaram Baruya Gold Medal" for 1920 will be as follows:—

Bhasa—His date, the works attributed to him and the society depicted in his writing.

H. C. MOOKERJEE,

Secretary, Council of Post-Graduate Teaching in Arts, Calcutta University.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 2nd October 1918*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

[*In all cases where reference is made to Chapters, Sections, Pages or Lines, thus Chapters I—IX, the reference is to be understood as inclusive.*]

MATRICULATION EXAMINATION, 1921.

ENGLISH.

The following works are recommended to indicate the standard of knowledge to be demanded of candidates at the Matriculation Examination in 1921 :—

Prose.

Defoe	...	Robinson Crusoe (any school edition).
Lamb	...	Tales from Shakespeare.
Hunter	...	Readings from Indian History, Part III.
Creighton	...	Heroes of European History (revised edition).
M. A. Hamilton	...	Greek Legends (Oxford Press).
Harrap	...	Stories from Old Testament.
Scott	...	Ivanhoe (any school edition).
Gandy	...	Pandava Princes (Macmillan).
Nelson Fraser	...	World at War, 3rd edition (Oxford Press).
Macaulay	...	Stories from Chaucer (Cambridge Press).
Fournier	...	Wonders of Physical Science (Macmillan).
Swift	...	Gullivers Travels (any school edition).
Day	...	Old Time Stories (from History of Sandford and Merton).
Claxton	...	Mastery of the Air (Blackie and Son).
D. N. Neogi	...	Sacred Tales of India (Macmillan).
Tod	...	Annals of Rajasthan (Mewar). Abridged by C. H. Payne.
Smiles	...	Selections by Rasamay Mitra.
Dunn	...	In England.
Reynolds	...	How Man Conquered Nature (Macmillan).

Arabian Nights (any school edition).
Washington Irving (University Selections, new edition).
Select Readings from English History (published by the University).

Poetry.

Lahiri's Select Poems, Revised edition, published by the Calcutta University.

Palgrave	...	Children's Treasury, Part I. (Macmillan.)
Dunn	...	English Verse for Indian Readers. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Vernacular Composition :—

BENGALI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Iswarchandra Vidyasagar		Sitar Banabas
Rajanikanta Gupta	...	Prativa.
Chandranath Basu	...	Chandrakana.
Akshay Kumar Datta	..	Charupath, Part II.
Dineschandra Sen	...	Fullara.
Bijaychandra Majumdar		Prachin Savyata.

HINDI.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.)

Balbharat ... Indian Press, Allahabad.
Upadesa Kusumakar (excluding Poetry pieces), Khadgavilas Press, Bankipur.

URIYA

(Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.)

Mrityunjay Kavyatirtha Prabandhapatha.
Madhusudan Rao ... Prabandhamala.

ASSAMESE.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.)

Satyanath Borah ... Sahitya-bichar.
Lakshminath Bezborah ... Sadhu Kathar Kuki.
Hemchandra Baruya ... Pathamala.

BURMESE.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.)

Mahazanakka.
Withandaya.
Temi.

KHASI

(Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.)

Ka Jingiathukhana Puriskam (Khasi Folk Tales), by U. Rabon Sing.
Book of Proverbs in Khasi (p. 740 of Khasi Bible).

MODERN TIBETAN.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.)

Bay Chos.
Namthar of Mi-la-ras-pa

URDU.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.)

(To be notified hereafter.)

MATHEMATICS.

No text-books are prescribed or recommended. The subject is to be studied in accordance with the syllabus prescribed in the Regulations of the University.

SANSKRIT.

The following portions of the Calcutta University Sanskrit Selections:—

Part I—Prose—Edition of 1917.

Panchatantram ... Pages 1—3, 29—51.
Hitopadesa ... ... „ 52—96.

(NOTE.—Pages 52-96 of the edition of 1917 correspond to pages 87-131 of the edition of 1911.)

Part II—Poetry—Edition of 1911.

Kusalaba-o-Ramayanagaanam and Rabana Saktyahataya Lakshmanasya Punaruthanam ... Pages 136—149.
Dhritarashtrabilapa ... „ 199—209.

Grammar

Elementary Sanskrit Grammar, by Dr. G. Thibaut, published by the University.

PALI.

Prose.

Anderson's Pali Reader	...	Pages 1—43, omitting Radha Jataka, Nacca Jataka and Sussondi Jataka.

Poetry.

Dipavamsa ..	...	Bhanavaras, I—V.
Khuddaka Patha	...	Mangala Sutta.

Grammar.

Balavatara ...	...	Edited by Dr. Satischandra Vidyabhushan and Samana Punnananda.

CLASSICAL TIBETAN.

Course of Studies in Classical Tibetan.	Edited by Dr. E. D. Ross, PH. D., C.I.E.

PERSIAN.

(To be notified hereafter.)

ARABIC.

(To be notified hereafter.)

HEBREW.

Genesis ...	...	1-14
Isaiah ...	...	1-6
Psalm ...	...	119

Davidson's Hebrew Grammar is recommended.

ARMENIAN.

Elishe's History of the War of the Vardanians, Parts I and II.
Elishe Vardapiet Doorian's "Course of Classical Armenian," Part I (Prose and Verse.)

SYRIAC.

Text.

Gospel of St. Mathew (Peshitto version), Chapters V—VII.
Gospel of St. John (Peshitto version), Chapters I—VII.
St. Ephraem "on Wisdom" I—XX.

Grammar.

T. H. Robinson's Syriac Grammar, Sections I—XX.

GREEK.

Xenophon ...	...	Anabasis, Book III.
Euripides ...	...	Medea.
New Testament	...	The Gospel according to St. Mark, Chapters I—VI.

LATIN.

Cæsar ...	...	De Bello Gallico, Books III and IV.
Virgil ...	...	Aeneid, Book I.

FRENCH.

Erckmann Chatrian	...	Waterloo (Macmillan & Co.).
Racine ...	...	Britannicus.

GERMAN.

Prose.

Die Ahnen, Part I, by Gustav Freytag. (Macmillan.)

Poetry.

A Book of Ballads, by Wilhelm Wagner. (Cambridge University Press.)

BENGALI.

(*For female candidates.*)

Kasiramdas ...	...	Mahabharat (Vanparba)—Edited by Dineschandra Sen or Jogendranath Bose.
Hemchandra Banerjee	...	Bharat Bhiksha ; Michaeler Swargarohan.
Bimala Dasgupta	...	Uttara Ramacharita.
Abinaschandra Basu	...	Manabcharita.
Rajendranath Kanjilal	...	Mahabharatiya Nitikatha, Part I.
Tarakumar Kaviratna	...	Kathasara.
Dineschandra Sen	...	Gribasri.
Mankumari Basu	...	Subhasadhana.
Kalikrishna Bhattacharyya		Banger Ratnamala, Parts I and II.
Abinaschandra Banerjee	...	Ramayane Paribarik Chitra.

URDU.

(*For female candidates.*)

(To be notified hereafter.)

ASSAMESE.

(*For female candidates.*)

Text.

Satyanath Bora	...	Sarathi.
Padmanath Barua	...	Nitisiksha, Part III.
Durgeswar Sarma	...	Anjali.

Grammar.

Any of the following :—

Loknath Sarma	...	Assamiya Byakaran.
Hemnath Barua	...	Assamiya Byakaran.

KHASI.

(*For female candidates.*)

Text.

Ka Jingiathukhana Puriskan (Khasi Folk Tales), by U. Rabon Sing.
Book of Proverbs in Khasi (p. 740 of Khasi Bible).

Grammar.

Hints on Study of Khasi Language, by U. Nissor Singh.

BURMESE.

(*For female candidates.*)

Mahazanakka and Werhandaya. (To be read as models of Burmese style. Questions will not be asked on subject-matter.) The examination will include—

Translation from English into Burmese.
Questions on Composition.
An essay (headings being given).

HINDI.

(*For female candidates.*)

Ramjilal Sarma	...	Balaramayana.
Tulsidas	...	Ramayana. Sundara Kanda.

URIYA.

(*For female candidates.*)

Mrityunjay Kavyatirtha	...	Prabandhapatha.
Madhusudan Rao	...	Prabandhamala.

HISTORY.

History of India.

The following books on Indian History are recommended to indicate the standard of knowledge required :—

Adharchandra Mookerjee	...	A Short History of the Indian People (revised edition, 1910).
Haraprasad Sastri	...	History of India (revised edition, 1907, or later.)
Sir William Hunter	..	Brief History of the Indian Peoples.
R. C. Dutt	...	A Brief History of Ancient and Modern India, brought up to date by J. N. Gupta, M.A., I.C.S.
A. F. Rudolf Hoernle and H. A. Stark.		History of India (Hindu Period only).
C. R. Wilson	...	History of India, revised edition (British Period only).
Rapson	...	Ancient India (Cambridge University Press).
Karim and Ghosh	...	Students' History of India (revised edition, 1910.)
Vincent A. Smith	..	The Students' History of India.
M. Prothero and Vidyabhusan.		Primer of the History of India.
Lethbridge	...	History of India (Macmillan & Co.)
Kaliprasanna Bandyopadhyay.		Bharatbarser Itihas (History of India in Bengali).
Nrisinhachandra Mukhopadhyay.		Matriculation History of India in Bengali.
Rajanikanta Gupta	...	Bharatbarser Itihas (History of India in Bengali).

Administration and Progress of India under British Rule.

N. N. Ghose	...	England's Work in India, revised edition, 1915.

GEOGRAPHY.

The following books are recommended as indicating the methods of study as well as the standard of knowledge required :—

E. Marsden	...	Geography for Senior classes, Parts I and II.

The World with fuller treatment of India (Longman's Geographical Series for India, Book II).

J. F. Unstead	...	The Practical Geography, Parts I and II.

The following books are recommended for the use of teachers :—

Blanford	...	The Rudiments of Physical Geography for the use of Indian Schools.
Frew	...	A Regional Geography of the Indian Empire. (Blackie & Son.)
Wallis	...	The Teaching of Geography. (Cambridge University Press.)
O'Malley	...	Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, Sikkim. (Macmillan & Co.)

The following book is recommended for the use of teachers in connection with the teaching of "Sand Modelling" in the lower classes of schools :—

A. E. Frye	...	The Child and Nature.

Every school that intends to undertake instruction in Geography for the Matriculation Examination is required to possess the apparatus mentioned in the following list :—

I.—The total cost need not exceed Rs. 65—

1. A measuring tape.
2. A magnetic compass.
3. Squared paper and tracing paper.
4. Clay, dry sand, paper pulp for modelling.
5. A globe, not less than 14 inches in diameter, with writing surface, and with line of latitude and longitude, and outlines, only of the landmasses, marked upon it.
6. A map of the school locality on a scale of 4" or 6"=1 mile.
7. A map of the district in which the school is situated on the scale 1"=mile.
8. A coloured map of the Province.
9. A coloured political map of India.
10. A physical map of India.
11. A relief map of India.
12. A map of the world on Mollweide's equal area projection and a map of Asia.

It is essential that the students should be provided with atlases, or with the necessary hand-maps, and with a drawing instrument box. Maps for school work should not contain too much detail, or be crowded with names.

II.—The following additional equipment is recommended when it can be provided, but that lack of it is not to be considered as a bar to the recognition of the school in Geography :—

1. A thermometer.
2. A mercury barometer.
3. A rain-gauge.
4. A small collection of typical rocks, in particular those of the Province and of India.
5. A small museum of typical products.
6. A good standard atlas.
7. Geographical pictures.
8. Magic lantern and slides.

The attention of teachers is requested to the raised maps of Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam made of paper pulp, prepared by Babu Kailaschandra Datta, Head Pandit, Habiganj Government Girls' School, Sylhet, and sold for Rs. 7 and Rs. 5, respectively.

(2) Globes of all kinds are made by George Philip and Son, London, W. and A. K. Johnston, London, and Messrs. Ruddiman Johnston, London.

Small hand globes of German make can be obtained through the Indian School Supply Depôt for about a rupee each.

(3) The "Comparative" series of large wall maps of the continents published by George Philip and Son is good and up to date; so also are the Orographical wall maps published by Edward Stanford. Messrs. Ruddiman Johnston publish a series of smaller wall maps which includes maps of India illustrating various distributions.

Messrs. Nelson's wall atlases are good. Mr. S. B. Chatterjee publishes District Maps; also ordinary and relief maps of the Province.

Babu L. M. Basu, the drawing master of the Dacca Collegiate School, has published good relief maps of Eastern Bengal and Assam and of India.

The Vidal-Lablache French wall maps on strong cardboard, named on one side, and the same map without names on the reverse, published by Armond Colin, Paris, are good and cheap. They measure 46 inches by 39 inches and can be delivered in Calcutta for Rs. 4-14 each.

(4) The hand maps, coloured to indicate relief, published by the Diagram Company, West Barnes Lane, New Malden, Surrey, at one penny each are the best of their kind.

The uncoloured half-penny maps showing river systems and a few towns, published by the same Company, are excellent for class use.

The Autograph hand maps, with hill shading in brown, published by Edward Stanford, London, at one penny each, are very good, and are larger than the Diagram Company's hand maps. The 15 inches map of the world on Mollweide's equal area projection is specially to be commended.

(5) Wall pictures of considerable artistic merit are published by Messrs. Edward Arnold of Leeds, Messrs. Hachette of Paris, and Messrs. Hölzel of Vienna, and Messrs. Longmans, Green & Co. They cost, delivered in India, from two to three rupees each.

Map lantern slides and view slides especially prepared for Geography teaching are sold by the Diagram Company for two or three shillings each. Mr Bartington Smith of Darjeeling also sells good picture slides of the Himalayas at Rs. 15 per dozen.

ELEMENTARY MECHANICS.

The following books are recommended :—

Sir Philip Magnus	...	Elementary Mechanics (Longmans, 1903).
A. N. Sen	...	Elementary Mechanics.

The following list of apparatus is prescribed as indicating the approximate requirements of a recognized High School seeking to teach Elementary Mechanics for the Matriculation Examination :—

Plumb-line and Level.
Simple Lever (including brass slotted weights).
Roman Steelyard.
Lecture apparatus for experiments on moments.
George's New Atwood's Machine.
Stop-watch.
Glazebrook's apparatus (to demonstrate movement of a body).
Hick's Ballistic Balance.
Compound Wheel and Axle.
4 Single Brass Pulleys.
2 " " "
2 Triple " "
Weston Differential Pulley Blocks (½ ton).
16 feet of chain at 6*d.* per foot.
Inclined Plane.
Parallelogram of Forces apparatus.
Wall Crane.
Becker's New Physical Balance.
Set of Gramme Weights (200 grams to 1 mgr.).
2 Composition-ivory Balls.

NOTE.—The above list is not exhaustive, and much of it might be replaced by simpler forms that could probably be made far more cheaply by any clever mistry under proper supervision. In most cases, however, it will probably be found advantageous to buy such a set as indicated in the list specially for demonstration purposes, and subsequently to develop simplified duplicates, illustrating the same principles, which the boys should be given opportunity actually to experiment with on their own individual account or working in pairs.

K. L. DATTA, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 1st October 1918.*

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ENGLISH.

Poetry.

Gray	...	... Elegy written in a country Churchyard; Ode on Eton College; Hymn to Adversity: Progress of Poesy; Bard.
Tennyson	...	... The Passing of Arthur.

Calcutta University Selections. (Portions to be read will be specified later.)

Prose.

Macaulay	...	... History of England, Chapter I.

Calcutta University Selections. (Portions to be read will be specified later.)

Selections from the Bible, edited by Principal H. C. Maitra and Dr. G. Howells (Published by the University.) (Portions to be read will be specified later.)

A paper will be set on Essay, Prosody and Rhetoric, and some questions will be set on unseen passages from works of the same standard of difficulty as those prescribed for the Matriculation Examination.

BENGALI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Raj Krishna Banerjee	...	Telemachus.
Sarat Chandra Sastri	...	Dakshinapatha Bhraman.
Jogendranath Basu	...	Patibrata, Part II.
Bhudar Chandra Ganguli	...	Kaliya.
Aswini Kumar Chatterjee	...	Sarbadharma.
Mozammal Haque	...	Firdausicharit.

HINDI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Harischandra	...	Charitavali.
Pratapnarayan Misra	...	Sangit Shakuntal.
Godadhar Singh	...	Kadambari.
Lala Sitaram	...	Nitibatika.

ASSAMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Hemchandra Barooah	...	Kathamala.
Satyanath Borah	...	Sarathi.
Rajanikanta Bardolai	..	Manomali.
Hemchandra Goswami	...	Assamese Language.
Padmanath Barooah	...	Nitisikhya, Part III.

KHASI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

1. Ka Kitab Niam-Khein Ki Khasi (a book on the religious and social system of the Khasi people), by U. Rabon Singh.
2. The book of Job.
3. The Pilgrim's Progress.
4. Ka Kitab Jing Phawar, by U. Rabon Singh.

BURMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

1. Maha-Janaka Jataka Vathu.
2. Vedura-Jataka Vathu.
3. Sandakumara Jataka Vathu.
4. U. Ponya Myttazza.
5. Mahalankara Vathu.
6. Thamane Gyaw Loba Vathu.

URIYA.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Charupath, Part III, translated by Bichhanda Patnaik.
Ramsankar Ray ... Bibasini.
Sasibhusan Ray ... Dakhinatya Bhraman.

Adiparba of Mahabharata (Anukramanika and Parbasangrahadhyaya), translated by Govindachandra Mahapatra.

URDU.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

(To be notified hereafter.)

SANSKRIT.

Poetry.

Kumar Sambhava ... Cantos I and II, with Mallinatha's commentary.
Bhattikavyam „ ... Cantos I and II.

Prose.

University Sanskrit Selections (edition of 1916) ... Mahabharatam, pages 1-10 and 54-60. Dasakumaracharitam, pages 61-80.

Grammar recommended.

Elementary Sanskrit Grammar, by Dr. G. Thibaut (published by the University).

Panini Parisistha Byakarna, by Debendrakumar Vidyaratna (for reference only).

BENGALI.

(*For female candidates.*)

Michæl Madhusudhan...Meghnad-badha, Canto IV (Jnanendramohan Das's edition).

Krittibas-Ramayan (Ajodhya Kanda), edited by Ramananda Chatterjee or Jogendranath Bose or Dineshchandra Sen.

Nabinchandra Sen ... Prabhas.
Abinaschandra Das ... Sita.
Kaliprasanna Sinha ... Mahabharata (Nalopakhyan).
Hemchandra Sarkar ... Bibidha Prabandha
Tarasankar Kabiratna ... Kadambari (expurgated edition by Charuchandra Banerjee).
Akshaykumar Datta ... Charupath, Part III.
Isanchandra Ghosh ... Jatak, Vol. I (Nos. 1 to 50 and Introduction).
Chandranath Basu . Sabitritattwa (abridged edition).
Sasibhusan Chatterjee .. Ramer Rajyabhisek.

URDU.

(*For female candidates.*)

(To be notified hereafter.)

HINDI.

(*For female candidates.*)

1. Harischandra ... Charitavali.
2. Pratapnarayan Misra ... Sangit Shakuntal.
3. Lala Sitaram ... Nitibatika.

ASSAMESE.

(*For female candidates.*)

1. Mahabharat (Vanaparva), selected pieces published by Sibnath Bhattacharyya.
2. Nitisiksha, Part III, by Padmanath Barua.
3. Sakuntala (Translation), by Lambodar Bora.

KHASI.

(*For female candidates.*)

Prose.

1. Ka Kitab Niam-Khein Ki Khasi (a book on the religion and social system of the Khasi people), by U. Rabon Singh.
2. Book of Job (in Khasi, page 620 of Khasi Bible); or Pilgrim's Progress (in Khasi).

Verse.

3. Ka Jingsneng Tymmen, Part I, U. Radhan Singh Berry (sayings of the Ancients).
4. Ka Jingsneng Tymmen, Part II, U. Radhan Singh Berry (sayings of the Ancients).

PALI.

Anderson's Pali Reader.

The course also includes a knowledge of Pali Grammar of higher standard than that required at the Matriculation Examination.

Grammar recommended.

E. Muller ... Pali Grammar

or

Satischandra Vidyabhushana ... Kaccayana.

ARABIC.

(To be notified hereafter.)

PERSIAN.

(To be notified hereafter.)

HEBREW.

Genesis ... ... 15—37
Isaiah ... ... 40—55
Psalms ... ... 90—106
The Book of Ruth.

SYRIAC.

Paper I—Biblical (Peshitto Version)—

1. The Book of Acts ... ... Ch. I—XX.
2. Psalms ... ... Ch. I—XXV.

Paper II—Non-Biblical—

1. Bar-Hebraeus—Nomo-Canon ... Ch. VII, Sec. I-V.

2. St. Ignatius—

(*i*) Epistle to Polycarp.
(*ii*) Epistle to the Ephesians.
(*iii*) Epistle to the Romans.

Grammar.

Robinson's Syriac Grammar (whole).

CLASSICAL ARMENIAN.

Prose.

Moses of Khoren's History of Armenia, Part II.

Poetry.

Elishe Vardapiet Doorian's Course of Classical Armenian, Part II.

The course also includes Armenian Grammar, of which a fuller knowledge will be required than at the Matriculation Examination.

GREEK.

Herodotus	...	Book I (Chapters 1—94).
Plato	...	Apologia.
Homer	...	Odyssey, Book XI.
Sophocles	...	Antigone.

LATIN.

Cicero	...	Lege Manilia.
Livy	...	Book XXI.
Horace	...	Odes, III and IV.

FRENCH.

Michaud	...	Histoire de la Premiere Croisadt, edited by A. V. Houghton (Macmillan).
H. E. Berthon	...	Specimens of Modern French Verse, Part I. (Macmillan & Co.)

GERMAN.

Theodor Fontane	...	Vor Dem Sturm (Macmillan).
Schiller	...	Selections from Lyrical Poems, edited by Turner and Morshead (Macmillan).

The course also includes German Grammar.

HISTORY.

The following books are recommended :—

Tout	...	Advanced History of Great Britain.
A. D. Innes	...	History of England.
Gardiner	...	Students' History of England.
Bury	..	History of Greece for Beginners. (*N.B.*—This book comes down only to 322 B.C.)
Smith	...	Smaller History of Greece, revised by Marindin.
Smith	...	Smaller History of Rome, revised by Greenidge.
Shuckburgh	...	History of Rome for Beginners.
Merivale and Puller	...	School History of Rome (only the portion from Actium to the end).
Breasted	...	Ancient Times (Greece and Rome). Chapters to be read will be prescribed later.

LOGIC.

The subject of Logic is to be studied as defined by the syllabus. Students are recommended to use one or more of the following books, or select portions thereof, with special reference to the course laid down in the syllabus :—

Carveth Read	...	Logic, Deductive and Inductive.
Bain	...	Logic (Deductive and Inductive).
Mitra (A. C.)	...	Principles of Logic (Deductive and Inductive).
P. K. Ray	...	Deductive and Inductive Logic.
Prakaschandra Sinha	.	Tarka-Vignan.

Preparatory Reading—Students are advised to read—

Creighton	...	Introductory Logic, Parts I and II
Jevons	...	Elementary Lessons in Logic

before joining the regular class.

The following books are recommended for the guidance of teachers and for advanced reading :—

Hamilton	...	Lectures on Logic.
Mill	...	System of Logic.
Jevons	..	Principles of Science.
Joseph	...	Logic.
Bosanquet	...	Logic.
Sigwart	...	Logic.
Ueberweg	...	System of Logic and History of Logical Doctrines.
Venn	...	Empirical Logic.
Keynes	...	Formal Logic.
Westaway	...	Scientific Method. Its Philosophy and Practice.
Welton	...	Logic. Vols. I and II.
Encyclopædia of the Philosophical Sciences		Volume on Logic.

MATHEMATICS.

No text-books are prescribed. The subject is to be taught in accordance with the syllabus prescribed in the Regulations.

The following books are recommended :—

Asutosh Mukhopadhyay		Geometry of Conics.
Jessop and Havelock	...	Elementary Mechanics.
D. N. Mallik	...	Elementary Dynamics.
Loney	...	Elements of Statics and Dynamics.
Turner and Bose	...	Intermediate Mechanics

GEOGRAPHY.

Students who wish to offer Geography at the I. A. Examination are required to read either—

A. J. Herbertson	...	The Oxford Geographies, Vol. III,

or

L'Estrange	...	A Progressive Course in Comparative Geography;

and the following books are recommended to be used by the students in studying the subject in accordance with the syllabus prescribed in the Regulations :—

H. R. Mill	...	The Realm of Nature

or

Tarr	...	Physical Geography.
Simons and Richardson		Introduction to Practical Geography.
W. A. Elderton	...	Maps and Map-drawing.
Fanthorpe	...	Physical Atlas and Map-drawing.
Blanford	...	Rudiments of Physical Geography for the use of Indian Schools.
Bartholomew (with introduction by Lyde).		Economical Atlas. (Oxford University Press.)

PHYSICS.

Aldous	...	Elementary Course of Physics.
Watson	...	Elementary Practical Physics.
Rajanikanta De	...	Introduction to the Study of Sound.

CHEMISTRY.

W. A. Shenstone	...	Inorganic Chemistry.
Perkin and Lean	..	Introduction to the Study of Chemistry.
Donnington	...	Practical Exercises in Chemistry
P. C. Ray	...	Elementary Inorganic Chemistry.
P C. Ray	...	Practical Inorganic Chemistry.
Haridas Saha and Kumudnath Chaudhuri.		A Course of Practical Chemistry for Intermediate Students
D. N. Mukherjee	...	Elements of Inorganic Chemistry.
Donnington	...	A Class book of Chemistry (Parts I-IV.) (Macmillan.)

PHYSIOLOGY.

Hill	...	Manual of Human Physiology.
Huxley	...	Lessons in Elementary Physiology (latest edition).

BOTANY.

Farmer, J. B.	...	Practical Introduction to the Study of Botany (London, 1905).
Bailey, L. H.	...	Botany, an Elementary Text for Schools (New York. 1901).
Darwin, F.	...	Elements of Botany (Cambridge, latest edition).
Fyson, P. F.	...	A Botany for India.

Candidates who take up Botany will be required to possess a special knowledge of the following Natural Orders of plants :—

(1) Cruciferae.
(2) Malvaceae.
(3) Leguminosae.
(4) Cucurbitaceae.
(5) Asclepiadaceae.
(6) Rubiaceae.
(7) Compositae.
(8) Solanaceae.
(9) Acanthaceae.
(10) Euphorbiaceae.
(11) Scitaminaceae.
(12) Graminaceae.

At the Intermediate Examinations in Arts and Science a study of the outline of the life history of the following "Selected plants" is required to illustrate the gradual ascent in complexity of structure and reproductive cycle from the lowest fungi and algae to the phanerogams :—

(1) Yeast.
(2) Mucor or Euroteum.
(3) Spirogyra.
(4) A Moss.
(5) A Fern.
(6) Selaginella.
(7) A Conifer.
(8) A Monocotyledon.
(9) A Dicotyledon.

ZOOLOGY.

J. Arthur Thomson	...	Outlines of Zoology (such portions of it as are required in the Syllabus).
R. E. Lloyd	...	An Introduction to Biology for students in India.
A. D. Imms	...	A Laboratory Sketch Book of Zoology for Indian Students (such portions of it as relate to the types prescribed in the Syllabus).

GEOLOGY.

No text-books are prescribed or recommended. The subject is to be studied with the help of the Syllabus prescribed in the Regulations.

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ENGLISH.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

BENGALI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Kaliprasanna Ghosh	...	Nibhrita Chinta.
Sasibhushan Sen	..	Karmakshetra.
Ramendra Sundar Tribedi	...	Prakriti.
Haranchandra Rakshit	...	Sahityasadhara.
Ramanath Saraswati	...	Aryya Jibani.
Abdul Jabbar	...	Hajrater Jibani.

HINDI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

ASSAMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

KHASI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

BURMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

URIYA.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

URDU.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

MATHEMATICS.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

GEOGRAPHY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

PHYSICS.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

CHEMISTRY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

PHYSIOLOGY

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

BOTANY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

ZOOLOGY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

GEOLOGY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

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ENGLISH.

(Pass Course.)

Shakespeare	...	Comedy of Errors. Henry V.
Milton	...	Comus.
Palgrave	...	Golden Treasury of Songs and Lyrics, Book IV.
Burke	...	Speech on Conciliation with America.
Newman	...	Literary Selections (Selections 2-11). (Longmans Class Books of English Literature)
Asquith	...	Occasional Addresses, omitting Nos. 5, 7 and 11.
Selections from the Bible, edited by Principal H. C. Maitra and Rev. Dr. G. Howells (published by the University). (Portions to be read will be specified later).		

(Honours Course)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Shakespeare	...	Coriolanus.
Greene	...	Friar Bacon and Friar Bungay.
Palgrave	...	Golden Treasury of Songs and Lyrics—additional poems (Tennyson, Matthew Arnold, D. J. Rossetti, Swinburne, E. B. Browning and Robert Browning only).
DeQuincey	...	Revolt of the Tartars; the English Mail Coach.
Bryce	...	Studies in Contemporary Biography.

The following books are recommended for the study of the Philology of the English Language and the History of English Literature :—

Earle	...	Philology of the English Tongue.
Thomson	..	Students' English Literature, founded upon the Manual of Thomas B. Shaw.
Saintsbury	...	Short History of English Literature.
Classen	...	Style and Composition.

The following books are prescribed for candidates who take up the alternative paper in English :—

Matthew Arnold	...	Essays in Criticism, Second Series (Essays I—VII only).
Ruskin	...	The Crown of Wild Olive (Omitting the Essay on the Future of England).

Vernacular Composition—

BENGALI.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Bankimchandra Chatterji		Durgesanandini.
Chandicharan Banerjee		Life of Vidyasagar.
Rajendranath Vidyabhushan	...	Tapoban.

HINDI.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Harischandra ... Satya Harischandra.
Lakshman Sinha ... Sakuntala.
Mayasankar Dube ... Swapna Vasabdatta.

ASSAMESE.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Gunabhiram Barooah ... Life of Anandaram Dhekeil Phukan.
Lambodar Borah ... Sakuntala.
Lakhenath Bezbaruya ... Padamkumari.

BURMESE.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Buridat Zat. | Narada Zat.
Zinatthapakathani.

URIYA.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Radhanath Ray ... Mahajatra, Cantos I—IV.
Raghuvansa, translated by Bichhanda Patnaik.

URDU.

(To be notified hereafter.)

SANSKRIT.

(Pass Course.)

Paper I.

Manusamhita ... Chapters I and II, with Kulluka's commentary.
Sisupalabadha ... Cantos I and II, with Mallinath's commentary.

Paper II.

Abhijnanasakuntalam. | Ratnavali.

Paper III.

Macdonell ... History of Sanskrit Literature (omitting chapters II-IX).

Panini Primer, by Debendrakumar Vidyaratna (for reference only).

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Paper IV.

Bhattikavyam ... Cantos XII and XIII.
Kadambari ... Pages 1—24 (Bombay edition).

Paper V.

Rigveda Samhita ... Hymns from the Rigveda, with Sayana's commentary, edited by Peterson, Part I, Suktas 1-12.
Weber ... History of Sanskrit Literature (Tran. Mann and Zachariae, pp. 1—171).

Students are recommended to consult Macdonell's Vedic Grammar for students.

Paper VI.

Siddhanta Kaumudi—Karaka and Samasa.
Dandi—Kavyadarsa.
Sahitya Darpan, Chapter VI.

PALI.

(*Pass Course.*)

Poetry.

Dhammapada ... Khuddaka Patha.

Prose.

Milinda-panha (Trenckner's edition), pages 1—126.
Dhammapada—Attha-Katha, Vol. I, edited by Mr. Norman In the P. T. S.

Grammar.

Rupasidhi (Rangoon or Colombo edition).
Kielhorn's Sanskrit Grammar.

Comparative Philology.

Sayce ... ... Principles of Comparative Philology (omitting the appendices).

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Mahavamsa ... ... Chapters 1—5.
Dighanikaya ... Mahagovinda Sutta, Mahaparinibana Sutta.
Rhys Davids ... Buddhist India.

PERSIAN.

(To be notified hereafter.)

ARABIC.

(To be notified hereafter).

CLASSICAL ARMENIAN.

(*Pass Course.*)

Poetry.

Bagratoonie's translation of Paradise Lost, Books IX, X, XI and XII.

Prose.

Agathangalo's History, Parts I and III.
Moses of Khoren's History.
The course includes the History of Armenia.

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Poetry.

Bagratoonie's Haik Dientsazn, Books I, II, III, IV and V.

Prose.

John Catholicas. | Elishe.

The course includes the History of Armenian Literature and the Elements of Armenian Philology.

HEBREW.

(Pass Course.)

Judges and I Samuel.
Psalms—I-XLI.
Proverbs—1-20.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Two of the minor prophets, Amos and Hosea.

SYRIAC.

(Pass Course.)

Paper I.

The Book of Leviticus (the Peshitto Version).
The Epistle to the Hebrews (the Peshitto Version)
The Liturgy of S. James.

Paper II.

Mar Ephrem ... The Epistle to Montanos (Opera Selecta: Overbeck).

The Book of the Dead.

Paper III.

Wright ... ... History of Syriac Literature.

Recommended—

Noldeke ... ... Compendious Syriac Grammar.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books recommended for the Pass Course.)

Paper IV.

Philexinos of Mabbogh... Discourses on Poverty (Royal Society of Literature).

Chronicles of Bar-Hebraeus (Bernstein's Chrestomathie).

Paper V.

Select Narratives of Holy Women—Eugenia (Studia Sinaitica, No. IV).

Eusebius—Ecclesiastical History Books, I-III. (Wright and McLean.)

Paper VI.

A. Fortescue ... The Orthodox Eastern Church.
A. Fortescue .. The Lesser Eastern Churches.

GREEK.

(Pass Course.)

Homer ... Iliad, Book IX.
Aristophanes ... Frogs.
Plato ... Laches.
Demosthenes ... Phillipics, I, II and III.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Æschylus ... Prometheus Vinctus.
Thucydides ... Book VII.

Permanent Subjects.

The following books may be consulted :—

Philology of the Greek Language—

Giles ... Comparative Philology.

History of Classical Greek Literature—

Murray ... Greek Literature.

LATIN.

(*Pass Course.*)

Cicero	...	Pro Roscio.
Livy	...	Book I.
Virgil	...	Aeneid, Books VII and VIII.
Horace	...	Epistles, Book I.

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Lucretius	...	Book V.
Tacitus	...	Annals, Books I and II.
Virgil	...	Georgica.
Terence	...	Adelphi.
Pliny	...	Letters, Book I.

Catullus' Poems, edited by F. P. Simpson (Macmillan and Co.).

Permanent Subjects.

The following books may be consulted :—

Philology of the Latin Language—

Lindsay ... Historical Latin Grammar.

History of Latin Literature to the end of the Augustan Period—

Mackail ... Latin Literature.

FRENCH.

(*Pass Course.*)

Alphonse Daudet	...	Lettres de Mon Moulin, edited by C. H. Clarke (Macmillan).
Thierry	...	Lettres sur l' Histoire de France, edited by Masson and Prothero.
Berthon	...	Specimens of Modern French Verse, Part I.
Rostand	...	Cyrano de Bergerac.

The course also includes French Grammar and the outlines of French History.

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Corneille	...	Cid.
Molière	...	L'Ecole des Femmes.
Michelet	...	Louis XI, et Charles Le Temeraire, edited by E. Renault (Clarendon Press).

The course also includes French Grammar and the outlines of French History and also the elements of French Philology and the history of a selected period of French literature.

Grammar recommended.

V. de Vivas ... Grammaire des Grammaires.

Text-book in French Philology recommended—

Darmesteter	...	Historical French Grammar.
Brachet	...	Grammaire Historique de la Langue Française.

The period of French Literature selected for 1920 is the 17th century.

GERMAN.

(*Pass Course.*)

Heinrich von Kleist	...	Michael Kohlhaas.
Schiller	...	Wallenstein's Tod.
Hauff	...	Das Wirtshaus Im Spessart, edited by G. E. Fasnacht (Macmillan & Co.).

The course includes, in addition to the prescribed texts, Grammar and the outlines of German History.

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Goethe	...	Iphigenie auf Tauris.
Lessing	...	Nathan der Weise.
Paul Heyse	...	Kinder der Welt.

The course includes, in addition to the prescribed texts, Grammar and the outlines of German History, and also the elements of German Philology and the history of a selected period of German Literature.

Grammar recommended.

J. Wright	...	Historical German Grammar. (The period selected for 1920 is 1750—1882.)*

HISTORY.

(*Pass Course.*)

Paper I.

G. B. Adams	...	European History, an outline of its development.
P. F. N. Myers	...	Mediaeval and Modern History, Part II.

Paper II.

Period—The Age of Elizabeth.

(*i*) Green's History of the English People, Book VI, Chapters III—VII.

(*ii*) The Age of Elizabeth, by Creighton (Epochs of Modern History Series).

(*iii*) Elizabeth (Twelve English Statesmen Series), by Beesly.

(*iv*) J. R. Seeley—Growth of the British Policy. (The portions relating to Elizabethan age).

Paper III.

Vincent Smith	...	Early History of India.
Elphinstone	...	History of India, omitting Book V, Chapter I.
A. D. Innes	...	History of British India.

[Candidates who take up Honours Course are recommended to read Dutt's Ancient Civilization of India—

Book	I,	Chapter V.
„	II,	„ V-VI.
„	III,	„ III-VI.
„	IV,	„ VIII-XI.
„	V,	„ VIII, XV and XVI.]

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Paper IV.

Period from 479—404 B.C.—

Bury	...	History of Greece.
Grote	...	History of Greece.
Zimmern	...	The Greek Commonwealth.

Paper V.

Period from 264—146 B.C.—

Shuckburgh	...	History of Rome.
Mommsen	...	History of Rome, translated by Dickson

Paper VI.

Hallam	...	Europe during the Middle Ages.
Myers	...	History of Middle Ages.

ECONOMICS AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY.

(To be notified hereafter.)

MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject of Mental and Moral Philosophy as defined by the Syllabus :—

Psychology.

(*Pass and Honours.*)

Höffding	...	Outlines of Psychology.
Wündt	...	Human and Animal Psychology.
Stout	...	Manual of Psychology.
James	...	Text-book of Psychology.
Stephen	...	Elements of Analytical Psychology (3rd edition).
Sully	...	Outlines of Psychology.
Mitra (A. C.)	...	Elements of Psychology (2 vols.).
Angell	...	Psychology.

Preparatory Reading : Students are advised to read—

Titchener		Primer of Psychology
Sarat Chandra Brahmachari.		Vyavaharik Manobijnan (Practical Psychology)
McDougall	...	Psychology (Home University Library)

before joining the regular class.

Ethics.

(*Pass and Honours.*)

Seth	...	Study of Ethical Principles.
Martineau	...	Types of Ethical Theory.
Mackenzie	...	Manual of Ethics.
Mitra (A. C.)	...	Elements of Morals.

Preparatory Reading : Students are advised to read—

Muirhead	...	Elements of Ethics
Mohit Chandra Sen	...	Elements of Moral Philosophy

before joining the regular class.

General Philosophy.

(*Pass and Honours.*)

Külpe	...	Introduction to Philosophy.
Marvin	...	Introduction to Philosophy.
Paulsen	...	Introduction to Philosophy.
Watson	...	An Outline of Philosophy.

Preparatory Reading : Students are advised to read—

Croom Robertson	...	Elements of General Philosophy
Stephen	...	Problems of Metaphysics

before joining the regular class.

Natural Theology.

(*Honours*).

Martineau	...	Study of Religion.
Flint	...	Theism and Antitheistic Theories.
Fraser	...	Philosophy of Theism.

Preparatory Reading: Students are advised to read—

Rogers	...	Religious Conception of the World
Armstrong	...	God and the Soul
Binayendra Nath Sen	...	Intellectual Ideal

before joining the regular class.

History of Philosophy.

(*Honours.*)

The following books are recommended :—

Weber	...	History of Philosophy.
Falckenberg	...	History of Modern Philosophy.
Thilly	...	History of Philosophy (Bell & Sons).

Preparatory Reading—

Schwegler	...	History of Philosophy.
Rogers	...	History of Philosophy.

Special Text.

(*Honours.*)

Rand	...	Modern Classical Philosophers (Selections from Bacon, Descartes, Spinoza, Locke, Berkeley, Hume and Kant).
Green	...	Prolegomena to Ethics, Book I.

MATHEMATICS.

(Same as for the B. Sc. Examination.)

PHYSICS.

(Same as for the B. Sc. Examination.)

CHEMISTRY.

(Same as for the B. Sc. Examination.)

PHYSIOLOGY.

(Same as for the B. Sc. Examination.)

BOTANY.

(Same as for the B. Sc. Examination.)

ZOOLOGY.

(Same as for the B. Sc. Examination.)

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MATHEMATICS.

(Pass Course.)

The following books are recommended :—

1. Higher Plane Trigonometry—
   - Todhunter ... Plane Trigonometry, edited by Hogg.
   - Loney ... Plane Trigonometry.

2. Plane Analytical Geometry—
   - C. Smith ... Elementary Treatise on Conic Sections.
   - Loney ... Elements of Co-ordinate Geometry.

3. Differential Calculus—
   - Edwards ... Differential Calculus for Beginners.
   - Ganesh Prasad ... Differential Calculus.
   - Taylor ... Differential and Integral Calculus and Differential Equations.

4. Integral Calculus and Differential Equations—
   - Edwards ... Integral Calculus for Beginners.
   - Ganesh Prasad ... Integral Calculus.
   - Taylor ... The Differential and Integral Calculus and Differential Equations.

5. Hydrostatics—
   - Besant ... Elementary Hydrostatics.
   - Loney ... Elements of Hydrostatics.

6. Astronomy—
   - Parker ... Elements of Astronomy.

[Students are recommended to use "Stars in the Northern Tropics," by T. Bhattacharyya.]

(Honours Course.)

1. Higher Algebra—
   - Hall and Knight... Higher Algebra.
   - C. Smith ... A. Treatise on Algebra.
   - Davidson ... Higher Algebra.

2. Elementary Theory of Equations—
   - Cajori ... Introduction to Theory of Equations, Chapters I—VII.
   - Dickson ... Elementary Theory of Equations.

3. Higher Plane Trigonometry—
   - Todhunter ... Plane Trigonometry, edited by Hogg.

4. Plane Analytical Geometry—
   - C. Smith ... Elementary Treatise on Conic Sections.
   - Salmon ... Conic Sections.
   - Askwith ... Plane Co-ordinate Geometry.

5. Elementary Solid Geometry—
   - C. Smith ... Elementary Treatise on Solid Geometry.
   - Bell ... Analytical Geometry of Three Dimensions.

6. Elementary Principles of Vectors—

Kelland and Tait		Introduction to Quaternions, 3rd edition, edited by Knott.
Henrici and Turner.		Vectors and Rotors.
Coffin	...	Vector Analysis.

7. Differential Calculus—

Edwards	...	Differential Calculus.
Williamson	...	Differential Calculus

8. Integral Calculus and Differential Equations—

Williamson	...	Integral Calculus.
Murray	...	Introductory Course in Differential Equations.

9. Statics—

Minchin	...	Statics, Vol. I.
Lamb	...	Statics.
Loney	...	Statics.

10. Dynamics of a Particle—

Lamb	...	Dynamics.
Loney	...	Dynamics of a Particle.
Cox	...	Mechanics.

11. Hydrostatics—

Besant	...	Elementary Hydrostatics.
Loney	...	Elements of Hydrostatics.
Minchin	...	Hydrostatics, Part I.

12. Astronomy—

Parker	...	Elements of Astronomy.
Young	...	Manual of Astronomy.
Bryan	...	Astronomy.

[Candidates are recommended to use "Stars in the Northern Tropics" by T. Bhattacharyya.]

N.B.—Candidates who take up Mathematics at the B.A. or B Sc. Examination are recommended to refer to Saxelby's Practical Mathematics.

PHYSICS.

(*Pass Course.*)

Hadley	...	Magnetism and Electricity for Students.
Watson	...	Text-book of Physics.

(*Pass Practical.*)

Schüster and Lees	...	Advanced Exercises in Practical Physics.
Harrison	...	A Course of Practical Physics.
Glazebrook and Shaw		Practical Physics.
Allen and Moore	...	A Text-book of Practical Physics (Macmillan & Co.).

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Poynting and Thomson	...	Sound.
Edser	...	Heat for Advanced Students.
Maxwell	...	Theory of Heat.
Edser	...	Light for Students
Fos'er and Porter	...	Elementary Treaties on Electricity and Magnetism.
Wagstaff	...	Properties of Matter.
A. C. Datta	...	A Text-book of Sound.

(Honours Practical.)

Watson	...	Text-book on Practical Physics.
Henderson	...	Practical Physics.

N.B.—Candidates who take up the Honours Course in Physics at the B.A. or B.Sc. Examination are recommended to refer to Saxelby's Practical Mathematics.

CHEMISTRY.

(Pass Course.)

Newth	...	Inorganic Chemistry.
Holleman	...	Organic Chemistry.
Francis Jones	...	Practical Chemistry.
Alexander Smith	...	General Inorganic Chemistry.
F. Mollwo Perkin	..	Qualitative Chemical Analysis—Organic and Inorganic.
J. B. Cohen	...	Theoretical Organic Chemistry.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books recommended for the Pass Course.)

H. C. Jones	...	Elements of Physical Chemistry.
Ostwald	...	Foundations of Analytical Chemistry.
J. Wade	...	Introduction to the Study of Organic Chemistry.
Clowes and Coleman	...	Quantitative Analysis.
Mellor	...	Inorganic Chemistry.
Caven and Landor	...	Systematic Inorganic Chemistry.
Ostwald	...	Outlines of General Chemistry.
J. Walker	...	Introduction to Physical Chemistry.
F. Mollwo Perkin	...	Practical Methods of Inorganic Chemistry.
Thorpe	...	Essays on Historical Chemistry.

N. B—Candidates who take up Chemistry at the B.A. or B.Sc Examination are recommended to refer to Saxelby's Practical Mathematics.

BOTANY.

(Pass Course)

Vines, S. H.	..	An Elementary Text-book of Botany (London, 1905).
Scott, D. H.	...	Structural Botany, 2 Vols. (London, 1904-06).
Darwin, F., and Acton, G. H.		Practical Physiology of Plants (Cambridge, latest edition).
Prain, D.	...	Bengal Plants (Calcutta, 1903)
		or
Roxburgh	...	Flora Indica, edited by C. B. Clarke (Calcutta 1874).
Strasburger and Hillhouse.		Practical Botany (latest edition).

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the text-books for the Pass Course.)

Strasburger, E.	...	Text-book of Botany, translated by Porter, revised by Lang (Third edition, London).
Reynolds Green, J.	...	Vegetable Physiology.
Schimper, A. F. W.	...	Geography of Plants.
Stopes	...	Fossil Botany.

PHYSIOLOGY.

(Pass Course.)

Halliburton	...	Hand-book of Physiology.
Howell	...	Text-book of Physiology.

(Practical.)

Schafer	...	Essentials of Histology
		and *either*
Milroy	...	Practical Physiological Chemistry
		or
Halliburton	...	Essentials of Chemical Physiology
		and
Brodie	...	Essentials of Experimental Physiology
		or
Beddard, Edkins, Hill, Pembrey and Macleod.		Practical Physiology.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books recommended for the Pass Course.)

Starling	...	Principles of Human Physiology.
Hill	...	Recent Advances in Physiology.
Hill	...	Further Advances in Physiology.

(Practical.)

(The same as for the Pass Course.)

Syllabus in Experimental Physiology.

(Pass Course.)

The induction coil ; single shocks, short circuiting key ; effect of single shocks on the tongue ; break-shock is stronger than the make-shock. Helmholtz's Modification ; Neef's Hammer.

Pithing a frog ; nerve-muscle preparation. Mechanical, chemical thermal and electrical stimulation of muscle and nerve.

The graphic method ; simple lever ; crank lever (myograph); moist chamber, minimal and maximal excitation with single induction shocks (make and break). Stimulation by constant current ; contraction of muscle only at make and break.

The muscle curve :—Single contraction of a frog's muscle ; the latent period, the period of contraction and the period of relaxation. Time-tracing by tuning-fork. Method of after-loading. The influence of temperature and of load on muscular contraction. The work performed by a muscle during a twitch.

Elasticity and extensibility of muscle.

Summation of muscular contraction ; tetanus.

Fatigue of muscle.
Thickening of a muscle on contraction.
Barnard's curare experiment.
Stimulation of a motor nerve ; unequal excitability (greater nearer the centre of a motor nerve) ; excitability of flexor and extensor nerves.
Velocity of nerve-impulse (myographic method).
Electro-Physiology :—Galvani's experiment of contraction with metals ; Galvani's experiment of contraction without metals.
The Forg's heart :—Beating of the heart ; effect of heat and cold (heart *in situ*) ; section of the heart ; effect of heat and cold on excised heart.
Stannius' experiment.
Graphic record of the beat of the heart (suspension method and also direct registration with heart-lever).
Pulse-Sphygmographic tracing.
Blood-pressure in man ; Sphygmometer and Sphygmomanometer.
Reflex action (simple experiments on a pithed frog).
Vision :—Accommodation ; Scheiner's experiment ; near and far point.
Purkinje-Sanson's images : Phakoscope ; Blind spot ; Yellow spot ; Colour vision ; Complementary colours.

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Additional Experiments—
The induction coil—Break extra-current of Faraday.
The Rheonome ; Effect of sudden variation of current.
Isotomic and Isometric contraction.
Influence of veratrine on muscular contraction.
Indefatigability of nerve.
Excitation of muscle by constant current ; Polar excitation of a muscle.
Electrotonus. Electrotonic changes in excitability and conductivity of a nerve.
Kuhne's experiment of contraction without metals.
Examination of currents in muscle, nerve and heart by means of the reflecting galvanometer.
Frog's heart—Minimal stimulus causes maximal contraction.
"Staircase effect." Single contraction of the ventricle.
Tetanisation. Refractory period, Stimulation of the vagus.
Action of drugs (Muscaring digitalin, Pilocarpin and Atropin) on the heart.
Voice and Speech ; Laryngoscope.
Vision : Ophthalmoscope ; Perimeter.

ZOOLOGY.

(*Pass Course.*)

Boas	...	Text-book of Zoology.
Shipley and MacBride	...	Zoology.
Oskar Hertwig and H. J. Campbell.		The Cell.
R. E. Lloyd	...	An Introduction to Biology for students in India.
P. J. Parker and W. N. Parker.		An Elementary Course of Practical Zoology.
Foster and Balfour	...	The Elements of Embryology (edited by Sedgwick and W. Heap).
Wallace	...	Darwinism.
A. D. Imms	...	A Laboratory Sketch-book of Zoology for Indian students.

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Miall and Hammond	...	The Structure and Life—History of the Harlequin Fly.
Miall and Denny	...	The Cockroach.

GEOLOGY.

No text-books are prescribed or recommended. The subject is to be studied with the help of the Syllabus prescribed in the Regulations.

EXPERIMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY.

The subject is to be studied as defined by the Syllabus. Students are recommended to use one or more of the following books :—

(*Pass Course.*)

I—General Psychology—

Yerkes	...	Introduction of Psychology.
Wundt	...	Human and Animal Psychology.
Titchener	...	Text-book of Psychology.
Leckley	...	The Nervous System (Longmans & Co.).

Preparatory Reading : Students are advised to read Titchener's Primer of Psychology before joining the regular class.

II—Experimental Psychology—

Sanford	...	Course in Experimental Psychology.
Myers	..	Text-book of Experimental Psychology, Part I—Text-book.

Preparatory Reading :—

Students are advised to read Myers' Primer of Experimental Psychology before joining the regular class.

Laboratory Course : —

Titchener's Experimental Psychology, Vol. I, Part I, and Vol. II, Part I (Student's Manual, Qualitative and Quantitative).

Myers text-book of Experimental Psychology, Part II (Laboratory Course).

(*Honours Course.*)

I—General Psychology (Same as in the Pass Course with the addition of Kulpe's Outlines of Psychology).

II—Physiological and Comparative Psychology—

Wundt	...	Principles of Physiological Psychology, Vol. I, Part I. (The Bodily Substrate of Mental Life.)
Ladd	...	Elements of Physiological Psychology.
Thorndike	...	Animal Intelligence.
Lloyd Morgan	...	Comparative Psychology.
M. Greenwood (Jr.)	...	Physiology of the Senses.

III—Experimental Psychology—

In addition to the books recommended for the Pass Course, the following :—

Scripture	...	New Psychology.
Titchener	...	Lectures on the Psychology of the Thought Processes.
Titchener	...	Instructor's Manual—Quantitative (Introduction).

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SENATE HOUSE, *the 2nd October 1918.*

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THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Intermediate Examination in Law, held in August, 1918:—

FIRST DIVISION.

(*In order of merit.*)

Serial No.	Order of merit.		
1	1	Ghosh, Satyendrakisor ...	University Law College.
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3		Mitra, Pannalal ...	University Law College.
4	3	Sarkar, Kalihar ...	Ditto.
5	4	Maulik, Birendranath ...	Ditto.
6	5	Guha, Jagadischandra ...	Ditto.
7	6	Hajra, Narendranath ...	Ditto.
8	7	Louis T. Magnino ...	Ditto.
9	8	Chakrabarti, Sureschandra ...	Ditto.
10	9	„ Haripada ...	Ditto.
11	10	Chattopadhyay, Bireswar ...	Ditto.
12	11	Ray, Sudhischandra ...	Ditto.
13		Sengupta, Subinaychandra ...	Dacca Law College.
14	12	Bhaumic, Jyotishchandra ...	University Law College.
15		Ghosh Maulik, Batukrishna ...	Ditto.
16		Ray, Swarnakamal ...	Ripon Law College.
17	13	Lahiri, Himansusekhar ...	University Law College.
18	14	Pan, Harakali ...	Ditto.
19		Sen, Maheschandra ...	Ditto.
20	15	Bandyopadhyay, Charuchandra ...	Ditto.
21		Bhattacharyya, Nandalal ...	Ditto.
22		Nag, Sasimohan ...	Ditto.
23		Raghab Saran Lal ...	Ditto.
24		Saha, Bholanath ...	Dacca Law College.

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Agarwalla, Gadadhar ...	Ditto.
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Babu, Gokulchandra ...	Ditto.
Bagchi, Mahendranath ...	Ditto.
Bandyopadhyay, Anurupchandra	Ditto.
„ Basantakumar ...	Ditto.
„ Bhupendranath ...	Ditto.
„ Bibhutibhushan	Ditto.
„ Brajendranath ...	Ditto.
„ Brajendrasundar	Ditto.
„ Durgapada ...	Ditto.
„ Girischandra ...	Ditto.
„ Haridas ...	Ditto.
„ Kumarkrishna ...	Ripon Law College.
„ Mohanlal ...	University Law College.
„ Nirmalchandra ...	Ditto.
„ Sachindranath ...	Ditto.
„ Saralkumar ...	Ditto.
„ Satischandra ...	Ditto.
„ Siddheswar ...	Ditto.

	Bandyopadhyay, Smarajitchandra	University Law College.
	„ Sudhansusekhar	Ditto.
30	Barah, Ramchandra ...	Earle Law College.
	Baruya, Laksheswar ..	Ditto.
	Basu. Bankimchandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Harendranath ...	University Law College.
	„ Kiranchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Pramathanath ...	Ditto.
	„ Ranjitkumar ...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Subodhkumar ...	University Law College.
	„ Surendrakumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath ...	Ditto.
40	Basuchaudhuri, Nanigopal ...	Ditto.
	Basuray, Susthirchandra ..	Ditto.
	Bhaduri, Priyabhushan ...	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Bankimchandra ...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 1.
	„ Gauriprasad ...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Gopalchandra ...	University Law College.
	„ Jatindranath ..	Ditto.
	„ Kamalakinkar ...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinikanta ...	Ditto
	„ Nalininath ...	Ditto.
50	„ Praphullakumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Sureschandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Upendrachandra ...	Ditto.
	Bhaumik, Kshitischandra ...	Ditto.
	Bera. Bhupendranarayan ...	Ditto.
	„ Dharanidhar ...	Ditto.
	Biswas, Brajendrakumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Prasannakumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Narendragopal ...	Ditto.
60	„ Satischandra ...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Asutosh ...	Ditto.
	„ Basantikumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Bhubanmohan ...	Ditto.
	„ Indubaran ...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindranath ...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Jitendranath ...	University Law College.
	„ Jogeschandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Jyotishchandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Praphullamadhab ...	University Law College.
70	„ Ramanimohan ...	Ditto.
	„ Tarakbrahma . .	Ditto.
	„ Upendranath ...	Ditto.
	Chanda, Sisirkumar ...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Aswinikumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Gopalchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Jnanendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Kalikrishna ...	Ditto.
	„ Patitpaban ...	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra ...	Ditto.
80	„ Sambhucharan ...	Ditto.
	„ Tapanmohan ...	Ditto.
	„ Upendranath ...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Charuchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Durgakanta ...	Ditto.
	„ Jnanendrachandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullachandra ...	Ditto.
	Das, Adwaitacharan ...	Ditto.
	„ Biswanath ...	Ditto.
	„ Bisweswar ...	Ripon Law College.
90	„ Chandrakumar ...	University Law College.
	„ Goshthabihari ...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindralal ...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindramohan ...	Dacca Law College.

	Das, Jitendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Jogendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jogeschandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Krishnakisor	...	Ditto.
	„ Lalanchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nagendrakumar	...	Ditto.
100	„ Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Rajendralal	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Tirthalochan	...	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Amiyakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Asruman	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshitishchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nakuleswar	...	Ditto.
	„ Sachindrabhushan	...	Ditto.
110	Datta, Atulkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Baidyanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Bijaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Kiranchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Rameschandra, I	...	Ditto.
	„ Sailendranath	...	Ditto.
	Dattagupta, Lokendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Dattaray, Brajagopal	...	Ditto.
	De, Ajitkumar	...	Ditto.
120	„ Birendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Kalikinkar	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	..	Ditto.
	Dechaki, Jogendranath	...	Dacca Law College.
	Dhar, Gobinlal	...	University Law College.
	Ebrahim Khan	...	Ripon Law College.
	G. A Chellaiya	...	Rangoon College.
	Gangopodhyay, Pratapchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Pulinbihari	...	University Law College.
	„ Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
130	„ Renupada	...	Ditto.
	„ Sripati	...	Ditto.
	Ghatak, Basantakumar	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Ajendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Ajitkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Amulyakrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Asutosh	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Banbihari	...	University Law College.
	„ Birendrachandra	..	Ditto.
	„ Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
140	„ Dwijaranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Gaganchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Haricharan	..	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jnanendranath	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Lalitmohan	...	University Law College.
	„ Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nirmalkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Pasupati	...	Ditto.
	„ Pramodkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullachandra	...	Ditto.
150	„ Pulinbihari	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Satyacharan	...	University Law College.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhansumohan	...	Ditto.
	Ghoshal, Ajitkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Nanimohan	...	Ditto.
	Goswami, Jaminikanta	..	Ditto.
	„ Krishnachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nrityagopal	...	Ditto.
	Guha, Dharmadas	...	Dacca Law College.
160	„ Sailendranath	...	University Law College.

	Guharay, Jitendranath	..	University Law College.
	„ Priyasankar	...	Ditto.
	Gupta, Girijaprasanna	...	Ditto.
	„ Mohadebchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinikanta	...	Ditto.
	„ Niranjan	...	Ditto.
	Haldar, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
	Hassan Aley Ahmed	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 3.
	Kantal, Nitaikisor	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 4.
170	Kar, Birupakshya	...	University Law College.
	Khandkar Abul Hasnat	...	Ditto.
	Khondakar Mutheral Islam	...	Ditto.
	Kundu, Dharanidhar	...	Ditto.
	Lahiri, Aswinikumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Jatindramohan	...	University Law College.
	„ Ramkamal	...	Ditto.
	Lala, Chandrabinod	...	Ditto.
	M. D. Abdullah	...	Ditto.
	M. Dharma Raj	...	Rangoon College.
180	Mafizuddin Ahmed	...	University Law College.
	Mahammad Naziruddin Ahmad	...	Ditto.
	Maiti, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Amritalal	...	Ditto.
	„ Dwijeschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Haridas	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabhatchandra	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Atulgobinda	...	Ditto.
	„ Bimalranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Gurudas	...	Ditto.
190	„ Harendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nisabhusan	...	Ditto.
	„ Pramadacharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Pranabakrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhenduchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Sureschandra	...	University Law College.
	Md Shamsuddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	Meer Bukhsh	...	Ditto.
	Misra, Srikrishna	...	Ditto.
200	Mitra, Bhabatosh	...	Ditto.
	„ Jagadischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Manomohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nibaranchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabhaschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyaranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Saurendramohan	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Amulyacharan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Amulyadhan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Asitkumar	...	University Law College.
210	„ Atindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Bhabanidas	...	Ditto.
	„ Debnarayan	...	Ditto.
	„ Dineschandra, I	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Kalicharan	...	University Law College.
	„ Malinkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Manindramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinaksha	...	Ditto.
	„ Narendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
220	„ Panchanan	...	University Law College.
	„ Paresnath	..	Ditto.
	„ Phanindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Sachikanta	...	Ditto.
	„ Sitapati	...	Ditto.
	„ Sridhar	...	Ditto.

	Nag, Birendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Nalinchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
	Nandi, Bhubankisor	...	Ditto.
230	„ Tarinicharan	...	University Law College.
	Nayak, Bhupendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Pal, Harendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Manomohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra	.	Ditto.
	Poddar, Anangamohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Kunjabihari	...	University Law College.
	Prasad, Akhileswar	...	Ditto
	„ Madanmohan	...	Ditto.
	Pratihar, Bankimchandra	...	Ditto.
240	Purohit, Achyutananda	...	Ditto.
	Rakshit, Nalinibinod	...	Ditto.
	Ram Anugrah Narain	...	Ditto.
	Rana, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	Ray. Ajitkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Ambikacharan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Bhupendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Bhupendranath, I	...	Ditto.
	„ Charuchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Dineschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
250	„ Harendrakrishna	...	University Law College.
	„ Lalitkumar	..	Ditto.
	„ Manindrachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Nripendranarayan	...	University Law College.
	„ Prabhaschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Tarapada	...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Abinaschandra	..	Ditto.
	„ Arunendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Kumudranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinimohan	...	Ditto.
260	„ Narendramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Upendranarayan	...	Ditto.
	Raygupta, Nagendralal	...	Ditto.
	Reazuddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	Rommanuddin Ahmed	...	Dacca Law College.
	Saha, Basantakumar	...	Earle Law College.
	„ Gopalchandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Rebatimohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	Sahu, Bhutnath	...	University Law College.
270	Santra, Rakhalchandra	...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Phanibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nilmani	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Akhilkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Asitkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Bhabanicharan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Bhabendranath	..	University Law College.
	„ Birendramohan	...	Ripon Law College.
280	„ Charuchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Krishnacharan	...	University Law College.
	„ Ramkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Saurendranath	..	Ditto.
	„ Tarakchandra	...	Ditto.
	Sarma, Annadacharan	...	Earle Law College.
	Sayeedull Haq	...	University Law College.
	Sen, Ajitkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Basantakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
290	„ Gaurikanta	...	Ditto.
	„ Harimohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.

	Sen Kumudkumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Pramodkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Ramendrachandra	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 2.
	„ Satyanjan	...	University Law College.
	Sengupta, Bhabasankar	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Birendrakisor	...	Ditto.
	„ Lakshmikanta	...	University Law College.
300	„ Paresnath	...	Ditto.
	„ Rabindranath	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Ramranjan	...	University Law College.
	„ Surendramohan	...	Earle Law College.
	Sikdar, Jatimohan	...	University Law College.
	Sil, Sisirkumar	...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
	„ Brahmadeva Narayan	...	Ditto.
	„ Krishnaprasanna	...	Ditto.
	Syam, Nagendrachandra	..	Ditto.
310	Talukdar, Pramathanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Upendrachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Tayibuddin Ahmed	...	Ripon Law College.
313	Thakur, Brajamohan	...	University Law College.

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Controller of Examinations.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 5th October 1918.*

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THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Preliminary Examination in Law held in August 1918 :—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of merit)

Serial No.	Order of merit.			
1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Ramaprasad	...	University Law College.
2	2	Ray, Girijasankar	...	Ditto.
3	3	Gangopadhyaya, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
4	4	Ghosh, Surendrakumar	...	Ditto.
5		Mitra, Atulchandra	...	Ditto.
6	5	Daniel, D. J.	...	Rangoon College.
7	6	Bandyopadhyay, Jitendranath	...	University Law College.
8		Raychaudhuri, Srishchandra	...	Ditto.
9	7	Baksi, Satyaranjan	...	Ditto.
10	8	Datta, Achyutakumar	...	Ditto.
11		Mukhopadhyay, Amritalal	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 19.
12	9	K. Madhavan	...	University Law College
13		Mukhopadhyay, Sarujkumar	...	Ditto.
14	10	Bandyopadhyay, Sisirkumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 26.
15	11	Dasgupta, Dhirendramohan	...	University Law College.
16	12	Adhya, Sanatkumar	...	Ditto
17		Bandyopadhyay, Bankimchandra		Ditto.
18		Bardhan, Jogendrachandra	...	Ditto.
19		Bhattacharyya, Badarikanath	...	Ripon Law College.
20		De, Kshemeschandra	...	University Law College.
21		Ghosh, Krishnachaitanya	...	Ditto.
22		Guharay, Harendranath	...	Ditto.
23		Mukhopadhyay, Sudhindranath	...	Ditto.
24		Pradhan, Maheschandra	...	Ditto.
25		Ray, Baidyanath	..	Ditto.
26		Sarkar, Sripatinath		Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In alphabetical order.)

	Abdul Ali Biswas	...	Ripon Law College.
	Abdul Latiff	...	University Law College.
	Acharyya, Bimalananda	...	Ditto.
	„ Nilmani	...	Ditto.
	Adhikari, Abinaschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Phanibhushan	...	Ditto.
	Adhya, Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
	Ahmud Abdul Wahab	...	Ditto.
10	Aich, Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
	Aichchaudhuri, Dineschandra	..	Dacca Law College.
	Amir Ahmed Choudhry	...	University Law College.
	A. S. Md. Abdul Makieth Chowdhry		Ditto.
	Asugopala Iyer	...	Ditto.
	Ayub Bakht Majmadar	...	Ditto.
	Baksi, Chandramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshitischandra	...	Ditto
	Bandyopadhyay, Amalchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Anadibhushan	...	Ditto.
20	„ Atulkrishna	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Baidyanath	...	University Law College.
	„ Chandidas	...	Ditto.
	„ Chandrabhushan		Ditto.
	„ Jibanmohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jitendrachandra		Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 30.
	„ Kisorimohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Kumudkumar	...	University Law College
	„ Narendranath	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 12.
	Banik, Rameschandra	...	University Law College
30	Barma, Sachindramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	Basak, Sailendrakumar	...	University Law College.
	Basu, Amulyachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Binaybhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Birendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Chandicharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Gauriprasanna	...	Ditto.
	„ Jagadischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Jitendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Jitendranath, II	...	Ditto.
40	„ Kasiswar	...	Ditto.
	„ Nareschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nilambar	...	Ditto.
	„ Paritoshkumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Phanibhushan	.	University Law College.
	„ Phanindranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Praphullakumar, I	...	University Law College.
	„ Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Ramendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyendranath	...	Ditto.
50	„ Siddheswar	...	Ditto.
	„ Subodhkumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Sudhirchandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Sureschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Tincari	...	Ditto.
	Bera, Khagendranath	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 13.
	Bhadra, Janakinath	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Praphullachandra	...	University Law College.
	Bhaduri, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhirchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
60	„ Surendranath	...	Dacca Law College.

	Bhattacharyya, Aswinikumar ...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Bijaykrishna ...	University Law College.
	„ Debendrachandra...	Ditto.
	„ Gobindachandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Ganapati ...	Ditto.
	„ Jnanendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Kshetranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Narendrachandra...	Ditto.
	„ Sasibhushan ...	Ditto.
70	„ Sudhendumohan ...	Ditto.
	„ Surendrachandra ...	Ditto.
	Bhaumik, Kumudnath ...	Ripon Law College.
	Biswas, Durgasankar ...	University Law College.
	„ Gopinath ...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 18.
	Chakrabarti, Baninath ...	University Law College.
	„ Baradasankar ...	Ditto.
	„ Iswarchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Jagadischandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Kalibhushan ...	Ditto.
80	„ Karunakanta ...	Ditto.
	„ Kshitischandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Lalmohan ...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Matilal ...	University Law College.
	„ Nripatimohan ...	Ditto.
	„ Prakaschandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Rambrahma ...	Ditto.
	„ Rohinikumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Saileschandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Saileschandra ...	Ditto.
90	„ Saratkumar ...	Ditto
	„ Taraprasad ...	Ditto.
	Chanda, Debendrachandra ...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Atulchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Bholanath ...	Ditto.
	„ Bidhubhushan ...	Ditto.
	„ Bimalacharan ...	Ditto.
	„ Lalbihari ...	Ditto.
	„ Madhusudan ...	Ditto.
	„ Mrinalkumar ...	Ditto.
100	„ Mrityunjay ...	Ditto.
	„ Muralidhan, I ...	Ditto.
	„ Narendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Narendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Sukhamay ...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Bimalchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Chittaranjan ...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Durgapada ...	University Law College.
	„ Jagadischandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Jatindranath ...	Ditto.
110	„ Kiranchandra ...	University Law College.
	„ Phanindramohan ...	Ditto.
	„ Saileswar ...	Ditto.
	Dam, Surendramohan ...	Ditto.
	Dan, Kanailal ...	Ditto.
	Das, Akhilchandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Anathnath ...	University Law College.
	„ Anukulchandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Anukulchandra ...	University Law College.
	„ Banchhanidhi ...	Ditto.
120	„ Hemchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Hemendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Lalitchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Nripendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Pulinbihari ...	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Jyotirmay ...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jyotishchandra ...	Dacca Law College.

	Dasgupta, Narendrakumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Sudhirmohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Dasmajumdar, Prakaschandra	...	University Law College.
130	Dass, Phekoolal	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Abanikumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Asutosh	...	Ditto.
	„ Binaybhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Binodbihari	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Chunilal	...	University Law College.
	„ Dhirendralal	...	Ditto.
	„ Haridas	...	Ditto.
	„ Jnanendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Lalitkumar	...	Ditto.
140	„ Saralkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Sureschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Susilkumar	...	University Law College.
	Dattachaudhuri, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	De, Hridayaranjan	...	Earle Law College.
	„ Saratchandra	..	University Law College.
	„ Sukumar	...	Ditto.
	Desarkar, Atulyakumar	...	Ditto.
	Dhar, Bhabatosh	...	Ditto.
150	„ Bipinbihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Rameschandra	..	Ditto.
	Dinda, Dharanidhar	...	Ripon Law College.
	Dost Mahammad	...	University Law College.
	Dubey, Jamunaprasad	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Birendrachandra		Dacca Law College.
	„ Dhirendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Harigopal	...	Ripon Law College.
160	„ Harischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Rabindranath	..	University Law College.
	„ Sachindramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyendraprasanna		Ditto.
	Ganesaiya, C. N.	...	Rangoon College.
	Ghatak, Girijakanta	...	University Law College.
	„ Taranath	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Amirtalal	..	Ripon Law College.
	„ Barendrakumar	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 25.
	„ Dhirendranath	...	University Law College.
170	„ Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Harashitchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Hirendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Jitendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jogeschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Kalicharan, II	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Kalikinkar	...	University Law College.
	„ Kamalchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Manoranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Manoranjan	...	Ditto.
180	„ Nalinikanta	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Nimaicharan	...	University Law College.
	„ Nityananda	...	Ditto.
	„ Panchanan	...	Ditto.
	„ Pasupati	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabhatchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Ramchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sasadhar	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyanarayan	...	Ditto.
190	„ Satyendraprasad	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhansunath	...	Dacca Law College.

	Ghosh, Susilkumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Tanayendranath	...	Ditto.
	Ghosal, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	Goswami, Binodbihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	Guha, Jatindranarayan	...	Dacca Law College
	„ Kshetramohan	...	Ditto.
200	„ Sachindranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Praphullachandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Rabindranath	...	Ditto.
	Hajra, Sachchidananda	...	Ditto.
	Haldar, Anathbandhu	...	Ditto.
	„ Kalipada	...	Ditto.
	Hamiduzzaman Choudhury	...	Ditto.
	Haoladar, Manoranjan	...	Ditto.
	Hazra, Sudhansubala	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. F. N. 1.
	Horchaudhuri, Saurendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
210	Ikram Rasul	...	University Law College.
	Indu, Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
	Jainath Pati Singh	...	Ditto.
	Jehan Ali Khan	..	Ditto
	Kar, Abinaschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Lalitmohan	...	University Law College.
	Karmakar, Kaliprasanna	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 15.
	„ Nagendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Ramsasi	...	Ditto.
	Kaul, Jagdisnarayan	...	Ditto.
220	Ko Ko Gale	...	Rangoon College.
	Krishnasawmy, C.	...	Ditto.
	Kshatri, Maheshprasad	...	University Law College.
	Kundu, Akshaykumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jogendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Santoshlal	...	University Law College.
	„ Umapati	...	Ditto.
	Lahiri, Jogeschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Manindramohan	...	Earle Law College.
	„ Sambhunath	...	University Law College.
230	Law, Bimalacharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Sailendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	Lehazuddin Sardar	...	Dacca Law College.
	Mafior Rahman	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mahalanabis, Bankimchandra	...	University Law College.
	Mahanta, Phakircharan	...	Ditto.
	Mahanti, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
	Maiti, Jasodanandan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Maitra, Amalchandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
240	„ Nisikanta	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Dhirendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Girijakanta, II	...	Ditto.
	„ Hrishikes	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
	Mallik, Amarendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
	Mandal, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
250	Maulik, Sudhindrachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Md. Khairuj Zaman	..	University Law College.
	Misra, Nareschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Parasuram	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Anadischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Haranchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Hemendranath	...	Ditto.

	Mitra, Kaminikumar	... University Law College.
	,, Khagendranath	... Dacca Law College.
	,, Manilal	... University Law College.
260	,, Sailescharan	... Ditto.
	,, Surendranath	... Ripon Law College.
	,, Tarakchandra	... University Law College.
	,, Thaneswar	... Ditto.
	Mirza Ahamed Beg	... Ditto.
	Mohamed Imran Khan	... Ditto.
	Mollah, Mominuddin	... Ripon Law College.
	Muhammad Golam Kadir	... University Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Abhaypada	... Ditto.
	,, Akshaykumar	... Ripon Law College.
270	,, Annadakanta	... University Law College.
	,, Atulchandra	... Ditto.
	,, Barendralal	... Ditto.
	,, Binodlal	... Ditto.
	,, Harisahaya	... Ditto.
	,, Hemendralal	... Ditto.
	,, Jogendralal	... Dacca Law College.
	,, Naranarayan	... University Law College.
	,, Nripendranath	... Ditto.
	,, Purnendunath	... Ditto.
280	,, Ramchandra	... Ripon Law College.
	,, Sailendranath	... University Law College.
	,, Saurindramohan	... Ditto.
	,, Siddheswar	... Ditto.
	Nag, Gadadhar	... Ditto.
	,, Ramanimohan	... Ditto.
	Naimuddin Ahmad	... Ditto.
	Nandi, Aswinikumar	... Ditto.
	,, Bholanath	... Ditto.
	,, Kaminimohan	... Non-collegiate student. Roll Cal. No. 33.
290	,, Murarimohan	... University Law College.
	,, Mihirlal	... Ditto
	,, Niharranjan	... Ditto.
	Niyogi, Bhupendraprasad	... Dacca Law College.
	Pal, Biswambhar	... Ditto.
	,, Gopeswar	... University Law College.
	,, Haripada	... Ditto.
	,, Herambacharan	... Ditto.
	,, Jatindramohan	... Ditto.
	,, Jitendranath	... Ripon Law College.
300	,, Jagadischandra	... Dacca Law College.
	,, Satischandra	... University Law College.
	Palchaudhuri, Kanailal	... Ditto.
	Pande, Baidyanath	... Ditto.
	,, Bidhubhushan	... Ditto.
	Paria, Baradakanta	... Ditto.
	Pathak, Satindranath	.. Ripon Law College.
	Paul, A. H.	... Rangoon College.
	Purkayastha, Gopendrakrishna	.. University Law College.
	Rakshit, Rohinibinod	... Ditto.
310	Rana, Tarakhari	... Ditto.
	Ray, Amiyanath	... Ditto.
	,, Amulyadhan	.. Ditto.
	,, Arabindalal	... Ditto.
	,, Baidyanath	... Ditto.
	,, Bhupendranath	... Ditto.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	... Ditto.
	,, Gaurmohan	... Ditto.
	,, Kanakkumar	... Ditto.
	,, Krishnaballabh	... Ditto.
320	,, Manatoshan	... Ditto.
	,, Mukundapada	... Ditto.
	,, Narendranath	... Ditto

	Ray, Prabhaschandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Pramodacharan	...	Ditto.
	,, Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Sasibhusan	...	Ditto.
	,, Satischandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Satyakinkar	...	University Law College.
330	,, Sudhirchandra	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 29.
	Raychaudhuri, Akshaykumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Animeschandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Bibhutibhusan	...	Ditto.
	,, Manoranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Nikhilchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Susilkumar	...	Ditto.
	R. Puttraj Urs	...	Ditto.
	Rudra, Kuludachandra	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Lalitmohan, I	...	Ditto.
340	,, Lalmohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Nabadwipchandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Radhaballabh	...	Ditto.
	,, Satyakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Sibdas	...	Ditto.
	Sahu, Banchhanidhi	...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Kalidas	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sarkar, Charuchandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Dulalchandra	...	Ditto.
350	,, Haridas	...	Ditto.
	,, Hirendralal	...	Ditto.
	,, Susilkumar	...	Ditto.
	Sarma, Janakimohan	...	Earle Law College.
	,, Kamadacharan	...	University Law College
	Sahay, Baidyanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Kopileswar	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 23.
	Sehanabis, Abinaschandra	...	University Law College.
	Sen, Anantabimal	...	Rangoon College.
	,, Hemchandra	...	University Law College.
360	,, Nanindrachandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullachandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Rabindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Ranabir	...	Ditto.
	,, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Satyakinkar	...	Ditto.
	,, Usanath	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Rameschandra	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 24.
	,, Ramnath	...	University Law College.
	,, Sudhansuranjan	...	Ditto.
370	Senmajumdar, Jogeschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Jogeschandra	...	University Law College.
	Sil, Bijaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Bankimchandra	..	Ditto.
	,, Gaurgopal	...	Ditto.
	,, Krishnadas	...	Ditto.
	,, Suryyanarayan	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Tarapada	...	University Law College.
	S. M. Abdul Ghani	...	Ripon Law College.
	S. M. R. Quds	...	University Law College.
380	Som, Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.
	Sur, Kanailal	...	Ditto.
	Syed Md. Abdul Moin	...	Ditto.
	Talapatra, Debendrachandra	...	Ditto.
384	Upadhyay, Jamunaprasad	..	Ditto.

A. C. BOSE,
Controller of Examinations.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 5th October 1918.*

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THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the M. A and M. Sc. Examinations, 1918 :—

M. A. EXAMINATION, 1918.

ENGLISH.

(Group A.)

CLASS I.

Ray, Suhaschandra	...	Non-collegiate student.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Mukhopadhyay, Mihirkumar	...	University student.
Lahiri, Hridayranjan	...	Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Mohinimohan	...	University student (Presidency College).
Biswas, Jogeschandra	...	University student.
Bose, Stella	...	Ditto.
Ghoshal, Santoshkumar	...	Ditto.
Mahanti, Brajanand	...	Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Tarapada	...	Ditto.
Kakati, Banikanta	...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
Pramanik, Baradaprasad	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mallik, Dulalchandra	..	University student
Mukhopadhyay, Nanibhusan	...	Ditto.
,, Sudhirgopal	...	University student (Presidency College).
,, Harimohan	...	University student.
Das, Tarapada	...	Ditto.
,, Samuel	...	Ditto.
Panday, Ramchandra Sahay	...	University student (Presidency College).
Raychaudhuri, Satindranath	...	University student.
Das, Annadakumar	...	Ditto.
Ghoshal, Bibhutibhushan	...	University student (Presidency College).
Sen, Hirendrachandra	...	University student.
Chaudhuri, Sanjibkumar	...	Dacca College.
Chakrabarti, Rajkumar	...	University student.
Chattopadhyay, Adyanath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mukhopadhyay, Dhirendrakrishna	...	University student.
Sengupta, Sudhansukumar	...	University student (Presidency College).
Sayidur Rahman	...	Ditto.
Chakrabarti, Surendranath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bhattacharyya, Lalitmohan	...	Ditto.
Mitra, Asruranjan	...	University student.
Mahapatra, Banchhanidhi	...	Ditto.
Dattagupta, Amulyakumar	...	Dacca College.
Mukhoti, Atulchandra	...	University student.
Ray, Nikunjabihari	...	University student (Presidency College).
Saha, Jatindramohan	...	University student.

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

Chakrabarti, Kshitischandra	...	University student.
Ray, Bhupeschandra	...	Dacca College.
Datta, Bijaybhushan	...	Ditto.
Mitra, Dayamaya	...	University student.

Rana, Amritalal	...	Non-collegiate student.
Chattopadhyay, Srischandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Sandilya, Kalipada	....	University student.
K. Devanadhen	...	Non-collegiate student.
Das, Satyendrakumar	...	Dacca College.
Raychaudhuri, Sudhirkumar	...	Non-collegiate student.
Chakrabarti, Manmathanath	...	Dacca College.
Ghosh, Gobindasaran	...	University student.
Chattopadhyay, Kshetramohan	...	Ditto.
Ghoshchaudhuri, Nirmalchandra	...	Ditto.
Sen, Krishnagobinda	...	University student (Presidency College).
Mallik, Sachchidananda	...	Non-collegiate student.
Taraphdar, Sasibhushan	...	Ditto.
Bhaduri, Sudhirchandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Das, Sachindranath	...	University student.
Sinharay, Bijayprasad	...	Non-collegiate student.
Chattopadhyay, Karunasindhu	...	University student.
Das, Aswinikumar	...	Non-collegiate student.
Rao, Y. V. Ramana	..	Ditto.
Das, Jitendranath	...	University student (Presidency College).
Ghosh, Jagadeeranjan	..	Non-collegiate student.
,, Manindranath	...	University student (Presidency College).
Bandyopadhyay, Sushilkumar	...	University student.
Sinha, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
Rao, T. R. Raghunatha	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mukhopadhyay, Satyendramohan	...	University student.
Sengupta, Upendranath	...	Non-collegiate student
Dasgupta, Nagendramohan	...	University student.
Majumdar, Harbilas	...	Ditto
Niyogi, Jatindranarayan	..	Ditto.
Sanyal, Ramaprasanna	...	Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Bilaschandra	...	Ditto.
Sen, Surendralal	..	Non-collegiate student.
Rath, Ramakrishna	...	University student
Sen, Pankajkumar	...	Non-collegiate student.
Gupta, Harendranath	...	University student.
Bagchi, Kiritibhushan	...	.....
Chattopadhyay, Bholanath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Das, Dhirendrakumar	...	University student.
Bhattacharyya, Brajendrakumar	...	Ditto.
Datta, Ganeschandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Basu, Bhabanikinkar	...	University student.
Ray, Prabhabati	...	Non-collegiate student.
,, Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
Sarkar, Sailendranath	...	University student (Presidency College).
Ghosh, Kshitibhushan	...	Dacca College.
Gupta, Jogeschandra	...	University student.
Mitra, Chunilal	...	University student (Presidency College).
Raychaudhuri, Kirtichandra	...	Ditto.
Chakrabarti, Bhabaniprasad	...	Non-collegiate student.
Datta, Taradas	...	University student (Presidency College).
Pande, Haripada	...	Non-collegiate student.
Chaudhuri, Saurindramohan	...	Ditto.
Ghosh, Nareschandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Pattanayak, Padmacharan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Satischandra	...	University student.
Buddhiraju Ramachendram	...	Non-collegiate student.
Chaudhuri, Jnanendranath	...	University student.

Maulik, Haripada	...	Non-collegiate student.
Sanyal, Hariprasad	...	University student.
Biswas, Nandalal	...	Non-collegiate student.
Dasgupta, Aswinikumar	...	University student.
Chakrabarti, Prakaschandra, II	...	Ditto.
Mitra, Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
Bandyopadhyay, Nityagopal	...	Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
Das, Gaurangabihari	...	Non-collegiate student
Gupta, Chattunlal	...	University student.
De, Jibankrishna	...	Ditto.
Bhattacharyya, Bagalaprasad	...	Non-collegiate student.
,, Mohinimohan	...	Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Kiranchandra	...	Ditto.
Chakrabarti, Jogeschandra	...	Dacca College.
,, Narendrachandra	...	University student.
Sen, Amulyachandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Ray, Hemendranath	...	University student.
Ghosh, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
,, Bishnudas	...	Ditto.
Datta, Surendramohan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mukhopadhyay, Narayankumar	...	Ditto.
Sen, Kshitischandra	...	University student.
Baruya, Herambaprasad	...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
Maiti, Nikunjabihari	...	University student.
Mitra, Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
Chakrabarti, Ambikacharan	..	Non-collegiate student.
Majumdar, Bhubanmohan	...	University student.
Niyogi, Debendranath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Raychaudhuri, Manindrakumar	...	University student.
Chaki, Manamadhab	...	Ditto
Hla Tun Ku	...	University student (Presidency College).
Mitra, Sailendranath	...	University student.
Chakrabarti, Ramchandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Basu, Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
Kazi Abdul Moujeed	...	University student (Presidency College).
Mitra, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.

(Group B.)

CLASS I.

Chakrabarti, Jitendranath	...	University student.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Bandyopadhyay, Sunitkumar	...	Non-collegiate student.
Biswas, Durgapada	...	University student.

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

P. A. Subrahmanya Ayyar	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Nibaranchandra	...	Ditto.
,, Gangadhar	...	Ditto.
De, Susantoshkumar	...	Ditto.
Bhattacharyya, Charuchandra	...	University student.
Misra, Krishnachandra	...	Non-collegiate student

SANSKRIT.

(Group A.)

CLASS I

Mukhopadhyay, Satkari	...	University student.

CLASS II.

Maitra, Sureschandra ... University student

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

Bhattacharyya, Aparnacharan .. Non-collegiate student.
" Krishnachandra ... University student.
Datta, Nripendramohan ... Non-collegiate student.
Mukhopadhyay, Probodhchandra ... Ditto.

(Group B.)

CLASS I.

(In order of merit.)

Dhar, Narendrachandra ... University student.
Chattopadhyay, Kshitischandra ... Ditto.

CLASS II.

Chaudhuri, Lakshmikanta ... University student.

(Group D.)

CLASS III.

G. Somanna ... Non-collegiate student.

(Group E.)

CLASS II.

Chakrabarti, Madhabdas ... Non-collegiate student.

(Group G.)

CLASS II.

Chakrabarti, Syamacharan ... Non-collegiate student.

(Group I.)

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Ghatak, Jyotischandra .. University student.
Bhattacharyya, Brindabanchandra ... Non-collegiate student.
Kundu, Pramathanath ... University student
Bhattacharyya, Kamalkrishna ... Ditto

CLASS III.

Guhathakurta, Sanjibkumar ... University student

PALI.

(Group A.)

CLASS I.

Thakur, Amareswar ... Non-collegiate student.

CLASS II.

Saha, Kshetramohan ... University student, Calcutta.

ARABIC.

CLASS I.

(In order of merit.)

Khalid, Abu Usman	...	University student, Calcutta.
Suhrawardy, H. Shaheed	...	Non-collegiate student.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Haidar Ali, Md.	...	Non-collegiate student.
Sanaullah, Muhammad	...	Ditto.
Choudhury, Fazlur Rahim	...	University student, Calcutta.
Hakim, Ataul	...	Non-collegiate student.

CLASS III.

Asad, A. M. Muhammad	...	Non-collegiate student.

PERSIAN.

CLASS I.

Ashai, Ghulam Ahamad	...	Non-collegiate student.

CLASS II.

Sayid, Md. Abu	...	University student, Calcutta.

GREEK.

CLASS III.

Chattopadhyay, Nalinimohan	...	Non-collegiate student.

COMPARATIVE PHILOLOGY.

CLASS II.

Bandyopadhyay, Pramathanath	...	Non-collegiate student.

HISTORY.

CLASS I.

(In order of merit.)

Majumdar, Surendrachandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Jitendranath	...	University student.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Das, Bipracharan	..	University student.
Bandyopadhyay, Ramgopal	...	Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Harihar	...	Ditto.
Gupta, Upendrakumar	...	Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Pulinbehari	...	Ditto.
,, Bankimchandra	...	Ditto.
Kanungo, Kalikaranjan	...	Ditto.
Muhammad Abdul Bashar	...	University student (Presidency College).
Pal, Jnananjan	...	University student.
Sinha, Sasankabhushan	...	Ditto.
Ray, Bankimchandra	...	Ditto.

Biswas, Satyendraprasad	...	University student (Presidency College).
De, Jitendramohan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Sudhansumohan	...	University student.
Sengupta, Birendranath	...	University student (Presidency College).
Mukhopadhyay, Dhurjatiprasad	...	University student.
Basu, Satischandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
Datta, Gangesnath	...	University student.
Bhattacharyya, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
Chakrabarti, Kalipada	...	Non-collegiate student.
Chattopadhyay, Amulyadhan	...	University student (Presidency College).
Ghosh, Hemendranath	...	University student.
Majumdar, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.

CLASS III.

(*In order of merit.*)

Dasgupta, Sasankamohan	...	University student.
Gupta, Nirmalchandra	...	University student, Dacca.
Mitra, Narendrakumar	...	University student.
Bhaduri, Saurindrakumar	...	Non-collegiate student.
Deb, Satyendranath	...	University student (Presidency College).
Ray, Satyananda	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Binaylal	...	Ditto.
Das, Jagannath	...	University student.
Ghosh, Tarapada	...	Non-collegiate student.
Das Gupta, Umeshchandra	...	University student.
Chakrabarti, Mohinimohan	..	Ditto.
Dasgupta, Tamanashchandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mukhopadhyay, Kishorilal	...	University student.
De, Sudhansuranjan	...	Ditto.
Sen, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
Raychaudhuri, Triguneswar	...	Ditto.
Das, Ramchandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Datta, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
Bagchi, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
Ghosh, Nareschandra	...	University student.
Lahiri, Sisirchandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Datta, Rameschandra	...	University student.
Chakrabarti, Gobordhan	...	Ditto.
Chaudhury, Bhabeschandra	...	Ditto.
Nandi, Jogendranath	...	Ditto.
Ghosh, Phanindranath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Sarkar, Chintaharan	...	Ditto.
Das, Jogendralal	...	Ditto.
Gupta, Manindrakumar	...	University student.
Ray, Subodhchandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Chattopadhyay, Baladeb	...	Ditto.
Datta, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
Mobarak Ali	...	University student, Dacca.
Chattopadhyay, Kumarishchandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Ghosh, Satiranjan	...	University student.
Lahiri, Sukumar	...	Non-collegiate student.
Dasgupta, Hirankumar	..	Ditto.

MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY

CLASS I.

Das, Sarojkumar	...	University student (Presidency College).

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Kajemuddin Ahammad	...	University student (Presidency College).
Mukhopadhyay, Asutosh	...	University student.
Sen, Atulchandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Basu, Praphullakanta	...	University student.
Kundu, Sibatosh	...	University student (Scottish Churches College).
Sarkar, Panchanan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Raychaudhuri, Bibhutibhushan	...	University student.
Ghosh, Kaminikumar	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mitra, Nareschandra	...	University student (Scottish Churches College).
Ghosh, Gaganchandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Ray, Binoycharan	...	University student.
Raychaudhuri, Sadhanchandra	...	Ditto.
Chandra, Purnachandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Majumdar, Indubhushan	...	University student (Scottish Churches College)
Som, Debendranath	...	University student.
Chakrabarti, Birendranath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Dindayal	...	University student (Scottish Churches College).
Datta, Nagendrakumar	..	University student.
Rao, P. Lakshman	...	Ditto.
Guhathakurta, Kiranchandra	...	Ditto.
Sarkar, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
Daspurkayastha, Nripeschandra	...	University student (Scottish Churches College).
Sengupta, Surendranath	...	University student.

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

Goswami, Srischandra	...	University student.
Gupta, Hemantakumar	..	Non-collegiate student.
Gangopadhyay, Kedareswar	...	Ditto.
Ray, Kshirodlal	...	University student.
Siddhanta, Amalkumar	...	Ditto.
Basu, Hemkumar	...	Ditto.
Ray, Anilchandra	..	Non-collegiate student.
Dasgupta, Lalitkumar	...	University student.
De, Kumudbandhu	...	University student (Scottish Churches College).
Mukhopadhyay, Arunnarayan	...	University student.
Maitra, Laksmikanta	...	Non-collegiate student.
Sengupta, Jogeschandra	...	University student (Scottish Churches College).
Mitra, Kedarnath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Das, Nibaranchandra	...	University student.
Mukhopadhyay, Bhudeb	...	Non-collegiate student.
Jaynul, Abedin	...	University student.
Bandyopadhyay, Pramilasundar	...	Non collegiate student.
Datta, Phanibhushan	...	Ditto.
Guha, Chiranjib	...	University student.
Kanungo, Brajendralal	...	Ditto.
Majumdar, Nripendranath	...	Ditto.
Ghosh, Bimalacharan	...	University student (Scottish Churches College).
Raychaudhuri, Mukundalal	...	Non-collegiate student.
G. Suryyaprakasam	...	Ditto.
Gupta, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.

Sengupta, Sureschandra	...	University student.
Mandal, Kumarischandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mukhopadhyay, Jogeschandra	...	University student.
Basuchaudhuri, Harisadhan	...	Ditto.
Ray, Radhagobinda	...	Non-collegiate student.
Chakrabarti, Debendranath	...	University student (Presidency College).
Raychaudhuri, Krishnabihari	...	University student.
Sen, Saurindramohan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Biswas, Jitendranath	...	University student.
Sengupta, Nripaticharan	...	Ditto.
Ghoshmaulik, Bibhutibhushan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Biswas, Dhanapati	..	University student.
Sanyal, Tarapada	...	Ditto.
Shyam, Narayan	...	Non-collegiate student.

EXPERIMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY.

CLASS I.

Maiti, Haripada	...	University student.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Basu, Saurendranath	...	University student.
Chanda, Bhaktilata	...	Ditto.
Haldar, Ranginchandra	...	Ditto.

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

Mukhopadhyay, Sudhendusekhar	...	University student.
Sen, Nareschandra	...	Ditto.

ECONOMICS.

Group A.

CLASS I.

(In order of merit.)

Datta, Birendrachandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Maitra, Sudarsanchandra	...	Ditto.
Ghosh, Rameschandra	...	Ditto.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Sen, Sisirkumar	...	University student (Presidency College).
Bhattacharjya, Debendrachandra	...	University student.
Mitra, Satkari	...	Ditto.
Dasgupta, Bimalananda	...	Ditto.
Bhatika, Gangaprasad	...	University student (Presidency College).
Ghosh, Satyendranath	...	University student.
Acharyya, Bijaychandra	...	Ditto.
Gangopadhyay, Paresnath	...	Ditto.
Chaudhuri, Surendramohan	...	University student (Presidency College).
Datta, Anathbhandhu	...	University student.
Ray, Brajagopal	...	Ditto.

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

Ray, Kumarischandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Lahiri, Atulchandra	...	University student.
C. V. Narayana Rao	...	Ditto.
Borah, Ambikanath	...	Ditto.
Nandi, Pareschandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Muhammad Somed Ali	...	University student, Dacca.
Majumdar, Bijaychandra	...	University student.
Bhattacharyya, Jitendranath	..	University student, Dacca.
Chakrabarti, Atulchandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Das, Srischandra	.	Ditto.
Nandi, Nanilal	...	University student.
Goswami, Nripendranath	...	Ditto.
Alfred Singh	...	Ditto.
Basu, Sachindrakumar	...	Ditto.
Gangopadhyay, Kumudmohan	...	Non-collegiate student.

(Group B.)

CLASS I.

Ghosh, Mohitkumar	...	University student (Presidency College).

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Sen, Ajitananda	...	University student.
Datta, Girindrachandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Bandyopadhyay, Rampada	...	Ditto.
Datta, Sukhamay	...	University student.
Sahaya, Rajbans	...	Non-collegiate student.
Gauri Ram	...	University student.
Palit, Pareschandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mukhopadhyay, Sarojkumar	...	University student.
Prodhan, Hariprosad	...	University student (Presidency College).

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

Ghosh, Binaykumar	...	University student.
Majumdar, Chunilal	...	University student (Presidency College).
Ghosh, Charu K.	...	Ditto.
Basu, Amulyanath	...	Ditto.
Bandyopadhyay, Prabodhkrishna	...	University student.
P. Venkata Chary	...	University student (Presidency College).
Basu, Tarakdas	...	University student.
Ray, Kamakhyakanta	...	University student (Presidency College).
Chattopadhyay, Chamelikumar	...	Ditto.
,, Dineschandra	...	University student.
Mandal, Probodhchandra	...	Non-collegiate student.

M. Sc. EXAMINATION.

PURE MATHEMATICS.

CLASS I.

(In order of merit.)

Sen, Dhirendranath	...	University student.
Chakrabarti, Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
Nandi, Bijaybasanta	...	Ditto.
Gangopadhyay, Umadhava	...	Ditto.
T. Saravana Muthu	...	Non-collegiate student.
Sengupta, Jaminikumar	..	Ditto.
Chakrabarti, Praphullachandra	...	University student.
Ray, Anilchandra	...	Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Dhireschandra	...	Ditto.
Ray, Monomohan	...	Ditto.
Das, Bipinbihari	...	Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Nrisinhaprasad	...	Ditto.
Chakrabarti, Abalabandhu	...	Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Siddheswar	..	Ditto.
Ghosh, Indubhushan	...	Ditto.
Basu, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
Gupta, Bijaysri	...	Ditto.
Kundu, Prabhaschandra	...	Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Kalicharan	...	Ditto.
Datta, Parasuram	...	Ditto.
Jashu, Hemchandra	...	Non-collegiate student.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Haldar, Nityakali	...	University student.
Pal, Abhaschandra	...	Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Ahibhusan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Basu, Kshitishchandra	...	University student.
Basumallik, Anathnath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mallik, Phanibhushan	...	University student.
Datta, Basantakumar	...	Ditto.
Bandyopadhyay, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
Kanhjee Sahai	...	Ditto.
Chaudhuri, Girindranath	...	Ditto.
Chakrabarti, Mahimchandra	...	Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Basantakumar	...	Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Harendranath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mallik, Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
Sengupta, Subinay	...	University student.

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

Gangopadhyay, Satyendranath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Lahiri, Subodhchandra	...	University student.
Sarkar, Lalitmohan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Dineschandra	...	University student.
Basu, Dulalchandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopodhyay, Satyendramohan	...	University student.
Ghosh, Nagendranath, I	...	Ditto.

M. A. EXAMINATION.

PURE MATHEMATICS.

CLASS I.

(In order of merit.)

Basu, Khageschandra	...	University student.
Chakrabarti, Jaminimohan	...	Ditto.
Pattanyak, Bisweswar	..	Ditto.
Majumdar, Krishnahari	...	Ditto.
De, Jatindracharan	...	Ditto.
„ Surendrakumar	...	Ditto.
Datta, Srischandra	...	Ditto.
Dhua, Pramathanath	...	Ditto.
Kar, Gajendranath	...	Ditto.
Ray, Satyakinkar	...	Ditto.
Gangopadhyay, Harendranath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Ray, Dasmani	...	University student.
Basu, Sukhendrachandra	...	Ditto.
Saha, Loknath	...	Ditto.
Lutfar Rahman Tarafdar	...	Ditto.
Chaudhuri, Nalinaksha	...	Ditto.
Sen, Kshirodeswar	...	Ditto.
Sil, Tarakdas	...	Ditto.
Bhattacharyya, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
Rameswar Prasad,	...	Ditto.
Chaudhuri, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
Sadhukhan, Gokulchandra	...	Ditto.
Kader Baksh	...	Ditto.
Mir Abdul Gafur	...	Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Bholanath	...	Non-collegiate student.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Chaudhuri, Taraknath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bhattacharyya, Sahayram	...	University student.
Mukhopadhyay, Raimohan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Ghosh, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
Sen, Atulkrishna	...	University student.
Datta, Debiprasad	...	Non-collegiate student.

CLASS III.

Barui, Goshthabihari	...	Non-collegiate student.

MIXED MATHEMATICS.

CLASS I.

(In order of merit.)

Gangopadhyay, Anilendranath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Ghosh, Jyotirmay	...	University student (Presidency College).
Lahiri, Abanikanta	...	Ditto.
Bandyopadhyay, Satyakisor	...	Ditto.

CLASS II.

Biswas, Krishnachandra	...	University student (Presidency College).

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

Chaudhuri, Harishchandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Raut, Bhima	...	Non-collegiate student.

M. Sc. EXAMINATION, 1918.

MIXED MATHEMATICS.

CLASS I.

(In order of merit.)

Sen, Nripendranath	...	University student (Presidency College).
Dasgupta, Sasadhar	...	Ditto.
Sarkar, Hrishikes	...	University student.
Das, Panchanan	...	University student (Presidency College).
Chakrabarti, Khagendranath	...	Ditto.
Sarkar, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
Datta, Bijanchandra	...	Ditto.
Chaudhuri, Jatindranath	...	University student.
Raychaudhuri, Anilchandra	...	University student (Presidency College).

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Dasgupta, Ajaychandra	...	University student.
Majumdar, Subodhchandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Gupta, Dhirendrakumar	...	Non-collegiate student.

CLASS III.

Das, Harihar	...	Non-collegiate student.

M. A. EXAMINATION.

PHYSICS (C).

Electricity and Magnetism and Light.

CLASS I.

Chattopadhyay, Jogeswar	...	University student.

M. Sc. EXAMINATION, 1918.

PHYSICS (A.)

Electricity and Magnetism and Thesis.

CLASS I.

Mukhopadhyay, Sasankasekhar	...	Non-collegiate student.

CLASS II.

Biswas, Purnachandra	...	University student (Presidency College).

PHYSICS (C).

Electricity and Magnetism and Light.

CLASS I.

(*In order of merit*).

Ray, Satischandra	...	Non-collegiate student.
,, Bidhubhushan	...	University student (Presidency College).

CLASS II.

(*In order of merit.*)

Sanyal, Krishnalal	...	University student (Presidency College).
Bandyopadhyay, Surendranath	...	University student.
Chattopadhyay, Nutbihari	...	University student (Presidency College).
Basu, Nagendranath	...	Non-collegiate student.
Datta, Kiranranjan	...	Ditto.
Guha, Amareschandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Brahma, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
Ghosh, Kalipada	...	University student (Dacca College).
Sinhasarma, Sudhindrachandra	...	University student (Presidency College).
Ray, Satyaban	...	Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Jyotirmay	...	University student.
Samanta, Gangadhar	...	University student (Presidency College).
Sarkar, Binaybihari	...	Ditto.

CLASS III.

Sur, Brajendrakumar	...	University student (Presidency College).

PHYSICS (D).

Electricity and Magnetism and Heat.

CLASS I.

(*In order of merit.*)

Chakravarti, Sudhakar	...	University student.
Basu, Narayandas	...	Ditto.

M. A. EXAMINATION, 1918.

CHEMISTRY (C).

Organic Chemistry (Thesis).

CLASS I.

Goswami, Mahendranath	...	University student (Presidency College).

CHEMISTRY.

General.

CLASS II.

Guha, Rabindranath	...	Non-collegiate student.

M. Sc. EXAMINATION, 1918.

CHEMISTRY (C).

Organic Chemistry (Thesis).

CLASS I.

Mujumdar, Jatindrakumar	...	University student (Dacca).

CHEMISTRY.

(General.)

CLASS I.

Ghosh, Subodhkumar	...	University student (Presidency College).

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Sinha, Ramanimohan	...	Non-collegiate student.
Mahanti, Gurucharan	...	University student (Presidency College).
Mukhopadhayay, Sitalchandra	...	Ditto.
Gangopadhyay, Kanailal	...	University student (Dacca).
Bandyopadhyay, Bholanath	...	University student (Presidency College).

CLASS III.

(In order of merit.)

Das, Satyaranjan	...	University student (College of Science).
Ray, Gopalchandra	...	University student (Dacca).
Gupta, Dwijendranath	...	University student (College of Science).

M. Sc. EXAMINATION, 1918.

PHYSIOLOGY.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Prasad, Badrinarayan	...	University student (Presidency College).
Saha, Kisoriprasad	...	Ditto.
Sen, Binodbihari	...	Ditto
Sarkar, Bijalibihari	...	Non-collegiate student.
Datta, Nagendranath	...	University student (Presidency College).

M. A EXAMINATION, 1918.

BOTANY.

CLASS III.

Datta, Sarojini	...	Non-collegiate student.

M. Sc. EXAMINATION, 1918.

BOTANY.

CLASS I.

Bagchi, Krishnadas ... Non-collegiate student.

CLASS II.

(In order of merit.)

Chaudhuri, Haraprasad ... University student (Presidency College).

Bandyopadhyay, Kantigopal ... Ditto.

M. Sc. EXAMINATION, 1918.

GEOLOGY.

CLASS II.

Ray, Srikumar ... Non-collegiate student.

A. C. BOSE,
Controller of Examinations.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 5th October 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

OFFICE MEMO.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the Fuller Memorial Scholarship of Rs. 15 a month is awarded to Altafur Rahman Khan for two years with effect from the 1st June 1918.

The scholarship is tenable at the M. A. O. College, Aligarh.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 24th September 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the three special Law Scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each provided for Muhammadans and members of backward classes in Eastern Bengal are awarded to the following students for two years with effect from 1st June 1918 :—

1. Jagat Chandra Mandal.
2. Affazuddin.
3. Abbas Ali Khan.

The scholarships are tenable at the Dacca Law College.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified for general information that sixty-five third grade junior scholarships of Rs. 10 each are allotted to the following districts in the proportion noted against each. The scholarships are awardable on the result of the Matriculation examination to be held in March 1919:—

Calcutta	...	12	Faridpur	..	2
24-Parganas	...	4	Mymensingh	...	3
Jessore	...	2	Bogra	...	1
Khulna	...	2	Darjeeling	...	1
Murshidabad	...	2	Jalpaiguri	...	1
Nadia	...	2	Dinajpur	...	1
Bankura	...	2	Malda	...	1
Birbhum	...	1	Pabna	...	1
Burdwan	...	2	Rajshahi	...	2
Hooghly	...	2	Rangpur	...	1
Howrah	...	1	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	1
Midnapore	...	3	Chittagong	...	2
Bakarganj	...	3	Noakhali	...	2
Dacca	...	4	Tippera	..	2

One scholarship will be awarded to the most successful aboriginal student in the districts of Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapore, who passes the examination but does not obtain any other scholarship. If no qualified aboriginal student is available the scholarship will be allotted to the district of Howrah.

The remaining one scholarship is made open to competition by the students of all High English Schools, in the district of Rangpur.

J. W. GUNN,

Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1918*

THE BIHAR AND ORISSA COUNCIL OF MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 502R.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*a*) of sub-section (*3*) of section 33 of the Bihar and Orissa Medical Act, 1916 (Bihar and Orissa Act II of 1916) and with the previous sanction of the Local Government, the Bihar and Orissa Council of Medical Registration has made the undermentioned regulation prescribing the rates of registration fees.

The rates of fees chargeable in respect of any registration under the Act shall be the following:—

	Rs.
For original registration	15
For insertion of such other title or qualification in substitution for, or in addition to, any entry previously made	5

RANCHI SECRETARIAT, I. H. ELIAS, *Registrar*,

The 8th October 1918. *Bihar and Orissa Council of Medical Registration.*

STATE MEDICAL FACULTY OF BENGAL.

NOTICE.

THE written part of the ensuing examinations of the State Medical Faculty will be held in the Main Hall of the Senate House, Calcutta University, in accordance with the following programme :—

Examinations for Membership.

Date.	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	2 to 5 P.M.
1918.		
Tuesday, 5th Nov.	Medicine, etc.—Final ... Anatomy—Intermediate. Inorganic Chemistry—Preliminary.	Hygiene—Final. Physics—Preliminary.
Wednesday, 6th „	Surgery, etc.—Final ... Physiology—Intermediate. Biology—Preliminary.	General Pathology—Final.
Thursday, 7th „	Midwifery, etc.—Final ... Materia Medica—Intermediate.	Medical Jurisprudence—Final.
Friday, 8th „	Organic Chemistry—Intermediate.	

Licentiate Examinations.

Date.	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	2 to 5 P.M.
1918.		
Tuesday, 5th Nov.	Chemistry and Physics—Primary. Medicine, etc.—Final.	Medical Jurisprudence and Hygiene, etc.—Final.
Wednesday, 6th „	Anatomy—Intermediate. Surgery, etc.—Final.	
Thursday, 7th „	Physiology—Intermediate. Midwifery, etc.—Final.	
Friday, 8th „	Materia Medica and Pharmacy—Intermediate.	

The time and place for holding the oral and practical examination in each subject will be announced later.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Secretary, State Medical Faculty of Bengal.

GROSVENOR HOUSE, *the 8th October 1918.*

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1918.

PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab-Tungi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on 21st day of October 1918, corresponding with the 4th of Kartik 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway).	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND ACRES. B. K. Ch.	A. R. P.	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghorasal.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto
3	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	1 0 0	0 1 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 3	0 1 24	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 19 15	0 1 12	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold
15	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 3	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 2	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold.
18	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	2 0 15	0 2 25	Ditto ditto.
19	Do. ...	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 18 0	0 1 8	Ditto ditto.
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 32	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 0 18	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 3	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold
24	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 3	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do. ...	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest only is to be sold.

Dacca, the 19th August 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, at noon, 6th November 1918, corresponding with 20th Kartic 1325 B. S., Wednesday.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and thana.	Apportionate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks
			Rs. A. P.	
3626	Ulashi, police-station Hanskhali ...	7·18	7 13 6	
3627	Hariakhi, police-station Chakdah ...	4·38	4 12 9	
3628	Goalpara, police-station Jibannagar ...	3·43	4 8 0	
3629	Depara, police-station Kotowali ...	2·37	3 4 3	
3630	Durgapur, police-station Krishnaganj ...	8·09	11 12 6	

JATINDRA MOHAN SINHA, *for* Collector.

Krishnagar, the 13th September 1918.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 1st October 1918.

LIABILITIES.	Rs	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,26,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000 0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 4,53,76,684 14 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 3,67,33,734 1 9	8,21,10,419	0	7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	28,79,61,218	8	10
Bank Post Bills, etc	23,65,886	12	1
Sundries	21,80,194	4	4
	41,72,17,218	4	10

ASSETS	Rs	A.	P.
Government Securities	6,55,52,145	0	0
Other authorized Investments	1,41,98,714	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	12,60,50,193	1	9
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	5,78,25,524	6	4
Bills discounted and purchased	2,80,52,284	6	2
Balances with other Banks	52,03,249	8	4
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	28,24,816	1	5
Stamps	12,266	2	2
Sundries	19,58,216	0	6
	29,76,72,358	5	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 4,78,42,103 9 11			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 7,17,02,756 5 3	11,95,44,859	15	2
	41,72,17,218	4	10

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs; value Rs 3,77,825 0 0
† Do. do. do „ 5,15,025 0 0
Rs. 8,92,850 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent
Percentage 31·91

By order of the Directors,
N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 3rd October 1918

H. FISHER,
Chief Accountant.

(2626—1)

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge at Midnapore.

EXECUTION IN MORTGAGE SUIT No. 80 OF 1914.

Claim, Rs. 5,585-4-3. Date of sale, 6th November 1918, at 12 noon.

Navakumar Jana, of Mundamarai, pargana Keoramal, plaintiff, decree-holder, *versus* Kali Charan Mandal and others, of Mundamarai, pargana Keoramal, thana Khajiri, judgment-debtors.

LIST of the mortgaged properties to be sold in execution of the decree against the above judgment-debtors in the above mentioned mortgage suit.

1. In the district of Midnapore, thana and sub-registry office Khajiri, tauzi No. 880, pargana Keoramal, taraf Eranchs, mauza Mundamarai, a plot of rayati and newly cultivated *jungle jalpai jal* land and tank inclusive, measuring 9 bighas, under Raja Durgadas Roy and others, landlords. Rent at the rate of 8 anuas per bigha.

It is bounded on the east by Government embankment (*bheri*), on the west by Damu Mandal and Parikshiti Mandal *alias* Das' *jal* lands, on the north by Padu Mandal and Brindban Mandal's land, on the south by judgment-debtors' homestead land.

The price of the judgment-debtors' tenancy-right in this plot is about Rs. 900.

2. In the aforesaid mauza Mundamarai under the said landlords and at the said rate of rent, 8 anuas per bigha, a plot of *jal* land, measuring 5 bighas, bounded on the east by Hara Narayan Maity and others' lands, on the west by Gopi Das' *jal* land, on the north by embankment (*posta bund*), and on the south by Madhab Karan's land.

The price of the judgment-debtor's tenancy-right in this plot is about Rs. 500.

3. In the above mentioned district, thana, sub-registry office and pargana, tauzi No. 880, mauza Brindban Chak, a plot of *jal* land and tank inclusive, measuring 12 bighas 5 cottahs (this plot is the plot No. 4 of the above decree and the original measurement of it was 11 bighas, but at present the actual measurement is 12 bighas and 5 cottahs), under Kumed Charan Maity and others, landlords Rent at the rate of Re. 1-7-6 per bigha.

It is bounded on the east by Government petty canal (*khal*), on the west by Government embankment (*posta*), on the north by Padu Mandal's *jal* land, and on the south by Ram Bhuia's land.

The price of the judgment-debtors' tenancy-right in this plot is about Rs. 1,000.

HARI DAS BASU, Sub-Judge.

Midnapore, the 3rd October 1918. (2659—1)

Insolvency Notice.

In the matter of CHIRANJI LALL CHATTURBHUJ and MUNNA LAL, Insolvents.

ON the 28th day of August 1918 an order was made appointing Tuesday, the 10th day of December 1918 for the further hearing of the matters of the petition of the said insolvents and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day Chatturbhuj, one of the said insolvents, shall be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent Chatturbhuj at the time of the filing of the petition for Relief.

MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, in Insolvency, the 2nd day of October 1918. (2619—2)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 17 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Kshudiram Mondal and Modhusudan Mondal, sons of late Gopal Chandra Mondal, of Brahmanigram, thana Rampurhat, district Birbhum, applicants in the above case, were adjudged insolvents by this Court on the 13th September 1918.

SARODAPRASAD BAKSI, District Judge.

Suri, the 3rd October 1918. (2653—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1918.

[*Notice under section 16 (7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Chaitanya Chandra Adhicary, of Chapui, thana Asansole, district Burdwan, has, by an order of this Court dated 20th September 1918, been adjudged an insolvent.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 26th September 1918. (2604—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 50 OF 1918.

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Mrs. M. E. McCue, of Asansole, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 11th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 26th September 1918. (2605—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1918.

[*Notice under section 16 (7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Amos Lowe, of Nowpara Colliery, thana Asansole, district Burdwan, has, by an order of this Court dated 23rd September 1918, been adjudged an insolvent.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge

Burdwan, the 26th September 1918. (2606—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 18 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 41 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Étbar Ali, son of late Hamid Ali, of Chhota-Kamaldaha, police-station Mirsarai, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 20th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 8th day of November 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor

C. C. V. R. SELLS, *for* District Judge.

Chittagong the 30th September 1918. (2614—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 37 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 27th August 1918, filed by Mahim Chandra Mitra, son of Naba Kishore Mitra, of Khatunganj, Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, Babu Khirode Chandra Das, Pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 28th day of September 1918.

C. C V. R. SELLS, *for* District Judge.

(2628—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 42 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Abdul Gaffur, son of Md. Tonsi Bhuinya, of Shaberkhali, police-station Mirsarai, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 1st of October 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 15th day November 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 2nd October 1918. (2652—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 75 OF 1918.

BARJAN PALI, son of Poyjor Pali, deceased, resident of Chapra, police-station Kumarandi, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 18th day of November 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 1st October 1918 (2618—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS 123 AND 129 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Kuti Sheik and Parbat Sheik, sons of late Madhu, of Jandi, police-station Bhanga, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents, and that 8th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 30th September 1918

J. C H MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2607—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS 166 AND 167 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Mofizuddin Sheik and Afajuddin Sheik, sons of late Donlat Sheik, of Jandi, police-station Bhanga, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents, and that 26th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions

Dated the 30th September 1918

J. C. H MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2608—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 168 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Abutara Karikar, son of late Alom Karikar, of Saraibari, police-station Bhanga, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 26th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 30th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2609—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 190 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sukur Mahmud, son of late Maijuddi, of Janjira, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 2nd December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 1st October 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge,

(2610—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 230 AND 231 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Dhan Kumar Mandal Bhakta and Madhusudan Mandal Bhakta, sons of late Dinanath Bhakta, of Sadardi, police-station Bhanga district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 10th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 30th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2611—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 257-259 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sheik Montazuddi, Ershadali and Torapali, of Satyabali, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 5th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated this 1st October 1918.

J C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2612—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 117 & 118 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to petitions filed on 12th August 1918 by Akhoyd Kumar Mandal and Rasik Chandra Mandal sons of late Madan Mandal, of Boulgram, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavit, and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated the 30th September 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2613—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 60 AND 61 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to petitions filed on 7th June 1918 by Karim Bhangi and Gohur Bhangi, sons of late Rohim Bhangi, of Domrakandi, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavit and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated the 1st October 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2636—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 119—121 of 1918.

PURSUANT to petitions filed on 13th August 1918 by Masim, Hachim and Daliluddi, of Domrakandi, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavit and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated the 3rd October 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2637—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 122 of 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 13th August 1918 by Ukiluddi Sheik, son of late Ofajuddi Sheik, of Sarmangal, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Dated the 3rd October 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2638—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 238 and 239 of 1918.

PURSUANT to petitions filed on 13th September 1918 by Safiuddin Munshi and Mahammad Jearulla, of Ballavdi, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavit and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents

Dated the 3rd October 1918

J. C H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2639—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 273-275 of 1918.

TAKE notice that Sheik Nesar, Sheik Meher and Sheik Kushal, sons of late Sheik Ahaddi, of Haridasdi, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 19th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 3rd October 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2640—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 282 of 1918.

TAKE notice that Ahmed Howladar, son of late Ataulla Howladar, of Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 21st December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 3rd October 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2641—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 289 of 1918.

TAKE notice that Arjan Mallik, son of late Biru Mallik, of Durgapur, police-station Goalundo, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 21st December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 3rd October 1918

J. C. H MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2644—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 39 of 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Baroda Charan Neogee, son of late Ram Chandra Neogee, of Jadurberah, thana Uluberia, district Hooghly, was on the 16th August 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 21st November 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 14th September 1918. (2430—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Baikanta Nath Samanta, son of late Gour Mohan Samanta, of Sitapore, thana Shyampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 93 of 1918 and that the 6th November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 20th September 1918. (2525—1—2558)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Sadhan Chandra Parikha, son of Umes Chandra Parikha of Annada Charan Banerjee's Lane, South Bantra, thana Kadamtala, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 95 of 1918 and that the 8th November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 25th September 1918. (2556—1—2557)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 84 of 1917.

MEHERBULLA MAHOMED, son of Money Mahomed, deceased, resident of Khayerbari, police-station Madari, district Jalpaiguri, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 25th day of March 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 1st October 1918. (2616—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 83 of 1917.

FOYAL MAHOMED, son of Money Mahomed, deceased, resident of Khayerbari, police-station Madari, district Jalpaiguri, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 25th day of March 1918.

R. R GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 1st October 1918 (2617—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 of 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2), section 12, of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that Safer Mandal, son of late Hemat Mandal, of Chamta Metopara, police-station Bongaon, district Jessore, has applied for being adjudged an insolvent and that the 14th day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge.

Jessore, the 3rd October 1918. (2645—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Khulna.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1918.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Aber Fakir, of Karia, police-station Batiaghata, district Khulna, petitioner.

TAKE notice that on the 24th day of July 1918 the above named debtor presented a petition to this Court praying to be adjudicated an insolvent and that on the 22nd day of August 1918, the Court being satisfied that the property of the debtor is not likely to exceed Rs. 500, directed that the debtor's estate be administered in a summary manner and appointed the 19th day of November 1918 for the further hearing of the said petition and the examination of the said debtor.

Also take notice that the Court may on the aforesaid date then and there proceed to adjudication and distribution of the assets of the aforesaid debtor It will be open to you to appear and give evidence on that date. Proof of any claim you desire to make must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Court the 13th day of September 1918.

A. T. GUPTA District Judge.

Khulna, the 13th September 1918. (2454—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 30 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Gokul Shek, of Sahapur, police-station Tehatta, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 30 of 1918 and that 23rd November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

K. E. JACK, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 14th September 1918. (2484—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 96 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Isab Akanda, son of late Madarbakas Akanda, of Mathurapur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 27th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 15th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge

Pabna, the 2nd October 1918. (2648—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 78 OF 1918

WHEREAS Aen Pramanik, son of late Kuli Pramanik, of Kanainata, police-station Gabtali, district Bogra, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 5th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 22nd November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 1st October 1918. (2649—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 70 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Janmejoy Haldar, son of late Brajanath Haldar, of Nalnura, police-station Pabna, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 19th August 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 15th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 30th September 1918. (2650—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 69 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Piari Lal Haldar, son of late Kusai Haldar, of Nalnura, police-station Pabna, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 19th August 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 15th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 30th September 1918. (2651—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 44 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION)

Baser Pramanik, son of late Nafar Pramanik, of Haripur, police-station Charghat, district Rajshahi, Petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

THE 23rd November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceeding. Proof of claim must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 26th August 1918. (2238—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 59 OF 1917.

Jaharali Shekh and Tijarat Shekh, sons of late Gomaral Shekh, of Khosalpur, police-station Harishchandrapur district Malda, applicants.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above named insolvents have applied at the Court for their discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 23rd November 1918, at 10 o'clock, for hearing the applications.

Dated this 10th day of September 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.
(2401—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1918.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Under section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Bihari Lal Ghosh, son of late Bhadi Ghosh, of Hogala, police-station Gomostapur district Malda, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 7th day of September 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 12th September 1918. (2451—1—2559)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 40 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Shekh Keramat, son of late Jholai Shekh, of Biruya, police-station Harishchandrapur, district Malda, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

THE 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claims must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 10th September 1918 (2403—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 41 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Feku Shekh, son of late Jholai Shekh, of Birnya, police-station Harishchandrapur, district Malda, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

THE 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claims must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 10th September 1918. (2404—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 42 OF 1918

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Jadan Pramanik, son of late Jatra Pramanik, of Mallikhati, police-station Natore, Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

THE 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 10th September 1918. (2405—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 55 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

(1) Banka Shaikh, (2) Turab Shaikh, (3) Goyash Shaikh, sons of late Shaikh Kalu, of Kanuya, police-station Kharba, district Malda, petitioner-debtors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

THE 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtors and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 10th September 1918. (2407—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 56 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

1. Alabaksa Shekh, son of late Jamiruddi Joardar, 2. Hosain Shekh, son of Alabaksa Shekh of Maharajpur, police-station Sibgunj, district Malda, petitioner-debtors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

THE 9th day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtors and for further proceeding. Proof of claim must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge

Rajshahi, the 12th September 1918. (2450—1—2554).

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 58 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

(1) Shekh Kharamali, (2) Shekh Kasamali, sons of late Bhekhari Shekh, of Debigunj, police-station Khorba, district Malda, petitioners, debtors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

THE 9th day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 21st September 1918. (2518—1—2555)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 72 OF 1918.

PRESENT:

G. C. Sankey, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge

ON the application of the debtor Narattam Barman, son of late Nanda Ram Barman, of Kharubhaj, police-station Kaliganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 14th day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge

Rangpur, the 11th September 1918. (2411—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 87 OF 1918.

Present: G. C. SANKEY, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge

ON the application of the debtor Shabor Mamud, son of late Jabura Nasya, of Hargovinda, police-station Pirgachha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 14th day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge

Rangpur, the 2nd October 1918. (2629—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 88 OF 1918.

PRESENT:

G. C. Sankey, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Faiznullah Sircar, son of late Howriah Kerani, of Mushrut Khutamara, police-station Kishoreganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 14th day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd October 1918. (2631—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 13 OF 1918.

IN the above case the applicant has applied for composition under section 27 of the Provincial Insolvency Act on condition of paying two annas in the rupee. Creditors are requested to appear on 11th November 1918 next if they have any objection to the composition

H. P. DUVAL, District Judge.

Alipore, the 21st September 1918. (2526—1—2561)

Advertisement.

WANTED a Stenographer on a monthly pay of Rs. 50 for the office of the District Judge, Rajshahi. The candidate will remain on probation for three months with the prospects of being permanent. None need apply who has not a thorough experience in office work. Applications will be received up to November 6th, 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 3rd October 1918. (2658—1)

Notice.

UNDER section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, it is hereby notified that the treasure mentioned below was found by Konnath Chekkutti, of Cheruvayur amsam, Ernad taluk, while digging the foundation of an old house in Thekkekonnath paramba in Chaliyaprom desam :—

Serial No.	Description.	No.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Brass Kurandakam ...	1	0	4	0
2	Gold puthia panam ...	75	16	9	9
3	Gold ring ...	1	1	14	0
	Total ...		18	11	9

All persons claiming the treasure or any portion thereof are required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Malabar at Calicut on Saturday, the 8th March 1919, in order that their claims may be enquired into and determined according to law.

F. B. EVANS, Collector.

Calicut, the 29th September 1918.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on or about 1st August 1918, treasure consisting of 48 gold coins known as "Rama Tenkalu" and a dagger valued at Rs. 200 were found in the house of Madiga Nirugatti Nakkavadu of Chapad, village of Proddatur taluk.

All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Cuddapah on 15th March 1919 in view of the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

List of property found.

	Rs
48 gold coins valued ...	200
1 dagger	nil

H. G CHARPURE, Collector.

Cuddapah Collectors' Office, the 30th September 1918.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers and Engine-drivers of Inland Steam and Motor Vessels, under Act I of 1917, will be held at Goalundo on Monday, the 28th October 1918.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Subdivisional Office, Goalundo, not later than four days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

A. E. MCKENNA, *for* Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 5th October 1918 (2660—1)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 23844, dated 30th September 1918, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount. Rs.	Holder's name
303705 to 08	3½ per cent., 1900-01	2,000 each	Ranee Dassi.

Name of the proprietress—Ranee Dassi.

Residence—19-7, Noyan Chand Dutt Street, Calcutta.

(2615—1—2556)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and In the matter of The Light of Life Insurance Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Light of Life Insurance Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,

Offg. Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 1st October 1918

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and In the matter of The Mutual Assurance Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Mutual Assurance Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,

Offg. Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 3rd October 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Calcutta Steam Laundry, Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Calcutta Steam Laundry, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,

Offg. Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 5th October 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Habiul Martin, Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Habiul Martin, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,

Offg. Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 5th October 1918.

INDIAN COMPANIES ACT VII OF 1913.

In the matter of Arrah Trading Co., Ld. (In Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of the Arrah Trading Company, Ld., in Liquidation, will be held at the house of the undersigned on Monday, the 4th November 1918, at 7 A.M., to consider the report and final accounts of the Liquidator and to pass the same.

SAILAJA MOHAN GHOSE, Liquidator.

Salilarrah, the 30th September 1918. (2627—1)

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O. — Unregistered letters and packets. Without late fee.	Unregistered letters and packets. With late fee.*	Registered letters and packets. Without late fee.	Registered letters and packets. With late fee.*
		A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
United Kingdom and Allied Countries, Aden, East Africa, West Africa. Also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom.	Twice daily	8-0	8-30	8-0	...
America, Neutral Countries and Egypt ...	Twice daily	P.M. 6-15	P.M. 7-15	P.M. 5-30	P.M. 6-0
Ceylon	Daily ...	3-0	3-30	2-30	3-0
Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo-China, China, Japan, etc.	Tuesday ...	4-0	...	3-30	...
Burma	Oct. 11th ...	7 30	8-0	6-0	7-0
Port Blair	Do. 11th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
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China and Japan	Do. 10th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0

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† Correspondence for South Africa and Mauritius posted up to 6-15 P.M., in the Calcutta G. P. O. is despatched to Bombay for transmission by the first available steamer, when there is no direct mail from Calcutta.

Calcutta G. P. O., the 8th October 1918. J. FISHER-RODERICKS, Presidency Post Master.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF SANSKRIT MANUSCRIPTS.

PARTS-I, II and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts, the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID, AND QUINOIDINE.

[Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.]

THESE articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona Alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Behar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the principal druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or pure Amorphous Alkaloid and Residual Alkaloid or Amorphous Cinchona Alkaloid which contains about 40 per cent. of pure Amorphous Alkaloid are for sale to Missionaries and Government institutions only. These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance, but private purchasers may use the V.-P. P. system AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1918 are as follows :—

Sulphate of Quinine.

For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs., but below 60 lbs., in one delivery	„ 29 „ „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 30 „ „

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(Only small quantities available when in stock.)	

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For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 6 „ „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „ „
Quinoidine in non Tablet form (when in stock) and Residual Alkaloids...	„ 4 „ „

Quinoidine Tablets (when in stock).

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	„ 7 „ „

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb., and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼ lb., ½ lb., and 1 lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb., and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 1-lb., 5-lb., and 10-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 1 lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1 lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.-P. Post. Price of postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by post. A scale of postage is given below :—

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	Re.	A.
Quinoidine Tablet 1 lb., weg. 3 lbs., postage	0	10
Ditto 2 lbs., „ 6 „ „	1	0
Ditto 3 „ „ 9 „ „	1	3

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List of Pleaders willing to execute commissions under Order XXVI. Rule IV of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (Act V of 1908). Royal 8vo. Stitched. (1*a*. 6*p*)

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A Guide to Taxila. By Sir JOHN MARSHALL, KT., C.I.E., Royal 8vo. Cloth, boards. Rs. 3 (3*a*)

Archaeological Survey of India—Annual Report, 1915-16. Edited by Sir JOHN MARSHALL, KT Super Royal Cloth Rs. 18 (10*a*.)

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History of Services of Gazetted and other officers serving under the Government of Bihar and Orissa (corrected to 1st July 1918). Part I. Royal 8vo. Limp. Re. 1-6 (4*a* 6*p*.); Part II Re. 1 (3*a*.)

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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 30th September 1918.*

JAPAN, KIUSIU—IKI SUIDO.

Futagami Jima—Light established.

No. 289 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 827 of 1918), are re-published :—

Position.—Lat. 33° 36′ 20″ N., long. 129° 32′ 57″ E., on Chart No. 2387.
Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2), *ev. 30 sec., 318 ft., vis. 25 m.*

Details :

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes *every thirty seconds*, thus :—

2 flashes,	eclipse,
8 secs.	22 secs.

Elevation.—318 feet.

Visibility.—25 miles.

Power.—36,000 candles.

Structure.—White octagonal concrete tower, 40 feet in height.

Charts affected.—No 2387, Io jima to Madara jima.
„ 127, Hirado kaikyo to Shimonoseki kaikyo.
„ 359, Nagasaki to Karatsu, etc.
„ 104, Korean Archipelago, southern portion.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
„ 3180, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.
„ 1263, China Sea.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific Ocean, etc.
„ 781, Pacific Ocean—north-west sheet.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1901*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 526.

Authority.—Department of Communications, Tokyo, Notice No. 535 of 1918. (*H. 3501-18.*)

JAPAN—GULF OF TOKYO.

Fort No. 2—Light re-exhibited.

No. 290 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 831 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1303 of 1917. (*This Office No. 50 of 1918.*)

Position.—Fort No. 2 light, lat. 35° 18¼′ N., long. 139° 44½′ E.

Details.—The *fixed white* light, which was destroyed in 1917, has been repaired and is now exhibited as formerly.

Note.—The note "Destroyed 1917" shown against this light on the charts is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai Saki to Tsurugi Saki.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2055.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 199.

Authority.—Department of Communications, Tokyo, Notice No. 455 of 1918. (*H. 3604-18.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—BUNGO CHANNEL.

Jizo Saki—Wreck northward of.

No. 291 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 832 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 7¼ cables, 358° (*N. 2° E. Mag.*) from Jizo Saki lighthouse.
Lat. 33° 16¾′ N., long. 131° 54¼′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of the SS. *Nawa Maru.*

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 651. Bungo Channel.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 32 of 1918. (*H. 3437-18.*)

BORNEO, NORTH COAST.

Banguey South Channel, Outer Shoal—Alteration in Position of Buoy.

No. 292 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 833 of 1918), are republished :—

New position.—At a distance of about a quarter of a mile southward of former position.
Lat. 7° 02′ 19″ N., long. 116° 59′ 55″ E.

Description.—A can buoy painted in red and white vertical stripes.

Charts affected.—No. 3728, Marudu Bay.
„ 948, Balabac Strait.
„ 287, Gaya Bay to Sandakan Harbour.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 151.

Authority.—British North Borneo Company. (*H. 2853-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS.

(1) Vanua Levu, Soni-soni Passage Approaches—Existence of Rocks.

(2) Viti Levu, Wakaya Lagoon—Existence of Rock.

No. 293 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 835 of 1918), are republished :—

(1) Vanua Levu, Soni-soni Passage Approaches.

The undermentioned coral patches have been found to exist in the western approaches to Soni-soni Passage :—

	Position.	Depth.
(*a*)	Lat. 16° 54′ 55″ S., long. 178° 56′ 55″ E.	8 feet.
(*b*)	„ 16° 55′ 10″ „ „ 178° 57′ 00″ „	8 „
(*c*)	„ 16° 55′ 18″ „ „ 178° 57′ 58″ „	12 „
(*d*)	„ 16° 55′ 20″ „ „ 178° 59′ 32″ „	3 „
(*e*)	„ 16° 59′ 20″ „ „ 178° 57′ 30″ „	12 „

The positions given are those on Chart No. 382.

(2) Viti Levu, Wakaya Lagoon.

The undermentioned coral patch has been found to exist near the middle of Wakaya Lagoon :—

Position.	Depth.
Lat. 17° 36′ 25″ S., long. 179° 02′ 40″ E.	4 fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 382, Vanua Levu (**1**).
„ 727, Plan of Savu Savu Bay (**1**) (*d*).
„ 742, Plan of Nandi Passage and Bay (**1**) (*e*).
„ 905, Suva Harbour to Levuka (**2**).
„ 440, Fiji Islands—eastern group, northern portion.
„ 2691, Fiji Islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot. Vol. II, 1908, pages 148, 149, 142.

Authority—Captain E. F. Wallack, Master, S. Y. *Ranadi.* (*H. 5853-18.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Baas Island—Shoal southward of.

No. 294 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 842 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 15° 59′ 15″ N., long. 42° 39′ 35″ E., on Chart No. 8*d*.

Description.—A 2½-fathom shoal.

Remarks.—This shoal is connected up to the shoal extending southward from Baas Island.

Charts affected.—No. 8*d*, Red Sea—sheet 4.
„ 2523, Red Sea.

Publication.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1909, page 357.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3468-18.*)

MADAGASCAR, EAST COAST.

Andovoranto—Light discontinued.

No. 295 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 843 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On the northern point of the entrance to the River Jark.
Lat. 18° 57½′ S., long. 49° 08¾′ E.

Description.—A fixed white light.

Remarks.—The light is to be expunged from the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 759*b*, Antongil Bay to Ambatosoa.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1918, No. 206.
South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 293.

Authority.—Journal Officiel, Madagascar, of 10th November 1917. (*H. 447-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

(*1*) *Clarence River Entrance—Leading Beacon established; Buoys withdrawn.*

(*2*) *Woolgoolga—Light established.*

(*3*) *Port Macquarie—Leading beacons established; Buoys withdrawn.*

(*4*) *Lake Macquarie—Light established.*

No. 296 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 844 of 1918), are republished :—

(1) Clarence river entrance.

1. Leading beacon established :

Position.—On the half tide training wall, and at a distance of $3\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 98° (*N. 88° E. Mag.*), from Dart Island leading mark.
Lat. 29° 25¼′ S., long. 153° 22¼′ E.

Description.—A beacon painted white with a black vertical stripe.

Remarks.—This beacon in line with Dart Island leading mark, now painted white with a black horizontal stripe, leads through the best water over the bar.

2. Buoys withdrawn :

Details.—The black buoy and the red buoy, shown on the charts off the eastern end of the half tide training wall, have been withdrawn.

(2) Woolgoolga.

Position.—On end of jetty, north-westward of Green Bluff, and at a distance of $14\frac{8}{10}$ cables, 350° (*N 20° W. Mag.*), from the summit of Stack Rock.
Lat. 30° 06′ S., long. 153° 13½′ E.

Description.—A *fixed red* light, exhibited when a vessel is expected.

Remarks.—From the position given above, the jetty extends in a 243° (*S. 53° W. Mag.*) direction to the shore.

(3) Port Macquarie.

1. Leading beacons established :

(*a*) Front beacon :

Position.—On southern training wall, now completed, and at a distance of $3\frac{7}{10}$ cables, 70° (*N. 60° E. Mag.*), from the Post Office.
Lat. 31° 25½′ S., long. 152° 55¾′ E.

Description.—A white beacon, 12 feet high.

(*b*) Rear beacon :

Position.—On southern training wall, near the inner end, and at a distance of $1\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 57° (*N. 47° E. Mag.*), from the Post Office.

Description.—A white beacon, 14 feet high, with a black horizontal stripe.

Remarks.—The foregoing beacons in line bearing 259° (*S. 69° W. Mag.*) lead over the bar.

2. Buoys withdrawn :

Details.—Diamantina Rocks black conical buoy and the black conical buoy near eastern end of southern training wall have been withdrawn.

(4) Lake Macquarie.

Position (approximate).—In channel known as Swansea Channel.
Lat. 33° 04′ 04″ S., long. 151° 39′ 30″ E., on Chart No. 1021.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. (*posn. approx.*).

Description.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

Remarks.—Further particulars are not given.

Variation.—10° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1379, Plans of Port Macquarie and Clarence River entrance.
„ 1026, Solitary Islands and adjacent coast.
„ 1027, Coffs Islands to Evans Head.
„ 3622, Port Jackson to Cape Byron.
„ 1021, Port Jackson to Port Stephens.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI., 1918, Nos. 2551, 2581.
Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, pages 83, 81, 75, 52 : Supplement, 1917.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 3469-18.*)

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—FUSAN HARBOUR.

Uno Se (Channel Rock) Light—Alteration in Period.

No. 297 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 845 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 575 of 1918. (*This office No. 214 of 1918.*)

Position.—Lat. 35° 06½′ N., long. 129° 04′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2). *ev. 4 sec., 33 ft., vis. 10m* (U).

Alteration.—The period of the *group flashing white* light has been altered and the light now shows *two* flashes *every four seconds*, thus:—

2 Flashes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ secs. — eclipse, $2\frac{1}{2}$ secs.

Chart affected.—No. 1259, Fusan Harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1918, No. 1783.
E. C. Korea, etc., Pilot, 1913, page 78.

Authority.—Chosen Notice No. 74 of 1918. (*H. 3606-18.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—GEELONG HARBOUR.

Hopetoun Channel and Approaches—Alterations in Aids to Navigation.

No. 298 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 853 of 1918), are republished :—

1. Lights established :

(*a*) *Position.*—On the beacon shown on the charts as being under construction in the position of Wilson spit light buoy.
Lat. 38° 08½′ S., long. 144° 29¾′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *vis 8 m.*

Characteristics :

Character.—A *flashing white* light.
Visibility.—8 miles.

Remarks.—Wilson spit light-buoy has been withdrawn.

(*b*) *Position.*—On No. 2 beacon on the northern side of the entrance to Hopetoun Channel.

Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl., *vis. 6m.*

Characteristics :

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes.
Visibility.—6 miles.

Remarks.—The temporary light-float with fixed white light about one cable eastward from the above position has been withdrawn.

2. Alteration in character of light :

Position.—On No. 1 beacon on the southern side of Hopetoun Channel.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *Red, vis. 4 m.*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed red to *flashing red.*

3. Buoy established :

Position.—At a distance of $12\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 158° (*S. 30° E. Mag.*), from the extremity of Point Wilson.

Description.—A red conical buoy.

4. Alteration in position of light-buoy :

New position.—At a distance of about one cable south-westward of former position and $12\frac{8}{10}$ cables, 103° (*S. 85° E. Mag.*), from No. 2 beacon referred to in 1 (*b*).

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *flashing red* light.

5. Beacons removed:

Details.—The following beacons in Hopetoun Channel have been removed:—

(*a*) The beacon on the northern side of the channel opposite No. 3 beacon.

(*b*) The beacon on the southern side of the channel opposite No. 4 beacon.

(*c*) The beacon on the southern side of the channel opposite No. 6 beacon.

Note.—The note "(Widening in progress 1916)" shown on the chart against Hopetoun Channel is to be expunged; the navigable width is now 230 feet.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong Harbour.
„ 1171, Port Phillip, with plan.
„ 1695*b*, Bass Strait—western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 2445*a*, 2446, 2447.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 470; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918 (*in press*), pages 121, 123, 124, 125.

Authority.—Geelong Harbour Trust. (*H. 7800-17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—KALAMIANES GROUP.

Busuanga—Shoal westward of.

No. 299 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 861 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of about 9 miles, westward, from the north-western point of Busuanga.
Lat. 12° 18′ 00″ N., long 119° 41′ 30″ E., on Chart No. 2577.

Depth.—5¼ fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine Islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro Straits.
„ 967, Palawan Island.
„ 943, Molucca Passage to Manila.
„ 2660*b*, China Sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 2661*b*, China Sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 51.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 209.

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 3 of 1918. (*H. 3627-18.*)

MISCELLANEOUS.

Buoyage of Sunken Mines.

No. 300 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 863 of 1918), are republished:—

Mariners are notified that the positions of sunken mines are sometimes marked by a buoy with a black square mark on the staff. Such buoys are to be avoided and not interfered with.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 3967-18.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay—Storm-signals.

No. 301 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 864 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Tsingtau storm-signal station, lat. 36° 04¼′ N., long. 120° 19′ E.

Details.—The storm-signals now in use at the above station are as follows :—

By Day.	By Night.	Signification.
A red ball ...	A red light	Gale expected.
A red cylinder ...	Two red lights, vertical...	Storm expected.
A red cone ...	Three red lights, vertical	Cyclonic storm expected.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 422.
Authority.—Japanese Hydrographer. (*H. 3953-18.*)

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 302 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 866 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 781 of 1918; hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished : Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir); Penang approaches.

   Abu Ail Islands light in the Red Sea and all lights in the Persian Gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without notice.

2. Certain Ports closed by night :

   Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6.0 A.M., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

   Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise. Vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This notice is a revision of the former notice quoted above.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part V, 1918, No. 2201.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4002-18.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—SUWO NADA.

Kasado Jima—Wreck southward of.

No. 303 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 867 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of $3\frac{3}{10}$ miles, 195° (*S. 19° W. Mag.*), from the summit (820 feet) of Kasado jima.
Lat. 33° 53′ N., long. 131° 48½′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a sailing vessel with one mast showing above water.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3153, Maruyama zaki to Ominase.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 47 of 1918. (*H. 3634-18.*)

FORMOSA, WEST COAST.

Port Ta Kau—Alteration in Characteristics of Light.

No. 304 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 873 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Near the northern end of Kigo to.
Lat. 22° 36½′ N., long. 120° 16′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Alt., *W. R., ev. 10 sec. 191 ft., vis. 20 m.*

Details.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—An *alternating white and red* light *every ten seconds.*

Elevation.—191 feet.

Visibility.—20 miles; from 320° (*N. 39° W. Mag.*), through north, to 158° (*S. 21° E. Mag.*).

Power.—*White* light, 94,000 candles; *red* light, 37,000 candles.

Structure.—A white octagonal brick structure, 36 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 2376, Port Ta Kau.
„ 2409, West Coast of Formosa, etc.
„ 1968, Formosa Island and Strait.
„ 2661*b*, China Sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liau tung.
„ 1263, China Sea.
„ 781, Pacific Ocean, north-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1824.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 210.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 57 of 1918. (*H. 3639-18.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—BUNGO CHANNEL.

Suda Misaki—Light established.

No. 305 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 874 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 33° 20′ 35″ N., long. 132° 00′ 53″ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (3), *ev. 20 sec., 150 ft., vis. 18 m.*

Characteristics :

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *three* flashes *every twenty seconds*, thus :—

3 flashes.	eclipse.
8 secs.	12 secs.

Elevation.—150 feet.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Power.—70,000 candles.

Structure.—White octagonal concrete structure, 50 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Charts affected.— No. 651, Bungo Channel.
„ 2875, Naikai (seto uchi) or Inland Sea.
„ 1648, Osumi kaikyo to Oshima.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.,

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1935*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 114.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 67 of 1918. (*H. 3648-18.*)

JAPAN, HONSHŪ, GULF OF TOKYO.

Kannon Zaki—Existence of a Wreck.

No. 306 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 876 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of one mile, 355° (*North Mag.*), from Kannon zaki lighthouse.
Lat. 35° 16½′ N., long. 139° 44½′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a sailing vessel.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai saki to Tsurugi saki.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 46 of 1918. (*H. 3633-18.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDORO STRAIT, APO WEST PASS.

Hunter Rock—Amended Position.

No. 307 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 878 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles south-westward of charted position.
Lat. 12° 39′ 54″ N , long. 120° 10′ 00″ E., on Chart No. 2577.

Description.—A 1¼-fathom rock.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine Islands, between San Bernardino and Mindoro Straits.
„ 967, Palawan Island.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 47.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 211.

Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1100 of 1918. (*H. 2923-18.*)

JAPAN, HONSHŪ—GULF OF TOKYO APPROACH.

Joga Sima Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 308 (first publication)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 883 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On Nagatsuru-saki.
Lat. 35° 08¼′ N., long. 139° 36¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 20 sec., about 86 ft., vis. 15m.*

Details.—The fixed green light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character—A *flashing white* light *every twenty seconds.*

Elevation.—About 86 feet.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Power.—5,000 candles.

Charts affected.—No. 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai saki to Tsurugi saki.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific Ocean, etc.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 2050.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 190.

Authority.—Department of Communications, Tokyo, Notice No. 456 of 1918. (*H. 3625-18.*)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Port of Fremantle—Information with regard to Vessels entering.

No. 309 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 895 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 995 of 1917. (*This office No. 315 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

Position.—Fremantle, lat. 32° 03¼′ S., long. 115° 45′ E.

Details.—The notification cautioning vessels entering or leaving the Port of Fremantle not to load to a greater draught than 27 feet is no longer in force; mariners are notified accordingly.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 371; Revised Supplement, 1918.

Authority.—The Prime Minister, Western Australia. (*H. 3407-18.*)

KOREA, EAST COAST—CHUMONJIN ROAD.

Chumonjin Kutchii—Light established.

No. 310 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 896 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On Chumon san.
Lat. 37° 54′ 02″ N., long. 128° 49′ 53″ E., on Chart No. 882.

Abridged description.—Lt. Alt. Gp. Fl. (3), *W. W. R., ev. 15 sec., 132 ft., vis. 17 m.*

Details:

Character.—An *alternating group flashing white* and *red* light showing *three* flashes *every fifteen seconds*, thus:—

White flash, $\frac{\text{eclipse,}}{2\frac{1}{2}\text{ secs.}}$; *white* flash. $\frac{\text{eclipse,}}{6\frac{1}{2}\text{ secs.}}$; *red* flash, $\frac{\text{eclipse,}}{6\frac{1}{2}\text{ secs.}}$

Elevation.—132 feet.

Visibility.—17 miles.

Structure.—White cylindrical tower, 30 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Charts affected.—No. 882, Chukupen Bay to Suon Kutchi, with plan,
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific Ocean, etc.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1794.
E. C. Korea, etc., Pilot, 1913, page 98.

Authority.—Chosen Notice No. 61 of 1918. (*H. 3595-18.*)

SOUTH AFRICA.

Agulhas Bank—Bank reported.

No. 311 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 898 of 1918), are republished:—

Details—The following soundings were obtained in the positions shown near the edge of the Agulhas Bank:—

Position.		Depth.	
Lat. 35° 00′ 30″ S., long.	23° 12′ 30″ E.	23 fathoms	(black sand).
„ 35° 00′ 00″ „ „	23° 15′ 00″ „	31 „	(black sand).
„ 34° 59′ 30″ „ „	23° 16′ 30″ „	37 „	(mud and sand).
„ 34° 59′ 00″ „ „	23° 18′ 30″ „	33 „	(rock).

Note.—The name "Grue Bank" is to be inserted on the charts against this bank with the note "*(reported 1917)*".

Charts affected.—No. 2084, Mossel Bay to Cape St. Francis.
„ 2095, Hondeklip Bay to Port Natal.
„ 748*a*, Indian Ocean, southern portion.
„ 2202*a*, South Atlantic Ocean, eastern portion.
„ 2203, South Atlantic Ocean.
„ 2483, Atlantic and Indian Oceans, etc.
„ 2936, Oceanic soundings, Atlantic Ocean.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 87.

Authority.—Captain F. Grue, Master of the Danish Motor Vessel *Chile*. (*H. 7527-17.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Kamaran Passage, Southern Entrance—Buoy disappeared.

No. 312 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 912 of 1918), are republished:—

Former Notice.—No. 341 of 1918. (*This Office No. 145 of 1918.*)

Position.—On southern edge of the mid-channel shoal, at a distance of about 7 cables south-eastward from Ras el Yemmen telegraph hut.
Lat. 15° 16′ N., long. 42° 35′ E.

Description.—A black can buoy.

Remarks.—The buoy has disappeared and is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 543, Kamaran Passage and southern approach.
„ 143, Jebel Teir to Perim Island.

Publication.—Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1909, page 364.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4095-18.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Cheribon Road—Light-Buoy to be established.

No. 313 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 914 of 1918), are republished :—

Date of establishment.—Not stated.

Position.—At a distance of 4½ cables, 16° (*N. 15° E. Mag.*), from the group flashing light on inner end of East Mole.
Lat. 6° 42½′ S., long. 108° 34½′ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white* light.

Remarks.—This light-buoy is to mark the outer end of the East Mole, which is being extended for a distance of $2\frac{7}{10}$ cables, and the note "*Works in progress (1918)*" is to be inserted on the charts between the position of the light-buoy and the existing outer end of the mole.

Note.—No further notice will be given with regard to the establishment of the light-buoy.

Variation.—1° E.

Chart affected.—No. 932, Plan of Cheribon Road.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 111.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 893 of 1918. (*H. 3984-18.*)

CHINA, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Chifu (Yentai) Inner Harbour—Southern Entrance re-opened ; Alterations in Aids to Navigation.

No. 314 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 915 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Tower Hill, lat. 37° 33′ N., long., 121° 23½′ E.

1. Southern entrance re-opened :

Details.—The southern entrance to the inner harbour is now open to traffic and the note on the chart "Entrance temporarily closed (1916)" is to be expunged.

Caution.—Vessels using this entrance must give the southern end of the breakwater a berth of at least 50 yards. When a red flag is exhibited on the southern end of the breakwater, vessels passing must proceed at a dead slow speed

Note.—This entrance is primarily intended for the use of inward bound vessels, but outward bound vessels may use it if it is seen that no inward bound vessel is approaching.

2. Alteration in character of light:

Details.—The character of the light on the southern end of the breakwater under construction has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every three seconds*, thus:—

$$\frac{\text{light,}}{\frac{3}{10}\text{ sec.}} \quad \frac{\text{eclipse,}}{2\frac{7}{10}\text{ secs.}}$$

3. Alteration in position of light-buoy:

Details.—The light-buoy painted black with *flashing white* light, off the northern end of the breakwater, has been moved about 1¼ cables north-westward and is now situated at a distance of 6¼ cables, 356° (*N. 1° E. Mag.*), from Tower Hill lighthouse.

Variation—5° W.

Chart affected—No 1260, Ching tsu shan to Chilu Bluff, with plan.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI., 1918, No. 1643 (Remarks). China Sea Pilot, Vol V., 1912, pages 465, 466; Revised Supplement II., 1918.

Authority.—Shanghai, Notice No. 655 of 19th April 1918. (*H. 3961-18.*)

JAPAN, HOKUSHU, WEST COAST.

Otaru Ko—Light established; Alteration in Position and Description of Light-Buoy.

No. 315 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 920 of 1918), are republished:—

1. Light established:

Position.—On end of southern breakwater, at a distance of 9 cables, 72° (*N. 79° E. Mag.*), from Suitengu yama summit (192 feet).

Lat. 43° 12′ N., long, 141° 01¼′ E.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. F., *Gn., 25 ft., vis. 3 m.*

Characteristics:

Character.—A *fixed green* light.

Elevation.—25 feet.

Visibility.—3 miles.

Structure.—White square iron structure with ball topmark.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

2. Alteration in position and description of light-buoy :

New position.—At the extremity of the projected extension of the northern breakwater, at a distance of $9\frac{1}{10}$ cables, 64° (*N. 71° E. Mag.*), from Suitengu yama summit, and about one cable southward of former position.

New description.—A light-buoy exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

Remarks.—A pecked line is to be shown on the charts between the foregoing light-buoy and the northern breakwater lighthouse. The extension of the southern breakwater shown on the charts to the northward of the light mentioned in (1) above is to be expunged.

Variation.—7° W.

Charts affected.—No. 993, Plan of Otaru ko.
„ 2981, Furubira wan to Aikappu misaki.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 2130*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, pages 696, 697.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 76 of 1918. (*H. 3940-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

Newcastle Harbour—Extension of Bank; Alterations in Aids to Navigation.

No. 316 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 921 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Newcastle lat. 32° 56′ S., long. 151° 47′ E.

Details.—The accompanying reproductions of portions of Chart No. 2119 show the following :—

(*a*) Extension of bank on northern side of harbour.

(*b*) New leading beacons on northern side of harbour entrance near Wave trap breakwaters, and amended positions of gas pipes.

(*c*) Amended positions and details of the fairway leading lights and towers, of which there are now only two; these lights and towers are now in line when bearing 237° (*S. 47° W. Mag.*)

(*d*) New leading light on Guide wall in place of beacon.

Remarks.—The white leading light near the tramway between Gray and Dangar streets, in the vicinity of the proposed inner basin, has been discontinued; also the red and white leading lights near Fort Scratchley, formerly known as Signal Hill. A black conical buoy has been established at a distance of 870 feet, 23° (*N 13° E. Mag.*), from Nobby's lighthouse.

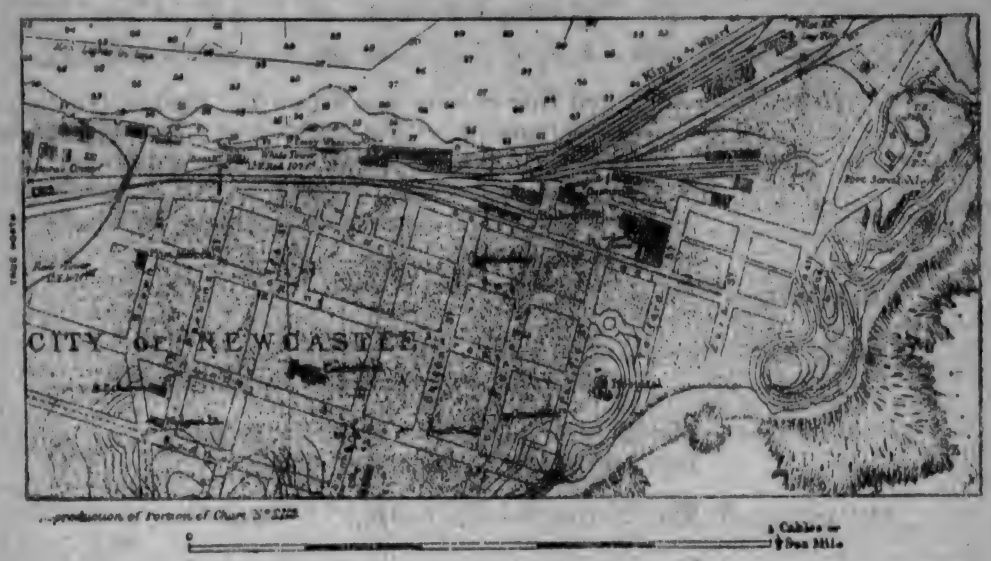
Note.—Further details concerning the above lights will be found in Section VIII of the Weekly edition of Admiralty Notices to Mariners (*week ending 2nd August 1918*).

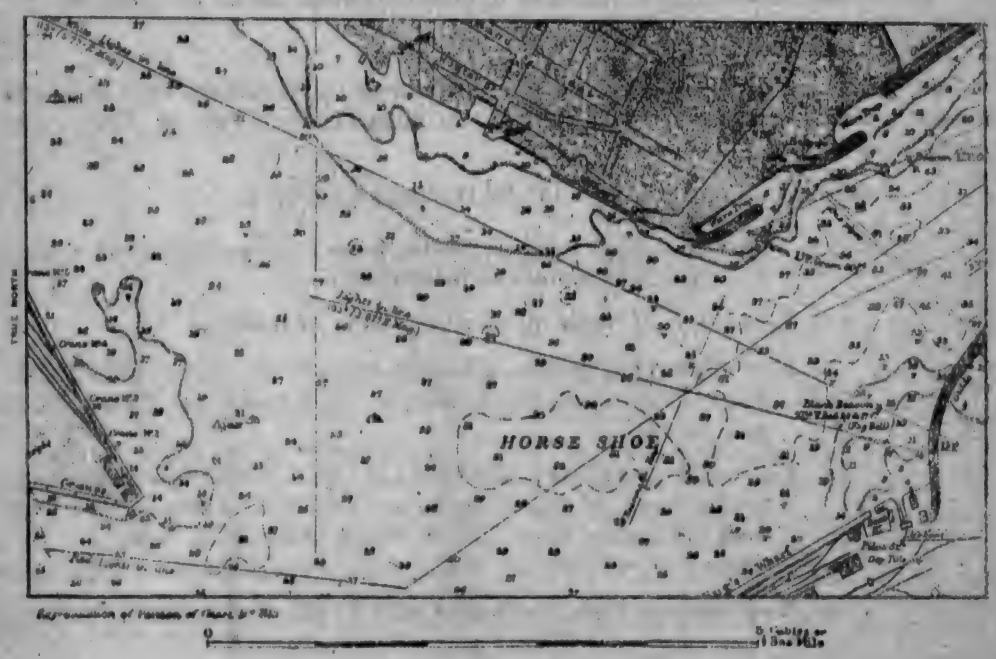
Variation.—10° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2119, Newcastle Harbour.

Publications.—Australia Pilot, Vol III, 1916, pages 53, 54, 55, 56, 57.
List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 2558 to 2565.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 3469-18*).





PERSIAN GULF—SHATT-AL-ARAB RIVER.

Inner Bar—Existence of Wreck; temporary alteration of Buoys.

No. 317 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 82M. of 1918) are republished:—

(*a*) *Wreck Position.*—At a distance of about 7½ cables 136° (*S 46° E. Mag.*), from Inner Bar gas buoy.

Description.—Sunken Dhow.

(*b*) *Inner Bar Gas buoy.*—As a temporary measure the Inner Bar gas buoy will be moved to a position close to northward of the wreck and should be regarded as a Porthand buoy.

(*c*) *No. 7 Buoy.*—No. 7 black can buoy will be moved temporarily to the former position of the Inner Bar gas buoy and painted Red.

This buoy should be regarded as a Starboardhand buoy.

Variation.—2° E.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Basrah. Dated 6th September 1918.

INDIA, EAST COAST.—Bay of Bengal.

Gopalpur.—Alteration in character of light.

No. 318 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 242, dated the 26th August 1918, issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further Notice (No. 44 of 1918) that the alteration therein notified to take place on the 15th October 1918 is postponed to the 15th December 1918.

The 24th September 1918.

CHINA SEA—Hainan Strait.

Hainan Head—Hainan reef buoy discontinued ; beacon established.

No. 286 (second publication).—

The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 664 of 1918) that the Hainan reef buoy, which hitherto marked the reef extending to the northward from Hainan Head, Hainan island, has been permanently discontinued and that a beacon has been established in its stead.

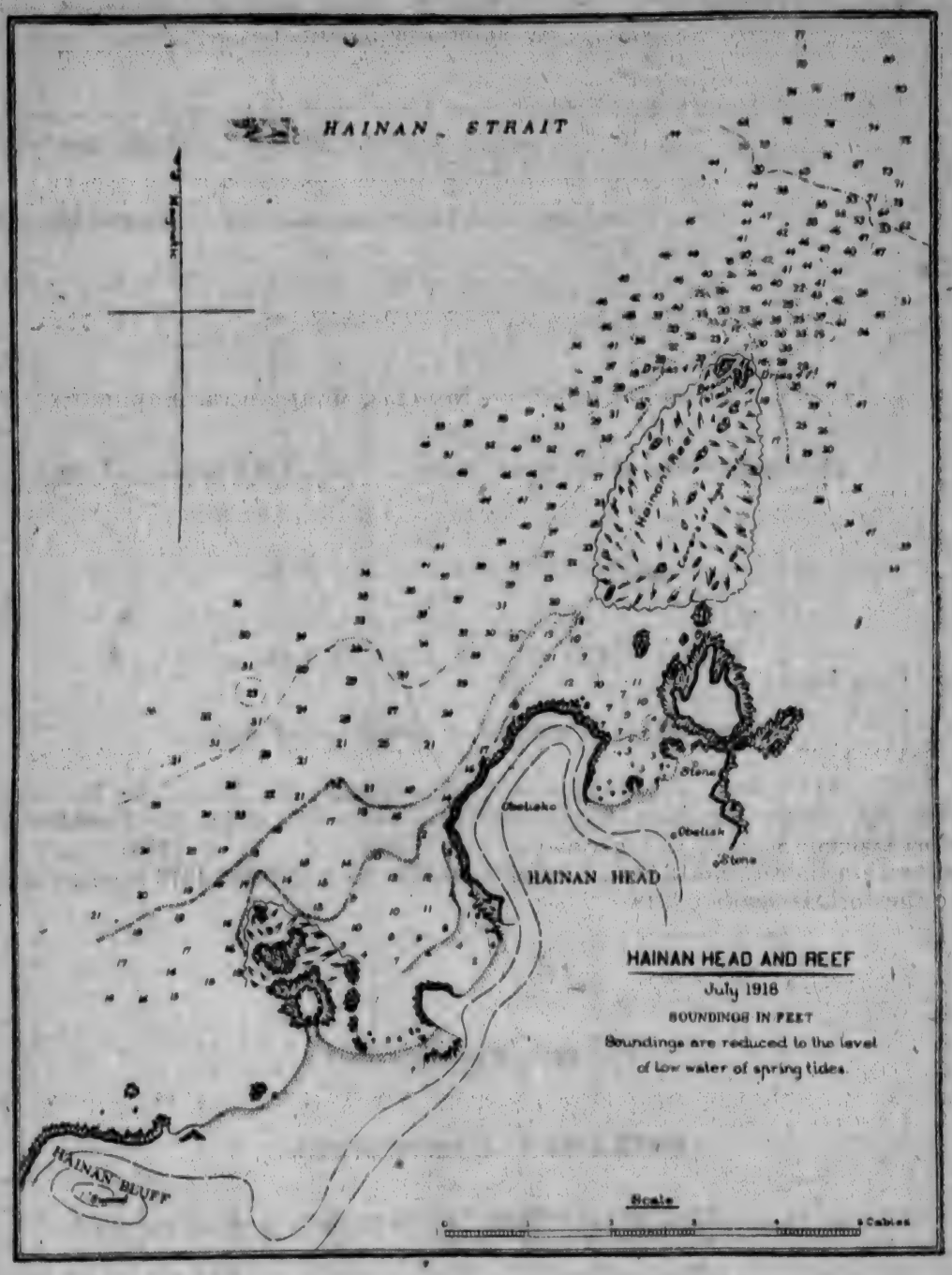
The beacon, which is a concrete structure 10 feet in breadth and 6 feet in height, surmounted by a *black* steel cylinder 8 feet high and 2 feet in diameter, is located on the northern extremity of Hainan reef. From the beacon, the summit of Hainan Bluff bears S. 42° W., magnetic, distant 1·19 miles.

The beacon, which is to be known as the Hainan reef beacon, shows 12 feet above high water of spring tides.

CAUTION.

Vessels should not approach the beacon closer than 2¼ cables, owing to the existence of several outlying rocky patches.

A plan of Hainan Head showing the position of the Hainan reef beacon is attached hereto.



CHINA SEA—GULF OF LIAOTUNG.

Liao River entrance—Training-wall under construction ; spar buoy established.

No. 287 (second publication).—

The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 665 of 1918) that a *red* Spar Buoy has been established to mark the southern end of the training-wall under construction at the entrance to the Liao River, Gulf of Liaotung.

This Buoy is moored close off the end of the training-wall, and from the Buoy the Bar Signal Station bears N. 43¼°E., magnetic, distant 3·89 miles.

NOTE.

This Buoy will be moved outwards in accordance with the extension of the training-wall under construction, so that its position relative to the end of the wall is maintained.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Chittagong (Karnafuli) River—Alteration in the leading marks over Outer and Inner Bars; Patunga buoy moved.

No. 2881. (second publication).—

Subject.—The following alterations in the leading marks and buoy are made over Outer and Inner Bars :—

Black Diamond has been moved 212° (S. 31° 25′ W. Mag.) 587′ feet.

White Disc in line with Black Diamond 44° 25′ (N. 43° 50′ E. Mag.) leads over Outer and Inner Bars.

Patunga Middle Black Buoy has been moved 357° (N. 3° 35′ W. Mag.) 190 feet.

Variation.—0° 35′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 84, Chittagong (Karnafuli) River.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, pages 322 and 323.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice, dated 20th September 1918.

The 16th September 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLARENCE STRAIT.

Marsh Shoal Buoy—To be replaced by Light Buoy.

No. 276 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Spherical Buoy moored on the western side of Marsh Shoal will be replaced by a Light Buoy, showing a group flashing white light on or about 12th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 15 fathoms of water off the north-western end of Marsh Shoal, about three cables north-west of the existing red and white horizontally-striped Spherical Buoy surmounted by a black staff and globe, which it will replace. Position will be approximately :—

Lat. 12° 05½′ S., long. 130° 56′ E. on Chart No. 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted red and numbered "6", exhibiting a group flashing white light showing three flashes in quick succession every twenty-two and a-half seconds, thus :—

Flash.	Eclipse.	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	19 secs.

Power.—1,300 candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.
„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
„ 4751, North-west Coast of Australia with the Off-lying Islands and Reefs.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 103.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 9 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLARENCE STRAIT.

Henry Ellis Reef—Light Buoy to be established.

No. 277 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a group flashing red light will be established off Henry Ellis Reef on or about 16th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 15 fathoms of water at a distance of about 2 cables off the north-eastern end of Henry Ellis Reef. Position will be approximately—

Lat. 12° 05′ S., long. 131° 00′ E., on Chart No. 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted black and numbered "5", exhibiting a group flashing red light showing four flashes in quick succession every thirty seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	25 secs.

Power.—1,300 candles.
Visibility.—Eight miles.
Remarks.—No further notice will be given.
Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.
„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 103.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 10 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLARENCE STRAIT.

East Vernon Island—Light Buoy to be established off the South-western extremity of Island.

No. 278 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a flashing white light will be established off the South-Western extremity of East Vernon Island, on or about 20th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 15 fathoms of water at a distance of about 1½ cables from the extremity of the spit on the south-western end of East Vernon Island. Position will be approximately—

Lat. 12° 04½′ S., long. 131° 03′ E. on Chart No 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted red and numbered "4", exhibiting a flashing white light showing one flash every six seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	5½ secs.

Power.—1,300 Candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.
„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759a, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 102.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 11 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—CLARENCE STRAIT.

Rooper Rock—Light Buoy to be established.

No. 279 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a group flashing white light will be established off the Rooper Rock, on or about 24th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 10 fathoms of water at a distance of about ¾-mile east-south-east of Rooper Rock. Position will be approximately—
Lat. 12° 04½′ S., long. 131° 11½′ E. on Chart No. 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted red and numbered "3", exhibiting a group flashing white light showing two flashes in quick succession every fifteen seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	13 secs.

Power.—1,300 Candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.
„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759a, Australia, northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 102.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 12 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—VAN DIEMEN GULF.

Howard Knoll—Light Buoy to be established.

No. 280 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a group flashing red light will be established off Howard Knoll on or about 28th August 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 10 fathoms of water at a distance of about 1 mile north-north-east of Howard Knoll. Position will be approximately—

Lat. 11° 59¼′ S., long. 131° 18¾′ E. on Chart No. 1095.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted black and numbered "2", exhibiting a group flashing red light showing three flashes in quick succession every twenty-two and-a-half seconds, thus:—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	19 secs.

Power.—1,300 candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1095, Clarence Strait.
„ 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
„ 942B, Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, Part 2.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 96.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 13 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—VAN DIEMEN GULF.

Light Buoy to be established off Cape Keith.

No. 281 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Light Buoy showing a group flashing white light will be established off Cape Keith on or about 1st September 1918.

Position.—The Light Buoy will be moored in about 15 fathoms of water at a distance of about 14 miles south-eastward of Cape Keith. Position will be approximately—

Lat. 11° 46′ S., long. 131° 36′ E. on Chart No. 613.

Description.—A cylindrical Light Buoy with framework superstructure painted red and numbered "1", exhibiting a group flashing white light showing four flashes in quick succession every thirty seconds, thus:—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	25 secs.

Power.—1,300 candles.

Visibility.—Eight miles.

Remarks.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 613, Melville Island and Dundas and Clarence Straits.
„ 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
„ 942B, Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, Part 2.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, pages 92 and 93.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 14 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Marion Reef Light (U).—Intended alteration in character.

No. 282 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing Red Light on Marion Reef will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light on or about 16th September 1918.

Position.—On the south-eastern end of Marion Reef. Lat. 35° 10′ S., long. 137° 49′ E.

Structure.—Steel skeleton tower painted red, in position of former tower. Height, 41 feet.

Details.—The Flashing Red Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics:—

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing three flashes in quick succession every nine seconds, thus:—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	6 secs.

Elevation.—38 feet.
Visibility.—11 miles.
Power.—1,500 candles.
Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. No further notice will be given.
Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2152, Anchorages in St. Vincent Gulf, MacDonnell Sound, and Wool Bay.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2349.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 299.
„ „ „ 1907, Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 35.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 15 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Dangerous Reef Light (U).—Intended alteration in character.

No. 283 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light on Dangerous Reef will be altered as set out hereunder on or about 1st October 1918.

Position.—Lat. 34° 49′ S., long. 136° 12′ E.

Structure.—Steel skeleton tower, painted red, in position of former tower. Height, 42 feet.

Details.—The Flashing White Light showing one flash every seven and a-half seconds will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics:—

Character.—Flashing White Light, showing one flash every three seconds, thus:—

Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	2⅝ secs.

Elevation.—47 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Power.—1,500 candles.
Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. No further notice will be given.
Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2309.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 197.
" " " 1907, Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 19.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 16 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Winceby Island Light (U).—Intended alteration in character.

No. 284 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light on Winceby Island will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light on or about 15th October 1918.
Position.—Lat. 34° 29′ S., long. 136° 17′ E.
Structure.—Steel skeleton tower painted white, in position of former tower. Height, 27 feet.
Details.—The Flashing White Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics—
Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing two flashes in quick succession every six seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec	1 sec.	½ sec.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—47 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Power.—1,500 candles.
Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. No further notice will be given.
Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
" 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2315.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 213.
" " " 1907, Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 21.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 17 of 1918.

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST—CIRCULAR HEAD.

North Point—Beacon re-established.

No. 285 (third publication).—

Subject.—The North Point Beacon has now been re-established.
Position.—On the eastern extremity of the reef extending from North Point, in the position of the old iron beacon, surmounted by a ball, which was destroyed.
Lat. 40° 42¼′ S., long. 145° 16¾′ E. on Chart No. 3687.
Description.—The beacon consists of a circular reinforced concrete column, surmounted by a red staff and ball. The top of the beacon is 19 feet above high water.
Charts affected.—No. 3687, Albatross Island to Circular Head.
" 1595B, Bass Strait, western sheet.
" 1079, Tasmania.
" 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
" 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, western sheet.
Publications.—Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 620.
" " Vol. I, 1907, Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 71.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 18 of 1918.

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LIBERALITY OF SREEMATI RASOMANJURI DASI OF BISTUPUR.

No. 1310, dated Calcutta, the 1st October 1918.

From—The HON'BLE MR. L. S. S. O'MALLEY, Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department,

To—The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.

WITH reference to your letter No. 372J.G., dated the 18th September 1918, reporting that Sreemati Rasomanjuri Dasi of Bistupur, district Birbhum, has contributed Rs. 17,048 for the construction of a building for a High English School at Bistupur, I am directed to request you to be so good as to Communicate the thanks of Government to the donor for her liberality and public spirit.

SUPERSESSION OF THE HOOGHLY-CHINSURA MUNICIPALITY.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Municipal Branch.

DARJEELING, THE 4TH OCTOBER 1918.

RESOLUTION No. 704T.—M.

THE defects in the administration of the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality, more especially as regards the management of the water-works system, have for a long time engaged the serious and anxious attention of Government.

2. Since the water-works were installed the Municipal Commissioners have constantly failed to maintain an adequate supply of coal for their working, and there has been perpetual danger of a breakdown. As long ago as March 1915 the Sanitary Engineer drew attention to the need of an adequate supply in an inspection note, in which he said :—

"I found a serious position of affairs at the pumping station. The coal supply was absolutely exhausted. I cannot understand how the Municipality allow things to get into this state. It shows serious mismanagement. Coal should be obtained in sufficient quantity at a time to last six months and several weeks before one consignment is exhausted, arrangements should be made to have a fresh supply obtained. The present hand-to-mouth system is unbusiness-like and uneconomical."

These instructions were not carried out, and in July 1916 the Assistant Sanitary Engineer reported that the arrangements for the supply of coal were "as unsatisfactory as ever". The practice was for a contractor to supply about 13 tons thrice a month, which he observed, left no margin of safety. He pointed out that the entire water-works system would be dislocated if there was a failure to deliver a single supply and in view of the shortage of railway wagons, he urged that it was essential to keep a stock of coal sufficient for at least two or three months. In October the Government Water-works Inspector found only three weeks' supply of coal in hand and the Sanitary Engineer addressed the Chairman of the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality, pointing out that if at any time the works broke down owing to want of coal, and there was a consequent epidemic of cholera and other water-borne disease, the Municipal Commissioners would have serious cause to reproach themselves for their laxity. When, however, the Assistant Sanitary Engineer and the Water-works Inspector inspected in December 1916, the former found only two days' and the latter only three days' supply of inferior coal in stock. The matter was considered at a meeting of the Sanitary Board held in February 1917 and it was resolved that the Chairman of the Municipality should be informed that, in the opinion of the Board, a six months supply of coal should be kept in stock. In reply the Vice-Chairman reported that orders were being given for a supply sufficient to last for six months.

3. There was, however, no real improvement, and the Assistant Sanitary Engineer recorded the following remarks in an inspection note, dated the 16th August 1917 :—

"The whole question of coal supply is urgently in need of reform. In spite of the promise by the Municipality in their letter of February 27th to keep a six months' stock of coal, practically no coal stock has been provided up to date. On August 14th there was about a ton in the coal shed, and 16 tons, belonging to the coal contractor, outside the works. This was being brought into the works by the municipal coolies, and two coolies are continuously employed in breaking it. Two other coolies are employed in coal breaking when they can be spared, and the four can work fast enough to reduce the coal sufficiently for it to be fed by the mechanical stoker. Very often the firing has to be done by hand, with a consequent increased consumption. On one occasion the Superintendent was reduced to burning firewood in order to keep up the water-supply. The quality of the coal is so bad that the consumption works out at 11 or 12 lbs. per horse

power per hour instead of the ordinary amount of 7 or 8 lbs. What is required is a contract for the immediate supply of six months' stock of properly sized good quality coal. For this a little higher price may have to be paid, but through reduced coal consumption the Municipality will not be loser."

A copy of this note was forwarded to the Municipality by the Sanitary Engineer, who found it necessary to convey the following warning :—

"The continual insufficiency of the coal supply at these water-works has been a disgrace to the Municipal Commissioners. In almost every inspection note on these works which has issued from this office since they were inaugurated, attention has been drawn to the dangerous shortage of coal. The Municipal Commissioners have so far as I am aware, taken no action whatever to improve matters and appear to be quite unable to realize the serious responsibility which would rest upon them if the works broke down for want of coal."

A further warning was given by Government in Resolution No. 2431M., dated the 29th December 1917, on the working of the municipalities in the Bengal Presidency during the year 1916-17, in which it was remarked :—

"Unchecked waste goes on in Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality, and there is a constant danger of the works stopping for want of coal. Not only is the stock of coal inadequate—on one occasion firewood has had to be burnt to keep up the water-supply—but the quality is so bad that the consumption is 50 per cent. above the ordinary amount."

The possibility of its being necessary to supersede the Municipal Commissioners under section 65 of the Bengal Municipal Act was at the same time adverted to.

4. In June 1918, the Sanitary Board forwarded to Government a letter, dated the 30th April 1918, to the Sanitary Commissioner, from the Civil Surgeon of Hooghly, who is also a Municipal Commissioner, drawing attention to the connection between certain outbreaks of cholera and the failure of the Municipal Commissioners to keek an adequate stock of coal at the water-works and so maintain a full supply of filtered water.

The report of the Civil Surgeon was as follows :—

"With reference to the recent outbreaks of cholera in the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality, I have the honour to observe that they are coincident with the institution of an intermittent water-supply in the town and are, in my opinion, dependent on this, since an intermittent supply means that those who are thirsty during the hours on which the water is cut off must either drink from other sources of supply, such as the river, tanks or wells, or must drink stored and possibly decomposing water. It is now acknowledged by the Municipality that the inability to supply water continuously is due to a very dangerous shortage of coal : indeed, there has been no stock of coal at all at the pumping station, and small quantities have within a few days been purchased locally at high rates to carry on with. There is a dispute regarding the responsibility for the failure of an expected supply of coal to arive, and a sub-committee was appointed by the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting of the Commissioners held yesterday to go into the matter. At this meeting I pointed out that the present state of affairs could not have occurred had the Municipality acted upon the advice tendered to them by the Sanitary Board in their meeting of the 14th February 1917, when it was stated that, in the opinion of the Sanitary Board, 6 months' supply of coal should be kept in stock at the water-works. I proposed that this advice should be acted upon. This proposal was neither seconded nor publicly supported in any way by any Commissioner present, and so was not even put to the meeting. It is hoped that this letter will be considered by the Sanitary Board as evidence that their suggestion had not been acted upon and that the present serious and dangerous condition is the direct result of the failure to do so."

5. In submitting this report to Government, the Secretary to the Sanitary Board wrote :—

"The Sanitary Board decided at their last meeting that it was necessary for them to bring to the special notice of Government this instance where the neglect of their most elementary duties by the Commissioners of the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality has resulted in serious loss of life. A serious outbreak of cholera recently occurred at Hooghly-Chinsura, which was due, as pointed out by the Civil Surgeon, to the inadequate supply of water. The shortage of supply was the result of the failure of the Municipality to maintain a sufficient stock of coal at the water-works. The Sanitary Board and the Sanitary Engineer have on several occasions pointed out to the Municipal Commissioners the danger of keeping such a small quantity of coal in stock, and in February last the Sanitary Board advised them to keep a six months' supply in reserve; but the Commissioners have persistently disregarded the advice which has been given to them, and are directly responsible by their deliberate neglect of an obvious duty for this outbreak of disease and the deaths that have occurred."

6. On the 1st May 1918 (the day after the Civil Surgeon had addressed the Sanitary Commissioner), the Assistant Sanitary Engineer inspected the water-works and recorded the following remarks :—

"When I arrived I found only the high lift pump working, a steam pressure of only 60 lbs and of the settling tanks two empty and the third containing only 1 foot of water. In the clear water reservoir there was only 2' 4" of water, the elevated reservoirs were both empty, and at the far end of the town practically no water was being obtained. The Civil Surgeon states that cholera is much increasing in the town owing to the shortage of filtered water. All this is due to the fact that the Municipality has failed to supply the water-works with coal. From April 25th there has been no coal in stock, the works having been kept going for short and irregular hours with small quantities of coal purchased from the bazar at exorbitant rates—very inferior coal with which wood is having to be burnt. On the morning of the 1st about 16 maunds of coal was brought on to the works after the proper starting time. This lasted until 1 P.M., when pumping was having to be stopped : only just then a bullock wagon with about 8 maunds of coal wandered into the compound. These matters were discussed with the Chairman. He stated that 50 tons of coal had been ordered, of which 25 tons was expected to arrive every minute, and the other 25 tons in two or three days' time. He also undertook to order from Messrs. N. Sarkar & Co. 50 tons of coal to be delivered at once, and an additional 250 tons to follow as soon as possible to go into stock, and thereafter to contract for a monthly supply of 55 tons for daily use, all these orders to be given by special indent through the Coal Controller. The indent will come to this office for special recommendation and explanation of the necessity of creating a reserve stock of 250 tons. The Chairman should lose no time in pushing through these negotiations, as the matter is one of vital urgency."

7. The Assistant Sanitary Engineer again inspected the water-works on the 5th June and again drew attention to the shortage of coal as follows :—

"Some 15 tons of coal was in stock, *i.e.*, about a week's supply ; the coal is of such poor quality that hand-firing is necessary, and sufficient steam cannot be supplied by one boiler to keep the high and low lift engines going at the same time. The coal consumption per horse power is therefore very high. I was informed that 200 tons of coal has been ordered, but whether this will all go into stock, and an additional 55 tons per month be ordered for regular use, I do not know. What is required is a stock of 250 tons of good coal, so that in case of emergency the water-works will not be brought to a standstill."

In submitting his inspection note to Government, the Sanitary Engineer remarked :—

"The history of the proceedings of this Municipality in connection with the water-works has been discreditable from beginning to end ; and I regret that I have been forced to the conclusion that the present Municipal Commissioners are not fit to have control over this installation, upon which the health of 30,000 persons depends."

8. In July, the Government Water-works Inspector found only 8 tons of coal, or about four days' supply, in stock, and that of a very poor quality. In the note of his inspection in June, the Assistant Sanitary Engineer had commented adversely on the action of the Municipal Commissioners in instructing the Water-works Superintendent not to add alum to the water in the settling tanks "for economy's sake" and had pointed out that its use was absolutely necessary, especially in the rainy season. In spite of this, the Inspector found that no alum was being added to the water, as the Superintendent had received instructions from the Municipal Commissioners not to use more than 2 grains per gallon under any circumstances. Owing to the turbidity of the river this quantity was not sufficient to cause any reaction, and consequently the Superintendent discontinued using alum altogether. The Inspector pointed out that the Municipal Commissioners had no right to issue any such orders and warned them that should any epidemic of water-borne disease occur, they would be responsible for it owing to their interference. An analysis of the water made by the Sanitary Commissioner in July showed intensive fæcal pollution due to inefficient filtration, as a result of which the water was not much better than raw river water. As a result of an enquiry by the Water-works Inspector on the 31st July it was found that this result was due to the discontinuance of the use of alum and the failure to replenish the filters with fine sand in spite of the fact that the Municipal Commissioners had been frequently addressed on the subject since April 1917.

9. On the 6th September, another inspection was made by the Water-works Inspector, who found that conditions were no better than they had been at the time of his previous visits. The only coal in stock consisted of 12 tons of

very poor quality which had been received on the previous day: repairs to elevated reservoirs, street standposts, etc., of which the necessity had repeatedly been urged, had not been carried out; owing to an insufficient quantity of sand being available the work of replenishing the filters had been only half done; the staff was at less than half the proper strength, 10 out of 18 men having left, partly, it was explained, in consequence of unhealthiness and partly in consequence of irregularity of pay.

These strictures on the managements of the water-works are confirmed by the following remarks made by the Magistrate of Hooghly in reviewing the work of the Municipality during the year 1917-18.

"The water-supply was not regular for want of coal, and the usual hours of supplying water had to be curtailed in consequence to the great inconvenience of the public. The stock of coal was not sufficient, and the work was managed at times by locally purchasing a few cart loads of coal."

10. The record of the failure of the Municipal Commissioners to ensure the metering of private house-connections in accordance with the rules issued by Government under section 290, Bengal Municipal Act, in February 1915 is equally unsatisfactory. Within seven months after the issue of these rules, the Municipal Commissioners had given nearly 300 house-connections without meters, with the result that persons with private connections were using 30 to 40 gallons of water per head daily, whilst the rest of the population were getting only 4 gallons per head. Orders were, therefore, issued by Government in December 1915, that every house-connection must be fitted with a meter without any further delay. At a meeting held on the 17th July 1916, the Municipal Commissioners resolved that, from the 1st August 1916, no house-connections should be allowed without meters and that the connections made before the 31st July 1916 should be metered by the 1st January 1917. Subsequently, however, on the representation of rate-payers that very few meters were available in the market and that the prices at which they could be obtained were prohibitive, the Commissioners resolved, on the 16th December 1916, to extend the time for affixing meters to the 1st July 1917. This resolution was accepted by Government, but at the same time it was pointed out that meters should be ordered without further delay, in order that they might be affixed before the expiry of the extended period. On the 12th April 1917, the Municipal Commissioners passed a resolution to the effect that new applications for house-connections presented up to the 30th June 1917 might be granted without meters being affixed provided that the applicants gave a written undertaking to fix meters when required by the Commissioners to do so and deposited a sum of Rs. 25 as security for the due fulfilment of their undertaking. From the date on which this resolution was passed up to the 24th May 1917, six new house-connections were allowed bringing the total number of connections up to 384, of which only 44 had been metered; of these 44 all but 11 were on Government buildings.

11. Subsequently notices were issued by the Chairman on the 20th May 1917, to the house owners who had unmetered connections stating that if they failed to provide meters by the 1st July 1917, the water would be cut off. Protests were made against this notice by some of the house-owners concerned, and a special meeting was held by the Municipal Commissioners on the 18th June 1917 to consider the matter. At this meeting it was resolved that the notice in question should be withdrawn and that no further action should be taken in the matter of the introduction of meters without a resolution by the Commissioners at a meeting. It was urged by the Municipal Commissioners that no meters of the size required were available, but enquiry showed that no order for the supply of meters had ever been given while the Commissioners had not taken any effective action to secure the affixing of meters, either by themselves or by private persons, since the publication of the rules in 1915.

12. In these circumstances it was pointed out to the Municipal Commissioners in August 1917 that it was clearly their duty to insist on the enforcement of the agreements for the provision of meters, that their resolution of the 18th June 1917 was contrary to the spirit of the rules issued under the Bengal Municipal Act and in excess of their legal powers, and that their action in

having allowed house-connections without meters, being a violation of those rules, was *ultra vires*. They were accordingly directed to rescind their resolution and place orders without further loss of time for the necessary number of meters to be supplied at the earliest possible date. At the same time their attention was drawn to the fact that the consumption per head had increased from 4·81 gallons per head in 1914 to 11·29 gallons per head in 1916, concomitantly with the grant of unmetered house-connections ; that it was estimated that one-eighth of the inhabitants were consuming more than one-half of the water supplied ; and that the poorer classes suffered from want of water owing to wasteful consumption by their richer neighbours. In reply to these orders the Municipal Commissioners submitted a representation to the effect there was no waste of water due to unmetered house-connections. Government were unable to accept this argument, which was contrary to the proved facts, and in January 1918 directed the Municipal Commissioners, on pain of supersession under section 65 of the Bengal Municipal Act, to place an order within one month for 120 meters, which should be affixed by instalments and the cost thereof recovered from the house-holders concerned. It was suggested that as soon as the cost of each instalment was recovered, an order for the same number should be given and they should similarly be affixed, the process being repeated until all the unmetered connections were metered. The orders of Government were accepted by the Commissioners, and in February 1918 the Chairman reported that an order for 120 meters had been issued, which on receipt would be duly affixed to the house-connections already granted in the way suggested by Government.

13. On the 2nd May, the Assistant Sanitary Engineer reported that the 120 meters ordered had been received, but no surface boxes had either been ordered, or received, and no attempt had been made to fix the meters. The Sanitary Engineer wrote to the Chairman pointing out that the spirit of the Government orders had been flagrantly disregarded and threatening to report to Government if this defiant attitude continued. In reply, the Chairman stated that the owners of unmetered houses had been called upon to affix meters within a month. When, however, the Assistant Sanitary Engineer inspected on the 5th June he found that out of 120 meters only 2 had been sent out, and that the Commissioners had resolved to purchase only 20 surface boxes for meters. On the 12th July, the Water-works Inspector reported that only 4 of the 120 meters had been fitted and that out of 400 existing connections only 55 were metered, of which 40 were on Government buildings. At a subsequent visit made on the 6th September, the Inspector found that no more meters had been fixed.

14. The Governor in Council regrets to observe that the management of the water-works is not the only respect in which the Municipal Commissioners have failed to discharge their duties properly during their term of office. Their neglect of other branches of the administration has more than once been animadverted upon by Government. In the annual resolution on the working of municipaiities during 1915-16 it was remarked :

"The Commissioners of Hooghly-Chinsura declined to impose a water-rate adequate to meet the maintenance charges of the water-works ; the collection of taxes was bad ; and the Municipality had insufficient funds to carry out municipal work efficiently."

In the resolution for 1916-17, Government again drew attention to the serious defects of the administration :—

"The state of affairs", it was stated, "in the important municipality of Hooghly-Chinsura continued to be far from satisfactory. The collections were defective and the roads bad ; there was excessive consumption of filtered water by private house-holders in the absence of meters ; and sanitary officers had not been appointed at the end of the year."

15. No improvement in the administration has since been effected. In a note on the audit of the municipal accounts, dated the 13th November 1917, the Examiner of Local Accounts observed that the taxation accounts were in a deplorable condition. In his annual report for the year 1917-18, dated the 1st September 1918, the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, after referring to the fact that the Municipal Commissioners had appointed

neither a Health Officer nor a second Sanitary Inspector, as required by the statutory rules of Government, reported :—

"There has been a lack of supervision over the municipal staff with the result that serious irregularities and embezzlements have occurred; heavy arrears of taxes have accumulated; large outstanding liabilities have not been met, and the closing balances have been unduly reduced. The outstanding liabilities are considerable and the financial position is very unsatisfactory. This is partly due to the imposition of an inadequate water-rate, the income from which is insufficient to meet the charges for water-supply."

A recent inspection by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, held on the 22nd September 1918, has shown that the financial condition of the Municipality is even worse than was suspected and that it is practically bankrupt. He found a serious deficit in the water-rate fund due to the refusal of the Municipal Commissioners to assess an adequate rate. The balance to the credit of the water-works capital account was Rs. 8,541 on the 31st March 1918, but the whole of this balance had been diverted. The arrears of taxes at the beginning of the year amounted to Rs. 10,937, of which Rs. 6,605 was still unrealized. Out of a demand of Rs. 40,533 for the half-year ending on the 30th September 1918, nearly Rs. 11,000 had still to be collected. The actual cash balance on the 31st August was only Rs. 225-8, and the amount due on account of unpaid bills received by the Municipal Commissioners aggregated Rs. 24,386. The Chairman estimated that about Rs. 5,000 was also due on account of bills which had not yet been presented, so that the liabilities amounted to about Rs. 30,000. The outdoor staff office establishment and even the road coolies had not yet received their pay for August. The Commissioner had already asked the Municipal Commissioners to examine their financial condition with reference to the question of paying outstanding debts and meeting the deficit of the water-rate fund. He laconically reports the result :—

"At a meeting held on the 10th September, the Municipal Commissioners resolved to postpone the consideration of this subject."

16. After the most careful consideration, the Government of Bengal have come to the conclusion that the Municipal Commissioners have persistently made default in the performance of their duties and have proved themselves incompetent to conduct the administration of the Municipality. They have been treated for years past with great patience, but have deliberately neglected the warnings and instructions given to them ; and the Governor in Council is reluctantly forced to decide that temporary supersession is necessary in the interests of the rate-payers themselves.

In these circumstances, the Governor in Council declares by this order, issued under section 65 of the Bengal Municipal Act, that the Commissioners of the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality are incompetent to perform and persistently make default in the performance of their duties, and he directs that they be superseded for the period of one year with effect from the date of the publication of this Resolution in the *Calcutta Gazette*. In exercise of the powers conferred by section 66 of the Act, the Governor further directs that all the powers and duties of the Commissioners shall, during the period of supersession, be exercised and performed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly for the time being.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Preliminary Forecast of the *bhadoi* crops of Bengal, 1918-19.

(*Note.*—On an average of the five years ending 1916-17, the area under autumn rice in Bengal has represented some 6·5 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.)

Character of the season.—The weather was generally favourable in the beginning of the season. Sowings, in consequence, commenced at the usual time. April and May were favourable months for the autumn crops, especially in the Eastern Bengal districts, although the rainfall in the latter month was somewhat excessive. The heavy rainfall in June and absence of sunshine however retarded growth. In July the *bhadoi* crops suffered through want of rain in some of the western districts. Floods during this month and excessive rain in August were responsible for damage in the eastern and northern districts. On the whole the season may be regarded as an unfavourable one for these crops.

Acreage.—The total area sown this year with the different *bhadoi* crops is returned at 5,937,200 acres against 5,905,300 acres and 5,964,300 acres, respectively, in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year. Of this area that under autumn rice is estimated at 5,046,300 acres against 5,073,900 acres and 5,076,100 acres in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

Outturn.—According to the estimates of the District Officers the outturn of the different *bhadoi* crops works out to 81 per cent. of the normal against 87 and 88 per cent. reported respectively in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year. Autumn rice, which is the most important *bhadoi* crop, shows an outturn of 81 per cent. as compared with 87 and 88 per cent. in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

S. MILLIGAN,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DARJEELING,
The 1st October 1918.

APPENDIX I.

Preliminary Forecast of the *Bhadoi* Crops of Bengal, 1918-19.

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	75,400	71,000	62,600	92	75		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	...	100	200	83	67		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,600	2,600	2,600	75	67		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops	1,800	4,400	3,800	58	58	Middle of April to June Early	The decrease in area was due to rather heavy rainfall at sowing time. The weather has not been favourable, and the outturn is expected to be below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,600	2,300	2,200	92	92		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize	...	300	200	83	83		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	100	1,300	1,200	83	75		
	Total ...	84,000	81,900	72,800	90	74		
Nadia.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	451,100	468,500	473,800	75	83		The increase in area was due to timely rainfall and to some jute lands being sown with *aus* paddy. The weather has not been favourable. Damage to some extent was done to the crops in the Ranaghat subdivision by the untimely excessive rainfall.
	Mandua, marua or ragi	100	...	...		...		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	800	...		...	...		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	8,000	4,900	5,700	58	58		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Indigo	1,000	5,300	5,000	67	67		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,400	2,200	2,100	67	58	April and May	
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,800	2,000	1,900	67	50		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,800	2,800	3,000	92	58		
	Mulberry	(50)	...	...	..	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	8,100	15,700	15,700	75	67		
	Total ...	523,900	501,400	506,200	72	82		
Murshidabad.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	229,700	176,400	177,900	83	83		
	Jawar	100	100	100	100	92		
	Bajra	500	400	300	75	83		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	500	600	500	75	75		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,000	1,000	1,000	75	83		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	4 000	4,000	75	67		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	800	1,100	58	58		
	Indigo	.....	1,700	5,100	92	75	April to June. Normal.	The weather conditions were favourable at sowing time, but recent excessive rain is likely to affect the crops. The damage by heavy rain is expected to be 10 per cent.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops	2,000	1,600	1,700	83	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	5,000	3,000	2,800	75	75		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,500	2,100	2,200	83	75		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	400	600	400	58	67		
	Mulberry	4,000	3 500	3,900	75	67		
	Bhadoi non food crops other than fodder and fibres.	20,000	13,000	4,800	7	75		
	Total ...	271,200	208,800	205,100	81	81		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Jessore	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice),	407,300	369,800	371,200	83	75	April. Normal ...	The decrease in area is due to heavy rain at sowing time. Some damage was caused by heavy rainfall especially in low lands. The outturn is below the normal as the growth of the crops was in the beginning affected owing to heavy rainfall.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	12,200	11,100	9,400	64	60		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	12,200	10,800	8,500	75	75		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,100	..	500	...	50		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	12,100	2,000	1,100	75	75		
	Total ...	445,000	393,700	393,700	81	75		
Khulna.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice),	17,800	17,700	20,200	100	91	Beginning of April ...	The increase in area is due to the fact that some jute lands were sown with paddy owing to the fall in the price of jute. The outturn is below the normal owing to excessive rainfall at sowing time.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	200	100	100	77	91	Middle of May.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	600	600	400	85	91		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	14,800	12,400	13,000	77	91		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	300	200	100	92	100	May. The dates are normal.	
	Total ...	33,700	31,000	33,800	90	91		
Burdwan.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	107,500	115,500	100	92	Middle of May to middle of June.	The increase in area under *bhadoi* paddy was due to timely rainfall, but the decrease in other cases was due to unequal distribution of rainfall. The weather has been favourable except in the Asansole subdivision where there was no timely rainfall.
	Maudua, marua or ragi	...	...	(50)	...	100	End of June.	
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	3,000	2,000	1,000	83	83	June.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,000	700	600	92	100	July.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,200	1,100	1,000	92	100	Middle of May to July.	
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,000	2,900	2,600	92	83		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	1,600	1,100	92	92		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize)	200	200	200	83	100	Middle of May.	
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	6,000	4,800	4,500	75	92	May to middle of July.	
	Mulberry	100	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	4,000	3,900	2,100	75	75		
	Total ...	160,200	123,700	128,600	98	99	The dates are normal.	
Birbhum.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	144,100	133,100	133,100	100	100	June. Normal ...	The weather has been generally good for the growth of the crops.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,900	1,900	1,900	83	83		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,400	1,200	1,200	100	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	10,000	10,000	10,000	100	100		
	Mulberry	1,000	(50)	(35)	83	67		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,800	2,800	2,800	83	100		
	Total ...	161,300	149,000	149,000	99	100		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bankura.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	21,900	5,500	5,500	117	117	Middle of June.	The weather was good at sowing time, but subsequently there was want of rain which retarded the transplanting and growth of the crops.
	Bajra	800	700	700	117	100		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	1,100	800	800	117	100		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	3,400	3,200	3,200	133	100		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,000	1,500	1,500	117	100		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	1,500	1,500	133	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	1,500	1,500	133	117		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	700	4,400	4,400	117	100		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	600	700	700	133	117		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	1,200	1,800	1,800	117	83		
	Total ...	40,900	31,600	31,600	127	105		
Midnapore.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	73 000	72,900	72,900	83	80	July. Normal.	The weather was not favourable at sowing time. Want of rain in July caused some damage. Subsequently the weather has been favourable
	Bajra	3,900	3,400	3,400				
	Mandua, marua or ragi	6,700	6,200	6,200				
	Indian corn (maize) ...	11,000	5,200	5,200				
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	3,100	3,100				
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	10,500	10,200	10,200				
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,500	6,000	6,000				
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	6,000	7,000	7,000				
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,800	1,000	1,000				
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	1,000	1,100	1,100				
	Mulberry	400	100	100				
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	15,000	7,600	7,600				
	Total ...	142,300	125,800	125,800	83	80		
Hooghly.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	45,300	30,400	27,400	70	66	June. Normal.	The decrease in areas under *bhadoi* paddy and *bhadoi* fruits and vegetables was due to untimely heavy rainfall at sowing time. The weather has not been favourable.
	Indian corn (maize) ...	200	200	100	66	100		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	600	400	400	65	67		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		100	100	33	46		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,100	4,100	3,600	69	63		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	600	600	69	67		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	100	100	100	50	30		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	100	100	100	91	84		
	Mulberry	100	...	..	...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	500	...	...	...	...		
	Total ...	51,900	36,900	32,400	70	66		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Howrah.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	18,500	8,800	7,700	50	58	Middle of June. Late.	The weather has not been favourable owing to irregular rainfall. The outturn is expected to be below the normal owing to heavy rainfall at the beginning and want of rainfall in the middle of the season. In the Singti thana the *bhadoi* paddy has been damaged to a considerable extent.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	300	100	100	67	67		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,300	1,000	900	50	58		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	17,900	5,300	5,300	58	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	2,700	1,500	1,400	58	58		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize	1,500	300	400	67	67		
	Total ...	41,500	16,900	15,800	54	64		
Rajshahi.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	300,000	289,200	285,000	85	66		The decrease in area was due to unfavourable weather at sowing time. The floods in June damaged the crop in the Naogaon subdivision to some extent. The heavy rain in August has also affected the crops to some extent. The outturn is expected to fall much below the normal.
	Jowar	100	300	200	80	80		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	300	200	200	75	50		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,100	1,300	1,300	90	70		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	6,800	6,000	6,000	80	57		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ..	2,000	1,900	1,900	80	60		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,200	3,600	3,500	85	62		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	1,500	3,000	3,000	85	55		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	4,800	4,800	4,800	75	60		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	500	400	400	90	60		
	Mulberry	1,000	700	700	85	65		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	600	900	900	85	60		
	Total ...	319,500	312,300	307,900	85	66		
Dinajpur.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	130,700	126,200	136,700	60	80	Middle of April. Normal.	The increase in area is due to timely and adequate rainfall. Some damage was done to the crops on low lands by excessive rainfall. Hence the outturn is below the normal.
	Jowar	1,200	700	1,700	67	72		
	Bajra	100	100	300	75	75		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	...	...	200	...	78		
	Indian-corn (maize, ...	1,000	900	900	74	77		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,600	100	400	25	69		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses	900	300	500	16	70		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,700	1,500	1,200	42	72		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	100	800	700	62	70		
	Bhadoi fodder-crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize	...	...	500	...	77		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	300	(20)	6,700	75	81		
	Total ...	137,600	130,600	169,800	51	80		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Jalpaiguri.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	196,000	176,000	171,100	95	80	Middle of April in the Western Duars, Normal. First week of May, other parts, Late.	
	Mandua, marua or ragi	300	200	200	75	66	Last week of April, Normal.	
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	4,000	2,800	2,700	88	80	Third week of April in Alipur Normal. First week of May in Chakiajat Estate, Late.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,100	1,000	1,000	76	70	Middle of April, Normal	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,300	1,800	1,700	78	70		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetable including root-crops	15,500	13,200	13,100	75	70		The decrease in area is due to insufficient rainfall at the time of sowing. The weather was unfavourable throughout the season Excessive rain in June and July has considerably damaged the crops. Hence the outturn is much below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	9,300	6,000	5,800	81	70		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize	5,000	5 000	5,000	100	75	April Normal	
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	100	100	100	70	70		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	2,000	2,000	2,000	100	75		
	Total ...	236,800	208,100	202,700	93	79		
Darjeeling.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	7,200	3,800	3,800	77	85	October. Normal ...	The increase in area in some cases is due to favourable weather
	Mandua, marua or ragi	5 400	3,600	3,600	77	77	August. Normal.	
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	40,300	48,700	48,700	77	92		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,300	700	700	92	62		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		1,700	1,700	69	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	400	400	300	77	100		The decrease in area under *bhadoi* fruits and vegetables and other *bhadoi* food crops was due to incessant rain at sowing time
	Tea	52,000	52,000	54 700	100	100	August to October Normal	
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	5,200	4,600	4,400	69	85		
	Bhadoi fodder crops, other than Jowar, Bajra, marua and maize.		...	100	..	100		
	Other *bhadoi* non food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,900	1,200	1,300	86	100		
	Total ...	115,50)	116,700	119,300	87	95		
Rangpur.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	282,500	298.000	310,100	95	90		
	Jowar	200	300	300	80	100	March. Normal ...	The weather was good at the sowing time and a bumper crop was expected, but the flood at the latter part of July has caused damage to crops on low lands. Hence the outturn has fallen below the normal.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	100	100	100	100	100		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	20.000	4,200	4,900	80	80		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...						April Normal.	
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	10,000	3,400	1,400	80	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	18,000	300	900	90	90		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	...	...	..	..	...	First week of August. Normal.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	50,000	20,000	20,000	90	100		
	Total ...	380,800	326,300	337,700	94	90		

District.	Name of crops	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bogra	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	113,000	111,700	80	60	Beginning of April. Normal.	The weather was not favourable to the growth of the crops. Considerable damage was done by heavy rain. Hence the outturn has fallen much below the normal.
	Jowar	...	(20)	100	80	80		
	Bajra	...		(10)	...	100		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	...	(18)	(20)	87	85		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	...	3,000	3,000	75	40		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,500	1,600	1,500	30	10		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	...	300	400	87	30		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	300	200	90	62		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	2,000	400	400	100	25		
	Bhadoi fodder crops, other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.		100	100	38	35		
	Mulberry	100	(12)	(8)	45	45		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	200	...	...	...	...		
	Total ...	146,800	118,700	117,400	80	59		
Pabna.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.	140,000	181,500	180,000	85	65	Early in April. Late.	The weather condition was not favourable at sowing time for want of seasonable rainfall. Sudden flood in July damaged the crop to some extent. Hence the outturn is estimated below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	8,000	8,500	6,500	75	65		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	30,000	30,000	30,000	75	65		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	3,500	3,500	3,500	75	65		
	Total ...	181,500	221,500	220,000	83	65		
Malda	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	278,600	255,000	254,000	100	100	By the first week of May.	The increase in area is due to favourable weather at the time of sowing. The decrease in the outturn of crops other than autumn paddy, jowar and mulberry was due to stunted growth owing to want of manuring of the field. The figures for normal area and current year's area have been revised.
	Jowar	1,800	1,300	1,300	75	100		
	Bajra	1,400	1,300	1,200	75	80		
	Mandua	1,600	...	1,200	...	80		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	29,700	16,000	16,000	75	80	By the end of May.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,200	800	3,300	75	80		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	100	500	100	75	80		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	9,700	19,000	6,500	100	80		
	Mulberry	6,000	13,800	13,800	100	100	The dates are normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	20,000	...	19,400	...	75	By the end of May.	
	Bhadoi fodder crops, other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,000	...	1,100	...	75		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	7,000	...	1,000	...	75		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	3,400	...	1,000	...	75		
	Total ...	363,500	307,700	323,400	98	96		
Dacca.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	288,700	286,900	267,400	95	88	April. Normal.	The weather was generally favourable at sowing time, but sudden flood in July affected the crops to some extent. Hence the outturn is below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,200	...	...	...	...		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	500	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root crops.	5,000	3,900	4,000	77	73		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	28,500	19,400	19,400	99	99		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize	3,700	1,800	1,800	95	90		
	Total ...	277,600	282,000	293,600	95	89		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated Outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Mymensingh.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	390,600	466,500	466,500	100	75	1st part of April. Normal.	More rain was wanted in some places during the sowing time. Damage to crops is reported owing to heavy rainfall and early rise of rivers. Hence the outturn has fallen much below the normal.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	5,500	5,500	5,500	100	70		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	43,000	43,000	43,000	100	70		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	64,000	64,000	64,000	100	70		
	Total ...	503,100	579,000	579,000	100	74		
Faridpur.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	233,500	242,900	237,200	95	91	End of March and beginning of April. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to increase of jute cultivation this year. The weather was favourable at sowing time but subsequently heavy rainfall and flood damaged the crops to an extent of about 10 per cent.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including fodder-crops	23,300	23,700	22,200	86	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	500	500	500	87	75		
	Total ...	259,300	266,600	259,900	94	90		
Bakarganj.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	136,000	300,000	250,000	100	75	April Normal ...	The decrease in area is due to excessive rainfall at sowing time. Excessive rainfall was unfavourable to the growth of the crops. Hence the outturn is below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,000	500	500	80	75		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	140,000	148,000	140,000	100	75	February to May. Normal.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	1,400	1,500	1,500	80	75		
	Total ...	278,400	450,000	392,000	100	75		
Chittagong.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	202,000	206,800	204,000	90	96	.....	The weather was favourable at sowing time but subsequent heavy rainfall and floods have affected the growth of the crops and the outturn is likely to fall below the normal.
	Indian-corn maize ...	200	200	200	90	95		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	300	200	200	100	95		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,400	2,500	2,500	90	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,800	1,600	1,600	90	97		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	5,800	4,000	4,000	100	100		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	300	300	300	100	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	100	100	100	100	100		
	Tea	5,000	4,800	5,000	90	94		
	Total ..	218,900	220,000	217,900	90	96		
Tippera.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	320,000	316,000	314,000	60	90	April. Normal ...	Some damage was caused to the crops by excessive rainfall and floods. Hence the outturn is below the normal.
	Other *Bhadoi* cereals ...	1,100	600	600	75	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,000	1,100	1,100	60	60		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops	7,330	5,100	5,100	75	60		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,000	900	700	60	50		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	9,000	9,000	9 000	60	60		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	7,000	5,000	5,000	75	75		
	Total ...	346,400	337,700	335,500	60	88		

District.	Names of crops	Estimated normal area under each crop.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER EACH CROP		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF AREA		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late	Remarks by District Officers
			Last year.	This year.	Last year	This year		
		Acres	Acres.	Acres				
NOAKHALI.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	204,000	215,000	212 000	85	70	March to April Normal	The falling off in the outturn is due to want of rain at the beginning of the season and excessive rain later on
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops	1,000	1 000	1,000	100	90		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra marua and maize	2,000	2 000	2,000	100	90		
	Other *bhadoi* non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	(21)	.			...		
	Total ..	207,000	218 000	215.000	85	70		
CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	138,000	136 000	136.000	90	72	By the middle of April. Normal	The decrease in area is due to heavy rainfall Some damage was done in place by the heavy rainfall in July and August. Hence the outturn has fallen much below the normal.
	Indian corn (maize)	2,100	2 000	1 900	60	49		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses	4,000	3,500	3 000	70	60		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	7,000	7,900	7,500	60	40		
	Total	201,100	171,400	168 300	88	70		
TOTAL BENGAL.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	5 050,100	5,076 100	5 045,300	88	81		
	Jowar	3,400	2,700	2,700	75	84		
	Bajra .	6,700	5,900	5 900	85	82		
	Mandua, maruа or ragi	14,800	11,400	12,900	83	77		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	105,100	98,700	87,400	79	85		
	Other *bhadoi* cereal	113 400	78,200	76,800	74	70		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses							
	Indigo ...	1 000	7 000	10,100	73	71		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables including root crops.	295,.00	280,900	269 100	92	76		
	Other *bhadoi* food crops	181,300	151 500	137,200	87	76		
	Bhadoi fodder crop other than jowar, bajra maruа and maize	136.100	101,000	130.000	93	69		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	19,700	8 100	12,800	82	81		
	Mulberry .	12,700	15,100	17 800	94	93		
	Tea	57,000[a]	56,600	59,700[a]	99	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	132,800	77,900	77,700	81	82		
	Total	6,129,400	5,964,300	5 937,200	98	81		

[a] Exclusive of figures for Jalpaiguri and the Chittagong Hill Tracts

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First Forecast of the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1918-19.

(Note.—On the average of the five years ending 1916-17 the area under winter rice in Bengal represents some 19·3 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India).

Two crops, agriculturally distinct, are returned in the Winter Rice Forecasts, one the broadcasted deep water rice found mostly in Eastern Bengal and sown from the beginning of March onwards, the other and more important crop being transplanted from seedbeds in July and August. Early rainfall (but not floods) suits the sowing of the broadcast crop and of seedbeds for the transplanted varieties. Good general rainfall in July and August permits of a large area of the transplanted crop being planted, while plentiful showers in October secures a full crop in those districts where the soil is on account of its high situation or of its comparative porosity not ideally suitable for paddy cultivation. Both crops are harvested about the same time, the main crop being generally cut in December.

Character of the Season.—The season began unusually favourably the sowings of the deep water broadcast crop and of seedbeds being completed in good time. As a result of the favourable rainfall in May and June preparatory tillage for the transplanted crop was well advanced. The July rainfall was below normal in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions generally and in the districts of Rajshahi, Bogra, Pabna, Malda and Noakhali. Pabna, however, grows comparatively little of the transplanted crop. Noakhali had plenty of rain at any rate, and the deficiency in Rajshahi was not sufficient to affect transplantation. Outside the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, Bogra and Malda were therefore the only two districts to suffer from subnormal rainfall. The deficiency in July was, however, completely made up in August and a full area of the transplanted crop has been put down.

Acreage.—According to the figures returned by District Officers the total area under the winter rice crop amounts to 15,945,800 acres as compared with 15,299,000 and 15,515,500 acres in the First and Final Forecasts of last year. The increase over last year's figures is to be found mainly in the large increases shown in the Dinajpur and Rungpore returns, where the area was seriously reduced last year owing to scarcity of autumn rainfall. No district shows any serious decline this year.

Outturn :—

(Note.—As the crop at the time of reporting is not yet in ear outturn figures in this Forecast must be qualified with the remark that the estimates in each case are based on the assumption of normal weather conditions prevailing until at least the end of October For example there is still time for the outturn of the transplanted crop to be seriously reduced through drought while unusually favourable conditions till harvest time would produce bumper crops in many districts.)

From the District returns it will be noted that the crop expectations vary from 50 per cent. of the normal in the case of the Chittagong Hill Tracts which, however, are unimportant from the point of view of area to 108 per cent. in Burdwan which is the only district returning a crop above normal. Six districts anticipate a normal crop, thirteen a crop between 80 to 98 per cent., four between 68 per cent. and 75 per cent. and three below the latter figure.

On the basis of the above figures the Provincial crop expectations are 90 per cent. of normal against 96 per cent. in the corresponding forecast of last year. The averaging of District estimates for the First Forecast is, however, not always a trustworthy method of arriving at Provincial figures, as most District Officers wisely decline to submit figures above normal at so early a stage. It is clear that with ordinarily favourable weather, the crop in many districts will this year exceed the normal. Prospects, on the whole, are no worse than they were at the time of the First Forecast of last year when the district normals averaged 96 per cent. I consider, therefore, that 95 per cent. of normal would represent a fairly reasonable expectation for the Presidency in the absence of any unduly unfavourable weather conditions.

DARJEELING,
The 1st October, 1918.

S. MILLIGAN.
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

FIRST FORECAST OF THE WINTER RICE CROP OF BENGAL, 1918-19.

DISTRICT.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER WINTER RICE.		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF AREA.		Date by which the sowing of broadcasted winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which the transplanting of winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	REMARKS BY DISTRICT OFFICERS.
		Last year (1917-18).	This year (1918-19).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
24-Parganas ...	899,700	880,400	894,300	117	100	May; normal	July; normal	The increase in area is due to more area being brought under cultivation owing to reclamation of lands in the Sundarbans. The weather has been generally favourable but heavy rainfall damaged the crop to some extent in the Basirhat subdivision. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Nadia	136,800	123,800	125,600	83	88	April; normal	July; normal	The increase in area is due to some jute lands being sown with *aman* paddy owing to low price of jute in 1917-18. The weather has not been favourable. There was scant rainfall at the time of transplantation and heavy rainfall afterwards when not required. Some damage was done by excessive rainfall. For untimely rainfall the outturn is expected to be much below the normal.
Murshidabad	345,600	312,100	319,700	92	92	May to June; normal.	June to July	The increase in area is due to early and favourable rainfall at the sowing season. The weather has been favourable, but rain was wanted in July for transplantation. Heavy rain in August may affect the crop.
Jessore ...	568,100	463,000	455,800	96	84	April; normal	July; normal	The decrease in area was due to want of timely rain as well as to excessive and untimely rain and the lands having been under water at sowing time. The weather has not been favourable. The paddy in low lands were submerged in some places.
Khulna ...	745,300	750,000	743,800	108	100	May and June; normal.	July; normal	The decrease in area was due to untimely heavy rainfall. The weather has been favourable. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Burdwan ...	874,800	716,000	717,000	108	108	Middle of May to middle of June.	June to August.	The weather was favourable at sowing time. Excessive rainfall has affected the growth of the crop in the Sadar subdivision. Elsewhere it is favourable. Slight damage has been done in the Kalna subdivision owing to flood.
Birbhum ...	604,800	601,600	601,600	100	100	No broadcast sowing in this district.	End of June; early.	The weather has been favourable.
Bankura ...	540,600	520,000	520,000	117	94	Middle of June; normal.	Middle of July	The insufficient rain in June and July retarded the transplantation for some time.
Midnapore ...	1,579,400	1,637,000	1,618,000	110*	100	May; normal	July; normal	The increase in area is due to extended cultivation. The weather was favourable at sowing time but scanty rainfall in July affected the transplantation to some extent. The weather has since been favourable. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Hooghly ...	276,700	198,000	196,900	100	84	May; normal	In Arambagh, June early, In Serampore and Sadar, July late.	The decrease in area was due to want of timely rainfall. The weather has not been favourable. It was dry at sowing time, but there was frequent heavy rainfall later on.
Howrah ...	125 200	119,300	114,400	87	88	Middle of May; early.	Middle of July; normal.	The decrease in area was due to excessive rain at the beginning. The weather has been favourable at present, but it was not so at sowing time. For want of sufficient rain in July and August the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Rajshahi ...	697,900	582,600	6 30,000	80	58	April; normal	Latter part of July; normal.	The increase in area was due to the fact that owing to low prices of jute last year the cultivators took more largely to cultivation of winter rice. The weather was favourable at the time of sowing and continued so up to 26th August when a large tract in the Naogaon subdivision was flooded by an abnormal rainfall followed by rise of the river. The flood extended later on to parts of the Sadar subdivision. The approximate damage in the Naogaon subdivision is estimated at 50 per cent.
Dinajpur ...	1,120,000	749,800	1,035,900	80	82	Middle of May; normal.	First part of July; normal.	The increase in area was due to timely rainfall. The weather was favourable at sowing time but has not been so subsequently owing to heavy rainfall which retarded the growth of the crop. The flood also caused a little damage to the low land crop. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Jalpaiguri ...	551,300	434,000	455,400	100	95	Beginning of May; normal.	End of June (early in Alipur and normal in other parts).	The decrease in area is due to the fact that the transplantation was not finished at the time when the forecast was submitted. The weather has been favourable. Insufficient rainfall in August in the Alipur subdivision has caused the outturn to fall below the normal.
Darjeeling ...	65,200	26,100	25,900	100	100	May-June; normal.	July-August; normal.	The weather has been favourable.
Rangpur ...	822,300	685,000	673,000	80	90	May; normal	Beginning of June; normal.	The increase in area is due partly to favourable weather at sowing time and partly to low price of jute obtained last year. The weather has been favourable but about 25 per cent. of the crop of low lands in the Gaibandha subdivision suffered from floods.
Bogra	303,000	445,800	450,000	80	68	Middle of March; normal.	1st week of June; normal.	Want of rain at sowing time was not favourable to the cultivation and growth of the crop. High flood due to excessive rain in June, July and August also caused damage. Hence the outturn is much below the normal.

* Revised.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	Estimated area under winter rice.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of broadcasted winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which the transplanting of winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1916-17.)	This year (1917-18.)	Last year.	This year.			
Pabna ...	546,000	503,700	510,000	100	70	End of March; normal.	End of July; normal.	The increase in area is due to low price of jute last year. The weather was not favourable at sowing time. High flood also caused damage to the crop. The outturn is expected to be much below the normal.
Malda ...	326,300*	320,000	300,700	110	75	June; normal	Latter part of June; normal.	The decrease in area was due to want of rain at the time of sowing and transplantation. The weather was favourable in June. In July the sowing and transplantation were stopped for want of rain. About 25 per cent. of the crop has been damaged by drought and subsequent flood.
Dacca ...	647,900*	645,000	647,000	110	93	End of March; normal.	Middle of July; normal.	For broadcast winter rice the weather was favourable during the sowing time but for the transplanted paddy there was too much rain. Some damage has been done to the crop owing to high flood.
Mymensingh ...	1,126,700	969,700	969,700	100	80	First part of April; normal.	First part of July; normal.	The weather has been generally favourable but more rain was wanted in some places during the sowing time. Damage by flood to the extent of 30 per cent. is reported from Kishoreganj and 40 per cent from Netrakona.
Faridpur ...	770,100	737,900	740,000	100	94	March and beginning of April; normal.	June and July; normal.	The decrease in area is due to corresponding increase in area under jute. The weather has not been very favourable for the growth of the crop. The outturn is at present expected to fall somewhat below the normal.
Bakarganj ...	1,200,000	1,267,000	1,340,000	105	90	Middle of June; normal.	Middle of July; normal.	The increase in area is due to corresponding decrease in the areas under *bhadoi* paddy and jute. The weather was slightly unfavourable at sowing time but has subsequently been favourable. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Chittagong ...	418,400	436,100	420,000	100	98	May and June; normal.	July and August; normal.	The decrease in area is due to damage of paddy seedlings by flood. The weather has not been favourable. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to damage caused by floods.
Tippera ...	734,800	780,000	780,000	100	70	March; normal.	August; normal.	The weather has not been favourable. About 30 per cent. of the crop has been damaged by flood. Excessive rain and flood are likely to cause the outturn to fall below the normal.
Noakhali ...	610,000	600,000	600,000	100	85	April; normal	July; normal	The effects of the weather on the cultivation and growth of the crop have not been favourable. Hence a low outturn is expected.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	47,500	42,000	41,600	75	50	Middle of June; normal.	Middle of August; late.	The decrease in area is due to want of seedlings which were destroyed by flood. The weather has not been favourable owing to excessive rain. A considerable damage has been done by flood. The outturn is expected to fall much below the normal.
Total Bengal	16,663,500*	15,515,500	15,945,300	100	90			

* Revised.

Statement showing the Normal and Actual rainfall in inches in each district during May to August 1918.

District.	May.		June.		July.		August.	
	Normal.	Actual.	Normal.	Actual.	Normal.	Actual.	Normal.	Actual.
1. 24-Parganas	5·53	11·69	11·22	16·58	13·20	9·57	12·21	12·35
2. Nadia	6·56	8·06	9·85	11·22	10·17	5·88	10·52	12·45
3. Murshidabad	5·33	7·89	10·48	14·46	10·94	8·27	11·00	26·24
4. Jessore	7·56	9·35	11·84	15·20	10·98	8·82	10·76	12·42
5. Khulna	7·74	12·19	12·83	22·71	15·04	10·59	12·88	15·85
6. Burdwan	5·06	5·16	10·72	16·82	11·39	8·11	11·37	18·53
7. Birbhum	4·32	4·17	10·42	16·94	12·42	7·04	11·75	21·94
8. Bankura	4·35	4·74	9·75	13·87	11·92	6·12	11·10	12·10
9. Midnapore...	4·97	6·62	11·35	12·49	12·47	7·01	10·99	11·19
10. Hooghly	5·67	8·20	9·93	12·65	12·06	10·41	11·40	10·66
11. Howrah	5·36	10·16	11·18	16·66	12·99	10·00	11·17	10·23
12. Rajshahi	6·06	11·42	11·06	16·32	11·60	7·02	10·43	25·46
13. Dinajpur	7·10	7·75	14·65	18·49	16·01	13·27	14·31	31·24
14. Jalpaiguri	14·37	17·96	27·08	35·51	32·81	39 58	28·92	27·39
15. Darjeeling	9·19	13·10	23·41	31·20	31·24	26·89	26·29	36·94
16. Rangpur	11·11	11·93	16·96	26·52	14·93	24·94	13·20	27·08
17. Bogra	8·26	10·75	12·78	21·65	13·71	10·73	12·01	29·32
18. Pabna	7·59	7·95	11·57	15·16	11·10	5·33	10·95	14·91
19. Malda	4·85	6·59	10·84	16·50	11·74	9·69	11·10	26·07
20. Dacca	10·11	11·20	14·43	18·75	12·96	17·94	13·64	19·21
21. Mymensingh	11·88	11·26	17·80	28·75	16·37	21·91	16·68	27·29
22. Faridpur	10·21	11·55	15·03	17·43	12·30	12·97	13·08	13·19
23. Bakarganj	9·38	17·29	18·18	28·31	18·14	15·67	16·24	21·71
24. Chittagong	10·34	19·49	22·52	39·67	26·80	31·34	22·78	30·06
25. Tippera	11·32	11·32	16·05	22·60	13·71	17·77	14·01	13·64
26. Noakhali	11·02	18 88	21·18	27·16	23·78	18·96	23·49	22·21
27. Chittagong Hill Tracts ...	10·21	12·59	18·11	29 98	20·95	31·36	17·87	24·45
28. Cooch Behar	14·32	12·42	27 60	31·21	24·68	37·74	21·25	35·06

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 3rd October 1918.

Summary.—The rainfall during the week was generally light in the western and northern districts and moderate elsewhere. Standing crops are suffering for want of rain in places in the Burdwan Division. Weeding of winter paddy still continues. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute are well advanced. Prospects of standing crops are generally reported to be fair. Lands are being prepared in places for the cultivation of *rabi* crops. Fodder is reported to be scarce in parts of Rajshahi and Dinajpur. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 3·3 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather condition of crops, etc.
			This week	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
1	24-Parganas	0·64	$7\frac{9}{16}$	8	Harvesting of jute in Basirhat and that of *aus* paddy in Baraset subdivisions have been finished. Steeping of jute continues.
	Diamond Harbour.	4·03	$7\frac{1}{4}$	$8\frac{1}{8}$	
	Barrackpore	3·05	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Barasat ...	2·55	9	10	
	Basirhat ...	2·72	$9\frac{1}{2}$	11	
2	Nadia ...	0·50	8	(*n*)	Prospects of standing crops are good. Weeding of *aman* paddy has commenced. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Steeping of jute continues.
	Kushtia ...	0·28	8	(*n*)	
	Meherpur ...	0·05	10	(*n*)	
	Chuadanga ...	0·03	9	(*n*)	
	Ranaghat ...	0·63	$7\frac{1}{8}$	(*n*)	
3	Murshidabad	0·27	$8\frac{3}{4}$	10	Prospects of standing crops are good. No damage is reported now.
	Lalbagh ...	0·40	8	$8\frac{1}{2}$	
	Jangipur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	$8\frac{1}{2}$	
	Kandi ...	Nil	10	11	
4	Jessore ...	3·82	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy is finished and that of jute is going on in places. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	0·17	12	12	
	Magura ...	0·65	$10\frac{8}{8}$	11	
	Narail ...	2·97	10	10	
	Bangaon ...	1·41	10	$12\frac{1}{16}$	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	9	9	Transplantation of *aman* paddy is over. Harvesting of jute is nearly finished.
	Satkhira ...	0·90	$9\frac{1}{2}$	(*n*)	
	Bagerhat ...	1·65	9	9	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	0·03	7½	8½	Weather bright. Harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy and weeding of winter paddy are going on. Winter paddy is suffering in places for want of rain. Cattle-disease is reported from Katugram.
	Asansol ...	0·30	7¾	9½	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kalna ...	5·05	8	8	
7	BIRBHUM ...	0·10	9	9	Weather hot. Rain is very urgently wanted for paddy.
	Rampurhat	Nil	9½	9½	
8	BANKURA ...	1·10	8½	8¾	Harvesting of *aus* paddy continues. Standing crops are suffering for want of rain. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Gangajalghati.
	Vishnupur ...	0·20	10	10	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	9 1/16	10 1/16	Harvesting of jute continues; outturn is fair.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8⅞	9⅛	
	Tamluk ...	0·86	8 9/16	8½	
	Contai ...	0·56	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ...	3·85	9	9	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are favourable.
	Serampore ...	2·00	7	7	
	Arambagh ...	0·73	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·83	7½	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute continues. Prospects of standing crops are favourable. *Aman* paddy is doing well.
	Ulubaria ...	1·23	8	8	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	0·03	9	8	Weather hot. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is insufficient in flooded areas.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Nator ...	0·03	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	0·04	7	7	Scarcity of fodder is reported from Kushumundi and Itahar police-stations.
	Thakurgaon	0·18	10	11	
	Balurghat ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	9½	
14	JALPAIGURI	0·99	9	10	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Washing of jute continues.
	Alipur ...	0·17	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	DARJEELING	0·99	7	8	Maize, cardamom and potatoes are being harvested. *Marua* is doing well. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cattle-disease is prevalent at places.
	Kurseong ...	0·75	7	7	
	Siliguri ...	0·60	10	10	
	Kalimpong...	0·62	8	9½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of winter rice has been finished. Steeping and washing of jute are still going on Price is rising steadily.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8½	
	Gaibandha ...	0·45	7	7	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	8½	8	Transplantation of winter paddy and harvesting of jute nearing completion.
18	PABNA ...	0·06	8	9	Weather hot in the day and cool at night. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Washing of jute is continuing. *Rabi* crops are being sown.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6½	6	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	9	9	Weather hot. Rain is wanted for standing winter rice crop.
20	COOCH BEHAR	2·08	8⅜	8⅜	Transplanting of *haimanti* seedlings is nearing completion. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute and cultivation of lands for tobacco and *rabi* crops are in progress. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	2·68	8⅜	(*n*)	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is almost finished. Transplantation of winter rice is in progress. Recent rain has improved the prospects of *aman* paddy.
	Manikganj ...	1·38	8⅜	9	
	Narayanganj	1·75	8⅞	8⅞	
	Munshiganj*	1·85	8	8⅜	
22	MYMENSINGH	4·65	6⅜	6⅜	Harvesting of jute is finished Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	0·09	6½	(*n*)	
	Tangail ...	0·23	7 1/16	8	
	Netrokona ...	7·57	7	7	
	Kishoreganj	5·91	7	(*n*)	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No	District and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
23	FARIDPUR ...	1·57	8	8	Weather is favourable to crops. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Goalundo ...	0·34	8¾	8¾	
	Madaripur ..	2·23	8	8	
	Gopalganj*...	1·98	9	9	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	7·00	8	8	Outturns of *aus* paddy and jute are not good.
	Pirojpur ...	3·63	8	8	
	Patuakhali	6·37	8	8½	
	Dakshin Shahbazpur (Bhola).	9·51	8	8	
25	CHITTAGONG	3·02	8	8	Weather fair. Prospects of standing crops are fair. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers per rupee.
	Cox's Bazar	(*n*)	(*n*)	9	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	4·58	7½	7½	Transplanting of *aman* paddy and harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy are nearly finished. The flood water is subsiding. Prospects of crops are fair.
	Brahmanbaria.	3·35	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	4·22	8	9	
27	NOAKHALI ...	7·93	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good in the Sadar subdivision. The flood has caused some damage to crops in parts of Feni subdivision.
	Feni ...	7·51	9	9	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	2·28	8	8	Reaping of *jhum* paddy is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are not good. Cotton is thriving well.

* The rainfall at Harkiaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here

N GUPTA,

DACCA, *the 6th October 1918.* for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 5th October 1918.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund. From—			To—			Retail price per seer. From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rice—												
Balam, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	9	0	3	3
Patnai, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	3	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
„ medium ...	5	4	0	6	4	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
Nagra, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	4	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	5	0	6	4	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
Dudhkalma ...	5	8	0	6	4	0	.....			.....		
Rangoon Boiled ...	4	4	0	4	12	0	.....			.....		
Kajla	4	2	0	4	12	0	0	2	3	.....		
Wheat, Dudhia	7	12	0	8	6	0	.....			.....		
„ Jamali	7	4	0	7	12	0	.....			.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	6	8	0	7	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	3
„ dal	7	2	0	7	8	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Mung „ (Hari)	11	0	0	11	8	0	0	4	3	0	5	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	10	0	0	10	8	0	0	3	6	0	4	6
Arhar „	6	0	0	7	8	0	0	3	3	0	3	9
Masur „ (split)	4	12	0	5	0	0	0	2	6	0	4	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	7	0	0	7	8	0	0	3	6	0	5	0
Kalai „	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	4	0	0	4	3
Salt	3	11	0	3	13	0	0	1	9	0	2	0
Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	4	0	.....			0	5	0	0	6	6
Gur, Bheli	6	8	0	7	8	0	0	2	6	.....		
„ Bhursut	8	12	0	.....			0	4	0	.....		
Milk	10	0	0	.....			0	3	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil	25	8	0	28	8	0	0	11	0	0	14	0
Flour (country)	10	4	0	11	8	0	0	4	3	0	5	6
Atta No. 3	7	0	0	.....			0	5	3	0	5	6
„ „ 2½	7	4	0	.....								
„ „ B	11	8	0	.....								
Suji	11	0	0	12	0	0	0	5	6	0	6	0
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	79	0	0	80	0	0	2	4	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	75	0	0	76	0	0	2	2	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	70	0	0	71	0	0	2	0	0	.....		
Maize	4	0	0	5	0	0	.....			.....		
Potato	6	8	0	7	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
Patal	.....			.....			0	6	0	.....		
Brinjal	3	12	0	4	0	0	0	1	6	0	3	0
Onion	3	12	0	4	6	0	0	1	9	0	2	0
Fish, Rahu	28	0	0	30	0	0	0	11	0	0	14	0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	.....		
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets.—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. RAY.

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1918.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 28th September 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1918.					
22nd Sept.	7 A.M	21·7	21·7	20·7	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
23rd ,,	7 ,,	21·5	21·5	20·6	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
24th ,,	7 ,,	21·4	21·4	20·7	
25th ,,	7 ,,	21·2	21·2	20·9	
26th ,,	7 ,,	20·9	20·9	21·2	Its reduced level is 22·41.
27th ,,	7 ,,	20·6	20·6	21·3	
28th ,,	7 ,,	20·4	20·4	21·4	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·0 on 9th August 1917.
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	4·3 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Highest ,,	...	25·76 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1869 and on 1st to 3rd September 1869.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	... ...	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 29th September 1918.

M. L. MOITRA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 28th September 1918.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero, *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level: Old value	Height of surface above mean sea-level: According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B. M.	Remarks.
1918.						
22nd Sept.	8 A.M	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	59·62	53·30	61·50	B. M. on College step 63·42.
23rd ,,	8 ,,		58·92	52·60	61·75	
24th ,,	8 ,,		58·62	52·30	62·30	
25th ,,	8 ,,		58·12	51·80	62 70	
26th ,,	8 ,,		57·72	51·40	63·30	
27th ,,	8 ,,		57·42	51·10	63·60	
28th ,,	8 ,,		57·02	50·70	64·00	

			Value according to old gauge.	Value according to new value of B. M.=63·42.
The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60 18
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	... 40·15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 38 83
Record ...	...	Highest ,,	... 69·26 on 26th August 1879	... 62·98
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62 76
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·80 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 61 89
	...	Lowest ,,	... 37·63 on 25th April 1884	... 31 31
	...	Ditto ,,	... 38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883	... 31·81
	...	Ditto ,,	... 39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32·70
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 39 28 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32 96

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 28th September 1918.

S. C. BHATTACHARJI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 28th September 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER		At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1918.							
22nd Sept.	66·4	...	...	...	...	66·4	
23rd ,,	66·35	...	...	...	...	66·35	
24th ,,	66·3	...	...	...	...	66·2	
25th ,,	66·2	...	...	...	...	66·1	
26th ,,	66·05	...	...	...	...	66·0	
27th ,,	65·9	...	...	...	...	65·86	
28th ,,	65·8	...	...	...	...	65·7	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·5
5th September	1909	...	67·86
10th August	1910	...	69·86
1st ,,	1911	...	68·46
13th ,,	1912	...	67·16
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1
28rd February	1907	...	51·06
13th ,,	1908	...	51·06
12th March	1912	...	51·06
6th ,,	1914	...	50·6
22nd February	1915	...	50·3
15th ,,	1916	...	50·6
3rd March	1917	...	51·0

Taken at high tide.

Taken at low tide.

DACCA, *The 3rd October 1918.*

J. K. BHATTACHARYYA, for *Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5578A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2202A D.—The 8th October 1918.*—Mr. D. Gladding, I.C.S., Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is appointed to be Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Financial Department.

Pabna.
Calcutta.

Hooghly. Noakhali. *No. 2209A.D.—The 9th October 1918.*—Mr. Sarat Kumar Ghose, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Noakhali.

Bakarganj. *No. 2212A.D.—The 9th October 1918.*—Mr. J. F. Graham, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Bakarganj.

Tippera. *No. 2225A.D.—The 9th October 1918.*—The services of Babu Nabagauranga Basak, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Brahmanbaria, Tippera, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Tippera. *No. 2230A.D.—The 9th October 1918.*—Babu Basanta Kumar Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Brahmanbaria, Tippera, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Rangpur. *No. 2236A.D.—The 9th October 1918.*—Mr. W. A. Marr, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Rangpur.

LEAVE.

Mymensingh. GENERAL.—*No. 2190A.D.—The 8th October 1918.*—Babu Upendra Mohan Sen Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Mymensingh. *No. 2199A.D.—The 8th October 1918.*—Babu Atul Chandra Guha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Calcutta. POLICE.—*No. 2220A.D.—The 9th October 1918.*—Mr. E. H. Corbett, Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Crime, Bengal, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Nadia. *No. 1528T.-R.—The 8th October 1918.*—Maulvi Shaikh Abdullah, sub *pro tem.* Sub-Deputy Collector, Chuadanga, Nadia, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in that district, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties.

No. 1530T.-R.—The 8th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorized to discharge, in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Nadia.
Murshidabad.
Burdwan.
Hooghly.
24-Parganas.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I. of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

Babu Surendra Nath Ray, Deputy Collector.

Maulvi Shaikh Abdullah, sub. *pro tem.* Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 1531T.-R.—The 8th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorized to discharge, in the district of Jessore, as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, Deputy Collector.

„ Dhirendra Kumar Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector.

Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Sudrul Ola, Sub-Deputy Collector.

„ Muhammad Raziuddin Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 1532T.-R.—The 8th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorized to discharge, in the district of Bankura, as well as in the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.
Burdwan.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

Babu Jamini Prasanna Ray, Deputy Collector.

Maulvi Asad Husain, Sub-Deputy Collector.

„ Mafiz-ud-din Fakir, sub. *pro tem.* Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 1533T.R.—The 8th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3(*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Bhubaneswar Sanyal, Sub-Deputy Collector, is authorized to discharge, in the district of Midnapore, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to suryeys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Midnapore.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part 1, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 1534T.-R.—The 8th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Kshetra Mohan Mukharji, Probationary Deputy Collector, is authorized to discharge, in the district of Rajshahi, as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda, which lie in mauzas falling, wholly or partly, within five miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi. Pabna. Murshidabad. Nadia. Malda.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 1552T.-R.—The 9th October 1918.—Maulvi Abu Ali Muhammad Chaudhuri, Additional Subdivisional Officer of the Sadar Subdivision in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Mymensingh.

No. 1554T.-R.—The 9th October 1918.—Babu Kshirod Lal Mukharji, Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Bakarganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1545T.-R.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Kalidas Chakrabatti, District Sub-Registrar, Dinajpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for 22 days, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Dinajpur.

No. 1548T.-R.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Hemanta Kumar Das Gupta, Sadar Joint Sub-Registrar, Dinajpur, will act as District Sub-Registrar, Dinajpur, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kalidas Chakrabatti, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Under section 20 of Calcutta Survey Act, I of 1887.

To

All Owners, Managers, and Agents of lands in the "Town of Howrah", lying within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, from Wards Nos. 1 to 15, Circle Nos. 1 to 11.

WHEREAS a survey has been made, and boundaries demarcated, of all municipal holdings situated in the above area within the Howrah Municipality. You are hereby informed that the maps and records are open to inspection. You are, therefore, requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within sixty days of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps and records can be inspected at any time at the Municipal Office, Howrah, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., on any day excepting holidays and Sundays.

O. E. C. JUDD,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 551T.-Edn.—The 9th October 1918.—Mr W E. Griffith, Officiating Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, *vice* Rai Pramada Kumar Basu Bahadur, transferred.

Burdwan.
Dacca.

No. 552T.-Edn.—The 9th October 1918.—Rai Pramada Kumar Basu Bahadur, Officiating Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, *vice* Mr. W. E. Griffith, transferred. He will continue to act in the Indian Educational Service, *vice* Mr. E. E. Biss, on deputation.

Dacca.
Burdwan.

No. 57T.-Eccle.—The 9th October 1918.—The Rev. Arthur LeFeuvre is appointed to be the Aided-Chaplain of Asansól, with effect from the 11th September 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Burdwan.

No. 1069Mis.—The 10th October 1918.—On account of the quadrennial repairs to the building, the Reading Rooms of the Imperial Library will be closed to the public from the 9th to the 30th of October 1918.

This cancels Notification No. 1065Mis., dated the 8th October 1918.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 679J.D.—The 8th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 8 of the Reformatory Schools Act, 1897 (VIII of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower each of the following Presidency Magistrates to exercise the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of the said section :—

Calcutta.

Rai Haridhone Dutt Bahadur.
Maulvi Abdur Rahim
Babu Gokul Chandra Mandal.
„ Gurudas Sarkar.

No. 682J.D.—The 8th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower each of the Presidency Magistrates named below to sit singly as a Presidency Magistrate :—

Calcutta.

Maulvi Abdur Rahim
Mr. D. J. Cohen.
Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen.
Surendra Nath Laha.

E B. H. PANTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 11th October 1918.

No. 102Marine.—Messrs. W. R. McClaymont and G. Purrott, First Mate Leadsmen, are promoted to the grade of Mate Pilot, with effect from the 7th October 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5579A.

No. 2192A.D.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Dilip Chandra Dhar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Lalbagh, Murshidabad, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October to the 23rd December 1918.

Murshidabad.

No. 2195A.D.—The 8th October 1918.—Maulvi Amir Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector, Balurghat, Dinajpur, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Dinajpur.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 395.—The 9th October 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Amir Husain, Sub-Registrar of Potaspur, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed combined leave for one month, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th October 1918, viz., privilege leave for twenty-eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and leave on medical certificate for three days, under article 336 of the same regulations.

Midnapore.

No. 396.—The 9th October 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Ali Mirza, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Potaspur, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Amir Husain, or until further orders.

Murshidabad. Midnapore.

No. 397.—The 9th October 1918.—Maulvi Anisuddin Ahmad, Probationer of Noakhali, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Sandip, in the same district, with effect from the 1st October 1918.

Noakhali.

No. 398.—The 9th October 1918.—Babu Phanindra Kumar Mitra, Probationer of Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is allowed leave on medical certificate, under rule (*1*) to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 17th September to the 8th October 1918.

Nadia.

No. 399.—The 10th October 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Azharul Haq, Joint Sub-Registrar of Danton, at Mohanpur, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave on medical certificate for two months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 134, dated the 15th April 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 400.—The 10th October 1918.—Babu Bhababhuti Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Nalhati, in the district of Birbhum, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 367, dated the 27th September 1918.

Birbhum.

No. 401.—The 10th October 1918.—Babu Akshay Kumar Ray, Sub-Registrar of Shibganj, in the district of Bogra, is allowed leave on medical certificate for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 312, dated the 20th August 1918.

Bogra.

No. 402.—The 10th October 1918.—Maulvi Abu Ahmad Abdulla, Probationer of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Chandpur, in the same district, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th September 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Zaki Reza, till relieved by Maulvi Farid Bakht Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Matlab.

Tippera.

No. 403.—The 10th October 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Jabbar, Sub-Registrar of Haroa, in the district of the 24-Parganas, was granted leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 26th August to 7th September 1918.

24-Parganas.

No 404.—The 10th October 1918.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Das, Sub-Registrar, grade III, is allowed leave for six months, viz., leave on medical certificate for fourteen days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of extraordinary leave without allowances granted to him in Notification No. 58, dated the 25th February 1918, and extraordinary leave, without allowances, for the remaining period, under article 339 of the same regulations, in continuation of the medical leave.

No. 405.—The 10th October 1918.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, Probationer of Dinajpur, acted as Sub-Registrar of Bharatkhali, in the district of Rangpur, from the 24th August to 7th September 1918 during the absence, on leave, of Mr. S. M. Allison.

Dinajpur.
Rangpur.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1391D., dated Darjeeling, the 5th October 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Gouri Prosad Bhattacherji did supernumerary duty at the Utterpara Dispensary, Hooghly district, from the 23rd August to the 3rd September 1918, both days inclusive.

W. H. B. ROBINSON, C.B., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

EXAMINATION OF COMPOUNDERS AT THE DACCA MEDICAL SCHOOL.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next Half-yearly Examination of Compounders will be held on the 1st November 1918 and subsequent days.

The examination will be conducted in accordance with Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 1410 and 1411Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*a*) The Examination Committee will consist of—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R. Newman, C.I.E., M.D., I.M.S.	*President.*
Teacher of Medicine	*Members.*
Teacher of Surgery	

No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government Notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913.

(*b*) All male candidates must forward to the undersigned an examination fee of Rs 5 at least one week before the commencement of the examination; a fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination; but a candidate, who after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination, will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate to that effect, to attend the next examination without payment of a fresh fee.

NOTE.—Women candidates are examined free of charge.

(*c*) Passed compounders, who have completed the three months' course of dressing prescribed in rule 13, and students of the Licentiate Class of these schools, on completion of their second year's course, will be allowed to appear at an examination, to be conducted by the Superintendent of the school, as President and two of the teachers as members, in bandaging, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in the minor duties of hospital work. A fee of Rs. 2 shall be charged for this examination.

This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the Rules for the Grant of Certificates to Compounders, on production of a certificate that they have received instruction in a hospital or dispensary recognized by Government in bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in the duties of a hospital dresser. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2 for this examination.

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D. (Cantab), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,

Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;

The 12th September 1918.

NOTICE (2).

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next examination for admission of students to the Compounder Class, Medical School, Dacca, will be held on the 1st November 1918, at 8 A.M.

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D., (Cantab), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,

Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;

The 12th September 1918

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1918 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Second day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

F. W. CARTER,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৮ সাল, তারিখ ২৫শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে শ্রীযুত বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৮ সালের ২রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

এফ, ডব্লিউ, কার্টার,
সরিফ।

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 168R.G.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Hangsha Prasad Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Ranaghat Subdivision, in the district of Nadia.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 32 of the Rules under clause (*a*), section 138, of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act III of 1885, the 9th December 1918 is fixed for the election of a member of the Boalia Local Board, in the Godagari thana, in the district of Rajshahi.

UMA P. GUHA, for *District Magistrate.*

RAJSHAHI MAGISTRACY, *the 2nd October 1918.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 30th day of September 1918, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 30th September 1918.

Description of salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 30TH SEPTEMBER 1918, INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	235,660	...	235,660	23,230	...	...	43,230
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	3,824	...	3,824	3,000	...	...	1,000
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	454,971	...	454,971	357,298	681	46,490	168,280
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	359,388	...	359,388	128,054	...	...	80,992
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	169.832	...	169,832	150,962	146,751	41,950	45,562
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	9,212	...	9,212	4,000[a]	...	...	3,038
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,232,887	...	1,232 887	666,544	147,432	88,440	342,102

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	4,600
Abandoned and destroyed	16

[a] Duty on 4,000 Mds. for Bombay Karkach salt was paid at Bombay.
" 6 maunds 11½ seers for ships store.

S. C. SATYAWADI,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 8th October 1918.*

ERRATUM.

For "29,502 maunds" in column 7 of the statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses, etc., in page 1399 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 25th September 1918, against Massowah salt please *read* "29,500 maunds."

S. C. SATYAWADI, *Asst. Collector for Imports.*

CUSTOM HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 9th October 1918.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 5th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 2nd October 1918.

No. 1262-F.E.—The Hon'ble Mr. H. F. Howard, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department, has been granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 1st October 1918.

G. RAINY,
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 5th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Simla, the 4th October 1918.

37th Calcutta Presidency Battalion.

No 2336.—Second-Lieutenant Arthur Lucas William Fleming resigns his commission, subject to His Majesty's approval. Dated 16th August 1918.

A H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 721T.-M.—The 8th October 1918.—In pursuance of section 63, sub-section (7) of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), as amended by the Calcutta Improvement (Amendment) Act, 1915 (Bengal Act III of 1915), it is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (6) of that section, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the plan of proposed public street No. XXVIII (Howrah Bridge Approach) in Ward No. 7 of the Calcutta Municipality, as notified by the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta, in their notice, dated the 15th June 1917, published at pages 1008-1010 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, of the 4th July 1918 and re-published at pages 1030-1032 of the said *Gazette* of the 11th idem., subject to the following modifications, namely :—

Calcutta.

(*i*) the width of northern part of the main alignment is raised to 120 feet;

(*ii*) the width of the alignment of Clive Street is reduced from 60 feet to 50 feet;

(*iii*) the widening of Manook Lane is omitted;

(*iv*) the northern end of Radha Bazar Street is entirely closed; and

(*v*) the continuation of Manook Lane (westwards) is shifted slightly to the north and reduced in width.

2. The proposed public street, so modified, will pass through the following Municipal holdings :—

Name of Street	Number of Municipal Holdings
Dalhousie Square, North ...	15.
Lal Bazar Street ...	20 and 20-1.
Old Court House Corner ...	7, 7-3 and 8.
Lyons Range ...	1.
Old Court House Lane ...	1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14.

Name of Street.		Number of Municipal Holdings
Radha Bazar Street	...	3, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 12-2, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 39-1, 40, 41, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51 to 53, 54, 55, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 77, 78, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 102-1, 102-2, 102-3, 102-4, 102-5, 102-6, 102-7, 102-8, 102-9, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 139, 140, 141, 142, 142-1, 142-2, 142-3, 142-4, 142-5, 142-6, 142-7, 143, 146, 147, 148, 149, 151, 152, 153, 153-1, 154, 154-1, 155, 156 and 156-1.
Radha Bazar Lane	...	1, 2 to 4, 14 and 16.
Ezra Street	...	1, 66 67 and 68.
Royal Exchange Place	...	2, 3 and 4.
Swallow Lane	...	1, 2, 3, 13, 14, 15, 16, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26.
Pollock Street	...	1, 1-1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 22, 26-1, 27, 28 and 29
Sukea Lane	...	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 11-2, 13, 15, 16, 18, 21, 22 and 23.
David Joseph Lane	...	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 12, 14, 16, 16-1, 17 and 18.
Old China Bazar Street	...	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 14-1, 14-2, 14-3, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 47-2, 47-3, 47-4, 47-5, 47-6, 47-7, 47-8, 47-9, 47-10, 47-11, 47-12, 48, 51, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 59, 63, 65, 66, 67, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 78, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 89-1, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 95-1, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 110, 111, 112, 114, 115, 116, 118, 119, 119-1, 119-2, 119-3, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 142-1, 143, 143-1, 144, 144-1, 145, 145-1, 146, 146-1, 146-2, 147, 148 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 159, 160, 160-1, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 195, 196, 197, 198, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 205-1, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213 and 214.
Canning Street	...	24, 25, 27, 27-1, 39A, 39-1A, 39-2A, 40, 40-1, 40-2, 40-4, 40-5, 40-6, 41, 42, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 105-1, 106, 107, 108, 108-1, 108-2, 108-3, 109, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126 and 126-1.
Portuguese Church Street	...	2, 15, 15-1 and 16.
Jackson Lane	..	1, 2, 4, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 13-1, 14, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 31.
Synagogue Street	...	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21, 15, 16 and 18.
Lucas Lane	...	1, 2 and 6.
Armenian Street	...	1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44 and 45.
Nurmull Lohia Lane	...	13.
Khangrapati Street	...	1, 2, 3, 3-1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 7-1, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 23-1, 24, 26, 26-1, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 86, 87, 88-1, 89, 89-1, 90, 93, 93-1, 93-1-1, 93-1-2, 93-1-3, 93-1-4, 93-1-5, 93-1-6, 93-2, 93-3, 93-4, 93-5, 93-6, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 103-1, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109A, 110A, 111, 112, 113, 115, 116, 117, 118, 120, 122, 123, 124, 126 and 127.

Name of Street		Number of Municipal Holdings
Cross Street	...	2, 92, 94, 96 and 98.
Bonfield Lane	...	13, 20, 22, 24, 26 and 28.
Clive Street	...	34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 40-1, 41-1, 41A, 41B, 41C, 42, 42-4, 42-5, 43, 44, 45, 46A, 47A, 48A, 49A, 49-1A, 50, 51, 52, 53, 61, 62, 63, 63-1, 63-2, 63-3, 63-4, 64, 65, 72A, 72-1, 72-2A, 72-3A, 73, 74, 74-1, 74-2, 75, 76, 76-1, 77, 77-1, 77-1-1, 77-2, 78 and 79.
Raja Woodmunt Street	...	2 and 24.
Harrison Road	...	208.
Manohar Das Street	...	113.
Strand Road	...	41, 42 and 67-5.
Garden Reach Road	...	1.

3. The plan as now sanctioned may be inspected at the office of the Calcutta Improvement Trust at No. 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

24-Parganas.

No. 712T.M.—The 7th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. G. Vernon to be a Commissioner of the Garden Reach Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. J. Dixon, resigned.

Murshidabad.

No. 718T.M.—The 7th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Kandi Municipality in the district of Murshidabad :—

Babu Sarat Chandra Sinha.
Maulvi Muhammad Ali Newaz.
„ Syed Sakhawat Hossain.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 (*1*) of the Act, the Subdivisional Officer of Kandi to be *ex-officio* Chairman of the Municipality.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

NOTICE.

City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

The annual Technological Examinations of the City and Guilds of London Institute will be held in Bengal at the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, and the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta, in April and May 1919. The exact dates will be announced immediately on receipt of question papers from the London Institute. Candidates desiring to appear at any of the examinations should apply for registration forms, stating the subject or subjects in which they desire to appear. A fee of Rs. 5 has to be paid for each section or grade of a subject, and applications and fees must reach the undersigned not later than the 1st November 1918. The fee will in no case be refunded.

W. H. EVERETT,
Secretary, City and Guilds Examination Committee.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA,
The 5th September 1918.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTIFICATION.

Mokshadasundari Gold Medal, 1919,

and

Nalinisundari Gold Medal, 1919.

THE "Mokshadasundari Medal" for 1919 shall be awarded for the best essay written in Bengali by a lady graduate of this University on the subject:—

"Bharate British Sammarayya Sangsthaner Itihas".

The "Nalinisundari Medal" for 1919 shall be awarded for the best poem in Bengali by a lady graduate of this University on the subject:—

"Baranashi".

Every candidate for each of the two aforesaid medals shall be required to submit, not later than the 30th November 1919, an essay or a poem, as the case may be, on the subjects specified above, to the Registrar, under a distinguishing motto. The name of the candidate must also be forwarded at the same time in a sealed envelope with the motto outside.

K. L. DATTA, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 8th October 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATA.

IN the list of candidates who passed the last Preliminary Examination in Law under the heading "Second Division", published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918—

for

Guha, Praphullachandra	...	University Law College.
Guha, Rabindranath	...	Ditto.

read

Gupta, Praphullachandra	...	University Law College.
Gupta, Rabindranath	...	Ditto.

A. C. BOSE, *Controller.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 10th October 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATUM.

IN the list of candidates who passed the last M.A. Examination in *History* in the *Second Division*, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918—

for

"Bandyopadhyay, Sudhansumohan	...	University Student"

read

"Bandyopadhyay, Sudhansubhushan	...	University Student".

A. C. BOSE, *Controller.*

SENATE HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 10th October 1918.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final Examination in Law, held in August 1918 :—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

Serial No.	Order of merit			
1	1	Ghosh, Debaprasad	...	Ripon Law College.
2	2	Chakrabarti, Sureschandra	...	University Law College.
3	3	Syam, Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
4	4	Ghosh, Charuchandra, I	...	Ditto.
5	5	Acharyya, Chintamani	..	Ditto.
6	6	Chattopadhyay, Taraknath	...	Ditto.
7	7	Chakrabarti, Purnendukisor	...	Dacca Law College.
8		Nath, Jatindramohan	...	Ripon Law College.
9	8	Datta, Jnanendranath	...	University Law College.
10	9	De, Brajendralal	...	Ditto.
11		Mallik, Dhirendrachandra	...	Ditto.
12	10	Mukhopadhyay, Jitendramohan	...	Ditto.
13		Sen, Priyanath	...	Ditto
14		Thakurta, Ramanimohan	...	Ditto.
15	11	Sinha, Binaykrishna	...	Ditto.
16	12	Chakrabarti, Susilkumar	...	Ditto.
17	13	Das, Balaichandra	...	Ditto.
18		Som, Kanailal	...	Ditto.
19	14	Das, Tarakchandra	...	Ditto.
20		Mitra, Durgacharan	...	Ditto
21	15	Ghosh, Bijaychandra	...	Ditto.
22		Mitra, Hemantakumar	...	Ditto.
23	16	Bandyopadhyay, Satyapriya	...	Ditto
24		Chakrabarti, Ramkamal	...	Dacca Law College
25		Mitra, Ramrup	...	University Law College.
26		Raha, Birendrakumar	...	Dacca Law College.
27		Rath, Bhubaneswar	...	University Law College.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In alphabetical order.)

Abdul Khaleq	...	University Law College.
Abdur Rub Chowdhury	...	Dacca Law College.
Abdus Sobhan	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
Babu, Gakulchandra	...	University Law College.
Bagchi, Gopendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
Bandyopadhyay, Amarendramohan	...	Ditto.
,, Bijanbihari	...	Ditto.
,, Brajendrasundar	...	Ditto.
,, Chandicharan	...	Ditto.
,, Dhirendrakumar	...	Ditto.
,, Girijanath	...	Ditto.
,, Jatindramohan	...	Ditto.
,, Jogendramohan	...	Ditto.
,, Pankajkanta	...	Ditto.
,, Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
,, Pratulchandra	...	Ditto.
,, Rangalal	...	Ditto.
,, Satyendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
,, Syamakanta	...	University Law College.
,, Taracharan	...	Ditto.
,, Tulsidas	...	Ditto.
Baksi, Murarimohan	...	Ditto.
Bardhan, Harendrachandra	...	Ditto.

	Baruya, Kaliprasad	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Basak, Nagendranath	...	University Law College.
	Basu, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Bijaygopal	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Jadabendra	...	University Law College.
	,, Jatindrachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
30	,, Jnanendranath	...	University Law College.
	,, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Nripendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Praphullakamal	...	University Law College.
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Priyanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Trailokyanath	...	Dacca Law College.
40	Basu Chaudhuri, Nitischandra	...	Ditto.
	Bera, Bhabataran	...	Ripon Law College.
	Bhadra, Binodlal	...	University Law College.
	Bhaduri, Amarendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	Bhar, Anathnath	...	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Amritalal	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Aswinikumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Bholanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Haricharan	...	Ditto.
	,, Hemantakamal	...	Ditto.
50	,, Jatindramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Kshitischandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Nilalohita	...	Ditto.
	,, Nirendrabijay	...	Ditto.
	,, Pranadananda	...	Ditto.
	,, Upendrachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	Biswas, Gangacharan	...	University Law College.
	,, Hemantakumar	...	Ditto.
	Brahma, Nisikanta	..	Ditto.
	Chakrabari, Manindranath	...	Ditto.
60	Chakrabarti, Abanikanta	...	Ditto.
	,, Anathbandhu	...	Ditto.
	,, Chittaranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Jyotishchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Kalimohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Prasannamohan	...	University Law College.
	,, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Srischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Syampada	...	Ditto.
70	Chattopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Bireswar	...	University Law College.
	,, Hrishikes	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Kesablal	...	University Law College.
	,, Santoshkumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Satyacharan	...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Birendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Jadabchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Jnanranjan	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Nagendranath	...	University Law College.
80	,, Radhasyam	...	Ditto.
	,, Radhikanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Suryyaprakas	...	Ditto.
	Das, Adwaitaprasad	...	Ditto.
	,, Akhilchandra	.	Ditto.
	,, Ambicacharan	...	Ditto.
	,, Bamanchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Haladhar	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Iswar	...	University Law College.
	,, Jagatbandhu	...	Ditto.
90	,, Lalitkumar	...	Ditto.

	Das Radharanjan	..	University Law College.
	„ Rebatimohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Sarojmohan	...	University Law College.
	„ Sukumar	...	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Bhupatimohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Hemendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Jayantakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Manomohan	...	Non-collegiate student, Cal. IV.
100	„ Praphullachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Ramanimohan	...	University Law College.
	Datta, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
	„ Brindabankisor	...	Ditto.
	„ Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Harendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Kanailal	...	Ditto.
	„ Kanaknath	...	Ditto.
	„ Mahendralal	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinikumar	...	Ditto.
110	„ Priyanath	...	Ditto
	„ Satischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Subodhchandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Sureschandra	...	Ditto.
	Dattachaudhuri, Bhupendrachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Jyotischandra	...	University Law College.
	De, Binaykumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Gopendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Jitendrachandra	...	Ditto.
120	„ Nibaranchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Rameschandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Sasibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	Deb, Kshirodchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Kumar Lalitnarayan	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Dhar, Goshthabihari	...	University Law College.
	„ Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
	Gan, Mrityunjay	...	Ripon Law College.
	Gangopadhyay, Debjiban	...	University Law College.
130	„ Jibankrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Kasinath	...	Ditto.
	„ Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Pratapchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Gautam, Gobindachandra	...	University Law College.
	Ghatak, Jatindranath	...	Ditto
	„ Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Atulbihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Bimalkanti	...	Ditto.
140	„ Bipinchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Birendrakumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Harendranath, I	...	University Law College.
	„ Jagatbandhu	...	Ditto.
	„ Jugalkisor	...	Ditto.
	„ Kisorilal	...	Ditto.
	„ Krishnadas	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Kshetramohan	...	University Law College.
	„ Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabhaskrishna	...	Ditto.
150	„ Pramathanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Sachindramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Sailendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Sailendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Susilkumar, I	...	Ditto
	„ Upendramohan	...	Ripon Law College.

	Ghoshal, Brindaban	...	University Law College.
	„ Surendranath	...	Ditto.
160	Goswami, Ambikaprasad	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Guha, Bijaychandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Jatindrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatishchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullasankar	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Gupta, Girijaprasanna	...	Universiy Law College.
	„ Jyotishchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Mahimaranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinikanta	...	Ditto.
170	„ Rasbihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Taraknath	...	Ditto.
	„ Utpalkumar	...	Ditto.
	Habibur Rahman	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Huda Najmul	...	Ripon Law College.
	Kanwar, Rameshchandra	...	University Law College.
	Kar, Abanibhushan	...	Ditto.
	Khan, Daksharaj	...	Ripon Law College.
	Khasnabis, Satindrachandra	...	University Law College.
	Lahiri, Kanailal	...	Ditto.
180	Laik, Bagalaprasad	...	Ditto.
	Lewis, A. Francis	...	Ditto.
	Mafzalar Rahman Choudhury	...	Ditto.
	Mahammed Kader Reza	..	Ditto.
	Mahanti, Bhagirathi	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Kiranchandra	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Bimalaranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Girijaprasanna	...	Ditto.
	„ Harendranath	...	Ditto.
190	„ Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Manibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Pramodnath	...	Ditto.
	„ Rameshchandra	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Mallik, Bhagyadhar	...	University Law College.
	„ Manilal	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
	Mandal, Bankubihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Binodbihari	...	Ditto.
	Maulik, Praphullanath	...	Non-collegiate student, Cal. VIII.
200	Md. Asad Uddin Choudhury	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Nurul Huq Choudhury	.	University Law College.
	„ Shamsuddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	„ Tayabullah	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Midya, Sambhunath	...	University Law College.
	Misra, Krishnachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Srikrishna	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Abanikanta	...	Ditto.
	„ Chandi Charan	...	Ditto.
	„ Debendranath	...	Ditto.
210	„ Jatischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Kalipada	...	Non-collegiate student, Cal. III.
	„ Nripendrakumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	Mofazzelur Rahman	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
	„ Bibhutibhushan, II		Ripon Law College.
	„ Bijaychandra	...	Ditto.

	Mukhopadhyay, Hariprasanna	...	University Law College.
220	„ Harischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Janardan	...	Ditto.
	„ Manomohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Narendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nimaicharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Rampada	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyabhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyaranjan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Munsi, Dhireschandra	...	University Law College.
230	Mustaphi, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
	Mustaphi, Satyendragati	...	Ditto.
	Nandi, Apurbachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Kalipada	...	University Law College.
	Nath, Chandrakumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	Nayak, Debnarayan	...	University Law College.
	Niyogi, Bijaykumar	...	Ditto.
	Pal, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Jadabchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Surendrabijay	...	University Law College.
240	Palit, Atulkrishna	..	Ditto.
	R. J. S. M. Husien Ali	...	Ditto.
	Rakshit, Jitendramohan	...	Ditto.
	Ram Anugrah Narain	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Abinaschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Bhabataran	...	Ditto.
	„ Binodgopal	...	Ditto.
	„ Damodar	...	Ditto.
	„ Debendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Dwijendramohan	...	Ditto.
250	„ Gakulkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Hemantakumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Kaliprasanna	...	University Law College.
	„ Mohinimohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nagendranarayan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nagendranath	..	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	„ Praphullakumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Sibkisor	...	Dacca Law College.
	Raybarman, Jatindranath	...	University Law College.
	Raychaudhuri, Debendramohan	...	Ditto.
260	„ Jaladhar	...	Ditto.
	„ Jitendranath	...	Non-collegiate student, Cal. I.
	„ Kalikacharan	...	University Law College.
	„ Kalinath	...	Ditto.
	„ Karunakanta	...	Ditto.
	„ Pasupati	...	Ditto.
	„ Sailendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Subodhchandra	...	Ditto.
	Rudra, Bipinbihari	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Abinaschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
270	„ Brajagopal	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Rebatimohan, I	...	Ditto.
	Sahay, Brajeshwar	...	University Law College.
	Santra, Annadaprasad	...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Kshitischandra	..	Ditto.
	„ Saileschandra	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Muralidhar	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	Sarma, Gopinath	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Sastri, Biswambhar	...	University Law College.
280	„ Ganti Aryyavari	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Bipinbihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Hemchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jogeschandra	...	Dacca Law College

	Sen, Kshirodmohan	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	„ Nirendrabinod	...	University Law College.
	„ Nirmalkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Pramodkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Pratulchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Saratkumar	...	University Law College.
290	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhansukumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhirranjan	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Birendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Dwijendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Jogendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshudiram	...	Ditto.
	„ Matilal	...	Ditto.
300	„ Pareschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sanatkumar	...	Ditto.
	Serajul Islam	...	Ditto.
	Sil, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Bhupendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Ramendramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Samatulkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Sibaprasanna	...	Ditto.
	Sinharay, Brindaban	...	Ditto.
	Syed Abdus Sattar	...	Ditto.
	Syed Akbar Ali	...	Ditto.
	Taraphdar, Birendrakisor	...	Dacca Law College.
	Ukil, Asutosh	...	University Law College.
313	Vinjamuri Rangachari	...	Ditto.

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 9th October 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the three special Law Scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each provided for Muhammadans and members of backward classes in Eastern Bengal are awarded to the following students for two years with effect from 1st June 1918 :—

1. Jagat Chandra Mandal.
2. Affazuddin.
3. Abbas Ali Khan.

The scholarships are tenable at the Dacca Law College.

J. W. GUNN,

Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified for general information that sixty-five third grade junior scholarships of Rs. 10 each are allotted to the following districts in the proportion noted against each. The scholarships are awardable on the result of the Matriculation examination to be held in March 1919 :—

Calcutta	...	12	Faridpur	...	2
24-Parganas	...	4	Mymensingh	...	3
Jessore	...	2	Bogra	...	1
Khulna	...	2	Darjeeling	...	1
Murshidabad	...	2	Jalpaiguri	...	1
Nadia	...	2	Dinajpur	...	1
Bankura	...	2	Malda	...	1
Birbhum	...	1	Pabna	...	1
Burdwan	...	2	Rajshahi	...	2
Hooghly	...	2	Rangpur	...	1
Howrah	...	1	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	1
Midnapore	...	3	Chittagong	...	2
Bakarganj	...	3	Noakhali	...	2
Dacca	...	4	Tippera	...	2

One scholarship will be awarded to the most successful aboriginal student in the districts of Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapore, who passes the examination but does not obtain any other scholarship. If no qualified aboriginal student is available the scholarship will be allotted to the district of Howrah.

The remaining one scholarship is made open to competition by the students of all High English Schools, in the district of Rangpur.

J. W. GUNN,

Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1918.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab-Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on 21st day of October 1918, corresponding with the 4th of Kartik 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and acres. B. K. Ch.	A R P	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghorasal.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto.
3	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	1 0 0	0 1 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 3	0 1 24	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do. ...	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 19 15	0 1 13	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 2	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold.
18	Do.	Ditto .	25	Do. ...	2 0 15	0 2 26	Ditto ditto.
19	Do. ...	Ditto ..	25	Do. ...	0 18 0	0 1 8	Ditto ditto
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 23	Ditto ditto
21	Do.	Ditto ..	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto .	25	Do. ...	0 0 18	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 3	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold
24	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 2	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest only is to be sold.

Dacca, the 19th August 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, at noon, 6th November 1918, corresponding with 20th Kartic 1325 B S, Wednesday

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll	Name of estate and thana	Apportionate area in acres	Government revenue assessed. Rs. A P.	Remarks.
3626	Ulashi, police station Hanskhali ...	7 18	7 13 6	
3627	Harinkhi, police-station Chakdah ...	4·38	4 12 9	
3628	Goalpara, police-station Jibannagar ...	3 43	4 8 0	
3629	Depara, police-station Kotowali ...	2 37	3 4 3	
3630	Durgapur, police-station Krishnagar ...	8 09	11 12 6	

JATINDRA MOHAN SINHA, *for* Collector.

Krishnagar, the 13th September 1918.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 8th October 1918.

LIABILITIES

		Rs	A	P
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs 2,26,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000 0 0	1,58 50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67.50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs 3,61,21,513 12 8			
Ditto ditto at Branches	„ 3,39,79 336 13 6	7,01,00 850	10	2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		29,08,09,320	15	11
Bank Post Bills, etc		17,97,897	13	11
Sundries		23,63,995	3	3
		40,76,72,064	11	3

ASSETS

		Rs	A	P
Government Securities		6,65,74,697	0	0
Other authorized Investments		1,41,96,714	0	0
Loans on Government and other Authorized Securities		12,37,24,668	2	4
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,87,03,025	6	6
Bills discounted and purchased		2 33,00,053	5	5
Balances with other Banks		61,72,851	14	5
Bullion				
Dead Stock		28,27,405	9	7
Stamps		12,450	12	2
Sundries		18,56,951	13	2
		29,73 68 822	15	7
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 4 21,77,841 8 10			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ..	Rs 6,81,25,900 2 10	11,03 03 241	11	8
		40,76,72,064	11	3

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs; value Rs 6,77,175 0 0

† Do. do. do „ 5,12,670 0 0

Rs 8,89,845 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent

Percentage 80 21

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 10th October 1918.

H FISHER, Chief Accountant

N H. Y WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer

(2670—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON.

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th September 1918.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—					
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.
Balance of 15th September 1918	27,45,800	91,80,300	3,83,01,800	1,42,05,300	62,55,000	19,55,500	6,98,97,900
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 7th September 1918.	18,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th September 1918.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,83,01,800	1,42,05,300	62,55,000	19,55,500	6,98,97,900
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 30th September 1918	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,83,01,800	1,42,05,300	62,55,000	19,55,500	6,98,97,900

Particulars.	4 PER CENT.—		INDIAN WAR LOAN—			SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN—	Grand Total.
	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1922.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.	
Balance of 15th September 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	2,50,000	7,36,98,700
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 7th September 1918.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th September 1918.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,00,000	7,00,000
Total ...	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	9,50,000	7,44,04,700
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 30th September 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	9,50,000	7,44,04,700

NOTE.—From 9th June 1887 to 31st July 1918—Enfaced from India, 12,430 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 13,036 lakhs.

,, 1st August ,, 15th August ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ,, ...

,, 16th ,, ,, 31st ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 lakhs ; ,, ,, ,, ...

,, 1st September ,, 15th September ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ,, ...

,, 16th ,, ,, 31st ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 7 lakhs ; ,, ,, ,, ...

12,439 lakhs. 13,036 lakhs.

T. A. VOICE.
Superintendent.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL.
Calcutta, the 5th October 1918.

Insolvency Notice.

In the matter of CHIRANJI LALL CHATURBHUJ and MUNNA LAL, Insolvents.

ON the 28th day of August 1918 an order was made appointing Tuesday, the 10th day of December 1918 for the further hearing of the matters of the petition of the said insolvents and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day Chatturbhuj, one of the said insolvents, shall be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent Chatturbhuj at the time of the filing of the petition for Relief.

MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, in Insolvency, the 2nd day of October 1918. (2619—2)

Notice.

WANTED for the Hare School, an M A. strong in English as Assistant Master, on a monthly salary of Rs. 50 a month, in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service. Applications will be received by the Head Master up to the 31st October 1918. The selected candidate will be required to join on the 16th November 1918.

J. R. BARROW,

Offg. Principal, Presidency College.

Calcutta, the 8th October 1918.

Notice.

WANTED 22 temporary Excise Sub Inspectors at Rs. 50 each per month for not less than two months for the manufacture of *ganja*. One of the selected candidates will have to join on the 1st of December 1918, some on the 2nd of January 1919, and some on later dates. Some of the selected candidates will have to work for six months.

None need apply for the post who has not passed the Matriculation Examination or worked in the same capacity in previous years. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 22nd November 1918.

T. BHATTACHARYYA,

Superintendent of Excise, Naogaon

Naogaon, the 2nd October 1918.

Notice.

WANTED a Sanitary Officer under the District Board of Howrah having the qualification of a Municipal Health Officer of the 2nd class with medical qualifications on a pay of Rs. 150—10—300 per mensem. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 2nd November next

A. HENDERSON, Chairman.

Howrah, the 8th October 1918. (2663—2)

Notice.

IN accordance with paragraph 1 of the Rules for the Recruitment of Sub-Inspectors of Excise and Salt published in Notification No. 501S.R., dated the 15th March 1915, applications are called for from the following districts :—

Hooghly.
Khulna.

Applicants must be domiciled in one of the districts named, must have passed the Intermediate Examination of the Calcutta University and must not be under 20 or over 25 years of age They must be of good character, physically fit, of active habits and not less than five feet three inches in height and thirty inches round the chest. Further particulars will be found in the rules referred to above and may be obtained from the Collectors of the above mentioned districts or from the undersigned. At least one-half of the appointments will be offered to duly qualified and suitable Muhammadan candidates should such apply.

Candidates who are finally selected will be appointed on a salary of Rs. 50 a month, and will be subject to a period of probation, the minimum period of which will be one year.

Applications will be received by the Collectors of the districts mentioned above up to 31st October 1918.

A. N. MOBERLY, Commissioner of
Excise and Salt, Bengal.

Calcutta, the 8th October 1918.

Advertisement calling for tenders.

90-YEAR LEASE OF GOVERNMENT LAND IN PANCHANNAGRAM.

NOTICE is hereby given that subject to the payment of the premium offered and to the following conditions the undermentioned holding is offered for settlement for a period of 90 years with effect from the first day of April 1918, at the fixed annual rent of Rs. 350, and subject to the terms of the lease which the person whose tender is accepted will be required to enter into within 30 days from the date the sanction of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division to the grant of the lease is obtained.

Tenders in closed and sealed covers signed by the person tendering and stating the amount of the premium offered and enclosing a sum in cash equivalent to 5 per cent. of the premium offered must be lodged with the Manager of the Canal Surplus Lands and Khas Khamar Lands in Panchannagram at the Khasmehal Office, Alipore, before 4 P.M. on the 31st day of October 1918 when the covers will be opened

The holding is suitable for business in skins and hides.

The settlement will be made by the Collector of the 24-Parganas, subject to confirmation by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division. The Collector does not bind himself to accept the highest or any offer.

In the case of tenders not accepted the proportionate part of premia enclosed will be returned.

A copy of the prescribed form of lease to the terms and provisions of which attention is particularly drawn may be inspected at the Khasmehal Office, Alipore, and at the Government Tahsil offices at Maniktala (44, Canal East Road), and Beliaghata (11, Beliaghata Main Road), and all persons tendering shall be deemed to have notice of its contents.

DESCRIPTION OF HOLDING.

Beliaghata Canal Surplus Holding Nos. 48, 49, 50, Subdivision J, Division IV of the Panchannagram Government Estate, lying in village Pagladanga, thana Entali, district 24-Parganas.

Area—2 bighas, 3 cottahs, 3 chittacks and 40 square feet.

BOUNDARIES.

East—Pagladanga Road.
North—Canal Surplus Road.
West—The thirty-year leasehold land of Narendra Nath Mukharji.
South—The hide godown of M. M. Ispahani and Sons

W. D. R. PRENTICE, Collector,
24-Parganas.

Dated Alipore, the 8th September 1918.

The Commissioners for the Port of Chittagong.

NOTIFICATION.

WHEREAS, owing to the further heavy loss of traffic due to the War, it appears to the Commissioners for the Port of Chittagong and to the Governor in Council of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, that the ordinary revenue of the Trust will be insufficient to meet the working expenses and that it is therefore necessary to resort temporarily to further special measures of additional taxation on goods and shipping.

Now therefore, it is notified, for general information, under section 58 of the Chittagong Port Act, 1914 (Bengal Act V of 1914), as amended by the Bengal Act V of 1918, that the said Commissioners propose, with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council, to levy, as a temporary measure, with effect from the 1st December 1918, a temporary sur-tax of twelve annas per ton in addition to the river dues at present levied on all goods landed from, or shipped into, any sea-going vessel lying or being within the limits of the said Port (except bunker coal on which a temporary sur-tax of four annas per ton will be levied), whether such goods shall or shall not be landed or shipped at any wharf, quay, stage, jetty or pier belonging to the Commissioners.

This draft Notification will be taken into consideration on the 15th November 1918, and any objections or suggestions which are received by the Commissioners with respect thereto, before that date, will be duly considered.

G. E. BENNET, Port Engineer, Chittagong,
for Vice-Chairman of the Commissioners
for the Port of Chittagong.

Chittagong, the 11th October 1918. (2672—1)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the promia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Currency Note.

THE following Currency Note of the Calcutta Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of Note.		Value.	Name of claimant.
			Rs.	
WD 4 of 1917-18.	VA 26	31727	10	Srimati Dayamai Devi, village Nartan, P. O. Kulama, district Sylhet.

N. B. DEANE, Deputy Controller,
In charge Paper Currency, Calcutta

Paper Currency Department, 8th October 1918.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF SANSKRIT MANUSCRIPTS.

PARTS I, II and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts, the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID, AND QUINOIDINE.

[Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.]

THESE articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona Alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Behar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bond fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the principal druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or pure Amorphous Alkaloid and Residual Alkaloid or Amorphous Cinchona Alkaloid which contains about 40 per cent. of pure Amorphous Alkaloid are for sale to Missionaries and Government institutions only. These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance, but private purchasers may use the V.-P. P. system AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1918 are as follows :—

Sulphate of Quinine.

For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	...	... Rs. 28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs., but below 60 lbs., in one delivery		„ 29 „ „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs. ...	...	... „ 30 „ „

Sulphate of Cinchonidine.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... Rs. 11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	...	... „ 12 „ „

(Only small quantities available when in stock.)

Cinchona Febrifuge.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... Rs. 5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. ...	...	... „ 6 „ „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantities less than 6 lbs.	...	... „ 7 „ „
Quinoidine in non Tablet form (when in stock) and Residual Alkaloids...	...	... „ 4 „ „

Quinoidine Tablets (when in stock).

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... Rs. 6 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... „ 7 „ „

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ½-lb., ¼-lb., 1-lb., and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ½ lb., ¼ lb., and 1 lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ½-lb., ¼-lb., and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 1-lb., 5-lb., and 10-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 1 lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1 lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.-P. Post. Price of postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by post. A scale of postage is given below :—

[For ½ and ¼-lb. 4 annas, 1 lb. 6 annas, 2 lbs. 10 annas, 3 lbs. 12 annas, 4 lbs. Re. 1; 5 lbs. Re. 1-4, and for 6 lbs. Re. 1-6.]

		Re.	A.
Quinoidine Tablet 1 lb., weg. 3 lbs., postage	... ...	0	10
Ditto 2 lbs., „ 6 „ „	... ...	1	0
Ditto 3 „ „ 9 „ „	... ...	1	3

Local Sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Monday.

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PART V.

Acts of the Indian Legislative Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 12th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XIII OF 1918.

An Act to provide that silver held on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council or the Governor General in Council may, if so held in the United States of America or in course of transmission therefrom, be deemed to be part of the reserve referred to in section 19 of the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1910

WHEREAS it is expedient, owing to the present war, to provide that silver held on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council or the Governor General in Council may, if so held in the United States of America or in course of transmission therefrom, be deemed to be part of the reserve referred to in section 19 of the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1910; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

V of 1910.

Short title and duration.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1918

(*2*) It shall remain in force during the continuance of the present war, and for a period of six months thereafter.

Definition.

2. In this Act—

"Silver" means silver coin or silver bullion.

Power to direct that silver held in the United States of America or in transmission therefrom may be deemed to be part of the Paper Currency Reserve.

3. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1910, the Governor General in Council may, by order in writing, direct— II of 1910.

(*a*) that silver held in the United States of America on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council or the Governor General in Council, shall be deemed to be part of the reserve referred to in section 19 of the said Act; or

(*b*) that silver in course of transmission from the United States of America, which is, at the commencement of such transmission or at any period thereafter, held on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council or the Governor General in Council for transmission to India shall, during the period it is so held, be deemed to be a part of the reserve referred to in section 19 of the said Act.

Repeal of Ordinance I of 1918.

4. The Indian Paper Currency Ordinance, 1918, is hereby repealed

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 12th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XIV OF 1918.

An Act to provide for the coinage of a gold coin at the Mints referred to in the Indian Coinage Act, 1906.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the coinage of a gold coin at the Mints referred to in the Indian Coinage Act, 1906; It is hereby enacted as follows :— III of 1906.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Gold Coinage Act, 1918. Short title and duration.

(*2*) It shall remain in force during the continuance of the present war, and for a period of six months thereafter.

2. All words and expressions used in this Act and defined in the Indian Coinage Act, 1906, shall be deemed to have the meanings respectively attributed to them by that Act. Interpretation. III of 1906.

3. The following gold coin shall be coined at the Mint for issue under the authority of the Governor General in Council, namely : a gold mohur or fifteen rupee piece. Gold coinage.

4. The standard weight of the said gold mohur shall be 123·27447 grains troy. Its standard fineness shall be as follows, namely : eleven-twelfths fine gold and one-twelfth of alloy : Standard weight and fineness.

Provided that, in the making of the coin, a remedy shall be allowed not exceeding one-fifth of a grain in weight and two-thousandths in fineness.

5. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, direct the coining and issuing of gold mohurs and determine the dimensions of, and designs for, such coins. Power to direct coining and to prescribe dimensions and designs.

6. The gold mohur shall be a legal tender in payment or on account, at the rate of fifteen rupees for one gold mohur : Gold mohurs when legal tender.

Provided that the coin—

(*a*) has not lost in weight so as to be of less weight than 122¼ grains, and

(*b*) has not been defaced.

7. (*1*) Where any gold mohur which has been coined and issued under the authority of the Governor General in Council is tendered to any person authorised to act under section 16 of the Indian Coinage Act, 1906, and such person has reason to believe that the coin— Power to cut diminished or defaced gold mohurs. III of 1906.

(*a*) has been diminished in weight so as to be of less weight than 122¼ grains,

(*b*) has been defaced,

he shall, by himself or another, cut or break the coin.

(*2*) A person cutting or breaking coin under the provisions of sub-section (*1*) shall return the pieces to the person tendering the coin who shall bear the loss caused by such cutting or breaking :

Provided that, in the case of a defaced coin, if the person so cutting or breaking has reason to believe that the coin has not been fraudulently defaced within the meaning of section 18 of the Indian Coinage Act, 1906, and the coin is not of less weight than 122¼ grains, he shall receive and pay for the coin at its nominal value. III of 1906

8. The provisions of section 20 of the Indian Coinage Act, 1906, shall apply in the case of gold mohurs as if that section referred to gold coin and gold bullion, and any person authorised under that section may exercise in respect of gold mohurs the powers conferred thereby. Power to cut counterfeit gold coin. III of 1906.

9. The Governor General in Council may make rules to carry out the purposes and objects of this Act. Rule-making power.

10. No suit or other proceeding shall lie against any person in respect of anything in good faith done, or intended to be done under, or in pursuance of the provisions of, this Act. Bar of suits.

11. The Gold Coinage Ordinance, 1918, is hereby repealed. Repeal of Ordinance II of 1918.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 12th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No XV OF 1918.

An Act to terminate doubts which have arisen as to the continuance in force of notifications, orders and rules made or issued under the Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the continuance in force of notifications, orders and rules made or issued under the Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916, after the repeal of the said Ordinance by the Enemy Trading Act, 1916, and it is expedient to terminate such doubts; It is hereby enacted as follows :— V of 1916 X of 1916.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Enemy Trading Orders (Validation) Act, 1918.

Orders made under the Enemy Trading Ordinance to be deemed to be, and always to have been, in force

2. Every notification, order or rule which was made or issued under any provision of the Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916, and which was in force immediately prior to the repeal of the said Ordinance, shall be deemed to have continued in force notwithstanding such repeal, and to have been made or issued under the Enemy Trading Act, 1916. V of 1916. X of 1916.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART VI.

Billsintroduced in the Indian Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees, presented to the Council, and Bills published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Indian Legislative Council on the 11th September 1918 :—

No. 21 OF 1918.

A Bill further to amend the Land Acquisition Act, 1894.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 ; It is hereby enacted as follows :— of 1894

Short title. 1. This Act may be called the Land Acquisition (Amendment) Act, 191

Substitution of new section for section 54, Act I, 1894. 2. For section 54 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the following section shall be substituted, namely :— I of 1894.

"54. Subject to the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, applicable to appeals, an appeal shall lie in any proceedings under this Act to the High Court from the award or from any part of the award of the Court of first instance or of appeal, and to His Majesty in Council from that of the High Court." V of 1908.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is two-fold :—

Firstly, to secure the right of appeal to the High Court whatever the amount of claim or compensation may be. The amendment is necessitated because the High Court of Bombay has held that, where a claim under Rs. 5,000 in value has been decided by a Court of first instance, an appeal lies to the District Court, in virtue of section 16 of the Bombay Civil Courts Act, 1869 (XIV of 1869), and the right of appeal given by section 54 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 (I of 1894), is thus exhausted, and no further appeal lies to the High Court (See *Nathubhai* vs. *Manordas*, 14 Bombay Law Reporter, 825, and *Ahmedbhoy* vs. *Waman*, 16 Bombay Law Reporter, 72).

Secondly, to secure the right of appeal to His Majesty in Council. An appeal to His Majesty in Council was allowed in land acquisition proceedings as a matter of course, subject to the provisions of sections 109 and 110 of the Civil Procedure Code, 1908 (Act V of 1908). But the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council held in *Rangoon Bataiaung Co., Limited*, vs. *The Collector of Rangoon* (L. R. 39 Indian Appeals, 1917) that in proceedings under the Land Acquisition Act no appeal lay to the Privy Council from the award of the Chief Court of Lower Burma inasmuch as section 54 gave only a special and limited right of appeal to the High Court from the award of the Court, and therefore no further appeal lay to His Majesty in Council. In the light of this pronouncement the High Court of Bombay has also recently held that no appeal lies to His Majesty in Council from its decision under the Land Acquisition Act (*The Special Officer, Sassette Building Sites* vs. *Dossabhai*, 14 Bombay Law Reporter, 1194). The proposed amendment is intended to give in express terms a right of appeal to His Majesty in Council—a right which was not doubted and which was often availed of till the decision in the Rangoon case.

BANDRA ;
The 29th July 1918

V. J. PATEL,
Additional Member.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th October 1918.*

PERSIAN GULF—SHATT-AL-ARAB RIVER ENTRANCE.

Additional Buoy laid; Amended position of Fairway Gas Buoy and Light-Vessel.

No. 319 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 84M of 1918), are republished :—

Former R. I. M. Notice to Mariners No. 41-M. of 1917. (*This office No. 67 of 1917*).

(*a*) Additional buoy laid on the Outer Bar :—

Description —Black Can, Port hand buoy numbered '3'.

Position.—At a distance of about 7·6 cables 168° (S 14° E. Mag.) from No. 4 Gas Buoy in 9 feet of water at L. W. O. S.

Note.—The buoys marking the channel over the bar and into the Shatt-al-Arab river are now laid as follows:—

Port hand buoys are Black in colour and can buoys; and Starboard hand buoys are Red in colour and conical buoys. Nos. 5, 6 7, Black Can Buoys are Port hand buoys and not Starboard hand buoys as shown on Admiralty Chart No. 1235.

(*b*) *Amended position of Fairway Gas Buoy* :—

Lat. 29° 17′ 57″ N.
Long. 48° 44′ 52″ E.

(*c*) *Amended position of Light-Vessel* :—

Lat. 29° 13′ 56″ N.
Long. 48° 48′ 20″ E.

Variation.—2° E.

Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 281.

Indian List of Lights, 37th issue, 1918 (in the Press).

Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay. Dated 18th September 1918.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER.

Entrance to the Whangpoo, Lismore Flats—Lismore light-boat discontinued; Light-buoy established.

No. 320 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 666 of 1918) that the Lismore Light-boat, moored off the northern edge of the Lismore Flats, southern side of the entrance to the Whangpoo, Yangtze River, has been discontinued.

In its place a *black* Buoy, gas-lighted, with a *black* spherical daymark surmounting the lantern, has been established.

This Buoy will exhibit an occulting *white* light every 8 seconds thus :—

light, 4 secs. — eclipse 4 secs

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—KAWAU BAY APPROACH, NORTH CHANNEL.

Maori Rock—Buoy established.

No. 321 (first publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 940 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about one cable south-eastward from Maori Rock.

Lat. 36° 23′ 00″ S., long. 174° 51′ 42″ E.

Description.—A red can buoy.

Remarks.—The beacon formerly marking this rock has disappeared and is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 1998, Omaha Bay to Tiri-Tiri Matangi.
„ 3565, Bream Head to Tepaki Point.
„ 2543, Maunganui Bluff to Manukau Harbour, etc.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 80.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 30 of 1918. (*H. 3870-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS, VANUA LEVU.

Savu Savu Bay—Beacons erected.

No. 322 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 944 of 1918), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On edge of Point Reef, at a distance of 13 cables, 254° (*S. 64° W. Mag.*), from Via Via islets+.

Lat. 16° 49½′ S., long. 179° 16½′ E.

Description.—An iron beacon, surmounted by a drum

(*b*) *Position.*—On the southern side of the entrance to Na Kama Creek, at a distance of one cable and 55 yards, 341° (*N. 59° W. Mag.*), from the centre of the building marked "Naveria" on the charts.

Description.—An iron beacon.

Variation.—10° E.

Charts affected—No. 727, Plans of Savu Savu Bay, Valanga and Savareka-Reka Bays, and Na Kama Creek.

„ 382, Vanua Levu (central portion), etc.

„ 440, Fiji Islands—eastern group, northern portion.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, pages 146, 147.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3172-18.*)

INDIA, WEST COAST—GOA COAST.

St. George Islands—Correction to Chart No. 492 with regard to depth off

No. 323 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 951 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 8¼ cables, 338° (*V. 22° W. Mag.*), from the centre of St. George Reef.

Lat. 15° 21¾′ N., long. 73° 47′ E.

Correction.—On Chart No. 492 a depth of 1¾ fathoms is incorrectly shown in the above position; the correct depth is 4¼ fathoms, and the chart is to be corrected accordingly

Variation.—Nil.

Chart affected.—No. 492, Aguada to St. George Islands, etc.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4224-18.*)

JAPAN, KIUSIU—EAST COAST.

Aburatsu Harbour—Existence of a rock.

No. 324 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 960 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of $1\frac{9}{10}$ cables, 90° (*S. 86° E. Mag.*), from the southern extremity of Yakata bai.

Lat. 31° 32′ N., long. 131° 24′ E.

Depth.—4¼ fathoms.

Remarks.—A rock with a depth of 4¼ fathoms exists at a distance of about half a cable westward of the above 4¼-fathom rock; these two rocks are connected together.

Variation.—4° W.

Chart affected.—No 626, Plan of Aburatsu Harbour.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 90.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 56 of 1918. (*H. 3638-18.*)

NEW GUINEA, NORTH-WEST COAST—WAIGIU ISLAND.

Offak Harbour, Port Fofaag—Existence of a rock.

No. 325 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 965 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 2¾ cables, 240° (*S. 58° W. Mag.*), from the summit of the small islet off Fofaag Point.

Lat. 0° 03¾′ S., long. 130° 43¾′ E

Description.—A rock awash.

Variation.—2° E.
Chart affected.—No. 912, Plan of Offak Harbour
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 252.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1005 of 1918. (*H. 4361-18.*)

CHINA SEA—SOUTH NATUNA ISLANDS.

Subi Besar—Non-existence of Reef reported westward of.

No. 326 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 966 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 619 of 1918. (*This office No. 225 of 1918.*)
Position on charts.—At a distance of about 8¼ miles westward of Bakau Islet.
Lat. 2° 54′ N., long. 108° 35½′ E.
Details.—An examination of the locality has failed to find any trace of the existence of the reef reported in the former Notice, and the reef is to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 2104, Tanjong Bayung to Tanjong Datu.
„ 2660*a*, China Sea, southern portion—western sheet.
„ 1263, China Sea.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, northern portion.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 60.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 950 of 1918. (*H. 4281-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS, VITI LEVU.

Lauthala Harbour Entrance, N'Daveta Nukumbutho—Beacon and Buoys established.

No. 327 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 969 of 1918), are republished :—

1. Beacon :
Position (approximate).—On eastern side of passage.
Lat. 18° 10′ 30″ S., long. 178° 28′ 38″ E.
Description.—A white beacon.

2. Buoys :
(*a*) *Position (approximate).*—On eastern side of passage.
Lat 18° 11′ 03″ S, long. 178° 28′ 32″ E.
Description.—A white can buoy.

(*b*) *Position (approximate).*—On western side of passage.
Lat. 18° 10′ 45″ S., long. 178° 28′ 23″ E.
Description.—A spar buoy, colour not stated.

(*c*) *Position (approximate).*—On western side of passage.
Lat. 18° 11′ 02″ S., long. 178° 28′ 26″ E.
Description.—A black can buoy.

Note.—The following note is to be inserted on Chart No. 1757 :—
"*Posns. of Bn. and Buoys are approximate.*"
Charts affected.—No. 1757, Nukulau Island to Namuka Island, etc.
„ 167, Kandavu Island and passage.
„ 905, Suva Harbour to Levuka.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 116.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3171-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS, VANUA LEVU.

Mbutha Bay—Reef marked by Beacon.

No. 328 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 977 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—South-eastward of Nukindam.
Lat. 16° 38′ 45″ S , long. 179° 52′ 45″ E.
Depth.—7 feet.
Note.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet is to be inserted on the chart.
Remarks.—This reef, which is of small extent, is marked by an iron beacon surmounted by a drum.
Chart affected.—No. 140, Fiji Islands, eastern group.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 161.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department (*H. 3284-18.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Ombai Passage—Breakers reported.

No. 329 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 981 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Westward of Fatu St. Antonio Point.
Lat. 8° 52′ 30″ S., long. 124° 58′ 30″ E.
Details.—Breakers were observed in the above position, apparently indicating the existence of a reef.
Note.—The position on the chart is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "*Breakers reported (1918).*"
Chart affected.—No. 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago, sheet III.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 299.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 960 of 1918. (*H. 4297-18.*)

The 30th September 1918.

JAPAN, KIUSIU—IKI SUIDO.

Futagami Jima—Light established.

No. 289 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 827 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 33° 36′ 20″ N., long. 129° 32′ 57″ E., on Chart No. 2387.
Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2), *ev. 30 sec., 318 ft., vis. 25 m.*
Details :
Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes *every thirty seconds*, thus :—

2 flashes.	eclipse.
8 secs.	22 secs.

Elevation.—318 feet.
Visibility.—25 miles.
Power.—36,000 candles.
Structure.—White octagonal concrete tower, 40 feet in height.
Charts affected.—No. 2387, Io jima to Madara jima.
„ 127, Hirado kaikyo to Shimonoseki kaikyo.
„ 359, Nagasaki to Karatsu, etc.
„ 104, Korean Archipelago, southern portion.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.
„ 1263, China Sea.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific Ocean, etc.
„ 781, Pacific Ocean—north-west sheet.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1901*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 526.
Authority.—Department of Communications, Tokyo, Notice No. 535 of 1918. (*H. 3501-18.*)

JAPAN—Gulf of Tokyo.

Fort No. 2—Light re-exhibited.

No. 290 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 831 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1303 of 1917. (*This Office No. 50 of 1918.*)

Position.—Fort No. 2 light, lat. 35° 18½′ N., long. 139° 44½′ E.

Details.—The *fixed white* light, which was destroyed in 1917, has been repaired and is now exhibited as formerly.

Note.—The note "Destroyed 1917" shown against this light on the charts is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai Saki to Tsurugi Saki.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2055.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 199.

Authority.—Department of Communications, Tokyo, Notice No. 455 of 1918. (*H. 3604-18.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—Bungo Channel.

Jizo Saki—Wreck northward of.

No. 291 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 832 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 7¼ cables, 358° (*N. 2° E. Mag.*) from Jizo Saki lighthouse.
Lat. 33° 16¼′ N., long. 131° 54¼′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of the SS. *Nawa Maru.*

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 651, Bungo Channel.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 32 of 1918. (*H. 3437-18.*)

BORNEO, North Coast.

Banguey South Channel, Outer Shoal—Alteration in Position of Buoy.

No. 292 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 833 of 1918), are republished :—

New position.—At a distance of about a quarter of a mile southward of former position.
Lat. 7° 02′ 19″ N., long. 116° 59′ 55″ E.

Description.—A can buoy painted in red and white vertical stripes.

Charts affected.—No. 3728, Marudu Bay.
„ 948, Balabac Strait.
„ 287, Gaya Bay to Sandakan Harbour.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 151.

Authority.—British North Borneo Company. (*H. 2853-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS.

(*1*) *Vanua Levu, Soni-soni Passage Approaches—Existence of Rocks.*

(*2*) *Viti Levu, Wakaya Lagoon—Existence of Rock.*

No. 293 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 835 of 1918), are republished :—

(1) Vanua Levu, Soni-soni Passage Approaches.

The undermentioned coral patches have been found to exist in the western approaches to Soni-soni Passage :—

	Position.	Depth.
(*a*)	Lat. 16° 54′ 55″ S., long. 178° 56′ 55″ E.	8 feet.
(*b*)	„ 16° 55′ 10″ „ „ 178° 57′ 00″ „	8 „
(*c*)	„ 16° 55′ 18″ „ „ 178° 57′ 58″ „	12 „
(*d*)	„ 16° 55′ 20″ „ „ 178° 59′ 32″ „	3 „
(*e*)	„ 16° 59′ 20″ „ „ 178° 57′ 30″ „	12 „

The positions given are those on Chart No. 382.

(2) Viti Levu, Wakaya Lagoon.

The undermentioned coral patch has been found to exist near the middle of Wakaya Lagoon :—

Position.	Depth.
Lat. 17° 36′ 25″ S., long. 179° 02′ 40″ E.	4 fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 382, Vanua Levu (**1**).
„ 727, Plan of Savu Savu Bay (**1**) (*d*).
„ 742, Plan of Nandi Passage and Bay (**1**) (*e*).
„ 905, Suva Harbour to Levuka (**2**).
„ 440, Fiji Islands—eastern group, northern portion.
„ 2691, Fiji Islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, pages 148, 149, 142.

Authority—Captain E. F. Wallack, Master, S. Y. *Ranadi.* (*H. 5853-18.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Baas Island—Shoal southward of.

No. 294 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 842 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 15° 59′ 15″ N., long. 42° 39′ 35″ E., on Chart No. 8*d*.

Description.—A 2¼-fathom shoal.

Remarks.—This shoal is connected up to the shoal extending southward from Baas Island.

Charts affected.—No. 8*d*, Red Sea—sheet 4.
„ 252$\frac{3}{4}$, Red Sea.

Publication.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1909, page 357.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3468-18.*)

MADAGASCAR, EAST COAST.

Andovoranto—Light discontinued.

No. 295 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 843 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On the northern point of the entrance to the River Jark.
Lat. 18° 57$\frac{1}{2}$′ S., long. 49° 08$\frac{3}{4}$′ E.

Description.—A fixed white light.

Remarks.—The light is to be expunged from the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 759*b*, Antongil Bay to Ambatosoa.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1918, No. 206.
South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 293.

Authority.—Journal Official, Madagascar, of 10th November 1917. (*H. 447-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

(1) Clarence River Entrance—Leading Beacon established; Buoys withdrawn.

(2) Woolgoolga—Light established.

(3) Port Macquarie—Leading beacons established; Buoys withdrawn.

(4) Lake Macquarie—Light established.

No. 296 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 844 of 1918), are republished :—

(1) Clarence river entrance.

1. Leading beacon established :

Position.—On the half tide training wall, and at a distance of $3\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 98° (*N. 88° E. Mag.*), from Dart Island leading mark.
Lat. 29° 25$\frac{1}{4}$′ S., long. 153° 22$\frac{1}{4}$′ E.

Description.—A beacon painted white with a black vertical stripe.

Remarks.—This beacon in line with Dart Island leading mark, now painted white with a black horizontal stripe, leads through the best water over the bar.

2. Buoys withdrawn :

Details.—The black buoy and the red buoy, shown on the charts off the eastern end of the half tide training wall, have been withdrawn.

(2) Woolgoolga.

Position.—On end of jetty, north-westward of Green Bluff, and at a distance of $14\frac{8}{10}$ cables, 350° (*N 20° W. Mag.*), from the summit of Stack Rock.
Lat. 30° 06′ S., long. 153° 13$\frac{1}{2}$′ E.

Description—A *fixed red* light, exhibited when a vessel is expected.

Remarks.—From the position given above, the jetty extends in a 243° (*S. 53° W. Mag.*) direction to the shore.

(3) Port Macquarie.

1. Leading beacons established :

(*a*) Front beacon :

Position. On southern training wall, now completed, and at a distance of $3\frac{7}{10}$ cables, 70° (*N. 60° E. Mag.*), from the Post Office.

Lat. 31° 25¼′ S., long. 152° 55¾′ E.

Description.—A white beacon, 12 feet high.

(*b*) Rear beacon :

Position.—On southern training wall, near the inner end, and at a distance of $1\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 57° (*N. 47° E. Mag.*), from the Post Office.

Description—A white beacon, 14 feet high, with a black horizontal stripe.

Remarks.—The foregoing beacons in line bearing 259° (*S. 69° W. Mag.*) lead over the bar.

2. Buoys withdrawn :

Details.—Diamantina Rocks black conical buoy and the black conical buoy near eastern end of southern training wall have been withdrawn.

(4) Lake Macquarie.

Position (approximate).—In channel known as Swansea Channel.
Lat. 33° 04′ 04″ S., long. 151° 39′ 30″ E., on Chart No. 1021.

Abridged description—Lt. Fl. (*posn. approx.*).

Description.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

$$\frac{\text{Flash,}}{\frac{9}{10}\text{ sec.}} \qquad \frac{\text{eclipse,}}{2\frac{7}{10}\text{ secs.}}$$

Remarks.—Further particulars are not given.

Variation—10° E

Charts affected.—No. 1379, Plans of Port Macquarie and Clarence River entrance
„ 1026, Solitary Islands and adjacent coast.
„ 1027, Coffs Islands to Evans Head.
„ 3622, Port Jackson to Cape Byron.
„ 1021, Port Jackson to Port Stephens.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI., 1918, Nos. 2551, 2581.
Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, pages 83, 81, 75, 52 - Supplement, 1917.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 3469-18.*)

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—FUSAN HARBOUR.

Uno Se (Channel Rock) Light—Alteration in Period.

No. 297 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 845 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 575 of 1918. (*This office No. 214 of 1918.*)

Position.—Lat. 35° 06¼′ N., long. 129° 04′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2). *ev. 4 sec., 33 ft., vis. 10m* (U).

Alteration.—The period of the *group flashing white* light has been altered and the light now shows *two* flashes *every four seconds*, thus:—

2 Flashes, 1½ secs. — eclipse, 2½ secs.

Chart affected.—No. 1259, Fusan Harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1783.
E. C. Korea, etc., Pilot, 1913, page 78.
Authority.—Chosen Notice No. 74 of 1918. (*H. 3606-18.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—GEELONG HARBOUR.

Hopetoun Channel and Approaches—Alterations in Aids to Navigation.

No. 298 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 853 of 1918), are republished:—

1. Lights established:

(*a*) *Position.*—On the beacon shown on the charts as being under construction in the position of Wilson spit light buoy.
Lat. 38° 08½′ S., long. 144° 29¾′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *vis 8 m.*

Characteristics:

Character.—A *flashing white* light.
Visibility.—8 miles.

Remarks.—Wilson spit light-buoy has been withdrawn.

(*b*) *Position.*—On No. 2 beacon on the northern side of the entrance to Hopetoun Channel.

Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl., *vis. 6m.*

Characteristics:

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes.
Visibility.—6 miles.

Remarks.—The temporary light-float with fixed white light about one cable eastward from the above position has been withdrawn.

2. Alteration in character of light:

Position.—On No. 1 beacon on the southern side of Hopetoun Channel.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *Red, vis. 4 m.*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed red to *flashing red.*

3. Buoy established:

Position.—At a distance of $12\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 158° (*S. 30° E. Mag.*), from the extremity of Point Wilson.

Description.—A red conical buoy.

4. Alteration in position of light-buoy:

New position.—At a distance of about one cable south-westward of former position and $12\frac{2}{10}$ cables, 103° (*S. 85° E. Mag.*), from No. 2 beacon referred to in 1 (*b*).

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *flashing red* light.

5. Beacons removed:

Details.—The following beacons in Hopetoun Channel have been removed:—

(*a*) The beacon on the northern side of the channel opposite No. 3 beacon.

(*b*) The beacon on the southern side of the channel opposite No. 4 beacon.

(*c*) The beacon on the southern side of the channel opposite No. 6 beacon.

Note.—The note "(Widening in progress 1916)" shown on the chart against Hopetoun Channel is to be expunged; the navigable width is now 230 feet.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong Harbour.
„ 1171, Port Phillip, with plan.
„ 1695*b*, Bass Strait—western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 2445*a*, 2446, 2447.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 470; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918 (*in press*), pages 121, 123, 124, 125.

Authority.—Geelong Harbour Trust. (*H. 7800-17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—KALAMIANES GROUP.

Busuanga—Shoal westward of.

No. 299 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 861 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of about 9 miles, westward, from the north-western point of Busuanga.
Lat. 12° 18′ 00″ N., long 119° 41′ 30″ E., on Chart No. 2577.

Depth.—5½ fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine Islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro Straits.
„ 967, Palawan Island.
„ 943, Molucca Passage to Manila.
„ 2660*b*, China Sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 2661*b*, China Sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 51.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 209.

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 3 of 1918. (*H. 3627-18.*)

MISCELLANEOUS.

Buoyage of Sunken Mines.

No. 300 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 863 of 1918), are republished:—

Mariners are notified that the positions of sunken mines are sometimes marked by a buoy with a black square mark on the staff. Such buoys are to be avoided and not interfered with.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 3967-18.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay—Storm-signals.

No. 301 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 864 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Tsingtau storm-signal station, lat. 36° 04¼′ N., long. 120° 19′ E.

Details.—The storm-signals now in use at the above station are as follows :—

By Day.	By Night.	Signification.
A red ball ...	A red light	Gale expected.
A red cylinder ...	Two red lights, vertical...	Storm expected.
A red cone ...	Three red lights, vertical	Cyclonic storm expected.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 422.

Authority.—Japanese Hydrographer. (*H. 3953-18.*)

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights: Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 302 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 866 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 781 of 1918: hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished : Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir); Penang approaches.

   Abu Ali Islands light in the Red Sea and all lights in the Persian Gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without notice.

2. Certain Ports closed by night :

   Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6.0 A.M., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

   Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise. Vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This notice is a revision of the former notice quoted above.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part V, 1918, No. 2201.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4002-18.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—SUWO NADA.

Kasado Jima—Wreck southward of.

No. 303 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 867 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of $3\frac{3}{10}$ miles, 195° (*S. 19° W. Mag.*), from the summit (820 feet) of Kasado jima.
Lat. 33° 55′ N., long. 131° 48¼′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a sailing vessel with one mast showing above water.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3153, Maruyama zaki to Ominase.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 47 of 1918. (*H. 3634-18.*)

FORMOSA, WEST COAST.

Port Ta Kau—Alteration in Characteristics of Light.

No. 304 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 873 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Near the northern end of Kigo to.
Lat. 22° 36¼′ N., long. 120° 16′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Alt., *W. R., ev. 10 sec. 191 ft., vis. 20 m.*

Details.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—An *alternating white and red* light *every ten seconds.*

Elevation.—191 feet.

Visibility.—20 miles; from 320° (*N. 39° W. Mag.*), through north, to 158° (*S. 21° E. Mag.*).

Power.—*White* light, 94,000 candles; *red* light, 37,000 candles.

Structure.—A white octagonal brick structure, 36 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 2376, Port Ta Kau.
„ 2409, West Coast of Formosa, etc.
„ 1968, Formosa Island and Strait.
„ 2661*b*, China Sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liau tung.
„ 1263, China Sea.
„ 781, Pacific Ocean, north-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1824.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 210.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 57 of 1918. (*H. 3639-18.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—BUNGO CHANNEL.

Sada Misaki—Light established.

No. 305 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 874 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 33° 20′ 35″ N., long. 132° 00′ 53″ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (3), *ev. 20 sec., 150 ft., vis. 18 m.*

Characteristics;

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *three* flashes *every twenty seconds*, thus :—

$$\frac{\text{3 flashes,}}{\text{8 secs.}} \qquad \frac{\text{eclipse,}}{\text{12 secs.}}$$

Elevation.—150 feet.

Visibility—18 miles.

Power.—70,000 candles.

Structure.—White octagonal concrete structure, 50 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Charts affected.— No. 651, Bungo Channel.
„ 2875, Naikai (seto uchi) or Inland Sea.
„ 1648, Osumi kaikyo to Oshima.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.,

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1935*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 114.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 67 of 1918. (*H. 3648-18.*)

JAPAN, HONSHŪ, GULF OF TOKYO.

Kannon Zaki—Existence of a Wreck.

No. 306 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 876 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of one mile, 355° (*North Mag.*), from Kannon zaki lighthouse.
Lat. 35° 16½′ N., long. 139° 44½′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a sailing vessel.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai saki to Tsurugi saki.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 46 of 1918. (*H. 3633-18.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDORO STRAIT, APO WEST PASS.

Hunter Rock—Amended Position.

No. 307 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 878 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles south-westward of charted position.
Lat. 12° 39′ 54″ N., long. 120° 10′ 00″ E., on Chart No. 2577.

Description.—A 1¼-fathom rock.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine Islands, between San Bernardino and Mindoro Straits.
„ 967, Palawan Island.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 47.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 211.

Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1100 of 1918. (*H. 2923-18.*)

JAPAN, HONSHŪ—GULF OF TOKYO APPROACH.

Joga Sima Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 308 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 883 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On Nagatsuru-saki.
Lat. 35° 08¼′ N., long. 139° 36¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 20 sec., about 86 ft., vis. 15 m.*

Details.—The fixed green light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character—A *flashing white* light *every twenty seconds.*

Elevation.—About 86 feet.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Power.—5,000 candles.

Charts affected.—No. 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai saki to Tsurugi saki.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific Ocean, etc.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 2050.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 190.

Authority.—Department of Communications, Tokyo, Notice No. 456 of 1918. (*H. 3625-18.*)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Port of Fremantle—Information with regard to Vessels entering.

No. 309 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 895 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 995 of 1917. (*This office No. 315 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

Position.—Fremantle, lat. 32° 03¼′ S., long. 115° 45′ E.

Details.—The notification cautioning vessels entering or leaving the Port of Fremantle not to load to a greater draught than 27 feet is no longer in force; mariners are notified accordingly.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 371; Revised Supplement, 1918.

Authority.—The Prime Minister, Western Australia. (*H. 3407-18.*)

KOREA, EAST COAST—CHUMONJIN ROAD.

Chumonjin Kutchii—Light established.

No. 310 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 896 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On Chumon san.
Lat. 37° 54′ 02″ N., long. 128° 49′ 53″ E., on Chart No. 882.

Abridged description.—Lt. Alt. Gp. Fl. (3), *W. W. R., ev. 15 sec., 132 ft., vis. 17 m.*

Details :

Character.—An *alternating group flashing white* and *red* light showing *three* flashes *every fifteen seconds*, thus :—

White flash, $\frac{\text{eclipse,}}{2\frac{1}{2}\text{ secs.}}$; *white* flash. $\frac{\text{eclipse,}}{6\frac{1}{4}\text{ secs.}}$; *red* flash, $\frac{\text{eclipse,}}{6\frac{1}{4}\text{ secs.}}$

Elevation.—132 feet.

Visibility.—17 miles.

Structure.—White cylindrical tower, 30 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Charts affected.—No. 882, Chukupen Bay to Suon Kutchi, with plan,
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific Ocean, etc.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1794.
E. C. Korea, etc., Pilot, 1913, page 98.

Authority.—Chosen Notice No. 61 of 1918. (*H. 3595-18.*)

SOUTH AFRICA.

Agulhas Bank—Bank reported.

No. 311 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 898 of 1918), are republished :—

Details—The following soundings were obtained in the positions shown near the edge of the Agulhas Bank :—

Position.	Depth.
Lat. 35° 00′ 30″ S., long. 23° 12′ 30″ E.	23 fathoms (black sand).
„ 35° 00′ 00″ „ „ 23° 15′ 00″ „	31 „ (black sand).
„ 34° 59′ 30″ „ „ 23° 16′ 30″ „	37 „ (mud and sand).
„ 34° 59′ 00″ „ „ 23° 18′ 30″ „	33 „ (rock).

Note.—The name "Grue Bank" is to be inserted on the charts against this bank with the note "(*reported 1917*)".

Charts affected.—No. 2084, Mossel Bay to Cape St. Francis.
„ 2095. Hondeklip Bay to Port Natal.
„ 748*a*, Indian Ocean, southern portion.
„ 2202*a*, South Atlantic Ocean, eastern portion.
„ 2203, South Atlantic Ocean.
„ 2483, Atlantic and Indian Oceans, etc.
„ 2936, Oceanic soundings, Atlantic Ocean.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 87.

Authority.—Captain F. Grue, Master of the Danish Motor Vessel *Chile*. (*H. 7527-17.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Kamaran Passage, Southern Entrance—Buoy disappeared.

No. 312 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 912 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 341 of 1918. (*This Office No. 145 of 1918.*)

Position.—On southern edge of the mid-channel shoal, at a distance of about 7 cables south-eastward from Ras el Yemmen telegraph hut.

Lat. 15° 16′ N., long. 42° 35′ E.

Description.—A black can buoy.

Remarks.—The buoy has disappeared and is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 543, Kamaran Passage and southern approach.
„ 143, Jebel Teir to Perim Island.

Publication.—Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1909, page 364.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4095-18.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Cheribon Road—Light-Buoy to be established.

No. 313 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 914 of 1918), are republished :—

Date of establishment.—Not stated.

Position.—At a distance of 4½ cables, 16° (*N. 15° E. Mag.*), from the group flashing light on inner end of East Mole.
Lat. 6° 42½′ S., long. 108° 34½′ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white* light.

Remarks.—This light-buoy is to mark the outer end of the East Mole, which is being extended for a distance of 2$\frac{7}{10}$ cables, and the note "*Works in progress (1918)*" is to be inserted on the charts between the position of the light-buoy and the existing outer end of the mole.

Note.—No further notice will be given with regard to the establishment of the light-buoy.

Variation.—1° E.

Chart affected.—No. 932, Plan of Cheribon Road.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 111.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 893 of 1918. (*H. 3984-18.*)

CHINA, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Chifu (Yentai) Inner Harbour—Southern Entrance re-opened; Alterations in Aids to Navigation.

No 314 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 915 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Tower Hill, lat. 37° 33′ N., long., 121° 23½′ E.

1. Southern entrance re-opened :

Details.—The southern entrance to the inner harbour is now open to traffic and the note on the chart "Entrance temporarily closed (1916)" is to be expunged.

Caution.—Vessels using this entrance must give the southern end of the breakwater a berth of at least 50 yards. When a red flag is exhibited on the southern end of the breakwater, vessels passing must proceed at a dead slow speed.

Note.—This entrance is primarily intended for the use of inward bound vessels, but outward bound vessels may use it if it is seen that no inward bound vessel is approaching.

2. Alteration in character of light:

Details.—The character of the light on the southern end of the breakwater under construction has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every three seconds*, thus:—

$$\frac{\text{light,}}{\frac{3}{10}\text{ sec.}} \quad \frac{\text{eclipse,}}{2\frac{7}{10}\text{ secs.}}$$

3. Alteration in position of light-buoy:

Details.—The light-buoy painted black with *flashing white* light, off the northern end of the breakwater, has been moved about 1¼ cables north-westward and is now situated at a distance of 6½ cables, 356° (*N. 1° E. Mag.*), from Tower Hill lighthouse.

Variation—5° W.

Chart affected.—No 1260, Ching tsu shan to Chilu Bluff, with plan.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI., 1918, No. 1643 (Remarks). China Sea Pilot, Vol V., 1912, pages 465, 466; Revised Supplement II., 1918.

Authority.—Shanghai, Notice No. 655 of 19th April 1918. (*H. 3961-18.*)

JAPAN, HOKUSHU, WEST COAST.

Otaru Ko—Light established; Alteration in Position and Description of Light-Buoy.

No. 315 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 920 of 1918), are republished:—

1. Light established:

Position.—On end of southern breakwater, at a distance of 9 cables, 72° (*N. 79° E. Mag.*), from Suitengu yama summit (192 feet).

Lat. 43° 12′ N., long, 141° 01¼′ E.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. F., *Gn., 25 ft., vis. 3 m.*

Characteristics:

Character.—A *fixed green* light.

Elevation.—25 feet.

Visibility.—3 miles.

Structure.—White square iron structure with ball topmark.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

2. Alteration in position and description of light-buoy :

New position.—At the extremity of the projected extension of the northern breakwater, at a distance of $9\frac{5}{10}$ cables, 64° (*N. 71° E. Mag.*), from Suitengu yama summit, and about one cable southward of former position.

New description.—A light-buoy exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

Remarks.—A pecked line is to be shown on the charts between the foregoing light-buoy and the northern breakwater lighthouse. The extension of the southern breakwater shown on the charts to the northward of the light mentioned in (1) above is to be expunged.

Variation.—7° W.

Charts affected.—No. 993, Plan of Otaru ko.
„ 2981, Furubira wan to Aikappu misaki

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 2130*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, pages 696, 697.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 76 of 1918. (*H. 3940-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—New South Wales.

Newcastle Harbour—Extension of Bank; Alterations in Aids to Navigation.

No. 316 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 921 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Newcastle lat. 32° 56′ S., long. 151° 47′ E.

Details.—The accompanying reproductions of portions of Chart No. 2119 show the following :—

(*a*) Extension of bank on northern side of harbour.

(*b*) New leading beacons on northern side of harbour entrance near Wave trap breakwaters, and amended positions of gas pipes.

(*c*) Amended positions and details of the fairway leading lights and towers, of which there are now only two; these lights and towers are now in line when bearing 237° (*S. 47° W. Mag.*)

(*d*) New leading light on Guide wall in place of beacon.

Remarks.—The white leading light near the tramway between Gray and Dangar streets, in the vicinity of the proposed inner basin, has been discontinued; also the red and white leading lights near Fort Scratchley, formerly known as Signal Hill. A black conical buoy has been established at a distance of 870 feet, 23° (*N 13° E. Mag.*), from Nobby's lighthouse.

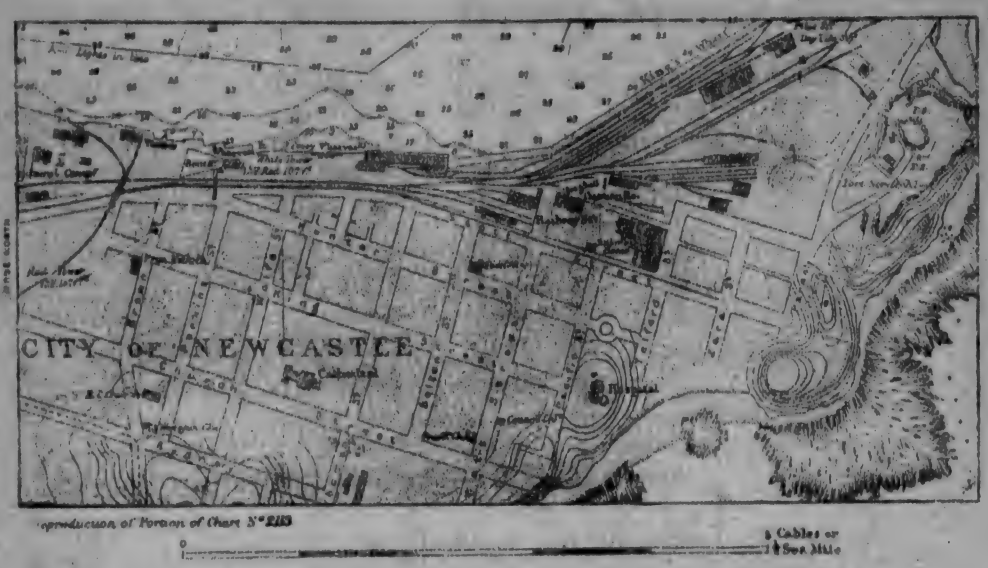
Note.—Further details concerning the above lights will be found in Section VIII of the Weekly edition of Admiralty Notices to Mariners (*week ending 2nd August 1918*).

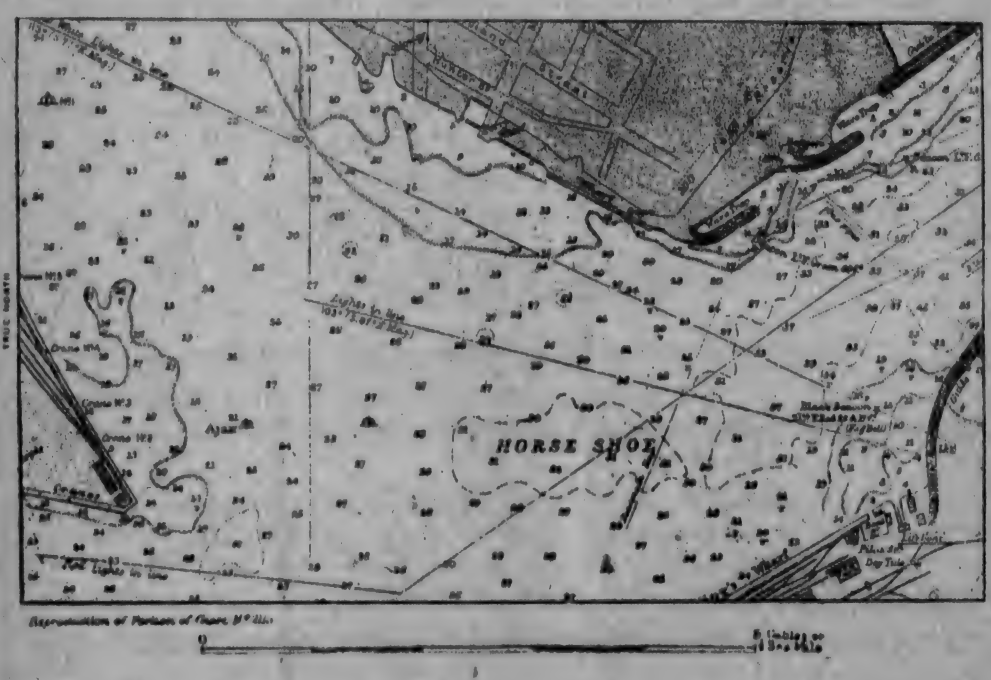
Variation.—10° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2119, Newcastle Harbour.

Publications.—Australia Pilot, Vol III, 1916, pages 53, 54, 55, 56, 57.
List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 2558 to 2565.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 3469-18*).





PERSIAN GULF—Shatt-al-arab River.

Inner Bar—Existence of Wreck; temporary alteration of Buoys.

No. 317 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 82M. of 1918) are republished:—

(*a*) *Wreck Position.*—At a distance of about 7½ cables 136° (*S 46° E. Mag.*), from Inner Bar gas buoy.

Description.—Sunken Dhow.

(*b*) *Inner Bar Gas buoy.*—As a temporary measure the Inner Bar gas buoy will be moved to a position close to northward of the wreck and should be regarded as a Porthand buoy.

(*c*) *No. 7 Buoy.*—No. 7 black can buoy will be moved temporarily to the former position of the Inner Bar gas buoy and painted Red.

This buoy should be regarded as a Starboardhand buoy.

Variation.—2° E.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Basrah. Dated 6th September 1918.

INDIA, EAST COAST.—BAY OF BENGAL.

Gopalpur.—Alteration in character of light.

No. 318 (*second publication*).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 242, dated the 26th August 1918, issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further Notice (No. 44 of 1918) that the alteration therein notified to take place on the 15th October 1918 is postponed to the 15th December 1918.

The 24th September 1918.

CHINA SEA—HAINAN STRAIT.

Hainan Head—Hainan reef buoy discontinued; beacon established.

No. 286 (*third publication*).—

The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 664 of 1918) that the Hainan reef buoy, which hitherto marked the reef extending to the northward from Hainan Head, Hainan island, has been permanently discontinued and that a beacon has been established in its stead.

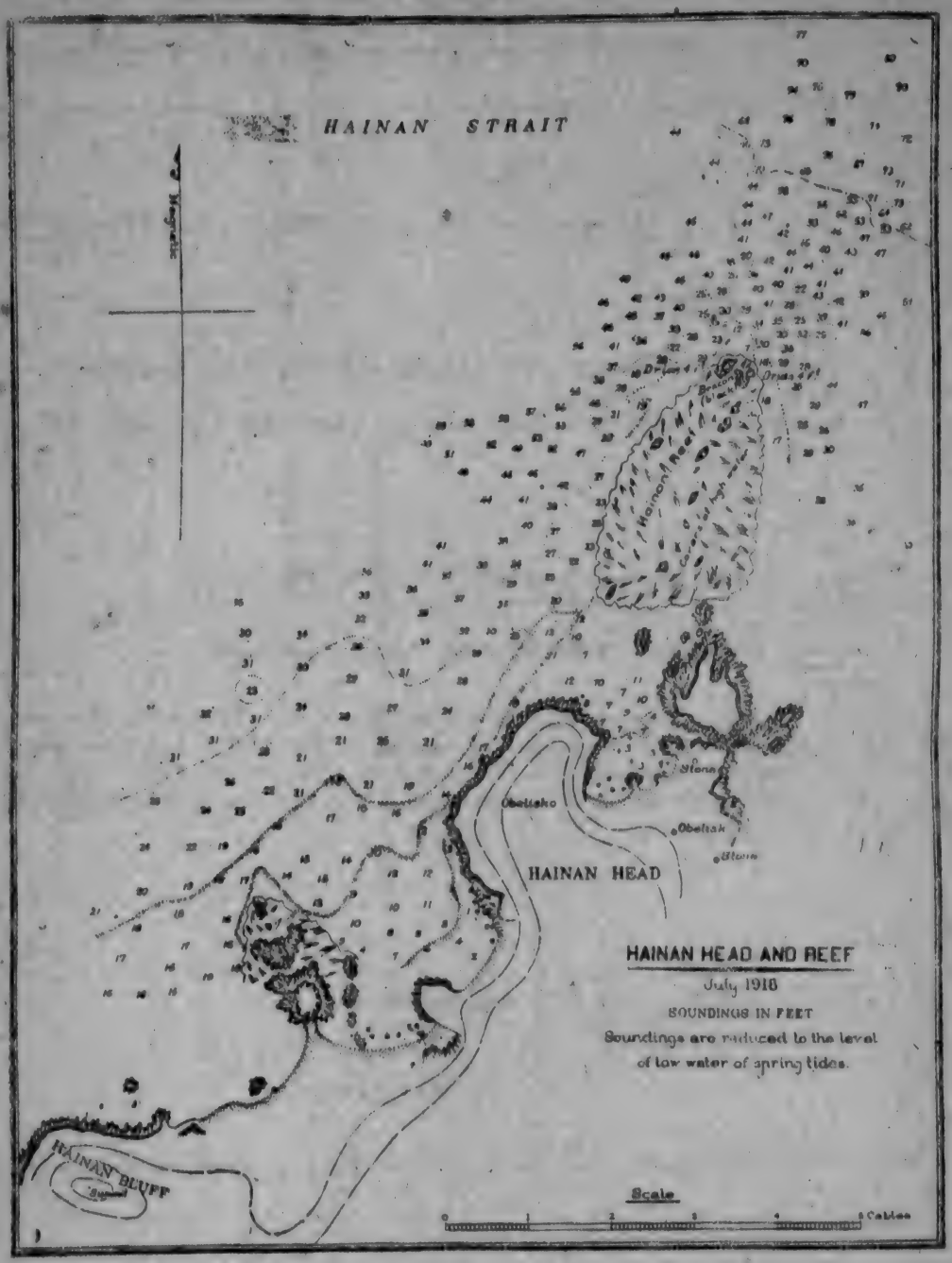
The beacon, which is a concrete structure 10 feet in breadth and 6 feet in height, surmounted by a *black* steel cylinder 8 feet high and 2 feet in diameter, is located on the northern extremity of Hainan reef. From the beacon, the summit of Hainan Bluff bears S. 42° W., magnetic, distant 1·19 miles.

The beacon, which is to be known as the Hainan reef beacon, shows 12 feet above high water of spring tides.

CAUTION.

Vessels should not approach the beacon closer than 2½ cables, owing to the existence of several outlying rocky patches.

A plan of Hainan Head showing the position of the Hainan reef beacon is attached hereto.



CHINA SEA—GULF OF LIAOTUNG.

Liao River entrance—Training-wall under construction ; spar buoy established.

No. 287 (third publication).—

The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 665 of 1918) that a *red* Spar Buoy has been established to mark the southern end of the training-wall under construction at the entrance to the Liao River, Gulf of Liaotung.

This Buoy is moored close off the end of the training-wall, and from the Buoy the Bar Signal Station bears N. 43¼°E., magnetic, distant 3·89 miles.

NOTE.

This Buoy will be moved outwards in accordance with the extension of the training-wall under construction, so that its position relative to the end of the wall is maintained.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Chittagong (Karnafuli) River—Alteration in the leading marks over Outer and Inner Bars; Patunga buoy moved.

No. 2881. (third publication).—

Subject.—The following alterations in the leading marks and buoy are made over Outer and Inner Bars :—

Black Diamond has been moved 212° (S. 31° 25′ W. Mag.) 587′ feet.

White Disc in line with Black Diamond 44° 25′ (N. 43° 50′ E. Mag.) leads over Outer and Inner Bars.

Patunga Middle Black Buoy has been moved 357° (N. 3° 35′ W. Mag.) 190 feet.

Variation.—0° 35′ E.

Chart affected.—No. 84, Chittagong (Karnafuli) River.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, pages 322 and 323.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice, dated 20th September 1918.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

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REPORT OF THE CHIEF OFFICER ON THE WORKING OF THE CALCUTTA FIRE BRIGADE AND AMBULANCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1918.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2521M.—The 10th October 1918.—The following is published for general information under section 41 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, 1893 (Bengal Act I of 1893).

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. $\frac{F\ 8.\ 49\text{-}18}{568}$, dated Calcutta, the 13th September 1918.

From—R. CLARKE, Esq., Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.
To—The Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Municipal Dept.

IN accordance with paragraph 41, section 2 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act (1 of 1893), I have the honour to submit herewith the report of the Chief Officer on the working of the Fire Brigade and Ambulance Department for the year ending the 31st March 1918.

No. $\frac{F.\ B\ 49\text{-}18}{606}$, dated Calcutta, the 13th August 1918.

From—B. A. Westbrook, Esq., Chief Officer, Fire Brigade, Calcutta.

To—The Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Municipal Dept.,
(Through R. Clarke, Esq., Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.)

I have the honour to present the following report on the working of the Calcutta Fire Brigade for the financial year ended the 31st March 1918.

During the year under review, the Brigade was under the charge of Mr. W. Jarret, Station Officer in charge, Headquarters, as I was on deputation in Mesopotamia to advise on the fire-protection of the Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force.

2. **Financial Statement.**—The statement of the receipts and expenditure and payments made by the Municipalities within the jurisdiction of the Fire Brigade Act I of 1893, is given in Appendix I.

3. **Fires, etc.**—The total number of fires or supposed fires dealt with by the Fire Brigade during the year under review is 427, being a decrease of 28 as compared with previous year and resulting in :—

Fires	...	...	...	331 (335 in 1916-17)
False alarms	...	.	...	88 (108 in 1916-17)
Calls for special service	...	...	...	8 (12 in 1916-17)

In connection with the false alarms it is unsatisfactory to note that no less than 58 were assumed to be given wilfully.

Nine fires occurred in premises licensed under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I of 1893, as compared with 15 in the previous year. The nature of the trades requiring licenses under this Act are enumerated in Appendix XVII :—

On three	days	6	fires or supposed fires	occurred	... 18
„ seven	„	5	ditto	ditto	... 35
„ ten	„	4	ditto	ditto	... 40
„ twenty-five	„	3	ditto	ditto	... 75
„ seventy	„	2	ditto	ditto	... 140
„ one hundred and nineteen	day	1	ditto	ditto	... 119
				Total	... 427

Summaries are given in the Appendix showing :—

The district in which fires or supposed fires occurred (Appendix III).

The number of fires on every day and month throughout the year (Appendix IV).

Daily and hourly summary of fires or supposed fires (Appendix V).

The actual number of calls received during the year is 588 (639 in 1916-17), which figure included several instances where more than one call was received for the same fire. The means by which these calls were transmitted to the Brigade are given in Appendix II.

4. **Fire Loss.**—The damage caused by fire and water during the year is Rs. 7,82,835 (Rs. 13,17,495 in 1916-17) which is below the average for the past eight years by Rs. 2,88,902.

The average damage per fire during the current year is Rs. 1,131 as compared with Rs. 6,002 for the past eight years.

Summaries are given in Appendix showing :—

Damage caused by fire, etc., in various districts (Appendix VI).
Classification of fires and calls (Appendix VII).
Means by which fires were extinguished (Appendix VIII).
Causes of fires and buildings affected (Appendix XV).
Comparative statement for the past nine years (Appendix XVIII).

5. **Fire Reports.**—Short reports of fires Rs. 1,000 damaged and over, are given in (Appendix IX).

6. **Appliances.**—Appendix X shows the present distribution of the principal appliances in use by the Brigade, and Appendix XI gives the number of times each appliance has been turned out in response to fire calls, with monthly figures.

It is estimated that motor appliances travelled 3,659 miles and horse-drawn appliances 134 miles during the year in responding to and returning from calls.

Orders have been placed with Messrs. Merryweather & Sons, Ld., and Messrs. Leyland & Co. for new Motor Fire Engines, but delivery has not yet been effected owing to the war.

7. **Fire Stations.**—Appendix XII gives the number of times each station has been turned out in response to fire calls, together with monthly figures.

Headquarters are still situated in the premises temporarily hired from the Samavaya Corporation. Ld. A suitable site has now been selected at the Fenwick Bazar Police outpost and plans for permanent Headquarters are being prepared.

The Improvement Trust having acquired the Halliday Street Pumping Station site, the section of the Fire Brigade located there had to be removed to 20, Convent Road, Entally, from 15th October 1917, which was hired at a monthly rental of Rs. 425 only. Arrangements are in progress to build a permanent out-station at the Halliday Street site as the congested portion of the town in that area is now insufficiently protected.

8. **Staff.**—The total strength of the Brigade is 220. The general conduct and discipline has been good. Many changes have taken place in the personnel owing to men proceeding on Active Service. Under Government Order No. 30 T. M., dated 5th January 1918, sanction has been received to the revision of pay of the superior establishment of the Brigade, and a *moochi* has been entertained. The revision has been made commensurate with the recommendations made in the Re-organisation Report.

Owing to the increase of Fire Brigade work, and the large amount of stores, etc., necesary for the maintenance of the Brigade, it has been found necessary to inaugurate separate Stores Department. Government has been approached on the subject, and it is hoped that sanction will be accorded for this Department at an early date.

9. **Fatalities and Accidents.**—Short details of fires and calls involving loss of life and accidents are given in Appendix XIV.

I regret to report that Sergeant Brodie of the Calcutta Police attached to the Fire Brigade was fatally injured whilst proceeding to a fire on the 30th January 1918. Full enquiries were made and it was found that no blame could be attached to the Driver of the Fire Engine as the accident was due to the fact that road repairs were being carried out and no warning lights were exhibited.

The total fatalities are 7 as compared with 10 in the previous year. Of these 2 cases of suicide by burning.

First aid was rendered in almost every case by the Fire Brigade with the materials carried on the appliances.

10. **Horses.**—Sixteen horses were in service at the commencement of the year. One horse has been cast and sold as being unfit for the Fire Brigade work, and one has been purchased, leaving a total of sixteen at the close of the year.

11. **Water-supply.**—In several instances difficulty has been experienced in obtaining adequate water for fire-extinguishing purposes.

The entertainment of duplicate set of pumps for the unfiltered water-supply requires consideration, as when the existing pumps require repairing or overhauling, a considerable portion of the City is left practically unprotected.

In several areas, such as Chitpur, Howrah and Garden Reach, there is considerable danger of serious fires occurring as no water mains are laid and many of the existing tanks are being filled up on sanitary grounds.

It is hoped that prompt action will be taken in this matter as the value and importance of the properties at risk is enormous.

I have to thank the officers of the Water Department of the Calcutta Corporation for their endeavours to improve the supply and for their attention to any complaints which are made.

12. **Street Fire Alarms, Telephones and Electrical communications.**—Appendix 11 shows the means by which fire calls have been transmitted to the Fire Brigade.

It is satisfactory to note that cases of delay in calling the Fire Brigade have decreased in number, which is due to the installation of Street Fire Alarms. This Fire Alarm system has been of extensive service and undoubtedly has been the means of preventing many serious fires.

My thanks are due to the Bengal Telephone Company for their efficiency in keeping the Fire Alarms and telephones in good working order and for their continued interest in all matters appertaining to Fire Brigade work.

Appendix XVI gives the position of street fire alarms erected and about to be erected. At present there are in all 125 in use.

13. **Inspection Department, Theatres and places of Public Amusements.**—A considerable amount of work has been carried out in endeavouring to safeguard the public in places of amusement, but I regret that the progress is very slow. As mentioned in my previous reports, the bye-laws regulating the theatres, etc., required amendment giving the requisite power of enforcing the necessary safeguards and provision of fire appliances.

Two celluloid film fires occurred during the year and in one case one person was burned to death.

14. **General.**—Progress has been made in protecting individual risks and on many occasions advice has been given on fire protection.

In connection with the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act (I of 1893) during the year under review, 5.457 inspections have been made (exclusive of theatres and places of public amusement).

371 applications for licenses and complaints have been received and disposed of.

215 prosecutions were instituted under section 14 of Act I of 1893, which resulted in 187 persons being fined, 13 persons being warned and 15 cases being withdrawn or filed.

3 Licenses were refused as the sites were not considered suitable and in conformity with the requirements from the Fire Brigade point of view.

15. **Firework licenses, etc.**—During the year five licenses were granted for letting off fireworks under section 36, Act I of 1893.

One person was prosecuted, convicted and fined for selling fireworks without license.

16. **Jurisdiction.**—The Calcutta Fire Brigrade protects the municipalities of Calcutta, Cossipore-Chitpore, Howrah, Maniktala and Garden Reach, and may attend fires outside the boundaries of these municipalities (but not exceeding a radius of 6 miles from the Central Fire Station), provided that appliances can be spared and on payment of a prescribed fee. Appendix XIX gives the Government Order relating to this and the form which has to be signed prior to the Fire Bigrade leaving the jurisdiction of the above municipalities.

The actual area protected by the Calcutta Fire Brigrade is just over 113 square miles, and the population included in the same is about 1½ millions.

17. **Map.**—For economical purposes the map usually inserted in this report, showing the situation of fire stations, fire alarms, etc., and where fires have occurred, is omitted.

18. **Ambulance Service.**—Since the inauguration of the Motor Ambulance Service in January 1916, a considerable amount of useful work has been carried out.

Up to the 31st March 1918, no less than 6,012 calls have been dealt with and the ambulance waggons have travelled about 32,450 miles.

During the year under review, 3,643 calls have been received (2,317 in 1916-17) and the machines have travelled about 18,849½ miles (13,600 in 1916-17).

Details of the work are given in the Appendix Nos. XXI, XXII. showing—

The number of calls on every day and month throughout the year (Appendix XXI).

Daily and hourly summary of calls (Appendix XXII).

The staff of the Ambulance Service consists of four drivers and eight attendants, two drivers and two attendants being always on duty at the following salaries :—

Drivers, Rs. 80 per month and free quarters.

Attendants, Rs. 15 per month and free quarters.

There are now three motor ambulance waggons belonging to this Department, all of which have been presented to the Government and the Corporation.

Arrangements were made for these machines to be repaired when necessary in the Corporation workshops, but unfortunately considerable difficulty was experienced in keeping them in good running order. On many occasions one machine only has been on duty, therefore the number of calls in which delay has occurred has been considerable (amounting to no less than 202) owing to the machines on duty being engaged on other cases or under repair. It is, however, anticipated that better result will be obtained in the coming year.

The question of providing another motor ambulance and crew consisting of two drivers and four attendants require consideration, as the work of the Department is so rapidly increasing that the present machines and staff are frequently unable to cope with it.

The system of keeping one machine in reserve to permit overhauling and repairing the machine on duty has been found by experience to be necessary and even with this precaution, as before mentioned, often one machine only was immediately available for calls.

On 1st April 1918, it was decided to make charges for the use of the motor ambulances in certain cases, but that for accidents and persons requiring to be removed to the free wards of the hospitals, no charge is made. The schedule of charges will be seen in Appendix XXIII.

The Ambulance Department is financially maintained by Government and the Corporation of Calcutta, the former paying one-third and the latter two-thirds of the cost of the upkeep. Appendix XX gives financial statement for the year under review.

Ambulances are available at all hours for accidents and urgent cases necessitating removal to hospital. These machines are not to be used for infectious cases, but the provision of one or more motor ambulances for that class of work is now under consideration.

N.B.—Certain of the appendices referred to in the above report are not reprinted in the Gazette.

APPENDIX I

Statement showing receipts and expenditure of the Fire Brigade for 1917-18.

The year opened with a balance of Rs. 89,132-9-6 and the receipts amounted to Rs. 2,17,891-14-10 and the total expenditure to Rs. 2,09,299, leaving a balance of Rs. 97,725-8-4 at the close of the year.

RECEIPTS.

The receipts show an increase of Rs. 5,484-14-10 over the estimate. The sale proceeds of unserviceable stores amounted to Rs. 3,432-6-9 against Rs. 500 estimated. The credits on account of hire of engines, etc., in connection with calls outside the brigade jurisdiction amounted to Rs. 1,020. The fees under the Petroleum Act show an increase of Rs. 1,085 over the estimate.

EXPENDITURE.

Under head 'Establishments' there was a decrease of Rs. 10,391-1 due mainly to the non-debit of the Chief Officer's pay, owing to his being on deputation to Mesopotamia.

The total expenditure under head 'Contingencies' amounted to Rs. 1,17,722-8-8 against a budget grant of Rs. 1,90,952, showing a decrease of Rs. 73,229-7-4. The savings include Rs. 59,788 provided in the budget for the purchase of (*i*) a combined appliance including fire escape, first-aid cylinders and pumps, (*ii*) a motor fire engine and (*iii*) canvas hose which remained unexpended at the close of the year in consequence of the delay in their shipment from England owing to the war.

Under head 'Other charges' there was a decrease of Rs. 1,487-8-7 due mainly to less expenditure under head 'Water pressure'.

Abstract of Receipts and Disbursements of the Fire Brigade Fund for the year ending 31st March 1918.

RECEIPTS.	Budget estimate for 1917-18.	Actual receipts for 1917-18.	Increase.	Decrease.	PAYMENTS	Budget estimate for 1917-18.	Actual charges for 1917-18.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs		Rs	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.
Balance at the beginning of the year.	...	89,132 9 6	...	...	Establishment	91,520	81,128 15 11	...	10,391 0 1
Proportionate cost payable by—									
Corportion of Calcutta	1,36,875	1,36,875 0 0	...	...	Contingencies ..	1,90,952	1,17,722 8 8	...	73,229 7 4
Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality	33,692	33,692 0 0	...	...					
Howrah Municipality.	29,481	29,481 0 0	...	...					
Garden Reach Municipality	6,317	6,317 0 0	...	...	Other charges	11,935	10 447 7 5	...	1,487 8 7
Manicktolla Municipality.	4,212	4,212 0 0	...	...					
Total ...	2,10,577	2,10,577 0 0	...	...		2,94,407	2,09,299 0 0	...	85,108 0 0
Fees under Fire-works	30	30 0 0	...	...					
Fees under Petroleum Act.	1,000	2,085 0 0	1,085 0 0	...					
Total ...	1,030	2,115 0 0	1,085 0 0	...					
Sale-proceeds of unserviceable stores	500	3,432 6 9	2,932 6 9	...	Closing balance on 31st March 1918.	...	97,725 8 4		
Miscellaneous .	100	1,667 8 1	1,667 8 1	...					
Sale-proceeds of horses	200	...	...	200					
Total ...	800	5,199 14 10	4,599 14 10	200					
GRAND TOTAL ...	2,12 407	3,07,024 8 4	5,684 14 10	200	GRAND TOTAL ...	...	3,07,024 8 4		

Payment by Municipalities.

		Per cent	Rs
Corporation of Calcutta ...	... ...	65	1,36,875
Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality	... ...	16	33,692
Howrah ditto	... ...	14	29,481
Garden Reach ditto	... ...	3	6,317
Manicktolla ditto	... ...	2	4,212
Total	... ...		2,10,577

APPENDIX II.

Summary showing means by which calls were transmitted to the Fire Brigade.

Month.	Total calls.	Street Fire Alarms.	Private Telephones.	Police Telephones.	Messengers.	Look-out men at Fire Brigade Stations.
April 1917 ...	86	34	40	5	5	2
May ,, ...	49	26	18	3	...	2
June ,, ...	19	8	9	...	2	...
July ,, ...	19	8	11	...	...	...
August ,, ...	16	12	4	...	...	...
September ,, ...	26	14	11	...	1	...
October ,, ...	35	20	13	1	1	...
November ,, ...	38	17	18	2	...	1
December ,, ...	60	27	30	...	...	3
January 1918 ...	69	38	22	6	2	1
February ,, ...	82	44	34	1	2	1
March ,, ...	89	37	48	...	1	3
Total ...	588	285	258	18	14	13

APPENDIX III.

Statement showing the number of fires or supposed fires occurring in each district.

Month.	Calcutta.	Cossipore and Chitpur.	Howrah.	Manicktollah.	Garden Reach.	River, Docks and Canals.	Out of jurisdiction.	Total
April 1917	37	1	5	2	3	2	1	51
May ,,	30	1	1	...	...	2	...	34
June ,,	16	1	1	1	...	...	...	19
July ,,	13	...	1	...	...	2	...	16
August ,,	13	1	1	...	...	...	...	15
September ,,	18	...	...	...	...	1	...	19
October ,,	24	...	1	1	...	3	...	29
November ,,	18	2	3	2	1	1	...	27
December ,,	30	3	4	...	2	3	...	42
January 1918	44	4	5	1	...	2	...	56
February ,,	45	5	4	2	...	1	...	57
March ,,	46	2	3	5	...	5	1	62
Total ...	334	20	29	14	6	22	2	427

APPENDIX IV.

Statement showing the number of fires or supposed fires on every day and month throughout the year.

Month	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Total.
1917																																
April ...	3	1	1	1	...	3	1	..	4	1	1	5	2	1	2	...	4	1	1	3	3	1	3	3	2	2	2	...	1	...	...	51
May ...	1	2	3	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	...	...	...	3	...	2	1	1	3	...	1	1	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	34
June ...	2	1	..	...	3	1	..	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	19
July ...	..	.	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	2	1	1	...	1	1	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	16
August ...	...	..	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	..	1	...	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	15
September ...	...	1	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	2	1	...	19
October ...	1	..	3	...	...	2	1	2	...	...	...	1	3	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	2	...	1	2	3	...	...	...	29
November ...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	2	4	1	1	1	2	...	...	1	1	2	1	1	...	1	...	3	...	27
December ...	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	6	..	2	1	1	2	2	1	5	2	1	1	1	...	1	2	1	1	...	...	3	2	49
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January	2	1	2	2	1	1	...	...	1	1	2	4	3	1	...	3	4	..	4	4	1	4	2	...	1	2	1	2	3	2	2	56
February ...	1	...	...	1	1	..	...	1	1	5	3	2	3	3	1	3	3	1	1	6	1	5	2	2	3	5	2	1	...	...	...	57
March ...	..	...	...	1	2	2	4	5	1	4	2	1	5	3	3	1	2	3	1	1	1	...	1	2	1	2	6	2	2	1	2	62
Daily Total ...	12	7	11	9	12	11	10	10	14	19	11	17	23	16	12	18	23	14	16	18	13	20	14	17	11	15	15	11	8	13	7	427

APPENDIX VI.

Statement showing the damage caused by fire, etc., in the various districts.

Month	Total	Calcutta	Cossipore and Chitpur.	Howrah	Garden Reach.	Manicktolla	Rivers, Docks and Canals.	Not included in the foregoing districts but within a radius of 6 miles from the Fire Brigade headquarters.
	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.
April 1917 ...	43,932	9,181	25	3,195	1,016	505	10	30,000
May ,, ...	68,453	68,443	...	...	...	...	10	...
June ,, ...	484	314	...	20	...	...	150	...
July ,, ...	1,508	1,308	...	5	...	...	200	...
August ,, ...	493	293	150	50	...	...	.	...
September ,, ...	1,173	923	...	...	...	...	250	...
October ,, ...	1,02,688	1,02,622	...	1	...	50	15	...
November ,, ...	31,843	20,808	10,100	805	100	30	...	...
December ,, ...	45,669	1,229	25	830	3,525	...	15,060	25,000
January 1918 ...	1,75,336	8,419	1,50,000	15,044	...	250	1 523	100
February ,, ...	2,80,598	5,263	2-00,070	75	...	90	75,000	...
March ,, ...	39,758	18,673	360	125	...	575	9,025	2,000
Total ...	7,82,835	2,37,471	3,60,730	20,150	4,541	1,500	1,01,243	57,100

APPENDIX VIII.

Summary showing the means by which fires were extinguished.

Month.	Occupiers, neighbours, Police, etc., individual firemen not requiring the use of the Fire Brigade appliances.	One or more jets from hydrants.	Chemical machines or first aid cylinder.	Sand, etc	One motor pump.	Two motor pumps.	One steam fire engine	One motor pump and one steam fire engine	Two motor pumps and one steam fire engine.	One motor pump and hydrants.	Three motor pumps, one steam fire engine.	Three motor pumps, two steam fire engines and 1 valiant.	Two motor pumps, 1 valiant and private appliances.	Private appliances.	Sprinklers and one or more jets from hydrants.	Manual fire engines.	One motor pump and 1 valiant.	Electric switches cut out.	One motor pump and private appliances	Rubbish burning.	Special service.	False alarm (wilful).	False alarm accidental or with good intent.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
1917																								
April	25	5	2	1	3	...	1	2	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	...	...	1	.	7	3	51
May	13	2	...	4	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	..	...	2	4	2	34
June	0	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	3	19
July	5	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	..	..	3	..	..	2	2	...	16
August	5	1	1	1	.	...	.	..	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	..	2	3	1	18
September ...	6	1	1	...	3	...	...	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	..	...	4	3	19
October ...	8	...	1	3	1	..	..	..	..	2	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	5	...	...	1	5	1	29
November ...	12	3	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	27
December ...	14	2	...	4	9	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	..	1	...	...	...	1	1		..	4	4	42
1918																								
January ..	25	8	1	2	4	1	..	...	1	...		1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	..	5	4	56
February ...	26	2	...	2	6	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	8	5	57
March ..	28	2	2	4	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	3	1	8	3	62
Total ..	173	37	13	21	35	5	3	3	2	5	2	1	1	5	1	3	1	18	4	8	6	53	30	427

APPENDIX IX.

Short reports of fires of Rs. 1,000 damage and upwards in 1917-18.

Date.	Time of call.	Address.	Trade.	Extinguished by	Remarks.
1917.					
3rd April ...	1-50 A.M	Kadamtala Railway Station, Howrah.	Railway station.	One Steam Fire Engine	Two Railway carriages with corrugated iron roofs containing workshops' stores. Badly damaged by fire and water.
9th „ ...	11-48 P.M.	40, Canal West Road.	Jute warehouse	One motor pump, one Steam Fire Engine.	A corrugated iron shed containing loose and baled jute. Building and contents severely damaged by fire and water.
14th „ ...	5-39 A.M.	Bichali Ghat, Garden Reach	Landing ghat	One motor pump and one Steam Fire Engine.	Two large stacks of straw, hoogla, barrels of cement, lime and rope severely damaged by fire and water.
24th „ ...	3-25 P.M.	Bechulal Bustee, Entally.	Dwelling house	Two motor pumps and one Steam Fire Engine.	A large number of *goalpatta* thatched and tiled huts used as dwellings and shops.
27th „ ...	1-30 P.M.	Bustee, east of Barnagore North Mill.	Oil mill and dwelling houses.	One motor pump	About 150 *goalpatta* and tiled huts, corrugated iron mustard oil mill, corrugated iron grain store. Buildings and contents severely damaged by fire and water.
2nd May ...	7-52 P.M	Calcutta Hydraulic Press.	Jute Press ...	...	Five thousand bales of jute damaged by fire and water. Building not damaged.
19th „ ...	8-5 P.M	9-1B, Ray Bagan Street.	Bioscope theatre.	One motor pump	Bioscope apparatus and films on the ground floor of a three-storied building. The building slightly damaged The daughter of the proprietor was severely burned and subsequently died.
21st July ...	5-40 A.M.	19, Creek Lane ...	Dwelling house	Hydrants ...	Three large huts, built of bamboos and durma matting with tiled roofs and personal property.
18th October ...	3-29 A.M.	Supply and Transport Lines, Hastings.	Godown and offices.	One motor pump, hydrants.	One large pucca built single-storied godown 120' × 50', containing blankets, sheets, towels, a large quantity of glass, enamel and iron wares, etc. Building and contents severely damaged by fire and water. Considerable difficulty with water-supply.
23rd October ...	6-42 P.M.	Straw boat Tooly's nulla.	Boat ...	One motor pump and hydrants.	One large country boat loaded with straw
8th November	7-1 A.M.	41, Kasi Mitter Ghat Street.	Bioscope theatre.	Ditto ...	About 250,000 feet bioscope films, clothing, etc., in a godown on the ground floor of a two-storied pucca building.
25th „ „	6-5 P.M	7, Godown, Calcutta Hydraulic Press.	Jute Press ...	Sprinklers and Mill hoses.	Kutcha bales and loose jute in a large two-storied godown, the top floor used for sorting and the lower used for storing purposes. No damage to the building
18th December	1-54 P.M.	Messrs. Bird and Company's Coolie Lines, Kidderpore Docks.	Dwelling huts.	One motor pump	Five coolies' huts and three offices belonging to Messrs. Bird and Company, etc. These were all built of durma matting.
19th „ ...	3-4 A.M.	Boat No. 2263, river Hooghly.	Boat ...	One motor pump and fire float	One boat loaded with 500 kutcha bales of jute and 1 straw boat
19th „ ...	6-39 P.M.	Gajdar Jute Press.	Jute Press ...	Three motor pumps and one Steam Fire Engine.	Two long kutcha-sheds with thatched roof and bamboo sides, containing 30,000 maunds of jute and a quantity of jute ropes, etc
1918					
5th January ...	7-47 P.M.	S.S. "City of Calcutta."	Boat ...	One motor pump and hydraulic mains	Some teak wood and a large quantity of durma matting in the forehold.
6th January ...	1-29 A.M.	20, Kasi Nath Mullick Lane.	Dwelling house	Two motor pumps	Quantity of raw hides, piece goods, tobacco, etc., in a large tiled hut with mud and bamboo walls.

Date	Time of call	Address	Trade	Extinguished by	Remarks
1918					
13th January .	3-30 P M.	5, Banda Ghat Road, Howrah	Godown ...	Two motor pumps and one Steam Fire Engine	A large corrugated-iron godown containing cotton, rope, canvas, etc
25th „ ..	5 46 P M	Union Jute Press	Jute Press ...	Three motor pumps and three Steam Fire Engines	A large two-storied pucca built godown 150′ × 50′ × 25′ with corrugated-iron roof, containing kutcha bales of jute
10th February	12-33 A M	213, Harrison Road.	Shops ..	One motor pump	A large quantity of cloth and hardware goods in three shops on the ground floor of a three storied building
11th „ .	9 A M	Suraj Jute Press	Jute Press ..	Three motor pumps and one Steam Fire Engine	A large two storied pucca building 100′ × 25′ × 35, containing kutcha and drum jute, the lower portion used for storing and the upper for sorting Roof collapsed before the arrival of the Brigade Late call
13th „ ..	8 28 P M	1, Shed Kidderpore Docks	Docks	Two Motor pumps and one Steam Fire Engine and Dock appliances	About 7,000 bales of jute damaged by fire and water, stacked in the South-East corner The shed was packed with 23,500 bales of which the bales on the ground were damaged by water
15th „ ...	11-2 A M	6, Ekbalpore Road	Dwelling house	One motor pump	One large corrugated-iron roofed hut with durma mat, walls, divided into a number of rooms and some personal property
27th „ ...	2-19 P M	Union Jute Press	Jute Press ..	Three motor pumps, one Steam Fire Engine	A large two-storied godown, containing jute
7th March ...	4-4½ P M	45, Murari Pukur Road	Shop ...	Three motor pumps.	Quantity of licensed oil and paints
8th „ ...	6-44 P M	S S "Mateor" ..	Ship ...	Ship's appliances	Quantity of coir mattresses and oil tubs
10th „ ...	4-52 A M.	Chingrihatta fish market, Tollygunge	Shops ..	One motor pump	About 20 *goalputta* huts used as shops with contents, rice, oil ghee, etc
11th „ ...	3-38 A.M	106, Harrison Road	Dwelling house	Ditto ..	Silk, lace, clothing, furniture etc
13th „ ...	1-53 P M	56-8, Canal East Road	Ditto ..	Two motor pumps	One corrugated-iron roofed hut, one tiled hut, one *goalputta* hut, divided into a number of rooms and some personal property
21st „ ..	11-4 A M	No 5 Jetty, Cargo Boat No 10	Boat ...	Fire float ...	Sixty-nine bales of gunnies for sand bags

APPENDIX XII.

Statement showing the number of times each station has been turned out in response to fire calls.

Station	1917									1918			
	April	May.	June	July	August.	September	October	November	December	January	February	March.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Headquarters ...	46	33	18	15	15	16	29	26	38	52	66	57	411
Halliday Street ...	20	16	6	6	9	6	7	...	4	16	12	22	124
Chitpur	3	2	...	...	2	1	...	4	3	5	10	7	37
Howrah	5	...	1	1	1	...	1	3	4	5	4	5	30
Watgunge	4	1	1	1	...	...	5	1	...	2	4	...	19
Garden Reach ...	1	2	...	1	...	...	1	1	3	2	2	...	13
Sibpur	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	4
Palmers Bridge ...	2	3	2	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	1	3	16
Fire Float	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	...	1	2	9
Hose Reels, etc., from police-station.	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	6
Total ...	84	58	28	25	28	25	44	39	55	85	102	96	669

APPENDIX XIII.

Disposition of the Staff of the Calcutta Fire Brigade during the year 1917-18.

STATIONS.	Chief officer	Chief Engineer.	Inspector of warehouses.	Station officers.	Engineers.	European drivers.	European firemen.	Tindals (1st class).	Tindals (2nd class).	Tindals (3rd class).	Khalasis (1st class).	Khalasis (2nd class).	Khalasis under instruction.	Indian drivers.	Syces.	Bhisties.	Mehtars.	Mechanics.	Moochi.	Telephone operators.	Clerks.	Peon.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Headquarters Corporation Place	1	...	1	2	6	1	7	3	1	2	10	13	13	...	5	1	1	3	1	3	3	1	78
Entally Fire Station	...	...	.	1	1	...	...	...	1	3	3	20	5	2	5	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	43
Howrah ditto ...	...	.	...	1	1	..	...	...	1	.	2	16	1	1	2	..	1	...	...	...	.	..	27
Chitpur ditto	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	7	12	1	1	2	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	28
Garden Reach Fire Station ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Watgunge ditto ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Palmers Bridge ditto ...	...	...	. .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Sibpur ditto ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Total .	1	1	1	4	8	1	7	4	5	6	25	100	20	4	16	2	4	3	1	3	3	1	280

APPENDIX XIV.

Short reports of fires involving loss of life or serious accidents.

Date	Address	Called at—	Lives lost	Persons injured	Nature of premises	Remarks
1917						
1st April ...	128, Corporation Street	6-47 P M ...	...	1	Dwelling house	An Indian named Ganguli Shaw, aged about 60 years, was badly burnt on the legs and arms First aid was rendered and he refused to go to Hospital
16th May ...	12, Rupchand Mukerji Lane, Bhowanipur.	4-6 A M ...	1	...	Ditto ...	A woman named Santia, aged about 25 years, saturated her clothing with kerosine oil and ignited it She was found dead on arrival
19th „ ...	2-1B, Roy Bagan Street	8 5 P M ...			Ditto and Bioscope Coy	An Indian woman, daughter of the proprietor, was severely burnt She died after admittance to Hospital
17th July ...	43, Bechu Chatterji Street	1-55 A M ...	1	...	Dwelling house	A Bengalee woman named Giribala Dasi, wife of Annada Prosad Ghose, committed suicide by pouring kerosine oil and setting fire to it
6th August	1, Fakir Chand Mistri Lane	4-50 A M ...	...	1	Ditto ...	A Bengalee woman named Surjobala Dasi, aged 24 years, wife of Jogendranath Ghosh, saturated her clothing with kerosine oil and set fire to it First aid was rendered and the injured person was sent to the Medical College Hospital
20th „ ...	8, Nitai Babu Lane	3-28 P M. ...	...	1	Ditto ...	A Bengalee prostitute named Nritya Raur, aged about 50 years, saturated her clothing with kerosine oil and set fire to it First aid was rendered and sent to the Medical College
17th Sept ..	35, Clive Street ...	12-54 P M	1	2	Shop ...	Three men were burnt One Satis Ch Dutt being severely burnt was admitted to the Medical College Hospital who subsequently died The other two Chaitan Ram Kahar and Laki Nayak were also admitted to the Hospital First aid was rendered in every case
1918						
30th Jan ..	32, Tollygunge Circular Road	5-12 A M ..	1	...	Ditto ...	Sergeant Brodie of the Calcutta Police and attached to the Fire Brigade whilst proceeding to a fire was thrown from the Engine Several ribs were broken which punctured the lungs Septic poisoning set in and he died within three days after admission to Hospital
30th March ...	Sahnagore Rice Mill	5-25 A M ...	2	2	Rice mill „	Two men were killed and two men injured, due to collapse of the east wall of the building. The injured men were sent to Hospital No fire

APPENDIX XV.

Statement of causes of fires and buildings, etc., involved.

1	Cooking stoves and other fires left unattended and unprotected. 2	Smoking. 3	Oil lamp, etc., exploding and overheating. 4	Electric wires fusing. 5	Naked lights in contact. 6	Spontaneous ignition. 7	Fire-works. 8	Sparks from furnaces and chulas. 9	Matches thrown down. 10	Tar, ghee, etc., boiling over. 11	Children playing with matches. 12	Petrol vapour in contact with lights. 13	Gas escaping. 14	Acid, phosphorous, etc., spilled. 15	Machinery overheating. 16	Supposed incendiarism. 17	Curtains in contact with naked lights. 18	Burning rubbish. 19	Suicide by burning. 20	Incendiarism. 21	Short circuit. 22	Special service. 23	Causes not definitely ascertained. 24	False alarms (wilful). 25	False alarms (accidental or with good intent). 26	Total 27
Dwelling	20	13	26	17	9	—	7	46	4	—	9	—	4	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	1	—	39	—	—	203
Shops, offices, etc.	3	1	4	3	3	—	—	8	2	10	—	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	37
Warehouses, general and manufactories	—	1	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	1	13
Jute Mills, Warehouses and Presses	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	1	8
Straw, stacks of, etc.	1	6	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	1	17
Ships, etc.	—	2	—	1	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	1	12
Workshops	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Out-buildings	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Motor-cars, cycles, etc.	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9
Rubbish burning	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11
Jute, straw, etc., in transit	—	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Theatres, Churches, Schools, etc.	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	7
Miscellaneous	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
Special service	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	2
Railway station	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
Rice godown	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	3
Cables	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Street Lamp post	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	58	1	59
False alarms (wilful)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	30
Do (accidental or with good intent)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	24	27	33	27	18	4	8	53	7	11	13	9	4	4	2	2	2	5	6	2	1	2	76	58	30	427

APPENDIX XXIII.

Corporation of Calcutta.

Motor Ambulance Service.

The following rules to regulate the use of the motor ambulances have been approved by the Corporation and the *fees prescribed therein for the use of the ambulances for conveying paying patients to hospitals, etc., will be enforced from the 1st April 1918.*

Rules.

1. The use of the motor ambulances is allowed free of charge in Calcutta and its immediate surroundings in the following cases :—

(*i*) In all accident cases, and in all labour cases where the parties are poor.

(*ii*) In the case of patients suffering from non-infectious diseases who are intended to be treated in hospitals in general indoor wards without payment.

(*iii*) In the case of patients suffering from non-infectious diseases who may belong to His Majesty's naval or land forces.

(*iv*) In the case of members of the Indian Defence Force whose injuries or sickness may have been caused in the discharge of their military duties.

2. Fees will be charged for the use of the motor ambulances in the following cases at the rates noted against each—

A. In the case of Calcutta residents :—

(*i*) Where a paying patient is conveyed from his home to a hospital or *vice versa*.

	Rs.
(*a*) For patients treated in the 3 Nursing Homes, *viz.*, the Bengal Nursing Home in Bow Bazar and the two Nursing Homes in Middleton Row and Wood Street, or in the Woodburn Block of the Presidency General Hospital, Turret rooms of the Eden Hospital, larger five-rupee cabins or purdah cottages of the Dufferin Hospital, or in any other hospital or place of treatment on payment of a daily charge of Rs. 5 and above.	5
(*b*) For patients treated in other paying wards of hospitals or other places of treatment on payment of a daily fee of less than Rs. 5.	2
(*ii*) In other than hospital cases, *i.e.*, where the ambulance is engaged to convey a patient to a Railway Station, Steamer or elsewhere (but not to a hospital) and *vice versa*, the fee will ordinarily be ... (But the Chief Officer, Fire Brigade, has the discretion to reduce it, if he thinks proper).	5

B. In the case of patients (suffering from non-infectious diseases) outside Calcutta:—Same rates as in A above plus 0-8-0 per mile for the distance covered by the ambulance outside the Municipal limits both ways.

3. In all cases in which fees are payable, the amount due must be prepaid. The drivers are supplied with a book of vouchers and will give a printed receipt in return for the proper fee.

4. In all accident cases in Calcutta or its surroundings, motor ambulances will turn out on the requisition of any person if there are reasonable grounds to consider the call a *bonâ fide* one.

Requisitions (which may be verbal or written) for ambulance for conveying patients should be made by a doctor or nurse or other responsible person.

5. The Chief Officer, Fire Brigade, has the option of refusing to send the ambulances (*a*) outside the Municipal limits, (*b*) in cases within the Municipal limits in which he has reason to doubt the *bonâ fides* of the parties (if other than doctors or nurses) requisitioning.

C. F. PAYNE,
Chairman.

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE :
1st March, 1918.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Second Forecast of the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1918-19.

***Note.*—On an average of the five years ending 1916-17, the area under the Cotton Crops in Bengal has represented some 0.3 per cent. of the total area under cotton in India.**

There are two crops early and late. The early crop is chiefly grown in the Chittagong Hill Tracts and in the State of Hill Tippera and to a small extent in Bankura and Midnapore districts. The late crop is unimportant and is mainly grown in Midnapore.

Character of the season.—The prospects are on the whole good. The report from the Chittagong Hill Tracts forecasts a good crop while that from Hill Tippera is fairly satisfactory.

Area sown.—The area sown with early cotton is reported to be 71,367 acres against 71,130 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year. This includes an area estimated at 1,000 acres in other districts which have started cotton cultivation this year on account of the high prices of cloth.

Of the late crop 700 acres are reported to have been sown up to date in Midnapore against the same figure in the corresponding forecast of last year.

S. MILLIGAN,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CAMP, DARJEELING.
The 9th October 1918

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 12th October 1918.

Names of Articles	Wholesale price per maund						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs	A.	P.	Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rice—												
Balam, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Patnai, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	3	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	4	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Nagra, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	4	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	6	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Dudhkalma ...	5	8	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Rangoon Boiled ...	4	4	0	4	12	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
Kajla	4	0	0	4	8	0	0	2	0	0	2	3
Wheat, Dudhia	7	10	0	7	12	0	.....			.....		
„ Jamali	7	4	0	.....			.....			.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	6	10	0	7	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ dal	7	4	0	7	12	0	0	3	0	0	3	3
Mung „ (Hari)	11	0	0	11	10	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	10	2	0	10	10	0	0	3	6	0	4	0
Arhar „	6	8	0	7	12	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Masur „ (split)	4	12	0	5	2	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ „ (khanri) ...	7	4	0	7	12	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Kalai „	9	8	0	10	0	0	0	4	0	.....		
Salt	3	9	0	3	10	6	0	1	9	0	2	0
Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	8	0	.....			0	5	0	0	6	0
Gur, Bheli	6	8	0	7	8	0	0	3	0	0	4	0
„ Bhursut	8	12	0	.....			0	4	6	0	5	0
Milk	11	4	0	13	2	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil	26	0	0	28	8	0	0	10	0	0	14	0
Flour (country)	10	0	0	11	14	0	0	4	8	0	5	0
Atta No. 3	7	0	0	.....			0	3	0	0	5	0
„ „ 2½	7	4	0	.....								
„ „ B	11	4	0	.....								
Suji	11	8	0	12	0	0	0	5	0	.....		
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	79	0	0	80	0	0	2	4	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	68	0	0	70	0	0	2	0	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	65	0	0	66	0	0	1	14	0	.....		
Maize	4	12	0	5	0	0	.....			.....		
Potato	6	8	0	7	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Patal	.....			.....			.....			.....		
Brinjal	4	0	0	4	5	0	0	1	6	0	2	6
Onion	4	4	0	4	6	0	0	2	0	0	3	6
Fish, Rahu	28	0	0	30	0	0	0	12	0	0	14	0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	.....		
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	4	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets —

Wholesale—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail—Sir Stuart Hogg Market Orphangunj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. RAY.

for *President Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 12th October 1918.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 10th October 1918.

Summary.—The week was almost rainless. Standing crops are suffering for want of rain. Weeding of winter paddy has been finished. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute are approaching completion. Lands are being prepared for the cultivation of *rabi* crops. Scarcity of fodder is reported from Dinajpur. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 1·5 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
1	24-PARGANAS	Nil	$7\frac{9}{16}$	$7\frac{9}{16}$	Harvesting of *aus* paddy and steeping of jute continue. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	$7\frac{1}{4}$	$7\frac{1}{4}$	
	Barrackpore	Nil	7	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Barasat ...	Nil	$9\frac{7}{16}$	9	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	$9\frac{1}{16}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$	
2	NADIA ...	Nil	$7\frac{3}{4}$	8	Prospects of standing crops are good. Rain is wanted for *aman* paddy. Weeding of *aman* paddy has commenced. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Steeping of jute continues.
	Kushtia ...	(*n*)	8	8	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	9	10	
	Chuadanga ...	(*n*)	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	(*n*)	$7\frac{1}{8}$	$7\frac{1}{8}$	
3	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	$8\frac{3}{4}$	$8\frac{3}{4}$	Prospects of standing crops are good. Rain is wanted. *Aman* paddy is being damaged for want of rain.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	8	8	
	Jangipur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
	Kandi ...	Nil	$10\frac{1}{2}$	10	
4	JESSORE ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	12	12	
	Magura ...	Nil	11	$10\frac{1}{2}$	
	Narail ...	Nil	10	10	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	10	10	
5	KHULNA ...	Nil	9	9	Transplantation of *aman* paddy is over. Harvesting of jute is finished.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	9	$9\frac{1}{2}$	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	9	9	

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather condition of crops, etc.
			This week	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy is going on. Winter paddy is suffering for want of rain.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7¾	7¾	
	Katwa ...	Nil	9½	8	
	Kalna ...	Nil	8	8	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	8	9	Weather hot. Rain is very urgently wanted; paddy is withering.
	Rampurhat	Nil	8	9½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8	8½	Harvesting of *aus* paddy is almost finished. Standing crops are suffering for want of rain.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	8	10	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	9 1/16	9 1/16	Standing crops are suffering for want of rain. Cutting and steeping of jute are in progress.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8⅞	8⅞	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	8	8 9/16	
	Contai ...	Nil	11	12	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	9	9	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are favourable.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute continue. *Aman* paddy and sugarcane are doing well.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	8	8	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	10	9	Weather hot. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is being improved in flooded areas.
	Naogaon ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7	7	Rain is needed for standing crops. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Scarcity of fodder is reported from Itahar police-station.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	10	10	
	Balurghat ..	Nil	9	(*n*)	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	9	9	Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Alipur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	6	7	Cardamom and potatoes are being harvested. *Marua* is doing well. Prospects of winter rice are favourable.
	Kurseong ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	10	
	Kalimpong...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	7	8	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of winter rice is nearly finished. Steeping and washing of jute still continue on a small scale. Prices of foodstuff are rising steadily.
	Nilphamari	0·05	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7¼	7	
17	BOGRA ...	0·20	9	8½	Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Prospects are hopeful.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather hot in the day and cool at night Prospects of standing crops are fair Washing of jute is continuing. *Rabi* crops are being sown.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	
19	MALDA ...	2·70	8½	9	Weather hot and cloudy. More rain is wanted for standing winter rice crop.
20	COOCH BEHAR	0·30	8⅜	8⅜	Prospects and condition of standing crops are favourable. Preparation of lands for tobacco and mustard seeds and sowing of tobacco seedlings in nursery are continuing.
21	DACCA ...	(*n*)	8	8⅜	No rain fell during the week. Rain is wanted for transplanted paddy. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8½	8⅜	
	Narayanganj	Nil	7 17/64	8⅜	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	8½	8	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	6⅜	6⅜	Harvesting of jute is finished Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	7 9/16	7 9/16	
	Netrokona ...	Nil	8	7	
	Kishoreganj	Nil	7	7	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	8	8	Weather is favourable to crops. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Madaripur ..	Nil	8	8	
	Gopalganj*...	Nil	9	9	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	8	8	Outturns of *aus* paddy and jute are not good.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Patuakhali	Nil	8	8	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	8	8	
25	Chittagong	0·00	8	8	Weather cloudy and rainy. Prospects of standing crops are good. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	0·05	8	(*n*)	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	8	7½	Transplanting of *aman* paddy and harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy are almost finished. Ploughing for *rabi* crops in high lands has commenced. Prospects of crops are generally fair.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	8	8	
27,	Noakhali ...	1·58	8	8	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ...	2·71	9½	9	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Nil	8	8	Reaping of *jhum* paddy is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are not good. Prospects of cotton are hopeful.

* The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here

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Dacca, *the 13th October 1918.* for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1918.

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 4 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	2 7 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 5 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	6 2 0	5 0 0	4 1 0	3 13 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 1 0 (a)	2 1 0 (a)	2 4 0	1 14 0 (a)	1 14 0 (a)	1 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 4 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	4 4 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 4 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	2 10 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 10 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0

(a) No sale.

MARTS.	WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	7 8 0	6 6 0	5 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	8 12 0	8 0 0	8 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	(a)	5 8 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	6 0 0	4 7 0	5 4 0	4 8 0	3 8 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	4 7 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 8 0	7 4 0	5 8 0	8 8 0	7 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0 to 7 0 0 5 8 0	4 8 0 to 5 0 0 4 8 0	3 12 0 to 4 8 0	7 8 0 to 8 0 0 7 0 0	8 0 0 to 7 0 0 7 8 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0 5 8 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	4 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 8 0	7 8 0	5 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	7 0 0

(a) Not in stock.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1918.

MARTS.	LINSEED			MUSTARD			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	7 8 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	8 8 0	7 12 0	5 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	9 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	22 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	..		..	..	...	...	.. ..	.. ...	...	.....	. ...	...
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	7 0 0	10 8 0	8 0 0	5 8 0	9 8 0	6 4 0 to 9 0 0	6 0 8	.....	37 0 0	25 0 0
Kalna	.	.....	..	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....
Ranigunj ...		.....	..	... .	.....	...	... .	.. . .	.....	.	... ..	.....
Midnapore ...	6 8 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	9 8 0 to 11 0 0	8 8 0 to 9 8 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	8 8 0	8 4 0	9 8 0	50 0 0	50 0 0	40 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	8 8 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	... .	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	...	...		...	..		..	.....		
Dacca	6 8 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	9 6 0	6 0 0	11 8 0	10 0 0	12 0 0	...		... ..
Narayanganj	.. ..	. ....	.....	.....	..	... .			.....	....		.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.	.. .	.....	...	.....	... ..	..	...	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.. ...		.....	.....	...	.....	....	.....	. ....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	7 0 0	.....	6 10 0	9 8 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	. ....	.....	. ....
Sirajganj ...	... ..	.	.....	.....	.....	....	...	.	.....	..	.....	... ..
Rangpur ...	.. ...	.....	.....	7 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	. ...	.....	... .

MARTS.	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	12 0 0	11 0 0	9 0 0	72 0 0	72 0 0	70 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	..	.....	....	...	.	.....	.....	Per maund.	.....
Burdwan ...	.....	.... .	9 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	58 0 0	41 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0
Kalna ...	...	.....	.. ..	.....		.....	.....		.
Ranigunj ...	.....		...	..	...	...	...	...	
Midnapore ...	8 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	55 0 0	225 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100 225 0 0	300 0 0
Chittagong ..		.....		to 75 0 0 69 0 0	to 72 0 0 70 0 0	to 60 0 0 60 0 0	200 0 0	Uncleaned piece per 100 200 0 0	275 0 0
Chandpur ...	8 4 0 to 12 0 0	9 0 0 to 12 0 0	4 4 0 to 6 4 0		. ..	....			....
Dacca	.....	.. ..	...	73 0 0	72 0 0	58 0 0	... .	.	...
Narayanganj ...	10 0 0 to 13 0 0	10 8 0 to 13 8 0	5 2 0 to 6 8 0	... .	.....	..	.....		...
Mymensingh ...	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	.....		.....	...	...	... ..
Madaripur ..	8 4 0 to 11 12 0	8 0 0 to 12 0 0	4 4 0 to 6 8 0	....	...		...	...	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	87 0 0	90 0 0	62 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ..	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	7 0 0 to 9 0 0	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	.....		.	....	....	. ..
Rangpur ...	9 0 0	8 0 0	5 8 0	60 8 0	60 0 0	58 0 0	Per piece 4 0 0	Per piece 4 0 0	3 0 0

Wholesale prices-current of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1918.

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ..	35 0 0	35 0 0	24 0 0	3 12 0	2 11 0	4 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0(d)
Chetla Hât ...	..	..	.	.....	....		....	....	...
Burdwan ...	20 0 0 to 30 0 0	20 0 0 to 35 0 0	14 0 0	4 2 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	4 1 9	4 1 9	3 1 6(a)
Kalna ...	.....	.....	..	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.. ...		...	... .	.....	.....	.....	...	. ...
Midnapore ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	4 2 0	3 2 0	4 4 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 0 0(a)
Chittagong ...	to 24 0 0 30 0 0	to 28 0 0 30 0 0	to 17 0 0 17 0 0	3 10 0	2 15 0	4 12 0†	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 1 6(b)
Chandpur ...	.		...	...	...	..	...	..	.
Dacca ...	.....	. .	.....	4 8 0	3 8 0	4 12 0*	4 12 0	4 8 0	3 1 6(a)
Narayanganj .	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	....		.....	
Mymensingh	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	... .	...
Madaripur ...		.....	.....	. .	.	.....	..	.	
Pabna ...	32 0 0	26 0 0	18 12 0	4 4 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 3 0
Sirajganj ...		...	...	.. .	. ...	...			
Rangpur ..	22 0 0	22 0 0	14 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 4 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Mosque mark. | * Panga. | † Ordered | (d) 4 Imperial gallons.

Marts	Mustard Oil.			Firewood.			Coal (Bengal).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	25 0 0	22 0 0	15 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	
Chetla Hât ...	....	.	.....		...	....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 11 0
Burdwan ...	25 8 0	19 8 0	15 8 0	0 9 6	0 9 6	0 8 0	0 8 6	0 8 6	0 7 0
Kalna ...	..	.....	. ...	... .	.....	.. ..	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 13 0
Raniganj ...	...	..	...	... ..	...	..	0 2 10	0 2 7	0 2 6
Midnapore ...	26 0 0 to 28 0 0	25 0 0 to 27 0 0	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	..	...	...
Chittagong .	29 0 0	24 0 0	17 0 0	...	.....		. ..	...	....
Chandpur ...			..	.....	.....	.....	. ...	...	..
Dacca ...	33 0 0	32 0 0	19 0 0	...	.	... .	.... .	.....	..
Narayanganj ...	...	. ..	....	.....	.....	... .	.... .	...	. ....
Mymensingh ..		.....	.....	...	....	.....		.....	. ....
Madaripur ...	.....		...	.....	.....	...	. ..	.....	... ..
Pabna ..	28 0 0	24 0 0	16 8 0	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.. .
Sirajganj ...		.....	....	.....	.....	.....	. ..	... .	. ..
Rangpur ...	24 0 0	23 0 0	18 0 0	.....	...	.. ..	.	.....	.....

DACCA,
The 10th October 1918.

D. DUTTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1918.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice — Average — Present return.	Common Rice — Average — Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Average — Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice — Cheapest — Present return.	Common Rice — Cheapest — Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Cheapest — Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*) — Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Next pre-ceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*) — Corresponding return of last year.	Salt — Present return.	Salt — Next preceding return.	Salt — Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Cheria Hat ...	7 2	7 2	8 0	8 0	8 10	9 0	5 6	6 0	9 0	5 6	6 8	8 0	7 2	9 2	10 0*
	2	Magra Hat ...	8 6	8 6	9 1	9 6	9 8	10 0	...	6 10	8 0	5 5	6 2	7 4	10 0	14 1	9 7
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	6 13	6 15	7 0	8 0	8 7	8 0	4 6	4 14	8 0	5 14	6 7	6 6	10 0	13 6	16 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Goari	7 9	8 0	9 6	8 6	10 10	10 0	5 5	4 8	6 10	5 13	5 7	7 4	10 10	12 2	13 8*
	5	Ranaghat	8 4	8 4	9 8	8 8	8 8	10 0	6 8	6 8	6 6	8 0	6 0	6 4	10 8	10 8	10 8
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	8 4	10 0	10 8	8 8	10 4	10 12	3 4	5 8	7 0	6 8	6 8	10 0	10 0	11 0	13 0*
	7	Kandi ...	10 0	12 0	11 8	10 8	12 4	12 0	...	6 8	5 4	7 0	7 8	8 0	11 0	11 0	13 0
	8	Jangipur ...	9 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	11 0	11 8	...	...	5 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	13 0
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	10 0	10 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	10 0	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	12 0	12 0	11 8
	10	Bangaon	8 1	8 15	8 0	10 0	12 8	11 1	4 0	4 9	5 8	5 5	5 5	7 2	9 8	12 8	9 12
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	8 0	9 0	8 0	9 0	9 10	9 4	6 12	6 8½	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	12	Bagerhat ...	7 0	7 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	11 0	11 0	10 0
		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	8 0	9 4	9 0	8 4	11 8	10 8	5 4	6 8	8 8	6 0	7 8	9 0	8 14	9 0	10 0
	14	Kalna	8 0	8 14	9 12	8 7	9 8	10 4	4 0	4 8	6 12	5 0	6 0	6 0	11 0	12 8	13 0*
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	8 0	9 0	11 8	9 0	10 0	12 0	5 8	7 0	7 0	5 8	6 8	7 0	9 0	10 0	13 0
	16	Rampur Hat	6 12	10 0	10 8	9 6	11 0	11 0	4 0	4 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	13 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	8 8	9 0	10 8	8 12	9 8	11 4	4 0	6 8	8 0	5 0	6 0	8 0	11 0	10 8	10 0
	18	Vishnupur	10 0	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	5 8	6 4	7 8	8 4	10 0	10 8
Burdwan		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	9 6	10 1	10 1	9 11	10 6	10 12	4 0	5 4	7 0	4 0	5 4 / 6 0 ω / 6 0 / 8 0 ω		8 0	10 0	8 0
	20	Contai(a)	...	12 0	12 0	...	13 0	13 0	.	7 0	6 8		7 0	6 8	..	8 0	9 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	6 12	7 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	4 0	5 0	8 0	5 8	6 8	7 0	10 0	12 8	9 0
	22	Arambagh	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	4 0	5 8	5 8	5 0	5 0	8 0	9 0	11 0	8 8
		Howrah															
	23	Sadar	7 8	8 0	8 2	8 4	8 0	9 12	4 8	5 0	8 0	5 0	5 8	8 0	10 0	13 0	10 0
	24	Ulubaria	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	4 0	4 8	7 0	5 0	5 12	8 0	10 0	13 2	10 0
		Rajshahi.															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur Boalia ...	6 15	7 8	7 14	7 14	8 0	8 4	4 14	4 14	6 0	5 4	5 4	6 12	8 12	9 12	9 0
	26	Nator	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	8 0	6 0	7 14	7 14	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat	7 13	7 0	8 0	8 6	8 0	8 8	5 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 13	8 0	8 0	8 8
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	8 0	10 0	8 0	10 0	11 8	8 8	6 0	6 8	8 0	6 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0

* Kankroh.

(a) Return not received.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1918—concld.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice, Average: Present return	Common Rice, Average: Next preceding return	Common Rice, Average: Corresponding return of last year	Common Rice, Cheapest: Present return	Common Rice, Cheapest: Next preceding return	Common Rice, Cheapest: Corresponding return of last year	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*): Present return	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*): Next preceding return	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*): Corresponding return of last year	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*): Present return	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*): Next preceding return	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*): Corresponding return of last year	Salt: Present return	Salt: Next preceding return	Salt: Corresponding return of last year
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	30	Sadar . ..	6 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	9 8	8 8	5 8	6 0	5 4	5 0	5 8	5 8	7 8	6 8	7 0
	30	Siliguri	9 0	9 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	7 12	7 12 (*R*)	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 4	6 0	6 0	5 0	6 0	7 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	9 0
	32	Nilphamari ...	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar ..	6 11	8 0	7 0	8 4	7 2	9 6	6 0	7 0	6 0	4 14	6 12	6 0	9 8	8 0	8 4
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	9 8	9 8	7 2	10 0	10 4	8 0	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 4	5 4	7 0	8 0	10 0	10 4
	35	Sirajganj	6 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	9 0	8 0	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	11 8
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	9 0	10 8	8 8	9 8	11 0	10 0	4 0	5 0	6 8	5 0	6 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
	37	Balia—Nawabganj	9 8	10 10	10 0	10 0	11 4	10 8	5 0	5 0	6 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 8	9 4
Dacca		Dacca															
	38	Sadar	6 6	7 0	7 10	8 0	9 0	9 8	4 0	4 0	5 4	4 8	6 8	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8
	39	Munshir Hat ..	8 8	8 8	8 4		..	8 4	.		..				8 0	8 0	8 0
		Mymensin h															
	40	Nasirabad	6 10	7 12	7 11	8 10		8 3	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 4	6 4	6 0	8 0	8 0	9 8
	41	Netrakona . ..	7 0	..	7 9	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 8	7 4	8 0	8 0	9 0
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar ..	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	8 12	5 0	6 0	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 0	8 0	10 0	8 0
	43	Rajbari	8 0	8 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	10 0	5 10	5 10	8 0	4 12	8 5	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 0
		Bakarganj															
	44	Barisal	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 6	8 6	9 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	5 8	6 0	7 4	9 2	8 14	10 4
	45	Pirojpur	8 0	8 0	7 4			7 4			7 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
		Tippera															
Chittagong	46	Comilla ...	7 10	8 10	7 8	7 14	8 15	8 0	5 4	5 4	5 4	4 10	4 10	6 6	8 8	8 8	8 0
	47	Chandpur	6 11	7 8	7 8	8 4	10 4	9 4	5 5	5 6	9 0	7 2	7 4	6 6	9 1	10 6	8 0
		Noakhali															
	48	Kalitara Hat .	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	9 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	9 0	9 0	8 0
	49	Feni Hat .	7 8	10 0	8 0	9 0	12 0	9 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	.	..		8 2	8 2	8 4
		Chittagong															
	50	Sadar	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 0	10 0	10 8	6 0	6 0	7 0	5 8	5 8	6 8	10 0	12 0	8 0
	51	Cox Bazar	8 8	12 0	9 8		12 8	9 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 8	4 8	8 0	9 8	8 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	9 0	9 0	8 8

(*R*) Revised

* Crushed.

D. DUTTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA,
The 10th October 1918.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 5th October 1918 as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 5th October 1918.			Week ending Saturday, the 6th October 1917.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds	Rs.
Rice and paddy	1,199	154,392	2,585	261	21,031	314
Jute	170	62,351*	734	169	63,988†	721
Firewood	223	98,725	1,536	63	46,310	707
Other articles	966	222,150	2,363	688	160,730	1,835
Total ...	2,558	537,618	7,218	1,181	292,059	3,577
Empty boats and rafts ...	927	...	1,481	554	...	837
Grand Total ...	3,485	537,618	8,699	1,735	292,059	4,414

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 69,576
† Ditto ditto 67,437½

Calcutta,
The 9th October 1918.

F. A. A. Cowley,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 5th October 1918.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B. M.	Remarks.
1918.						
29th Sept.	8 A.M	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	56·62	50·30	64·40	B M. on College step 63·42.
30th ,,	8 ,,		56·22	49·90	64·60	
1st Oct.	8 ,,		55 92	49 60	64 80	
2nd ,,	8 ,,		55·52	49·20	64·80	
3rd ,,	8 ,,		54·92	48·60	64·70	
4th ,,	8 ,,		54·32	48·00	64·30	
5th ,,	8 ,,		53·97	47·65	63·90	

		Value according to old gauge.	Value according to new value of B. M. = 63·42.
The previous year ...	Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60 18
Ditto ...	Lowest ,,	... 40 15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 33 83
Record	Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62 93
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62 76
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 68·39 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 61 89
Do.	Lowest ,,	... 37·63 on 25th April 1884	... 31 51
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 38 13 on 14th-15th April 1885	... 31·81
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 39 02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32·70
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32·96

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

Boalia,
The 5th October 1918.

M. S. Gupta,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 5th October 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1918.					
29th Sept.	7 A.M	20·1	20·1	21·6	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
30th ,,	7 ,,	19·7	19·7	21·7	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
1st Oct.	7 ,,	19·4	19·4	22·0	
2nd ,,	7 ,,	19·0	19·0	22·0	
3rd ,,	7 ,,	18·6	18·6	22·0	Its reduced level is 22·41.
4th ,,	7 ,,	18·2	18·2	22·0	
5th ,,	7 ,,	17·8	17·8	21·8	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	24·0 on 9th August 1917
Ditto	... Lowest ,,	...	4·3 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	... Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	... Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Record (H F in Brahmaputra only) ...	... Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do. ...	... Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR, M. L. MOITRA,
The 6th October 1918. for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 5th October 1918.

Date.	At 7 A M.	AT HIGHEST WATER. Time.	AT HIGHEST WATER. Readings.	AT LOWEST WATER. Time.	AT LOWEST WATER. Readings.	At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
1918.							
29th Sept.	65·5	...	...	...	...	65·4	
30th ,,	65·3	...	...	...	...	65·2	
1st Oct.	65·1	...	...	...	...	65·0	
2nd ,,	64·9	...	...	...	...	64·8	
3rd ,,	64·6	...	...	...	...	64·5	
4th ,,	64·3	...	...	...	...	64·1	
5th ,,	63·9	...	...	...	...	63·8	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·5 (Taken at high tide.)
5th September	1909	...	67·86
10th August	1910	...	69·86
1st ,,	1911	...	68·46
18th ,,	1912	...	67·16
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1
23rd February	1907	...	51·06 (Taken at low tide.)
18th ,,	1908	...	51·06
12th March	1912	...	51·06
6th ,,	1914	...	50·6
22nd February	1915	...	50·8
15th ,,	1916	...	50·6
3rd March	1917	...	51·0

DACCA, J. K. BHATTACHARYYA,
The 8th October 1918. for *Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5616A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2272A.D.—The 14th October 1918.*—The orders of the 28th September 1918, appointing Babu Jatindra Mohan Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, temporarily to have charge of the Kushtia subdivision of that district, are cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 2291A.D.—The 15th October 1918.—Mr. M. C. McAlpin, I.C.S., Director of Land Records, Bengal, on leave, is appointed to act as Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. L. Birley, C.I.E., I.C.S., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 2295A.D.—The 15th October 1918.—Mr. F. A. Sachse, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Mymensingh, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Director of Land Records, Bengal.

Mymensingh.
Calcutta.

No. 2312A.D.—The 16th October 1918.—Mr. Rabindra Nath Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Hooghly district.

Hooghly.

No. 2328A.D.—The 18th October 1918.—The Probationary Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors and are posted to the headquarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Malda. Maulvi Chaudhuri Afsar Ali, B.Sc., Malda.
Bakarganj. Babu Binod Bihari Das Gupta, B.A., Bakarganj.

No. 2342A.D.—The 18th October 1918.—Mr. Praphulla Shankar Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the 24-Parganas district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Noakhali.

Noakhali.
24-Parganas.

No. 2345A.D.—The 18th October 1918.—Babu Surendra Nath Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Noakhali.

POLICE.—*No. 2356A.D.—The 18th October 1918.*—Captain M. H. Ravenhill, Assistant Commandant, Dacca Military Police Battalion, is appointed to act as Commandant of the Battalion, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Major D. L. Macpherson.

Dacca.

No. 2400A.D.—The 18th October 1918.—Mr. R. C. Durup de Dombal, Deputy Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted to Kharagpur in the district of Midnapore and is appointed to have charge of the police work of the "B" Circle of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Midnapore.

No. 2401A.D.—The 18th October 1918.—Mr. D. R. Hardwick, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted to the Serampore subdivision of the Hooghly district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Hooghly.

No. 2403A.D.—The 18th October 1918.—Mr. L. H. Burton, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to act temporarily as Superintendent of Police, Khulna.

Khulna.

No. 2438A.D.—The 19th October 1918.—Mr. G. C. Sturgis, Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Bogra.

24-Parganas.
Bogra.

This cancels the orders of the 7th October 1918, appointing Mr. G. C. Sturgis to act as Additional Superintendent of Police, Faridpur.

No. 2440A.D.—The 19th October 1918.—The orders of the 9th September 1918, appointing Babu Topendra Kumar Ghosh Chaudhuri, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Munshiganj, Dacca, to act as Additional Superintendent of Police, Faridpur, are cancelled.

Dacca.

No. 2442A.D.—The 19th October 1918.—Babu Sukumar Sen Gupta, Deputy Superintendent of Police, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, Faridpur, and, under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Faridpur.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2270A.D.—The 14th October 1918.*—The orders of the 28th September 1918, granting Rai Sahib Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kushtia, Nadia, privilege leave from the 21st October 1918 to the 11th November 1918, are cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 2274A.D.—The 14th October 1918.—Mr. Mahima Nath Bhattacharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1918.

Howrah.

No. 2280A.D.—The 14th October 1918.—Maulvi Abu Saleh Muhammad Ibrahim, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for six months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 2nd April 1918.

No. 2288A.D.—The 15th October 1918.—Mr. L. Birley, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th November 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 2320A.D.—The 17th October 1918.—Mr. C. Bartley, I.C.S., Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October 1918 to the 2nd November 1918, inclusive.

Dacca.

POLICE.—*No. 2399A.D.—The 18th October 1918.*—Mr. D. L. Stewart, Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi and Dinajpur, is allowed leave for thirty-four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Rajshahi. Dinajpur.

No. 2402A.D.—The 18th October 1918.—Mr. G. R. Smith, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted to the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

24-Parganas.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2409A.D.—The 19th October 1918.—It is hereby directed that the work *Ali Baba* by Kshirod Prasad Bidyabinod shall be omitted from, and the work *Samachar Parichaya* by J. D. Anderson, I.C.S. (retired), included in, the list of Bengali text-books under "higher standard" prescribed in rule 9 (*1*) in Appendix V to the rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2117A.D.—The 19th October 1918.—In supersession of Notification No. 3936A., dated the 9th June 1914, it is hereby notified that the following text-books in Bengali are selected for the higher standard departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates, Deputy Magistrates, Sub-Deputy Collectors, Assistant Superintendents of Police and Deputy Superintendents of Police to be held in May 1919, and shall remain in force until further orders :—

1. "Svarnalata" by Tarak Ganguli (pages 1-208), edition of 1916, published by Messrs. S. K. Lahiri and Co., 56, College Street, Calcutta.
2. "Samachar Parichaya" by J. D. Anderson, I.C.S., (retired), (pages 1-191 and 327-331), published at the Bengal Secretariat Press, Calcutta.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1611T.-R.—The 11th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorized to discharge, in the district of Jessore, as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.-R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part 1. of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

Babu Dinesh Chandra Sen Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector.
Maulvi B. W. M. Abdur Rahman, Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 1612T.-R.—The 11th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), Babu Apurba Ranjan Barua, Sub-Deputy Collector, is authorized to discharge, in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Nadia.
Murshidabad.
Burdwan.
Hooghly.
24-Parganas.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part 1, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 1615T.-R.—The 11th October 1918.—The undermentioned officers, now employed as Assistant Settlement Officers, in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which they may join the Jessore Settlement :—

Tippera-Noakhali.
Jessore.

Babu Manindra Prasad Singh, Munsif.
,, Kshitish Chandra Chatarji, Munsif.

No. 1616T.-R.—The 11th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3(*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorized to discharge, in the district of Jessore, as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.-R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

Babu Manindra Prasad Singh, Munsif.
„ Kshitish Chandra Chatarji, Munsif.

No. 1617T.-R.—The 11th October 1918.—The undermentioned officers, now employed as Assistant Settlement Officers, in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers, in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which they may join the Bankura Settlement :—

Tippera-Noakhali.
Bankura.

Babu Khirodeswar Banarji, Munsif.
„ Bama Charan Chakrabatti, Munsif.

No. 1618T.-R.—The 11th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorized to discharge in the district of Bankura, as well as in the Asansol Sub-division of the district of Burdwan, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.
Burdwan.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

Babu Khirodeswar Banarji, Munsif.
„ Bama Charan Chakrabatti, Munsif.

No. 1718T.-R.—The 16th October 1918.—Babu Surendra Nath Banarji, Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Midnapore, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or from any subsequent date on which he may join his duties at Bankura.

Midnapore.
Bankura.

No. 1719T.-R.—The 16th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Surendra Nath Banarji, Deputy Collector, is authorized to discharge, in the district of Bankura as well as in the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.
Burdwan.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No 1722T.-R.—The 16th October 1918.—Rai Sahib Hara Kishor Biswas, Khas Mahal Deputy Collector, Bakarganj, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties.

Bakarganj.
Mymensingh.

No. 1726T.R.—The 16th October 1918.—Babu Upendra Mohan Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bogra, is appointed to be Tahsil Circle Officer, in the district of Bakarganj, during the absence on deputation of Rai Sahib Hara Kishor Biswas, Deputy Collector, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may join his duties in the Bakarganj district.

Bogra.
Bakarganj.

No. 7967L.R.—The 22nd October 1918.—Babu Madhusudan Ray, Munsif, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Rajshahi, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or from any other date on which he joins his settlement duties.

Rajshahi.

No. 7968L.R.—The 22nd October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Madhusudan Ray, Munsif and Assistant Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, is appointed to discharge, in the districts of Rajshahi and Malda, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of the Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi.
Malda.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in those districts.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1607T.-R.—The 11th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a police-station at Shonagazi, in the village of Char Ganesh, pargana Jugidia, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·68 acres, bounded on the—

Noakhali.

North—By the south bank of the tank in possession of Kamarali and others and land of Serajal Haque,

East—By the land of Keramat Ali and Lashkar Ali,

South—By Chittagong Trunk Road,

West—By the District Board inspection bungalow compound and land of Kamarali and others,

is required within the aforesaid village of Char Ganesh.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Noakhali.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1649T.-R.—The 12th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a sixty feet Skew bridge at Kamardanga, in the village of Gobra, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared

24-Parganas.

that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·116 of an acre, bounded on the—

North and West—By the Eastern Bengal Railway lands,

East—By the remaining land of Surendra Nath Bose,

South—By the remaining land of Surendra Nath Bose and Eastern Bengal Railway land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Gobra.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Works Division, Eastern Bengal Railway.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 7956L.A.—The 12th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of quarters for the Deputy Superintendent of Police at Basirhat, in the village of Saipala, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·8998 acre, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Ramsaran Ram and the drain and the land of Rai Debendra Nath Ballav Bahadur,

East—By the drain and the land of Ramsaran Ram,

South and West—By the land of Rai Debendra Nath Ballav Bahadur and the drain,

is required within the aforesaid village of Saipala.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 1698T.R.—The 15th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the jute siding at Jogendranagar on the Mymensingh-Netrakona section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway, in the village of Kalibarichar in Charishwardia, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land of varying width running in the south-west direction from a point 3,000 feet west of the Shambhuganj Railway Station towards the river Brahmaputra and measuring, more or less, 20·84 acres, is required within the aforesaid village of Kalibarichar in Charishwardia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 1729T.-R.—The 17th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for District Agricultural Farm in the village of Kaotkhali, pargana Alapsingh, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 19·834 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the jote lands of Keramat and Sama Sheik,
East—By the District Board road,
South—By the jote lands of Panchu Sarkar, Tamijaddin and Kadir Sheik,
West—By the Dacca-Mymensingh Eastern Bengal Railway line,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kaotkhali.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Howrah.

No. 7966L.A.—The 22nd October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Howrah for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a feeder road from Uluberia Railway station to Jadurber, in the village of Jadurber, pargana Birh, zilla Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3·16 acres, from north to south, having a distance of 2,670 feet, and uniform breadth of 51 feet 6 inches, and bounded on the—

North—By the slope of the Local Board road,
East—By the land of Nafar Ghosh and others,
South—By the borrowpit of the Local Board road,
West—By the land of Thakur Das Ghosh and others,

is required within the aforesaid village of Jadurber.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 7971L.A.—The 22nd October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Burdwan for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Memari-Gangur road to meet with the Burdwan-Kalna road in 17th mile in the villages of Ahmadpur, Bijra, Tajpur, Ganti, Paharhati and Dhunai, parganas Nalahi, Chutipur and Samarsahi, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose ten pieces of land in miles 1 to 4 altogether measuring, more or less, 18·36 acres bounded on the—

MILE No. 1.—PLOT A.

North, East and South—By the village road,
West—By the land of Sib Chandra Chowdhury and others,

PLOT B.

North, East, South and West—By the lands of Ashutosh Ghosh, Amarendra Nath Sarcar, Murari Mohan Some, Bhola Nath Dutta and Dhirendra Nath Ghosh,

PLOT C.

North and West—By the lands of Haridas Mondal,
South and East—By the village road,

PLOT D.

North, East, South and West—By the lands of Sib Chandra Chowdhury and others,

MILE NO. 2.—PLOT E.

North—By the land of Girindra Nandy,
East—By the lands of Sib Chandra Chowdhury, Rakhal Chandra Mukerji, Hari Pada Mondal, Rajendra Mukerji, Panchu Mondal, Mono Bala Bagdini, Bhola Nath Ghosh, Satya Adhicary, Nani Lal Dey, Bipin Nandy, Kali Krista Chowdhury, Krishna Chandra Kar, Kinu Mallik, Abu Sheik, Kangali Mallik, Panch Kari Sen, Sabu Mia, Abdul Rab, Afzal Sheik, Amulya Mukherji, Girindra Biswas, Srish Bagdi, Tabu Mallik, Felu Bibi, Bhushan Biswas, Golapmani Dasi and others and Asesh Chandra Chatterji and the *kutcha* road,
South—By the land of Sib Chandra Chowdhury and others,
West—By the lands of Sib Chandra Chowdhury, Hari Pada Nandy, Rajendra Mukerji, Hari Pada Mondal, Batu Mondal, Mono Bala Bagdini, Bhola Nath Ghosh, Satya Adhicary, Nani Lal Dey, Panchanan Bagdi, Sarat Paramanik, Kali Krishna Chowdhury, Ananta Tanti, Krishna Chandra Kar, Abinash Adhicary, Kinu Mallik, Nader Chand Muchi, Chowdhury Abdul Rub, Bhusan Ghosh, Sabu Mia, Afzal Sheik, Amulya Mukherji, Kali Muchi, Abu Sheik, Trailokhya Muchi, Felu Bibi, Bhusan Biswas Golapmani Dasi and others, Sader Sheik, Fani Sheik, Karam Bux Sheik, Kalo Tanti and Asesh Chandra Chatterji and a *kutcha* village road,

MILE NO 3.—PLOT F.

North—By the land of Panchu Sheik,
East—By the lands of Girindra Nandy, Asesh Chandra Chatterji, Nabin Kaibartya, Badul Pal, Rakhal Dalal, Amulya Pal, Haradhan Sheik, Bhusan Pal, Kali Molla, Srish Pal, Preombada Debi, Sarat Ray, Nibaran Muchi, Panchanon Pan, Gobardhan Sheik, Atifannesa Bibi, Kali Krishna Chowdhury, Dokari Molla. Brojo Lal Pan, Jadu Sheik, Asan Sheik, Brojo Nath Pan and Panchu Sheik,
South—By the land of Asesh Chatterji,
West—By the lands of Girindra Nandy, Akshoy Mondal, Matab Ghosh, Rakhal Dalal, Kali Molla, Bhut Nath Pal, Amulya Pal, Haradhan Sheik, Bhusan Pal. Badal Pal, Gobardhan Sheik, Srish Pal, Kali Krishna Chowdhury, Haradhan Sheik, Nibaran Muchi, Panchanon Pan, Atifannesa Bibi, Dokari Molla, Brojo Pan, Jadu Sheik, Haripada Pal, Preombada Debi, Panchu Sheik and Bhola Nath Paramanik,

PLOT G.

North—By the lands of Golapmani Dasi, Surendra Ghosh, Manik Sarker,
East and West—By the lands of Golapmani Dasi,
South—By the lands of Golapmani Dasi, Surendra Ghosh and Khonkar Obadas Sovan,

MILE NO. 4.—PLOT H.

North—By the river Banka,
East—By the lands of Haripada Muchi, Beni Ghosh, Fakir Ghosh, Sarada Sarker, Gobardhan Muchi, Kali Das Kaibartya and Golapmani Dasi and others,
South—By the lands of Haripada Muchi and Srinibas Pal,
West—By the lands of Srinibas Pal, Abinash Ghosh, Bholanath Sarker, Sarada Sarker, Gobardhan Muchi, Kalidas Kaibartya, Dasu Ghosh and Golapmani Dasi and others,

PLOT I.

North, East and West—By the lands of Panchanon Nandy, Kumar Krista Nandy and others,
South—By the Banka river,

PLOT J.

North—By the Burdwan-Kalna road,
East—By the lands of Nader Chand Mondal, Sarbananda Mukerji, Nagendra Samanta, Kali Ch. Ghosh, Hari Das Bhattacherji, Panchanon Nandy, Radika Chatterji, Kedar Nath Mondal, Ram Lal Acherjya, and Gosta Ghosh,
South—By the land of Nader Chand Mondal,
West—By the lands of Nader Chand Mondal, Kedar Mondal, Nagendra Samanta, Kali Ch. Ghosh, Sarbananda Mukerji, Hari Das Bhattacherji, Panchanon Nandy, Radhika Chatterji, Ram Lal Acharya and Gosta Ghosh,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Ahmadpur, Bijra, Tajpur, Ganti, Paharhati and Dhunai.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894 and section 3, clause (*l*), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the District Engineer, Burdwan.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

24-Parganas. *No. 1674T.-R.—The 14th October 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Hafiz Muhammad Ali Buksh temporarily to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar within police-stations Naihati and Jagatdal, in the district of the 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of Khan Bahadur Zahiruddin Ahmad, or until further orders.

24-Parganas. *No. 1675T.-R.—The 14th October 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Hafiz Muhammad Ali Buksh temporarily as the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies in police-stations Naihati and Jagatdal, in the district of the 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of Khan Bahadur Zahiruddin Ahmad, or until further orders.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Under section 20 of Calcutta Survey Act, I of 1887.

To

All Owners, Managers, and Agents of lands in the "Town of Howrah", lying within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, from Wards Nos. 1 to 15, Circle Nos. 1 to 11.

WHEREAS a survey has been made, and boundaries demarcated, of all municipal holdings situated in the above area within the Howrah Municipality. You are hereby informed that the maps and records are open to inspection. You are, therefore, requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within sixty days of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps and records can be inspected at any time at the Municipal Office, Howrah, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., on any day excepting holidays and Sundays.

O. E. C. JUDD,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 578T.-Edn.—The 19th October 1918.—Khan Sahib Maulvi Abdul Aziz, Officiating Second Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, in class VII of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as Inspector of Schools in that Division, with effect from the 24th August 1918, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. M. P. West, or until further orders.

Chittagong Divn.

No. 64T.-Eccle.—The 18th October 1918.—The Revd. A. C. Ridsdale, Chaplain, Darjeeling Cantonment, is promoted to be a Senior Chaplain with effect from the 12th September 1918.

Darjeeling.

No. 342T.-San.—The 17th October 1918.—Rai Saheb Krishna Dhone Banerji, Officiating Assistant Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, is allowed privilege leave for two months and three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

No. 345T.-San.—The 18th October 1918.—Whereas the Governor in Council is satisfied that the area known as the Asansol Mining Settlement, in the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan, is threatened with an outbreak of small-pox:

Burdwan.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (*1*) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), read with the notification of the Government of India in the Education Department, No. 193C., dated the 15th February 1918, the Governor in Council is pleased to prescribe the following temporary regulations for the prevention and control of small-pox, and for the medical inspection, isolation, observation and surveillance of persons suffering from, or suspected of being infected with, small-pox in the said area:

TEMPORARY REGULATIONS FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF SMALL-POX IN THE ASANSOL MINING SETTLEMENT.

1. In these regulations, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*a*) the expression "Chief Sanitary Officer" shall mean the Chief Sanitary Officer appointed by the Local Government for mining settlements under section 5 of the Bengal Mining Settlements Act, 1912 (Bengal Act II of 1912);

(*b*) the expressions "Agent," "employed," "Mine" and "owner" shall have the same meaning as in section 3 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901);

(*c*) the expression "Board" shall mean the Mines Board of Health of Asansol;

(*d*) the expression "District Magistrate" shall have the same meaning as in section 101 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898);

(*e*) the expression "Small-pox" shall mean any disease accompanied by an eruption of vesicles or postules.

NOTICES.

2. Whenever any land is held jointly by two or more persons, whether as owners or occupiers of that land, such persons shall be held jointly and severally liable for carrying out any measure ordered in a notice under these regulations, and the names of any one or more of such joint-holders may be entered upon such notice at the discretion of the Chief Sanitary Officer, and the Chief Sanitary Officer shall not be bound to enter the names of all the joint-holders in the notice.

3. If in any case the Chief Sanitary Officer considers that the issue of a notice is likely to lead to such an amount of delay as might facilitate the spread of small-pox, he may forthwith take such steps as he may think fit for carrying out the work, and shall thereafter as soon as possible issue a notice on the person concerned stating the reason why such work has been carried out.

4. If any measure which the Chief Sanitary Officer has, by a notice issued under any of these regulations, required to be carried out, be not carried out to his satisfaction or within the time stated in the notice, the Chief Sanitary Officer shall be entitled to carry out the measure.

COSTS AND COMPENSATION.

5. (1) Expenses incurred in carrying out any work required to be done in pursuance of an order issued under these regulations shall be paid by the Board except in cases where the order requires action to be taken by any person as regards property in his possession, in which cases the expenses shall be paid by that person:

Provided that where the conditions, which led the Chief Sanitary Officer to pass such an order, are not attributable to the act or default of the person in possession of the property, the Board may pay to such person the whole or part of the expenses incurred by him in carrying out the order.

(2) The Board may recover all expenses incurred by the Chief Sanitary Officer in carrying out the measures under regulation 4 from the person or persons to whom the notice was originally issued.

6. The Board shall pay adequate compensation to any person who has sustained substantial loss or damage by reason of anything done under these regulations:

Provided that no person shall receive any compensation for anything done or suffered under these regulations, if he has failed to carry out an order issued under these regulations within the time specified in the order or to the satisfaction of the Chief Sanitary Officer.

THE LOCATION OF DISEASES.

7. Every owner, agent or manager of a mine shall supply to the Chief Sanitary Officer such periodical returns of births and deaths and of the persons residing upon their property as he may call upon them to furnish.

8. The nearest relative in attendance upon the patient, or in the absence of any such relative the occupier of the house, or if the occupier be the patient some male inmate of the house, in which a case of small-pox shall have occurred, shall, within 24 hours of the onset of the disease, give information regarding the occurrence of such case either personally or in writing or by means of the chaukidar or other village watchman to the Chief Sanitary Officer or other officer of the Mines Board of Health.

9. Every owner, agent or manager of a mine shall supply to the Chief Sanitary Officer such periodical returns of cases of sickness as he may from time to time call upon them to furnish.

10. Every owner, agent or manager of a mine shall furnish to the Chief Sanitary Officer immediate information regarding the occurrence of any case or suspected case of small-pox occurring within the boundaries of the property or mineral rights of such mine.

11. The Board may employ a suitable staff for the purpose of making enquiries as to the existence of any case of small-pox.

12. The Chief Sanitary Officer may examine any person who is, or is suspected to be, suffering from small-pox or who, in his opinion, may be infected with or likely to spread small-pox.

ISOLATION AND SEGREGATION, AND EVACUATION OF HOUSES.

13. When the Chief Sanitary Officer considers that the isolation of any person suffering from small-pox is a precaution necessary for the protection of the neighbouring population, he may order such person to be isolated in such a manner and for such a time as may be approved by the Chief Sanitary Officer.

14. The Chief Sanitary Officer may order that any person who has been in contact with a person found to be suffering from small-pox shall be segregated for a period not exceeding ten days in a manner and in a place to be approved by the Chief Sanitary Officer.

15. The Chief Sanitary Officer may order that any person who has been in contact with a person found to be suffering from small-pox shall be re-vaccinated

16. No person shall enter any place wherein persons are isolated or segregated under regulation 13 or 14 without the permission of the Chief Sanitary Officer.

17. The Board shall provide, free of charge, suitable places with necessary attendants, diet, food, etc., for persons isolated or segregated by order of the Chief Sanitary Officer, and the Chief Sanitary Officer may certify places provided by private individuals as being fit for the purpose of isolation or segregation of persons under regulation 13 or 14 as the case may be.

18. (1) When the Chief Sanitary Officer under regulation 13 or 14 has ordered the isolation or segregation of any person residing upon any colliery lands, the Chief Sanitary Officer may notify the fact in writing to the owner, agent or manager of such colliery.

(2) If such person disobeys the order, such owner, agent or manager shall furnish to the Chief Sanitary Officer immediate intimation of the movements of that person.

19. No person who is or has been suffering from small-pox shall leave the place where he has been staying until he has received from the Chief Sanitary Officer written permission to do so.

20. The Chief Sanitary Officer may, by a notice in writing, (1) require any person to carry out, or allow to be carried out by such agency as the Chief Sanitary Officer may appoint, within a time to be stated in the order, such measures for the disinfection or evacuation of his dwelling-house or for the disinfection or destruction of any of his personal effects as the Chief Sanitary Officer may consider necessary; and (2) direct any owner, agent or manager of a mine, or any landholder or his agent to carry out any such measures on behalf of any person resident or staying upon the land belonging to the owner or landholder.

21. Every owner, agent or manager shall make such arrangements for the immediate disinfection of infected premises and personal effects and of evacuations and excreta of persons employed by the colliery and resident in a building owned by the colliery who are suffering or suspected to be suffering from small-pox as the Chief Sanitary Officer may from time to time direct by general or special order.

22. The Board shall from time to time provide, without any charge to the person on whom an order is passed under regulation 20 (1), temporary shelter or house accommodation with necessary attendants for the members of any family who have been compelled to evacuate their dwellings under the said regulation.

23. The Chief Sanitary Officer may order any owner, agent or manager of a mine to provide such hospitals, temporary shelters or house accommodation as the Chief Sanitary Officer may approve for the purpose of isolating.

segregating or accommodating, under regulations 13, 14 and 22, persons or the families of persons employed on or about such mine by such owner, agent or manager.

MISCELLANEOUS POWERS.

24. The Chief Sanitary Officer may (1) prohibit the committal or continuance of any nuisance, or (2) require the person causing any nuisance or the person occupying the premises on which any nuisance exists to remove such nuisance.

Explanation.—"Nuisance" means anything which, in the opinion of the Chief Sanitary Officer, is dangerous to health or offensive to the neighbourhood and is likely to spread or to cause the outbreak of small-pox.

25. The Chief Sanitary Officer may, during the prevalence of any outbreak of small-pox, order that any market, shop or other public place shall remain closed for such time as may appear to him to be necessary and may forbid the holding of any fair, *mela* or other gathering to which people from several villages commonly or periodically resort.

26. The Chief Sanitary Officer may issue general orders that by a specified date certain sanitary precautions of a simple nature, such as lime-washing of houses, cleaning of latrines or the removal of filth or rubbish shall be carried out to his satisfaction.

27. The Chief Sanitary Officer may prohibit persons from retaining or selling clothes taken from the bodies of persons who have died of small-pox and may cause any such clothes to be destroyed.

28. The Chief Sanitary Officer may direct that no one shall dispose of any corpse except by burning or burial, without his written permission.

29. The Chief Sanitary Officer may approve or may provide and maintain burning or burial grounds and may, by written order, direct, either generally or specially in respect to any specified area, that corpses shall not be burned or buried at places other than those so approved, provided or maintained by him for the purpose.

30. The Chief Sanitary Officer may direct that any one burning or causing to be burnt any corpse, which, in the opinion of the Chief Sanitary Officer, is likely to spread small-pox, shall cause the same to be completely reduced to ashes, and shall likewise cause the clothes or other articles brought with such corpse to be reduced to ashes.

31. The Chief Sanitary Officer may direct that no person shall bury or cause to be buried any corpse, which, in the opinion of the Chief Sanitary Officer, is likely to spread small-pox, in a grave not constructed of masonry, which shall be less than 6 feet deep.

32. The Chief Sanitary Officer may order that no *dome* or other servant of the Board employed for the disposal of corpses shall withdraw from his duties without the permission of the Chief Sanitary Officer unless such *dome* or other servant of the Board has given notice in writing not less than one month previously of his intention so to withdraw.

33. The Chief Sanitary Officer or any person authorized by him in that behalf may—

(1) seize and destroy any article of food or drink, and

(2) seize and dispose of any corpse,

which, in the opinion of the Chief Sanitary Officer, is infected with, or is likely to spread, small-pox.

34. Every owner, agent or manager of a mine shall make such arrangements for the accommodation and treatment of their employés suffering from small-pox as the Chief Sanitary Officer may direct, provided that mines with an output of less than 5,000 tons per month and not more than two miles apart may, with the consent of the said officer, combine for the purpose of making such arrangements.

35. Every owner, agent or manager of a mine in which are employed persons residing or staying in the mining settlement, and every owner or occupier of any land or premises within such mining settlement, shall furnish the Chief Sanitary Officer or any officer of the Board authorized by him in that behalf, with all reasonable facilities for carrying out any measures or making any entry, inspection, examination, or enquiry under these regulations.

36. (1) The Chief Sanitary Officer or any other Sanitary Officer of the Board authorized by him in that behalf, making any enquiry authorized by these regulations, may, by an order in writing, require the attendance before himself of any person being within the limits of a mining settlement or part of a mining settlement for which such officer has been appointed, who appears to be acquainted with the circumstances of a case or suspected case of small-pox and such person shall attend as so required.

(2) When the person summoned to appear under paragraph (1) is a female who, by the custom of the country, does not appear in public, suitable precautions shall be taken to respect the said custom.

37. (1) The Chief Sanitary Officer or any other Sanitary Officer of the Board authorized by him in that behalf, making any enquiry authorized by these regulations, may examine orally any person supposed to be acquainted with the facts and circumstances of a case or suspected case of small-pox

(2) When the person to be examined under paragraph (1) is a female who, by the custom of the country, does not appear in public, the enquiring officer shall take the statement of such female under such conditions as shall admit of due respect to the said custom.

(3) Such person shall be bound to answer all questions relating to such case put to him by such officer, other than questions the answers to which would have a tendency to expose him to any criminal charge.

38. Every owner, agent or manager of a colliery shall maintain a register of all premises situated on such colliery and ordinarily used or intended to be used for housing persons employed on or about such colliery, together with such further particulars as the Chief Sanitary Officer may from time to time direct by general or special order.

39. The Chief Sanitary Officer or any other Sanitary Officer of the Board authorized by him in that behalf may, with such assistants (if any) as he thinks fit, enter upon any land or mine, or, after two hours' notice in writing, any premises or building used for human habitation at all reasonable times by day or by night, for the purpose of carrying out any measure or making any enquiries authorized by these regulations.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 573T.-Com.—The 17th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 11-J, of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published under the Government of India's Notification No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915 (as subsequently amended), read with the Government of India's Notification No. 9647, dated the 14th September 1918, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in the Bengal Government Notification No. 442-T.-Com., dated the 1st October 1918, which prescribed conditions under which cotton and cotton piece-goods may be sold within the municipal limits of the town of Calcutta, namely :—

Calcutta.

Amendment.

To the said conditions *add* the following :—

6. The said Committee may cancel, suspend or revoke any such license—

(*a*) for a breach of any of the provisions of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), or of any rule or condition prescribed thereunder; or

(*b*) if the licensee makes a wholesale sale of any cotton cloth or cotton piece-goods which he has not purchased, and for which he cannot produce before the Committee satisfactory evidence of possession.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4651Com.—The 22nd October 1918.—Mr. H. P. V. Townend, I.C.S., is appointed to be the Director of Civil Supplies, Bengal, *vice* Mr. C. F Beadel, with effect from the forenoon of the 21st October 1918.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 262T.-Medl.—The 14th October 1918.—The following draft of a Notification which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 252 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and section 498 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Governor in Council proposes to issue, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 25th November 1918, and any objections or suggestions which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 252 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and section 498 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules for the grant of certificates to compounders, published with Notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913, at pages 1087-1092 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, as subsequently amended, namely :—

1. After the clause (*b*) of rule 5 of the said rules *insert* the following as clause (*bb*) :—

"(*bb*) for students trained at the compounders' class at the Sadar Hospital, Mymensingh, at Mymensingh."

2. In rule 7 of the said rules, after the first item, *insert* the following item :—

At the place appointed under clause (*bb*) of rule 5.	The Civil Surgeon, Mymensingh, *President*. The Assistant Surgeon attached to the district head-quarters station, Mymensingh, and the teacher of the compounders' class, Sadar Hospital, Mymensingh, *Members*.

3. In clause (*1*) (*a*) of rule 10 of the said rules, after the words "the Medical School, Dacca," *insert* the words "the Sadar Hospital, Mymensingh."

J. A. L. SWAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5617A.

POWERS.

No. 2328A.D.—The 18th October 1918.—The officers, named below, who have, under the orders of this date, been appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and are directed, under the provisions of section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language :—

Malda.
Bakarganj.

Maulvi Chaudhuri Afsar Ali, Malda.
Babu Binod Bihari Das Gupta, Bakarganj.

No. 2358A.D.—The 18th October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 10 of the Eastern Bengal and Assam Military Police Act, (III of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to invest Captain M. H. Ravenhill, for the period during which he remains in charge of the Dacca Military Police Battalion, with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class for the purpose of enquiring into, or trying, any offence committed by a Military Police Officer of the Battalion, and punishable under Act V of 1861 or under the Eastern Bengal and Assam Military Police Act, 1912. The Governor in Council further empowers him to take cognizance, under clauses (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) of section 190 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, of offences which he is competent to try or commit for trial.

Dacca.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 612J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Manmatha Nath Basu, Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge, Murshidabad, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge, Rangpur.

Murshidabad.
Rangpur.

No. 616J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Krishna Kumar Sen, Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge, Bakarganj, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Hooghly.

Bakarganj.
Hooghly.

No. 620J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Amrita Lal Mukharji, Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge, Mymensingh, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Pabna and Bogra.

Mymensingh.
Pabna and Bogra.

No. 624J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Bijoy Gopal Chatarji, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Rangpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Howrah, in the district of Hooghly.

Rangpur.
Hooghly.

No. 628J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Nirad Ranjan Guha is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Rajshahi.

Rajshahi.

No. 631J.D.—The 4th October 1918.—Babu Rajendra Lal Sadhu, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Tippera, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Mymensingh. The orders of the 11th September 1918, appointing him to act as Subordinate Judge, Mymensingh, is hereby cancelled.

Tippera.
Mymensingh.

No. 707J.D.—The 11th October 1918.—In modification of Notification No. 3440J., dated the 9th September 1918, published on page 1289, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th September 1918, Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen Gupta, Munsif of Feni, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bankura, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, but for the present to be employed at Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur.

Noakhali. Bankura and Faridpur.

E. B. H. PANTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18th October 1918.

No. 100.—Mr. W. I. Keir, Assistant Architect, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 22nd October 1918.

No. 2.—Notification.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 21 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), and in supersession of the Standing Committee appointed for the district of Burdwan in pursuance of the Bengal Government Resolution No. 875-9221., dated the 3rd July 1906, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint a Standing Embankment Committee for the said district of Burdwan in the Damoodar basin constituted as follows :—

The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, *President.*
The Collector of the Burdwan district, *Vice-President and Secretary.*

Members.

(1) The Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle.
(2) The Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.
(3) The District Engineer, Burdwan.
(4) Raja Bon Behari Kapur Bahadur C.S.I.
(5) Rai Lalit Mohan Singha Roy Bahadur of Chakdighi.
(6) Raja Moni Lal Singha Roy of Chakdighi.
(7) Maulvi Mahammad Abdulla, late member of the Provincial Executive Service.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the said Act, the Governor in Council is also pleased to direct that the said Committee shall be consulted by the Collector of the Burdwan District in any of the following matters :—

I.—Flood embankments—

(*a*) New works, including as such sluices or escapes for existing embankments.
(*b*) Alterations in the alignment of existing embankments, such as are caused by important retirements. This will include the discussion of the policy of holding a threatened bank by protective works in preference to the retirement of the embankment.
(*c*) Proposals for raising the level of the crest of an embankment.
(*d*) All questions in which there is any doubt as to the interpretation to be given to the provisions of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882, or of contracts for the maintenance of embankments.

II.—Any proposal which may be suggested for a minor irrigation work.
III.—Any scheme which may be proposed for improvement in drainage.
IV.—Questions relating to waterways on railroads in the Burdwan district.
V.—Any matter referred by Government for opinion.

3. The Government of Bengal Resolution No. 875-922I., dated the 3rd July 1906, is hereby cancelled in so far as it relates to the district of Burdwan.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 22nd October 1918.

No. 3.—Notification.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 21 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), and in supersession of the Standing Committee appointed for the district of Hooghly in pursuance of the Bengal Government Resolution No 875-922I., dated the 3rd July 1906, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint a Standing Embankment Committee for the said district of Hooghly in the Damodar basin constituted as follows:—

The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, *President.*
The Collector of the Hooghly district, *Vice-President and Secretary.*

Members.

(1) The Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle.
(2) The Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.
(3) The Executive Engineer, Cossye Division.
(4) The District Engineer, Hooghly.
(5) C. J. Mackay, Esq., Chief Manager to the Estate of Maharaja Sir Prodat Kumar Tagore Bahadur, KT., of Pathuriaghata, Calcutta.
(6) Babu Shib Krishna Roy Chaudhury, Manager to the Estate of Raja Peari Mohan Mukherji, C.S.I., of Uttarpara.
(7) Raja Moni Lal Singha Roy of Chakdighi.
(8) Rai Lalit Mohan Singha Roy Bahadur of Chakdighi.
(9) The Hon'ble Rai Mohendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur, M.A., B.L., of Hooghly.
(10) Maulvi Mazharal Anwar Chaudhury, M.A., B.L., of Hooghly.
(11) Babu Jogendra Lal Chowdhury, B L, of Hooghly.
(12) Rai Bijoy Narain Kundu Bahadur of Itachona.
(13) Provat Chandra Giri, Chela of Mohant of Tarkeswar.
(14) Babu Bipin Behary Ghose, Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.
(15) Babu Ranjit Kumar Banerji, Manager to the Estate of Raja Jyot Kumar Mukherji, of Uttarpara.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the said Act the Governor in Council is also pleased to direct that the said Committee shall be consulted by the Collector of the Hooghly district in any of the following matters:—

I.—Flood embankments—

(*a*) New works, including as such sluices or escapes for existing embankments.

(*b*) Alterations in the alignment of existing embankments, such as are caused by important retirements. This will include the discussion of the policy of holding a threatened bank by protective works in preference to the retirement of the embankment.

(*c*) Proposals for raising the level of the crest of an embankment.

(*d*) All questions in which there is any doubt as to the interpretation to be given to the provisions of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882, or of contracts for the maintenance of embankments.

II.—Any proposal which may be suggested for a minor irrigation work.
III.—Any scheme which may be proposed for improvement in drainage.
IV.—Questions relating to waterways or railroads in the Hooghly district.
V.—Any matter referred by Government for opinion.

3. The Government of Bengal Resolution No. 875-922I., dated the 3rd July 1906, is hereby cancelled in so far as it relates to the Hooghly district.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 22nd October 1918.

No. 4 Notification.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 21 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), and in supersession of the Standing Committee appointed for the district of Howrah in pursuance of the Bengal Government Resolution No. 875-922I, dated the 3rd July 1906, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint a Standing Embankment Committee for the said district of Howrah constituted as follows :—

The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, *President.*
The Magistrate and Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah, *Vice-President and Secretary.*

Members.

(1) The Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle.
(2) The Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.
(3) The Executive Engineer, Cossye Division.
(4) The District Engineer, Howrah.
(5) Raja Jyot Kumar Mukherji of Uttarpara.
(6) The Hon'ble Babu Mohendra Nath Roy, C.I.E., of Tajpur.
(7) Rai Jai Kali Chakrabarty Bahadur of Amta.
(8) Rai Ananda Prosad Sarkar Bahadur of Jujorsha.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the said Act, the Governor in Council is also pleased to direct that the said Committee shall be consulted by the Collector of the Howrah district in any of the following matters :—

I.—Flood embankments—

(*a*) New works, including as such sluices or escapes for existing embankments.
(*b*) Alterations in the alignment of existing embankments, such as are caused by important retirements. This will include the discussion of the policy of holding a threatened bank by protective works in preference to the retirement of the embankment.
(*c*) Proposals for raising the level of the crest of an embankment.
(*d*) All questions in which there is any doubt as to the interpretation to be given to the provisions of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882, or of contracts for the maintenance of embankments.

II.—Any proposal which may be suggested for a minor irrigation work.
III.—Any scheme which may be proposed for improvement in drainage.
IV.—Questions relating to waterways on railroads in the Howrah district
V.—Any matter referred by Government for opinion.

3. The Government of Bengal Resolution No. 875-922I, dated the 3rd July 1906, is hereby cancelled in so far as it relates to the Howrah district.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 21st October 1918.

No. 103Marine.—Mr. C. F. Keys, Branch Pilot, is granted, under article 676(*b*) and (*c*) of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave on medical certificate for fifteen days from the afternoon of the 23rd September 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 21st October 1918.

No. 101.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Chatarji (Junior), Supervisor, Dacca Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for thirteen days, with effect from the 21th September 1918, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5618A.

No. 2258A.D.—The 12th October 1918.—Babu Upendra Mohan Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bogra, is transferred to the district of Bakarganj.

Bogra.
Bakarganj.

No. 2263A.D.—The 12th October 1918.—Maulvi Nausher Ali Khan Yusufji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is transferred to the Rajshahi Division and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Faridpur.
Rajshahi Divn.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 406.—The 22nd October 1918.—Babu Narendra Nath Basu, Sub-Registrar of Kotchandpur, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be Joint Sub-Registrar of Basirhat at Hasnabad, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

Jessore.
24-Parganas.

No. 407.—The 22nd October 1918.—Babu Satish Chandra Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, grade II, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kotchandpur, in the district of Jessore

Jessore.

No. 408.—The 22nd October 1918.—Maulvi Abdul Bari, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Bankura, is allowed leave on medical certificate for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 349, dated the 14th September 1918.

Bankura.

No. 409.—The 22nd October 1918.—In Notification No. 400, dated the 10th October 1918, published at page 1475 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th October 1918 granting extension of privilege leave to Babu Bhababhuti Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Nalhati, in the district of Birbhum, *read* "for one month" *after* "is allowed leave".

Birbhum.

No. 410.—The 22nd October 1918.—Maulvi Khondkar Ali Asghar, Probationer of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Naihati, in the district of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the afternoon of the 16th October 1918.

Murshidabad.
24-Parganas.

No. 411.—The 22nd October 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Saleh, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances for six months, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 200, dated the 27th May 1918.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 12608, dated Calcutta, the 22nd October 1918.—Civil Surgeon P. N. Banerjee made over the executive charge of the Midnapore Central Jail to Mr. A. Leonard on the forenoon of the 9th October 1918.

No. 12609, dated Calcutta, the 22nd October 1918.—Mr. F. S. Groser made over the executive charge of the Presidency Jail to Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. C. Thompson, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 6th October 1918.

F. S. C. THOMPSON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Deputy Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1466D., dated Darjeeling, the 10th October 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Hem Chandra Chakravarty is appointed temporarily to the Tangail Subdivision and Dispensary, Mymensingh district, with effect from the 6th September 1918, *vice* 2nd grade Assistant Surgeon Rajendra Chandra Datta, transferred.

No 1493D., dated Darjeeling, the 11th October 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Kanak Chandra Baral of the Police Training College, Surdah, Rajshahi district, is granted extraordinary leave without allowance for two months, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 1528D., dated Darjeeling, the 16th October 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Nabajiban Banarji, doing supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Demonstrator of Biology, Medical College, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 5th September 1918, during the absence, on leave of 2nd grade Assistant Surgeon Bibhuti Bhusan Barat.

W. H. B. ROBINSON, C.B., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

1. It is notified, for general information, that a Compounder and Dresser class will be started at the Sadar Hospital, Mymensingh, on 1st November 1918. The examination for admission of students to the above class will be held on 1st November 1918 at 8 A.M. The training will extend over a year, and it will be given on the same lines as is followed by the Campbell and the Dacca Medical Schools.

2. All candidates shall have to apply personally to the Civil Surgeon, with certificates of residence, respectibility and character—

(*a*) from a Government Officer not below the rank of Deputy Magistrate;

(*b*) from the Head Master of the School where he was educated last.

3. Candidates must pass a test examination—

(*a*) Reading and writing English;

(*b*) Arithmetic (up to Fraction and Rule of Three).

4. Every student shall pay a tution fee of Re. 1 per month and an examination fee of Rs. 5.

J. N. MITRA, *Civil Surgeon.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 5th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Campbell Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1410Medl. dated the 7th July 1913, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 11 A.M, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 24th, 25th and 26th October 1918, at the Campbell Medical School.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School, at least one week before the 24th October 1918, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge. No certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.

3. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

Note—The attention of candidates is drawn to rules 9 and 10 and of the persons granting the certificates to rules 11 and 14 (*3*) and to the Certificate Forms C (*3*), D, E and F in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid notification as circulated by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Calcutta Hospitals, Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Chief Medical Officers, etc., with his Circular No 25, dated the 22nd July 1913

A. LEVENTON, F.R.C.S.I., D.P.H., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL, CALCUTTA, *the 28th August 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby nofified, for general information, that the next examination for admission of students to the Compounder Class, Campbell Medical School will be held on Tuesday, the 29th October 1918, between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M.

A. LEVENTON, F.R.C.S.I., D.P.H., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd September 1918.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJEE has been placed in charge of the Nadia Treasury at Krishnagar, with effect from the 21st October 1918, and he is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

JATINDRA MOHAN SINHA,
for *Collector, Nadia.*

KRISHNAGAR, *the 21st October 1918.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1918 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Second day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

F. W. CARTER,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৮ সাল, তারিখ ২৫শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে মুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৮ সালের ২রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

এফ, ডব্লিউ, কার্টার,
সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 4th October 1918.

No. 851P.—Babu Atul Chandra Banerji, M.A., Assistant Superintendent, Dacca Normal School (class I of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Superintendent of the institution, *vice* Rai Sahib Debendra Kumar Roy, on deputation, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, *vice* Rai Sahib Bidhu Bhusan Majumdar, on leave.

No. 86P.—Miss Kamini Bose, Assistant Inspectress of Schools for Zenana Work and Muhammadan Education, in Presidency and Burdwan Divisions (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-one days, with effect from 18th September 1918.

No. 87P.—Miss Khemoda Roy is appointed to act as Assistant Inspectress of Schools for Zenana Work and Muhammadan Education in Presidency and Burdwan Divisions and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the date on which she joined the appointment, *vice* Miss Kamini Bose, on leave.

No. 88P.—Babu Kamada Charan Chakravarty is declared to have acted as Professor of Physics, Dacca College, and in the Provincial Educational Service from 30th May to 3rd July 1917.

The 18th October 1918.

No. 89P.—The following promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the Provincial Educational Service:—

Confirmed in class VII.

(1) Babu Bhabesh Chandra Banerji, Professor, Krishnagar College, with effect from 1st April 1918, *vice* Babu Padmini Bhusan Rudra, confirmed in class VI.

(2) Babu Chinta Haran Chakravarti (II), Professor, David Hare Training College, Calcutta, now Officiating Principal of that College, with effect from 1st April 1918 in an existing vacancy.

(3) Mahamahopadhyaya Pramatha Nath Tarkabhusan, Professor, Sanskrit College, with effect from 30th May 1918, *vice* Maulvi Gholam Yazdani, confirmed in class VI.

(4) Khan Sahib Maulvi Muhammad Yusuf, Head Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah, with effect from 13th July 1918, *vice* Babu Nripendra Chandra Banerji, confirmed in class VI.

Promoted to class VII.

(1) Babu Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, now Officiating Professor, Presidency College, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from 1st April 1918, *vice* Babu Bhabesh Chandra Banerji, confirmed.

(2) Babu Surendra Nath Das Gupta, Professor, Chittagong College, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from 1st April 1918, *vice* Babu Chinta Haran Chakravarti (II), confirmed.

(3) Babu Sarat Chandra Brahmachary, Head Master, Hooghly Training School, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from 1st April 1918, *vice* Babu Prafulla Chandra Ghosh, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class VI.

(4) Babu Rai Charan Biswas, Professor, Rajshahi College, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from 30th May 1918, *vice* Babu Aghore Nath Banerji, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class VI.

(5) Miss Mabel Singh, an Assistant Inspectress of Schools in the Presidency Division, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from 13th July 1918, *vice* Maulvi Alfazuddin Ahmed, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to class VI.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 30For.—The 8th October 1918.—On return from the privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 11For., dated the 11th June 1918, Mr. H. T. Lewis, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is posted to the charge of the Sundarbans Division.

Sundarbans.

No. 31For.—The 8th October 1918.—Mr. J. R. P. Gent, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Kurseong Division, is posted as an attached officer in that Division, with headquarters at Dow-Hill, from the 1st October 1918.

Kurseong.

No 32For.—The 8th October 1918.—Mr. E. O. Shebbeare, Deputy Conservator of Forests, attached to the Kurseong Division, is posted to the charge of that Division, with effect from the 1st October 1918.

Kurseong.

No. 33For.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Jatindra Nath Bose, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, will, on relief by Mr. H. T Lewis, Deputy Conservator of Forests, remain attached to the Sundarbans Division, with headquarters at Khulna.

Sundarbans.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 32 of the Rules under clause (*a*), section 138, of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885 the 9th December 1918 is fixed for the election of a member of the Boalia Local Board, in the Godagari thana, in the district of Rajshahi.

UMA P. GUHA, for *District Magistrate.*

RAJSHAHI MAGISTRACY, *the 2nd October 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 12426.—The 8th October 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Dakhinbar Rural Society (registered No. 551 of 1909), in the district of Midnapore, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Sushil Chandra Lahiri, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Midnapore, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 43 OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

IMPROVEMENT SCHEME NO. XV (SECTION B)

(*Street Scheme.*)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have framed an Improvement Scheme described as Scheme No. XV (New Main Sewer Road), Section B (between Scheme No. IV-A and Gariahat Road).

The area comprised in this section is bounded as follows :—

On the North—By a line from the north-west corner of 124-7, Russa Road, South, to the south-east corner of 127, Russa Road, South and by another line from the north-west corner of 20, Nakuleswar Bhattacharjee Lane, to a point on the centre of Gariahat Road.

On the East—From this point along the middle of Gariahat Road to another point on the centre of Gariahat Road opposite 14, Gariahat Road.

On the South—By a straight line from this point to the north-western corner of Kayatola Road and thence westwards in a straight line to the north-west corner of 107, Russa Road, South.

On the West—By a line from the north-west corner of 107, Russa Road, South, along the eastern boundary of the Russa Road, South to the north-west corner of 124-7, Russa Road, South.

Particulars of the scheme, a map of the area comprised in the scheme, and a statement of the land which it is proposed to acquire, may be inspected at the offices of the Trust, No. 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 1 P.M. and on Saturdays between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Copies of the above documents will be delivered to applicants on payment of the following fees :—

	Rs.	A.
Particulars of the scheme	0	4
Map of the area	1	0
Statement of land which it is proposed to acquire ...	0	4

Objections to the scheme will be received up to the 31st January 1919.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 21Exc.—The 14th October 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Gholam Mustapha, Probationary Inspector of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is transferred to Midnapore.

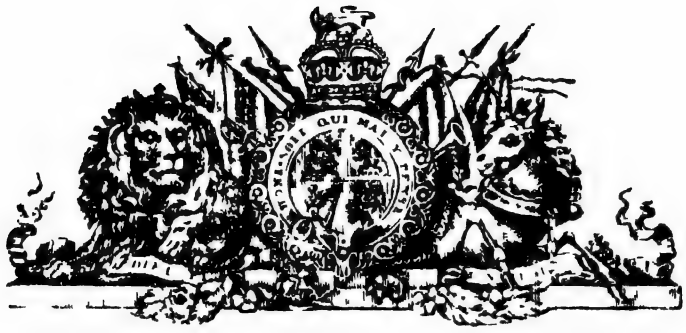
Babu Bimal Krishna Bose, Probationary Inspector of Excise and Salt, Midnapore, is transferred to Calcutta.

Babu Surendra Kumar Das Gupta, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is transferred to Hooghly.

Babu Hari Das Sen, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Hooghly, is attached to the Excise Intelligence Bureau.

Maulvi Azizul Islam, sub. *pro tem.* Inspector of Excise and Salt, attached to the Excise Intelligence Bureau, is transferred to Calcutta.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 8th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 8th October 1918.

No. 3221-I.C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to grant to Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George and the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, to whom His Majesty recently granted precedence as Commanders, the privilege of surrounding their armorial bearings with the circle and motto of their respective orders and of suspending there from a representation of their riband and badge.

R. E. HOLLAND,
Political Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 12th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL

Simla, the 5th October 1918.

No. 931.—His Majesty the King-Emperor has been pleased to appoint Mr. G. C. Rankin, Barrister-at-law, to be a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

S. R. HIGNELL,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 12th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 9th October 1918.

No. 1804-G.—With reference to Notification No. 1400-G., dated the 7th September 1917, the provisional recognition of the appointment of Senor Don Arturo Cabrera as Consul-General for Chile at Calcutta, has been confirmed by His Majesty's Government.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 12th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 12th October, 1918.

No. 10910.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL,

The 27th day of August 1918.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable P. Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

AND WHEREAS it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

AND WHEREAS by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1917, and made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited:

AND WHEREAS by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars:

AND WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect:—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1917, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following additions to the Schedule to the same:—

That the following heading should be added:—

Notes of the Bank of France to all destinations except to destinations in France.

Notes of the United States Government and United States Bank Notes to all destinations except to destinations in the United States.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

C E. LOW,

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 12th October 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 11th October 1918.

INDIAN ARMY RESERVES.

No. 2359.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

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Roland Westphal Morde. Dated 22nd September 1918.

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INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

37th. Calcutta Presidency Battalion.

No. 2364.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Captain to be Major.

Edwin Greaves. Dated 7th August 1918.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Edgar Thompson.
Alexander Edward Mackenzie. } Dated 7th August 1918.

No. 2377.—The following are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second-Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Leslie Steel Bingemann. Dated 27th September 1918.

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INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

37th Calcutta Presidency Battalion.

No. 2389.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted temporary commissions, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second-Lieutenants.

Edward John Rawson Gardiner.
Walter Beecroft.
Reginald Howe. } Dated 7th August 1918.

41st Eastern Bengal Company.

No. 2390.—The undermentioned gentleman is granted a temporary commission, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Captain (Supernumerary List).

Robert Barker McCormack. Dated 1st April 1917.

JUDICIAL.

PARDON FOR DESERTERS.

No. 2404.—His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor has been graciously pleased to approve of pardons being granted to all persons subject to the Indian Army Act, who were in a state of desertion or were absent without leave on the date of the issue of this notification and who surrender themselves at any place in or out of India where there are regular troops on or before the 1st day of January 1919.

2. The provisions of this notification will not apply to men who have deserted whilst on field service and to men who, subsequent to desertion, have enrolled themselves improperly in the same or any other corps or department.

3. This general amnesty to deserters and to persons who are absent without leave is final.

4. Men who have deserted or became absent without leave before the introduction of an enrolment bonus and who now surrender themselves before the 1st January 1919 will not be eligible for this bonus. They will, however, if recruits, be considered eligible for the training bonus sanctioned in Army Instruction (India) No. 893 of 1918, on passing the recruits' course.

5. Men who desert or become absent without leave after the date of the issue of this notification and men who deserted or became absent without leave before the issue of this notification and who do not avail themselves of this amnesty before the date prescribed in paragraph 1 of this notification, will, on apprehension or on surrendering, if retained in the service, be ineligible to receive any enrolment, training or war bonus [Army Instruction (India) No. 893 of 1918] to which they would otherwise have been entitled, except as may be directed by the Brigade Commander on the recommendation of their Commanding Officer.

No. 2405. The following Proclamation by His Excellency the Governor-General, dated the 8th October 1918, is published for general information :—

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor has been graciously pleased to grant on certain conditions His Imperial pardon to all persons subject to the Indian Army Act, who on the 11th October 1918 were in a state of desertion or absence without leave, excluding such persons as have deserted whilst on field service and such persons as after desertion have enrolled themselves improperly in the same or any other corps or department;

AND WHEREAS, it is expedient that a pardon should likewise be granted to all persons subject to the Indian Army Act, 1911, who have been convicted, by Court-Martial held in India (excluding Aden), of the offences of desertion or absence without leave other than persons who have deserted whilst on field service and persons who after desertion have enrolled themselves improperly in the same or any other corps or department;

Now, therefore, I, Frederic John Napier, *Baron* Chelmsford, P. C., G.M.S.I., G.C.M.G . G.M.I.E., G.B.E., Viceroy and Governor-General of India in exercise of the prerogative of pardon delegated to me by His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor, do hereby pardon such persons and remit the unexpired portions of the sentences of transportation or imprisonment now being undergone by such persons subject to the condition that they at once re-enter military service on the same terms as those on which they were originally enrolled.

GIVEN under my hand and seal at Simla this eighth day of October one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

CHELMSFORD,

Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

No. 2406.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that persons wishing to serve in the Indian Technical Air Companies of His Majesty's Indian Army for two years or for the duration of the war, whichever is less, shall be enrolled and attested on the following form :—

FORM No. III-E.

NON-COMBATANTS.

(Indian Technical Air Companies.)

Enrolment of

No. ——Name ———— as a Non-Combatant (craftsman) in an Indian Technical Air Company.

(Questions to be put before enrolment.)

You are warned that if after enrolment it is found that you have given a wilfully false answer to any of the following eight questions you will be liable to be punished as provided in the Indian Army Act.

1. What is your name? 1.———————

2. What is your father's name? 2.———————

3. What is your religion, class, and tribe? 3.———————

4. What is your Village, Thana, Pargana / Tehsil and District? 4. Village / Thana / Pargana / Tehsil / District

5. Have you ever been imprisoned by the Civil Power? 5.

6. Do you now belong to His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve, or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State, or the Nepal State Army? 6.

7. Have you ever served in His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve, or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State, or in the Nepal State Army? If so, state in which, and the cause of discharge. (*a*) 7.

8. Are you in receipt of any allowance from Government; if so, on what account? 8.

9. Are you willing to be enrolled in an Indian Technical Air Company? 9.

10. Are you willing to go wherever ordered, by land or sea, and to allow no caste usages to interfere with the duties for which you are enrolled? 10.

11. Are you willing to be transferred, at any time when necessity arises, to any company of the Indian Technical Air Companies? 11.

12. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 12.

13. Are you willing to serve until discharged in accordance with the following conditions, provided that His Majesty shall so long require your services? 13.

You wil proceed overseas as soon as arrangements can be made to send you thither, and when you have served for two years from the date of your leaving India or for the period of the war, whichever is less, you will be discharged with all convenient speed.

(*a*) If so, the person should be asked to produce his discharge certificate

I _____ do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Signature or thumb impression of person enrolled _____

Signature of Witness _____

CERTIFICATE OF ENROLLING OFFICER.

The conditions of the service for which he is now enrolled were read and explained to the above named person by me (in my presence).

After having cautioned him that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions, Nos. 1 to 8, he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Indian Army Act, I put these questions to him and his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to.

I am satisfied that he fully understands the questions put to him and consents to the conditions of service.

Signed at _____ this _____ day of _____ 19

Signature of Enrolling Officer _____

The following rules, issued by the Government of India in the Marine Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 12th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 11th October 1918.

SHIPS.

No. 63.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

After rule 14-A of the said Rules the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

Restrictions on the repairs of steam or motor driven vessels

"14A.A. The owner or person in charge of a dockyard or shipyard or industrial concern shall not carry out or cause or permit to be carried out the work of repairing, equipping, refitting, converting or altering any vessel propelled wholly or in part by the agency of steam, electricity or other mechanical power, save in accordance with the terms and conditions of a general or special license issued in that behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or

(*a*) in the case of such vessels owned or chartered by His Majesty's Government or the Government of India by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, or

(*b*) in the case of other vessels—by the Controller (Shipbuilding), Indian Munitions Board.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Railway Department (Railway Board), published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 12th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 9th October 1918.

No. 535S-18.—Whereas the Governor-General in Council is of opinion that the rails of the Sialkot-Narowal Branch of the North Western Railway, together with all fastenings, sleepers, plant and material connected therewith, can be utilized in connection with the prosecution of the present war. Now, therefore, in pursuance of sub-rule (*1*) of Rule 11 A.A. of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to require the Agent of the North-Western Railway, being the person in charge of the said things, to place at his disposal at Sialkot Station the said rails of the Sialkot-Narowal Branch of the North Western Railway, together with all fastenings, sleepers, plant and material connected therewith.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

WAR.

Simla, the 16th October 1918.

No 224.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Foreigners Ordinance, 1914 (III of 1914), read with the Emergency Legislation (Continuance) Act, 1915 (I of 1915), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the orders regulating and restricting the entry of foreigners into British India and their departure therefrom, issued with the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 909, dated the 22nd August 1914, as subsequently amended, namely :—

After clause 1 of the said orders the following shall be inserted as clause 2, namely :—

"2. No foreigner shall depart from British India by sea for Ceylon or Portuguese India or for any port in British India."

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th October 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS—WAR.

Simla, the 19th October 1918.

No. 11363.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in this Department Notification No. 1223-D., dated the 8th December 1917 :—

In the preamble *insert* the word "Finland" *before* the word "Norway".

From proviso (*ii*) (*g*) *delete* the words "wood pulp, mechanical (not including cellulose)".

POST OFFICE.

The 19th October 1918.

No. 11443.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that, with effect from the 1st November 1918, the following amendment shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the

Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 2883-45, dated the 26th April 1913, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In rule 1 of the said rules, under the head *parcels*, for the entries—

"(*a*) *Parcels not exceeding 440 tolas in weight*—	
For a parcel not exceeding forty tolas in weight	Two annas.
For every additional forty tolas or part of that weight	Two annas.
(*b*) *Parcels exceeding 440 tolas in weight*—	
For a parcel exceeding 440 tolas, but not exceeding 480 tolas in weight ...	Three Rupees.
For every additional forty tolas or part of that weight	Four annas.

the following shall be substituted :—

"(*a*) For a parcel not exceeding twenty tolas in weight	Two annas.
(*b*) For a parcel exceeding twenty tolas, but not exceeding eight hundred tolas ...	Four annas for every forty tolas or fraction thereof."

TRADING BY FOREIGNERS.

The 19th October 1918.

No. 11429.—Whereas certain hostile foreigners were on the 3rd of August 1914 members of the Leipzig Evangelical Lutheran Mission, Rangoon, and whereas the said Mission or religious association is a Company within the definition contained in section 2 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916) :

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 12 of the said Act, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that the powers conferred by section 7 of the said Act shall extend to the property moveable and immoveable of the said Mission.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th October 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 18th October 1918.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2471.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify that the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India has decided that, with effect from the 2nd October 1918, the Indian Subordinate Medical Department shall be designated the Indian Medical Department.

REWARDS.

No. 2473.—The revised Statutes of the Distinguished Service Order are published below :—

GEORGE R. I.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, to all to whom these presents shall come, greeting ;

Whereas Her late Majesty Our Beloved Grandmother Queen Victoria by a Warrant dated the 6th day of September 1886 did institute and create a new Naval and Military Order of Distinction designated the Distinguished Service Order for the purpose of rewarding individual instances of meritorious or distinguished service in war;

And whereas the said Royal Warrant was subsequently amended by Royal Warrants dated 24th July 1902, 2nd July 1903, 15th October 1903 and 23rd August 1916;

And Whereas it is Our Royal Will and Pleasure that the Officers of Our recently constituted Air Force shall be eligible for appointment to Our said Distinguished Service Order;

And Whereas We deem it expedient that all amendments to the Statutes of Our said Order heretofore promulgated, or now to be promulgated, shall be incorporated in a Royal Warrant under Our Sign Manual;

Now Therefore We do hereby declare that the rules and ordinances heretofore in force for the Government of Our said Order shall be abrogated, cancelled and annulled, and We are graciously pleased to make, ordain and establish the following rules and ordinances in substitution for the same which shall henceforth be inviolably observed and kept;

Firstly: It is ordained that this Order shall henceforth be styled and designated the "Distinguished Service Order".

Secondly: It is ordained that the Order shall consist of the Sovereign, and of such Members or Companions as We, Our Heirs or Successors, shall appoint.

Thirdly: It is ordained that We, Our Heirs and Successors, Kings and Queens, Regnant of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Emperors and Empresses of India, are and for ever shall be Sovereigns of this Order.

Fourthly: It is ordained that no person shall be eligible for this distiction who doth not actually hold at the time of his nomination, a Commission in Our Navy, in Our Land Forces or Marines, in Our Air Force or in Our Indian or Colonial Naval or Military Forces, or a Commission in one of the Departments of Our Navy, Army or Air Forces, the holder of which is entitled to Honorary or relative Navy, Army or Air Force rank, nor shall any person be nominated unless his services shall have been marked by the especial mention of his name, by the Admiral or Senior Naval Officer Commanding a Squadron or detached Naval Force, or by the Commander-in-Chief of the Forces in the Field, in despatches for meritorious or distinguished service in the Field, or before the enemy.

Fifthly: It is ordained that Foreign Officers who have been associated in Naval, Military or Aerial operations with Our Forces shall be eligible to be Honorary Members of this Order.

Sixthly: It is ordained that when We, Our Heirs and Successors, shall be pleased to appoint any person to be a Member of this Order, such appointment shall be made by Warrant under Our Sign Manual, and countersigned by one of Our Principal Secretaries of State.

Seventhly: It is ordained that anyone who, after having performed services for which this Order is awarded, subsequently performs and approved act of gallantry which, if he had not received the Order, would have entitled him to it shall be awarded a Bar to be attached to the riband by which the Badge is suspended, and for every additional such act an additional Bar may be added.

Eighthly: It is ordained that an Officer shall be appointed to this Order, that is to say, a Secretary and Registrar.

Ninthly: It is ordained that the Secretary and Registrar of this Order shall be appointed by Us, Our Heirs and Successors, and shall have the custody of the archives of the Order. He shall attend to the service of the Order and shall execute such directions as he may receive from our Principal Secretary of State for War.

Tenthly: It is ordained that this Order shall rank next to and immediately after our Order of the British Empire, and that the Companions thereof shall in all places and assemblies whatsover have place and precedence next to and immediately after the Commanders of Our said Order of the British Empire and shall rank among themselves according to the date of their respective nominations.

Eleventhly: It is ordained that the Badge of the Order shall consist of a gold cross, enamelled white, edged gold, having on one side thereof in the

centre, within a wreath a laurel enamelled green, the Imperial Crown in gold upon a red enamelled ground and on the reverse, within a similar red ground, the Royal Cypher, and shall be suspended from the left breast by a red riband, edged blue, of one inch in width.

Twelfthly: It is ordained that the names of those whom We may be pleased to admit to Membership of this Order shall be published in the *London Gazette*, and a registry thereof kept in the Office of Our Secretary of State for War.

Thirteenthly: In order to make such additional provision as shall effectively preserve pure this honourable distinction, it is ordained that if any person admitted to Membership of this Order shall be convicted of treason, cowardice, felony, or of any infamous crime, or if he be accused of any such offence and doth not after a reasonable time surrender himself to be tried for the same, his name shall be erased, by an Order under the Royal Sign Manual, from the register of Members of the said Order. And it is hereby declared that We, Our Heirs and Successors, shall be the sole judge of the conduct which may require the erasure from the register of the name of the offending person, and that it shall at all times be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, to restore the name of such restoration should be justified by the circumstances of the case.

Lastly: We reserve to Ourselves, Our Heirs and Successors, full power of annulling, altering, abrogating, augmenting, interpreting or dispensing with these Regulations or any part thereof by a notification under the Sign Manual of the Sovereign of the Order.

Given at Our Court at St. James's this first day of April, in the eighth year of Our Reign, and in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

By His Majesty's Command,

MILNER.

No. 2474.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to announce that His Majesty the King Emperor has approved the grant of a Recruiting Badge for which Indians only will be eligible, to selected Indian serving soldiers, military pensioners and civilians for recruiting work during the War.

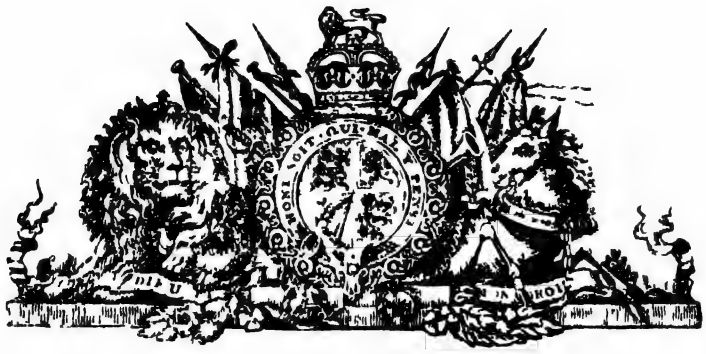
2. The Badge consists of a five-pointed bronze star enclosing a gilt plaque bearing an effigy of His Majesty; the plaque is surrounded by a wreath bearing the inscription "For recruiting work during the War."

3. The Badge will be worn only with plain clothes, except when attending a Durbar on which occasion it may be worn in full dress suspended by a gilt ring to a dark green ribbon 27 inches in length worn round the neck.

4. The conferment of the Badge will not carry with it any title, alphabetical letters, or privilege other than that of wearing it.

5. Subsidiary instructions with regard to the distribution of the Badge will be issued separately.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General*,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Tippera.

No. 757T.—L.S.-G.—The 14th October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 8 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to fix the number of members of the Local Boards in the district of Tippera as follows, namely:—

Local Boards.		Number of Members
Comilla	...	15
Brahmanbaria	...	12
Chandpur	...	9

This cancels so much of notification, dated the 5th April 1887, as relates to the fixing of the number of members of these Local Boards

Dacca.

No. 755T.—L.S.-G.—The 14th October 1918.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), and in supersession of Notification No. 2400L.S.-G., dated the 24th December 1917, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 30th November 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is

pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Narayanganj.	Narayanganj.	Mograpara.	9	Decree Char ... 307 Kajirgaon ... 308 Kaliganj ... 309 Chhota Krishnadi 310 Dakshin Chandibardi ... 335 Uttamdi ... 336 Giribardi ... 341 Char Safikhan ... 344 Sonakhali ... 342 Babrakpur ... 343 Madhabpur ... 345 Chak Karamulla ... 347 Chhota Majher Char ... 346 Birahimerkandi ... 348 Sukardi ... 353 Bhagalpur ... 349 Sachinapur ... 350 Muktespur ... 370 Barasadipur ... 369 Nebuchhara ... 368 Rahamatpur ... 351 Asrafdi ... 352 Bhatipara ... 355 Ulukandi ... 354 Darugola ... 356 Kafurdi ... 358 Kakiartek ... 360 Lal Alapdi ... 359 Lal Krishnadi ... 361 Menikhali ... 362 Binnipara ... 363 Kabilganj ... 364 Kaliapara ... 365 Damdama ... 366 Bhairabadi ... 367 Narayandia ... 372 Kamargaon ... 374 Jhagrakhola ... 375 Ratandi ... 394 Chhota Bandara ... 393 Chhota Sadipur ... 392 Bandara ... 395 Bari Majlis ... 389 Dihi Sonargaon ... 388 Habibpur ... 387 Char Menikhali ... 386 Goalnagar ... 385 Majidbari ... 390 Gohata ... 391 Sholapara ... 382 Chhota Arjundi ... 384 Baranagar ... 383 Kusasan ... 371 Satarajdi ... 377 Silmandi ... 376 Jagatdi ... 379 Mithadi ... 378 Nagar Sadipur ... 380 Mithapur ... 381 Alapdi .. 357	North— Mauzas Mirerchar (311) and Uttar Chandibardi (335), in Union Sanmandi. East— Mauzas Chhota Silmandi (373), Malikerpara (340), Tipurdi (338), Ichhapar (410), Chilarbag (396) and Dalairbag (397). South— The Menikhali khal. West— Brahmaputra river and mauza Char Ulukandi (306).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

No. 738T.-M.—The 9th October 1918.—The following amendments, made by the General Committee of the Calcutta Corporation, under clauses (*34*) and (*55*) of section 559 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), in the by-laws contained in Notification No. 3576, dated the 23rd December 1903 (published at pages 279-285, of Part IB, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th idem, as subsequently amended, have been confirmed by the Corporation, and sanctioned by the Governor in Council, in accordance with the provisions of section 566 of that Act, and are hereby published for general information, in accordance with section 570 of the said Act :—

Amendments.

For by-laws Nos. 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 34, 35, 37, 40 and 41 *substitute* the following :—

"10. Every animal brought to a slaughter-house or any stock-yard appertaining thereto shall be placed at such place within the premises as the Superintendent shall direct, and shall be secured in such manner as shall effectively prevent it from breaking loose or causing injury to other animals and in such a manner as to avoid causing unnecessary suffering to the animal itself".

"11. No animal other than an animal which is dying from injury sustained in an accident and which is brought to a slaughter-house immediately after the accident and which shall be killed at once, shall be slaughtered until after the lapse of 24 hours from the time it is brought to a slaughter-house or any stock-yard appertaining thereto, and during the period an animal is confined in such premises, the Superintendent shall see that it is provided during such confinement wih a proper supply of wholesome water."

"12. All animals brought to a slaughter-house or any stock-yard appertaining thereto shall be carefully examined by the Superintendent, and no animal shall be slaughtered until it has been so examined and pronounced by the Superintendent to be free from disease."

"13. No person shall bring a diseased, dying or dead animal to a slaughter-house or any stock-yard appertaining thereto.

This by-law shall not apply in the case of an otherwise healthy animal which is dying from injury sustained in an accident and which is brought to a slaughter-house or any stock-yard appertaining thereto immediately after the accident."

"15. A special pen shall be attached to every slaughter-house or stock-yard appertaining thereto for the segregation of animals which are found to show symptoms of or are suspected of being diseased, and every animal which upon examination is found to show symptoms of or be suspected of being diseased shall be at once removed to such special pen and there kept under observation for such period as may be necessary to ascertain whether it is diseased or not. The cost of the maintenance of any animal kept in the special pen shall be paid by the person bringing the animal to the slaughter-house or stock-yard appertaining thereto."

"34. No person suffering from leprosy, sores or any disease of the skin or any contagious or infectious disease shall enter a slaughter-house or any part of the premises or any stock-yard appertaining thereto."

"35. No dog shall be admitted into a slaughter-house or any stock-yard appertaining thereto. Every dog found therein shall be at once made over to the police to be dealt with as a stray dog."

"37. (*1*) All animals brought for slaughter at the Tangra slaughter-house, except calves and goats, must pass through the stock-yard appertaining thereto and shall be kept there for a period of not less than 24 hours before slaughter, during which time or any subsequent extension thereof, the animals shall be fed and watered at the expense of the Corporation :

Provided that no animal shall be kept in the stock-yard for more than ten days."

(*2*) The fees for admission into the stock-yard which shall be in addition to any slaughtering fee for each animal that may from time to time be imposed under section 489, shall be in accordance with the scale of fees which has been fixed under that section or such other fees as may, from time to time, be fixed in that behalf under the said section."

"40. No person shall make a noise, fight or quarrel or use insulting, abusive or obscene language in a slaughter-house or any stock-yard appertaining thereto. Persons contravening this regulation may be summarily ejected by the Superintendent or his assistants."

"41. No employé of the Corporation shall ask for or receive any gratuity in money or otherwise from any person making use of a slaughter-house or any stock-yard appertaining thereto."

Calcutta.

No. 751T.-M.—The 11th October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 8 (*2*) (*d*) and 62 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr J. A. Woodhead to be a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. C. H. Bompas, resigned.

Calcutta.

No. 752T.-M.—The 11th October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 (*2*) (*c*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. J. A. Woodhead, who is a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, to be a member of the General Committee of the Corporation, *vice* Mr. C. H. Bompas, resigned.

Howrah.

No. 763T.-M.—The 15th October 1918.—The Governor in Council is pleased to declare his intention, in exercise of the power conferred by section 640 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), to extend to the town of Howrah the following section of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, subject to the modifications and restrictions therein, which are shown, as far as possible, in antique type :—

Application for review of assessment.

187. (*1*) When an **application for review of** a valuation has been made under **section 113 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884,** the **rates and fees payable to the Commissioners** shall, pending the final **order on the application,** be paid on the same **valuation** as before.

(*2*) If, in consequence of any such **application,** an amendment in any valuation is made which alters the amount of the assessment, the difference, if too much has been paid, shall be repaid or refunded to the **applicant** or allowed to be set off against any present or future demand of the **Commissioners** against him under the provisions of **the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, as in force in the town of Howrah,** and, if too little has been paid, shall be deemed to be an arrear of the **aforesaid rates and fees** and shall be payable and recoverable accordingly.

2. Any objection to such extension on the part of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Howrah or any inhabitant thereof should be submitted in writing, through the District Magistrate, Howrah, to the undersigned before the 2nd December 1918.

Birbhum.

No. 769T.-M.—The 18th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Suri Municipality, in the district of Birbhum :—

The Civil Surgeon, Birbhum
The District Engineer, Birbhum } *Ex-officio.*
Khan Bahadur Muhammad Shamsuzzuha.
Syed Sujjadar Rahim.
Rai Sahib Kalikananda Mukharji.

Murshidabad.

No. 778T.-M.—The 19th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Murshidabad Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, namely :—

1. Sahibzada Iskander Kudr Syed Nasir Ali Meerza.
2. Raja Bahadur Bhupendra Narayan Sinha.
3. Syed Sadeq Reza.
4. Syed Sekondarjah.
5. Munshi Amir Hossain.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified for general information that sixty-five third grade junior scholarships of Rs. 10 each are allotted to the following districts in the proportion noted against each. The scholarships are awardable on the result of the Matriculation examination to be held in March 1919 :—

Calcutta	...	12	Faridpur	...	2
24-Parganas	...	4	Mymensingh	...	3
Jessore	..	2	Bogra	...	1
Khulna	...	2	Darjeeling	...	1
Murshidabad	...	2	Jalpaiguri	...	1
Nadia	...	2	Dinajpur	...	1
Bankura	...	2	Malda	...	1
Birbhum	...	1	Pabna	...	1
Burdwan	...	2	Rajshahi	...	2
Hooghly	...	2	Rangpur	...	1
Howrah	...	1	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	1
Midnapore	...	3	Chittagong	...	2
Bakarganj	...	3	Noakhali	...	2
Dacca	...	4	Tippera	...	2

One scholarship will be awarded to the most successful aboriginal student in the districts of Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapore, who passes the examination but does not obtain any other scholarship. If no qualified aboriginal student is available the scholarship will be allotted to the district of Howrah.

The remaining one scholarship is made open to competition by the students of all High English Schools, in the district of Rangpur.

J. W. GUNN,

Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal

CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1918.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, at noon, 6th November 1918, corresponding with 20th Kartic 1325 B. S, Wednesday

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and thana	Apportionate area in acres	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs. A P.	
3626	Ulashi, police-station Hanskhali ...	7 18	7 13 6	
3627	Hariakhi, police-station Chakdah ...	4 38	4 12 9	
3628	Goalpara, police-station Jibannagar ...	3 43	4 8 0	
3629	Depara, police-station Kotowali ...	2·37	3 4 3	
3630	Durgapur, police-station Krishnagan ...	8 09	11 12 6	

JATINDRA MOHAN SINHA, *for* Collector.

Krishnagar, the 13th September 1918.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Barharwa-Azimganj-Katwa Railway, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Wednesday, the 4th December 1918, corresponding with the Bengali 18th Agrahayan, at Katwa Railway Station.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from main from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Burdwan	Pargana Dheya, maura Radhakantapur, Ory Rautara.	Mile No. 2	Situated on the east side of the Railway line.	7 11 0	2·50	From chain 232·845 to chain 233·030.	.....	...	*North*—By the sand field of Ganga Bistu Bannerji. *East*—By the sand field of Madhu Sudan Pal. *South*—By the sand field of Madhu Sudan Pal Mon Mohini Dasi, Bhola Nath Bannerji and Bonwari Lal Karfarma. *West*—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company.
	Do	Pargana Monoharshahi, mauza Nabagram.	Do. ...	Do ...	2 0 10	0·67	From chain 232 800 to chain 232·845	.....	...	*North and East*—By the sand field of Ganga Bistu Bannerji. *South*—By the sand field of Madhu Sudan Pal, Mon Mohini Dasi, Bhola Nath Bannerji and Bonwari Lal Karfarma. *West*—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company.
					9 11 10	3·17				

Burdwan, the 21st October 1918.

MATHURA NATH BANERJI, Collector, under Act I of 1894

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 73 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Sek Gaizoddin, son of late Sek Asrab, of Gurki, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 9th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 30th September 1918. (2665—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 68 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Hriday Nath Patni, son of late Nathu Patni, of Hargaz, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th November 1918 is fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 30th September 1918. (2666—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 76 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Mainoddin Halder, son of late Saman Halder, of Nateswar, police-station Sherajdighee, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 30th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 1st October 1918. (2667—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 65 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Gourish Chandra Rai, son of late Uma Charan Rai, of Suapur, police-station Dhamrai, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 30th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 1st October 1918. (2668—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 66 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Sek Modhu Sikdar, son of Sek Meherali, of Kandamatra, police-station Nobabgange, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 30th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 1st October 1918. (2669—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 25 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th March 1918, filed by A. W. Caston, Gas-maker, residing at Loco. quarter No. 223, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Kharagpur, district Midnapore, debtor-petitioner, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Nalini Behary Roy, Pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 6th December 1918 has been fixed for the proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 4th day of October 1918.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2662—1)

Notice.

WANTED for the Hare School, an M A. strong in English as Assistant Master, on a monthly salary of Rs. 50 a month, in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service. Applications will be received by the Head Master up to the 31st October 1918. The selected candidate will be required to join on the 16th November 1918.

J. R. BARROW,

Offg. Principal, Presidency College.

Calcutta, the 8th October 1918.

Notice.

WANTED 22 temporary Excise Sub-Inspectors at Rs. 50 each per month for not less than two months for the manufacture of *ganja*. One of the selected candidates will have to join on the 1st of December 1918, some on the 2nd of January 1919, and some on later dates. Some of the selected candidates will have to work for six months.

None need apply for the post who has not passed the Matriculation Examination or worked in the same capacity in previous years. Applications will be received by the undersigned upto 22nd November 1918.

T. BHATTACHARYYA,

Superintendent of Excise, Naogaon.

Naogaon, the 2nd October 1918.

Board of Revenue, Bengal.

COURT OF WARDS, BENGAL.

WANTED a Manager for the six-annas Santosh Estate, in the district of Mymensigh, under the Court of Wards, on a monthly salary of Rs. 350. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th November 1918. None need apply who has no experience of Court of Wards or Zamindary work. The selected candidate will be required to join at once and will have to furnish security in cash or promissory notes, for Rs. 10,000.

F. D. ASCOLI,

Offg. Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal.

Darjeeling, the 14th October 1918. (2674—3)

Board of Revenue, Bengal.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, under sections 6 and 27 of the Court of Wards Act, IX (B. C.) of 1879, as amended to date, the Court of Wards of Bengal has declared Hemendra Nath Ray Chaudhury, the son of the late Babu Baikunta Nath Ray Chaudhury by adoption made by the late Rani Dinamani Chaudhurani, widow of the said Babu Baikunta Nath Ray Chaudhury of Santosh, in the district of Mymènsingh to be a minor ; and

Whereas, under sections 7 and 35 of the said Act, the said Court has assumed charge of the property of the said Hemendra Nath Ray Chaudhury.

Notice is hereby given under section 10A of the said Act that all creditors having claims against the said Hemendra Nath Ray Chaudhury or his immovable property are hereby required to submit the same in writing to the Court of Wards at the office of the Board of Revenue in Calcutta within six months from the date of publication of this notice.

Creditors are also hereby warned that claims not submitted as required by this notice are liable to be deemed to have been duly discharged.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

F. D. ASCOLI, Offg. Secretary.

Darjeeling, the 14th October 1918. (2675—3)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following change in the Bank's European Establishment :—

Mr. S. B. Moultrie on return from privilege leave to resume charge of Agra Branch from Mr. S. A. H Sitwell, Inspector of Branches, as from the 10th October 1918.

By order of the Directors,

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 21st October 1918. (2676—1)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 171383 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 10,000 originally standing in the name of Nistariney Dassee, the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to any o her person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of advertiser—Sarat Kumar Das.
Residence—11, Suri Lane, Calcutta.

Calcutta, the 11th October 1918. (2671—3—2562)

Currency Note.

THE following Currency Note of the Calcutta Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of Note.		Value.	Name of claimant
			Rs.	
WD 4 of 1917-18.	VA 26	31727	10	Srimati Dayamai Devi, village Nartan, P. O Kulama, district Sylhet.

N. B. DEANE, Deputy Controller,
In charge Paper Currency, Calcutta.

Paper Currency Department, 8th October 1918.

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails.	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
United Kingdom and Allied Countries, Aden, East Africa, West Africa. Also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom.	Twice daily	8-0	8-30	8-0	...
America, Neutral Countries and Egypt ...	Twice daily	P.M. 6-15	P.M. 7-15	P.M. 5-30	P.M. 6-0
Ceylon	Daily ...	3-0	3-30	2-30	3-0
Australia and New Zeland	Oct. 23rd ...	3-30	4-0	3-0	3-30
Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo-China, China, Japan, etc.	Tuesday ...	4-0	...	3-30	...
Burma	Oct. 24th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
Port Blair	Do. 24th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
South Africa†	Do. 22nd ...	4-0	4-30	3-30	4-0

* The late fee is 4 annas for each registered and unregistered article to any place named above, except Aden, Burma, Ceylon and Port Blair, the late fee for which is ½ anna for unregistered articles and 2 annas for registered articles Letters are accepted with late fee only on occasions when a direct mail is closed by the Calcutta G. P. O. for Foreign Countries.

† Correspondence for South Africa posted up to 6-15 P M in the Calcutta G. P. O. is despatched to Bombay for transmission by the first available steamer, when there is no direct mail from Calcutta.

Calcutta G P. O., the 21st October 1918. J. FISHER-RODERICKS, Presidency Post Master.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF SANSKRIT MANUSCRIPTS.

PARTS I, II and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts, the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID, AND QUINOIDINE.

[Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.]

THESE articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona Alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Behar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the principal druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or pure Amorphous Alkaloid and Residual Alkaloid or Amorphous Cinchona Alkaloid which contains about 40 per cent. of pure Amorphous Alkaloid are for sale to Missionaries and Government institutions only. These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance, but private purchasers may use the V.-P. P. system AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1918 are as follows :—

Sulphate of Quinine.

For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs., but below 60 lbs., in one delivery	„ 29 „ „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 30 „ „

Sulphate of Cinchonidine.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 12 „ „

(Only small quantities available when in stock.)

Cinchona Febrifuge.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 6 „ „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „ „
Quinoidine in non Tablet form (when in stock) and Residual Alkaloids...	„ 4 „ „

Quinoidine Tablets (when in stock).

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	„ 7 „ „

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb., and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼ lb., ½ lb., and 1 lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb., and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 1-lb., 5-lb., and 10-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 1 lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1 lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.-P. Post. Price of postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by post. A scale of postage is given below :—

[For ¼ and ½-lb. 4 annas, 1 lb. 6 annas, 2 lbs. 10 annas, 3 lbs. 12 annas, 4 lbs. Re. 1, 5 lbs. Re. 1-4, and for 6 lbs. Re. 1-6.]

	Re.	A.
Quinoidine Tablet 1 lb., weg. 3 lbs., postage	0	10
Ditto 2 lbs., „ 6 „ „	1	0
Ditto 3 „ „ 9 „ „	1	3

Local Sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Monday.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1918.

APPENDIX.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The following Notice is published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th October 1918.*

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST.

Reef reported.

No. 330 (first publication).—The Portmaster, Brisbane, has given Notice (No. 8 of 1918) that the Master of a steamship has reported the discovery of a submerged coral reef in lat. 24° 12′ S., long. 152° 47′ E., Lady Elliott Lighthouse, bearing N. 30° W. magnetic, distance 5½ miles. The reef extends over 200 ft. in a north and south direction, and has a depth of 30 ft. to 34 ft. over it at half flood neap tide.

Charts affected.—Nos. 345 and 2763; Australia Directory, Volume II.

The 7th October 1918.

PERSIAN GULF—SHATT-AL-ARAB RIVER ENTRANCE.

Additional Buoy laid; Amended position of Fairway Gas Buoy and Light-Vessel.

No. 319 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 84M. of 1918), are republished:—

Former R. I. M. Notice to Mariners No. 41-M. of 1917. (*This office No. 67 of 1917*)

(*a*) Additional buoy laid on the Outer Bar:—

Description—Black Can, Port hand buoy numbered '3'.

Position.—At a distance of about 7·6 cables 168° (S 14° E. Mag.) from No. 4 Gas Buoy in 9 feet of water at L. W. O. S.

Note.—The buoys marking the channel over the bar and into the Shatt-al-Arab river are now laid as follows:—

Port hand buoys are Black in colour and can buoys; and Starboard hand buoys are Red in colour and conical buoys. Nos. 5, 6, 7, Black Can Buoys are Port hand buoys and not Starboard hand buoys as shown on Admiralty Chart No. 1235.

(*b*) *Amended position of Fairway Gas Buoy* :—
Lat. 29° 47′ 57″ N.
Long. 48° 41′ 52″ E.

(*c*) *Amended position of Light-Vessel* :—
Lat. 29° 43′ 56″ N.
Long. 48° 48′ 20″ E.

Variation.—2° E.
Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.
Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 281.
Indian List of Lights, 37th issue, 1918 (in the Press).
Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay. Dated 18th September 1918.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER.

Entrance to the Whangpoo, Lismore Flats—Lismore light-boat discontinued; Light-buoy established.

No. 320 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 666 of 1918) that the Lismore Light-boat, moored off the northern edge of the Lismore Flats, southern side of the entrance to the Whangpoo, Yangtze River, has been discontinued.

In its place a *black* Buoy, gas-lighted, with a *black* spherical daymark surmounting the lantern, has been established.

This Buoy will exhibit an occulting *white* light every 8 seconds thus :—

$$\frac{\text{light, 4 secs.}}{\text{eclipse, 4 secs}}$$

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—KAWAU BAY APPROACH, NORTH CHANNEL.

Maori Rock—Buoy established.

No. 321 (second publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 940 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about one cable south-eastward from Maori Rock.
Lat. 36° 23′ 00″ S., long. 174° 51′ 42″ E.
Description.—A red can buoy
Remarks.—The beacon formerly marking this rock has disappeared and is to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 1998, Omaha Bay to Tiri-Tiri Matangi.
„ 3565, Bream Head to Tepaki Point.
„ 2543, Maunganui Bluff to Manukau Harbour, etc.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 80.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 30 of 1918. (*H. 3870-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS, VANUA LEVU.

Savu Savu Bay—Beacons erected.

No. 322 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 944 of 1918), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position*.—On edge of Point Reef, at a distance of 13 cables, 254° (*S. 64° W. Mag.*), from Via Via islets+.
Lat. 16° 49½′ S., long. 179° 16½′ E.
Description.—An iron beacon, surmounted by a drum.

(*b*) *Position.*—On the southern side of the entrance to Na Kama Creek, at a distance of one cable and 55 yards, 311° (*N. 59° W. Mag.*), from the centre of the building marked "Naveria" on the charts.

Description.—An iron beacon.

Variation.—10° E.

Charts affected.—No. 727, Plans of Savu Savu Bay, Valanga and Savareka-Reka Bays, and Na Kama Creek.
,, 382, Vanua Levu (central portion), etc.
,, 440, Fiji Islands—eastern group, northern portion.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, pages 146, 147.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3172-18.*)

INDIA, WEST COAST—GOA COAST.

St. George Islands—Correction to Chart No. 492 with regard to depth off.

No. 323 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 951 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of 8¼ cables, 338° (*N. 22° W. Mag.*), from the centre of St. George Reef.
Lat. 15° 21¾′ N., long. 73° 47′ E.

Correction.—On Chart No. 492 a depth of 1¾ fathoms is incorrectly shown in the above position; the correct depth is 4¼ fathoms, and the chart is to be corrected accordingly.

Variation.—Nil.

Chart affected.—No. 492, Aguada to St. George Islands, etc.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4224-18.*)

JAPAN, KIUSIU—EAST COAST.

Aburatsu Harbour—Existence of a rock.

No. 324 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 960 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of 1$\frac{7}{10}$ cables, 90° (*S. 86° E. Mag.*), from the southern extremity of Yakata bai.
Lat. 31° 32′ N., long. 131° 24′ E.

Depth.—4½ fathoms.

Remarks.—A rock with a depth of 4¾ fathoms exists at a distance of about half a cable westward of the above 4½-fathom rock; these two rocks are connected together.

Variation.—4° W.

Chart affected.—No 626, Plan of Aburatsu Harbour.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 90.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 56 of 1918. (*H. 3638-18.*)

NEW GUINEA, NORTH-WEST COAST—WAIGIU ISLAND.

Offak Harbour, Port Fofaag—Existence of a rock.

No. 325 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 965 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of 2¼ cables, 240° (*S. 58° W. Mag.*), from the summit of the small islet off Fofaag Point.
Lat. 0° 03¾′ S., long. 130° 13¾′ E.

Description.—A rock awash.
Variation.—2° E.
Chart affected.—No. 912, Plan of Offak Harbour.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 252.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1005 of 1918. (*H. 4361-18.*)

CHINA SEA—South Natuna Islands.

Subi Besar—Non-existence of Reef reported westward of.

No. 326 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 966 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 619 of 1918. (*This office No. 225 of 1918.*)
Position on charts.—At a distance of about 8¼ miles westward of Bakau Islet.
Lat. 2° 54′ N., long. 108° 35½′ E.
Details.—An examination of the locality has failed to find any trace of the existence of the reef reported in the former Notice, and the reef is to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 2104, Tanjong Bayung to Tanjong Datu.
„ 2660*a*, China Sea, southern portion—western sheet.
„ 1263, China Sea.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, northern portion.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 60.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 950 of 1918. (*H. 4281-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—Fiji Islands, Viti Levu.

Lauthala Harbour Entrance, N'Dareta Nukumbutho—Beacon and Buoys established.

No. 327 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 969 of 1918), are republished :—

1. Beacon :
Position (approximate).—On eastern side of passage.
Lat. 18° 10′ 30″ S., long. 178° 28′ 38″ E.
Description.—A white beacon.

2. Buoys :
(*a*) *Position (approximate).*—On eastern side of passage.
Lat 18° 11′ 03″ S., long. 178° 28′ 32″ E.
Description.—A white can buoy.
(*b*) *Position (approximate).*—On western side of passage.
Lat. 18° 10′ 45″ S., long. 178° 28′ 23″ E.
Description.—A spar buoy, colour not stated.
(*c*) *Position (approximate).*—On western side of passage.
Lat. 18° 11′ 02″ S., long. 178° 28′ 26″ E.
Description.—A black can buoy.

Note.—The following note is to be inserted on Chart No. 1757 :—
"*Posns. of Bn. and Buoys are approximate.*"
Charts affected.—No. 1757, Nukulau Island to Namuka Island, etc.
„ 167, Kandavu Island and passage.
„ 905, Suva Harbour to Levuka.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 116.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3171-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS, VANUA LEVU.

Mbutha Bay—Reef marked by Beacon.

No. 328 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 977 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—South-eastward of Nukindam.
Lat. 16° 38′ 45″ S, long. 179° 52′ 45″ E.
Depth.—7 feet.
Note.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet is to be inserted on the chart.
Remarks.—This reef, which is of small extent, is marked by an iron beacon surmounted by a drum.
Chart affected.—No. 440, Fiji Islands, eastern group.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 161.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3284-18.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Ombai Passage—Breakers reported.

No. 329 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 981 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Westward of Fatu St. Antonio Point.
Lat. 8° 52′ 30″ S., long. 124° 58′ 30″ E.
Details.—Breakers were observed in the above position, apparently indicating the existence of a reef.
Note.—The position on the chart is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "*Breakers reported (1918).*"
Chart affected.—No. 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago, sheet III.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 299.
Authority.—Hague Notice No 960 of 1918. (*H. 4297-18.*)

The 30th September 1918.

JAPAN, KIUSIU—IKI SUIDO.

Futagami Jima—Light established.

No. 289 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 827 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 33° 36′ 20″ N., long. 129° 32′ 57″ E., on Chart No. 2387.
Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2), *ev. 30 sec., 318 ft., vis. 25 m.*
Details :
Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes *every thirty seconds*, thus :—

$$\frac{\text{2 flashes,}}{\text{8 secs.}} \quad \frac{\text{eclipse,}}{\text{22 secs.}}$$

Elevation.—318 feet.
Visibility.—25 miles.
Power.—36,000 candles.
Structure.—White octagonal concrete tower, 40 feet in height.
Charts affected.—No 2387, Io jima to Madara jima.
„ 127, Hirado kaikyo to Shimonoseki kaikyo.
„ 359, Nagasaki to Karatsu, etc.
„ 104, Korean Archipelago, southern portion.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.
„ 1263, China Sea.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific Ocean, etc.
„ 781, Pacific Ocean—north-west sheet.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1901*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 526.
Authority.—Department of Communications, Tokyo, Notice No. 535 of 1918. (*H. 3501-18.*)

JAPAN—GULF OF TOKYO.

Fort No. 2—Light re-exhibited.

No. 290 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 831 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1303 of 1917. (*This Office No. 50 of 1918.*)

Position.—Fort No. 2 light, lat. 35° 18½′ N., long. 139° 44½′ E.

Details.—The *fixed white* light, which was destroyed in 1917, has been repaired and is now exhibited as formerly.

Note.—The note "Destroyed 1917" shown against this light on the charts is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo ór Yedo.
„ 953, Omai Saki to Tsurugi Saki.
„ 3331, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2055.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 199.

Authority.—Department of Communications, Tokyo, Notice No. 455 of 1918. (*H. 3604-18.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—BUNGO CHANNEL.

Jizo Saki—Wreck northward of.

No. 291 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 832 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 7¼ cables, 358° (*N. 2° E. Mag.*) from Jizo Saki lighthouse.
Lat. 33° 16¾′ N., long. 131° 54¼′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of the SS. *Nawa Maru.*

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 651, Bungo Channel.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 32 of 1918. (*H. 3437-18.*)

BORNEO, NORTH COAST.

Banguey South Channel, Outer Shoal—Alteration in Position of Buoy.

No. 292 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 833 of 1918), are republished :—

New position.—At a distance of about a quarter of a mile southward of former position.
Lat. 7° 02′ 19″ N., long. 116° 59′ 55″ E.

Description.—A can buoy painted in red and white vertical stripes.

Charts affected.—No. 3728, Marudu Bay.
„ 948, Balabac Strait.
„ 287, Gaya Bay to Sandakan Harbour.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 151.

Authority.—British North Borneo Company. (*H. 2853-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS.

(1) Vanua Levu, Soni-soni Passage Approaches—Existence of Rocks.

(2) Viti Levu, Wakaya Lagoon—Existence of Rock.

No. 293 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 835 of 1918), are republished :—

(1) Vanua Levu, Soni-soni Passage Approaches.

The undermentioned coral patches have been found to exist in the western approaches to Soni-soni Passage :—

	Position.	Depth.
(*a*)	Lat. 16° 54′ 55″ S., long. 178° 56′ 55″ E.	8 feet.
(*b*)	„ 16° 55′ 10″ „ „ 178° 57′ 00″ „	8 „
(*c*)	„ 16° 55′ 18″ „ „ 178° 57′ 58″ „	12 „
(*d*)	„ 16° 55′ 20″ „ „ 178° 59′ 32″ „	3 „
(*e*)	„ 16° 59′ 20″ „ „ 178° 57′ 30″ „	12 „

The positions given are those on Chart No. 382.

(2) Viti Levu, Wakaya Lagoon.

The undermentioned coral patch has been found to exist near the middle of Wakaya Lagoon :—

Position.	Depth.
Lat. 17° 36′ 25″ S., long. 179° 02′ 40″ E.	4 fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 382, Vanua Levu (**1**).
„ 727, Plan of Savu Savu Bay (**1**) (*d*).
„ 742, Plan of Nandi Passage and Bay (**1**) (*e*).
„ 905, Suva Harbour to Levuka (**2**).
„ 440, Fiji Islands—eastern group, northern portion.
„ 2691, Fiji Islands.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, pages 148, 149, 142.

Authority—Captain E. F. Wallack, Master, S. Y. *Ranadi.* (*H. 5853-18.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Baas Island—Shoal southward of.

No. 294 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 842 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 15° 59′ 15″ N., long. 42° 39′ 35″ E., on Chart No. 8*d*.

Description.—A 2¼-fathom shoal.

Remarks.—This shoal is connected up to the shoal extending southward from Baas Island.

Charts affected.—No. 8*d*, Red Sea—sheet 4.
„ 2523, Red Sea.

Publication.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1909, page 357.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3468-18.*)

MADAGASCAR, EAST COAST.

Andovoranto—Light discontinued.

No. 295 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 843 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—On the northern point of the entrance to the River Jark. Lat. 18° 57½′ S., long. 49° 08¾′ E.

Description.—A fixed white light.

Remarks.—The light is to be expunged from the chart.

Chart affected.—No. 759*b*, Antongil Bay to Ambatosoa.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1918, No. 206.
South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 293.

Authority.—Journal Official, Madagascar, of 10th November 1917. (*H. 447-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

(*1*) *Clarence River Entrance—Leading Beacon established; Buoys withdrawn.*

(*2*) *Woolgoolga—Light established.*

(*3*) *Port Macquarie—Leading beacons established; Buoys withdrawn.*

(*4*) *Lake Macquarie—Light established.*

No. 296 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 844 of 1918), are republished:—

(1) Clarence river entrance.

1. Leading beacon established:

Position.—On the half tide training wall, and at a distance of $3\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 98° (*N. 88° E. Mag.*), from Dart Island leading mark.
Lat. 29° 25¼′ S., long. 153° 22¼′ E.

Description.—A beacon painted white with a black vertical stripe.

Remarks.—This beacon in line with Dart Island leading mark, now painted white with a black horizontal stripe, leads through the best water over the bar.

2. Buoys withdrawn:

Details.—The black buoy and the red buoy, shown on the charts off the eastern end of the half tide training wall, have been withdrawn.

(2) Woolgoolga.

Position.—On end of jetty, north-westward of Green Bluff, and at a distance of $14\frac{8}{10}$ cables, 350° (*N 20° W. Mag.*), from the summit of Stack Rock.
Lat. 30° 06′ S., long. 153° 13¾′ E.

Description—A *fixed red* light, exhibited when a vessel is expected.

Remarks.—From the position given above, the jetty extends in a 243° (*S. 53° W. Mag.*) direction to the shore.

(3) Port Macquarie.

1. Leading beacons established :

(*a*) Front beacon :

Position.—On southern training wall, now completed, and at a distance of $3\frac{7}{10}$ cables, 70° (*N. 60° E. Mag.*), from the Post Office.

Lat. 31° 25½′ S., long. 152° 55¾′ E.

Description.—A white beacon, 12 feet high.

(*b*) Rear beacon :

Position.—On southern training wall, near the inner end, and at a distance of $1\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 57° (*N. 47° E. Mag.*), from the Post Office.

Description.—A white beacon, 14 feet high, with a black horizontal stripe.

Remarks.—The foregoing beacons in line bearing 259° (*S. 69° W. Mag.*) lead over the bar.

2. Buoys withdrawn :

Details.—Diamantina Rocks black conical buoy and the black conical buoy near eastern end of southern training wall have been withdrawn.

(4) Lake Macquarie.

Position (*approximate*).—In channel known as Swansea Channel.
Lat. 33° 04′ 04″ S, long. 151° 39′ 30″ E., on Chart No. 1021.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. (*posn. approx.*).

Description.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash, $\frac{3}{10}$ sec. — eclipse, $2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

Remarks.—Further particulars are not given.

Variation.—10° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1379, Plans of Port Macquarie and Clarence River entrance.
„ 1026, Solitary Islands and adjacent coast.
„ 1027, Coffs Islands to Evans Head.
„ 3622, Port Jackson to Cape Byron.
„ 1021, Port Jackson to Port Stephens.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI., 1918, Nos. 2551, 2581.
Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, pages 83, 81, 75, 52; Supplement, 1917.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 3469-18.*)

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—Fusan Harbour.

Uno Se (Channel Rock) Light—Alteration in Period.

No. 297 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 845 of 1918), are re-published :—

Former Notice.—No. 575 of 1918. (*This office No. 214 of 1918.*)

Position.—Lat. 35° 06¼′ N., long. 129° 04′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2). *ev. 4 sec., 33 ft., vis. 10m* (U).

Alteration.—The period of the *group flashing white* light has been altered and the light now shows *two* flashes *every four seconds*, thus:—

2 Flashes, 1½ secs. — eclipse, 2½ secs.

Chart affected.—No. 1259, Fusan Harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1783.
E. C. Korea, etc., Pilot, 1913, page 78.
Authority.—Chosen Notice No. 74 of 1918. (*H. 3606-18.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—GEELONG HARBOUR.

Hopetoun Channel and Approaches—Alterations in Aids to Navigation.

No. 298 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 853 of 1918), are republished:—

1. Lights established:

(*a*) *Position.*—On the beacon shown on the charts as being under construction in the position of Wilson spit light buoy.
Lat. 38° 08½′ S., long. 144° 29¾′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *vis. 8 m.*

Characteristics:

Character.—A *flashing white* light.
Visibility.—8 miles.

Remarks.—Wilson spit light-buoy has been withdrawn.

(*b*) *Position.*—On No. 2 beacon on the northern side of the entrance to Hopetoun Channel.

Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl., *vis. 6m.*

Characteristics:

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes.
Visibility.—6 miles.

Remarks.—The temporary light-float with fixed white light about one cable eastward from the above position has been withdrawn.

2. Alteration in character of light:

Position.—On No. 1 beacon on the southern side of Hopetoun Channel.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *Red, vis. 4 m.*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed red to *flashing red.*

3. Buoy established:

Position.—At a distance of $12\frac{6}{10}$ cables, 158° (*S. 30° E. Mag.*), from the extremity of Point Wilson.

Description.—A red conical buoy.

4. Alteration in position of light-buoy:

New position.—At a distance of about one cable south-westward of former position and $12\frac{3}{10}$ cables, 103° (*S. 85° E. Mag.*), from No. 2 beacon referred to in 1 (*b*).

Description.—A light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *flashing red* light.

5. Beacons removed:

Details.—The following beacons in Hopetoun Channel have been removed:—

(*a*) The beacon on the northern side of the channel opposite No. 3 beacon.

(*b*) The beacon on the southern side of the channel opposite No. 4 beacon.

(*c*) The beacon on the southern side of the channel opposite No. 6 beacon.

Note.—The note "(Widening in progress 1916)" shown on the chart against Hopetoun Channel is to be expunged; the navigable width is now 230 feet.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong Harbour.
„ 1171, Port Phillip, with plan.
„ 1695*b*, Bass Strait—western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 2445*a*, 2446, 2447.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 470; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918 (*in press*), pages 121, 123, 124, 125.

Authority.—Geelong Harbour Trust. (*H. 7800-17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—KALAMIANES GROUP.

Busuanga—Shoal westward of.

No. 299 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 861 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of about 9 miles, westward, from the north-western point of Busuanga.
Lat. 12° 18′ 00″ N., long 119° 41′ 30″ E., on Chart No. 2577.

Depth.—5½ fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine Islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro Straits.
„ 967, Palawan Island.
„ 943, Molucca Passage to Manila.
„ 2660*b*, China Sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 2661*b*, China Sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 51.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 209.

Authority.—Manila Notice No. 3 of 1918. (*H. 3627-18.*)

MISCELLANEOUS.

Buoyage of Sunken Mines.

No. 300 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 863 of 1918), are republished:—

Mariners are notified that the positions of sunken mines are sometimes marked by a buoy with a black square mark on the staff. Such buoys are to be avoided and not interfered with.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 3967-18.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay—Storm-signals.

No. 301 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 864 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Tsingtau storm-signal station, lat. 36° 04¼′ N., long. 120° 19′ E.

Details.—The storm-signals now in use at the above station are as follows :—

By Day.	By Night.	Signification.
A red ball ...	A red light	Gale expected.
A red cylinder ...	Two red lights, vertical...	Storm expected.
A red cone ...	Three red lights, vertical	Cyclonic storm expected.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 422.

Authority.—Japanese Hydrographer. (*H. 3953-18.*)

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 302 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 866 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 781 of 1918; hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished : Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir); Penang approaches.

   Abu Ail Islands light in the Red Sea and all lights in the Persian Gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without notice.

2. Certain Ports closed by night :

   Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6.0 A.M., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

   Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise. Vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This notice is a revision of the former notice quoted above.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part V, 1918, No. 2201.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4002-18.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—SUWO NADA.

Kasado Jima—Wreck southward of.

No. 303 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 867 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of $3\frac{3}{10}$ miles, 195° (*S. 19° W. Mag.*), from the summit (820 feet) of Kasado jima.
Lat. 33° 53′ N., long. 131° 48½′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a sailing vessel with one mast showing above water.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3153, Maruyama zaki to Ominase.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 47 of 1918. (*H. 3634-18.*)

FORMOSA, WEST COAST.

Port Ta Kau—Alteration in Characteristics of Light.

No. 304 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 873 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Near the northern end of Kigo to.
Lat. 22° 36½′ N., long. 120° 16′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Alt., *W. R., ev. 10 sec. 191 ft., vis. 20 m.*

Details.—The fixed white light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—An *alternating white and red* light *every ten seconds.*

Elevation.—191 feet.

Visibility.—20 miles; from 320° (*N. 39° W. Mag.*), through north, to 158° (*S. 21° E. Mag.*).

Power.—*White* light, 94,000 candles; *red* light, 37,000 candles.

Structure.—A white octagonal brick structure, 36 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 2376, Port Ta Kau.
„ 2409, West Coast of Formosa, etc.
„ 1968, Formosa Island and Strait.
„ 2661*b*, China Sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liau tung.
„ 1263, China Sea.
„ 781, Pacific Ocean, north-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1824.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 210.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 57 of 1918. (*H. 3639-18.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—BUNGO CHANNEL.

Sada Misaki—Light established.

No. 305 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 871 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 33° 20′ 35″ N., long. 132° 00′ 53″ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (3), *ev. 20 sec., 150 ft., vis. 18 m.*

Characteristics :

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *three* flashes *every twenty seconds*, thus :—

$$\frac{\text{3 flashes,}}{\text{8 secs.}} \qquad \frac{\text{eclipse,}}{\text{12 secs.}}$$

Elevation.—150 feet.

Visibility.—18 miles.

Power.—70,000 candles.

Structure.—White octagonal concrete structure, 50 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Charts affected.— No. 651, Bungo Channel.
„ 2875, Naikai (seto uchi) or Inland Sea.
„ 1648, Osumi kaikyo to Oshima.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.,

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1935*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 114.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 67 of 1918. (*H. 3648-18.*)

JAPAN, HONSHŪ, Gulf of Tokyo.

Kannon Zaki—Existence of a Wreck.

No. 306 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 876 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of one mile, 355° (*North Mag.*), from Kannon zaki lighthouse.
Lat. 35° 16½′ N., long. 139° 44½′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a sailing vessel.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai saki to Tsurugi saki.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 46 of 1918. (*H. 3633-18.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Mindoro Strait, Apo West Pass.

Hunter Rock—Amended Position.

No. 307 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 878 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles south-westward of charted position.
Lat. 12° 39′ 54″ N., long. 120° 10′ 00″ E., on Chart No. 2577.

Description.—A 1¼-fathom rock.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine Islands, between San Bernardino and Mindoro Straits.
„ 967, Palawan Island.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 47.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 211.

Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1100 of 1918. (*H. 2923-18.*)

JAPAN, HONSHŪ—GULF OF TOKYO APPROACH.

Joga Sima Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 308 (third publication)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above issued by the British Admiralty (No. 883 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On Nagatsuru-saki.
Lat. 35° 08½′ N., long. 139° 36½′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 20 sec., about 86 ft., vis. 15m.*

Details.—The fixed green light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character—A *flashing white* light *every twenty seconds.*

Elevation.—About 86 feet.

Visibility.—15 miles.

Power.—5,000 candles.

Charts affected.—No. 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai saki to Tsurugi saki.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific Ocean, etc.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 2050.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 190.

Authority.—Department of Communications, Tokyo, Notice No. 456 of 1918. (*H. 3625-18.*)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Port of Fremantle—Information with regard to Vessels entering.

No. 309 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 895 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 995 of 1917. (*This office No. 315 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

Position.—Fremantle, lat. 32° 03½′ S., long. 115° 45′ E.

Details.—The notification cautioning vessels entering or leaving the Port of Fremantle not to load to a greater draught than 27 feet is no longer in force; mariners are notified accordingly.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 371; Revised Supplement, 1918.

Authority.—The Prime Minister, Western Australia. (*H. 3407-18.*)

KOREA, EAST COAST—CHUMONJIN ROAD.

Chumonjin Kutchii—Light established.

No. 310 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 896 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On Chumon san.
Lat. 37° 54′ 02″ N., long. 128° 49′ 53″ E., on Chart No. 882.

Abridged description.—Lt. Alt. Gp. Fl. (3), *W. W. R., ev. 15 sec., 132 ft., vis. 17 m.*

Details :

Character.—An *alternating group flashing white* and *red* light showing *three* flashes *every fifteen seconds*, thus :—

White flash, $\frac{\text{eclipse,}}{2\frac{1}{2}\text{ secs.}}$; *white* flash, $\frac{\text{eclipse,}}{6\frac{1}{4}\text{ secs.}}$; *red* flash, $\frac{\text{eclipse,}}{6\frac{1}{4}\text{ secs.}}$

Elevation.—132 feet.

Visibility.—17 miles.

Structure.—White cylindrical tower, 30 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Charts affected.—No. 882, Chukupen Bay to Suon Kutchi, with plan,
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.
„ 2459, North-west Pacific Ocean, etc.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1794.
E. C. Korea, etc., Pilot, 1913, page 98.

Authority.—Chosen Notice No. 61 of 1918. (*H. 3595-18.*)

SOUTH AFRICA.

Agulhas Bank—Bank reported.

No. 311 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 898 of 1918), are republished :—

Details—The following soundings were obtained in the positions shown near the edge of the Agulhas Bank :—

Position.		Depth.	
Lat. 35° 00′ 30″ S.,	long. 23° 12′ 30″ E.	23 fathoms	(black sand).
„ 35° 00′ 00″ „	„ 23° 15′ 00″ „	31 „	(black sand).
„ 34° 59′ 30″ „	„ 23° 16′ 30″ „	37 „	(mud and sand).
„ 34° 59′ 00″ „	„ 23° 18′ 30″ „	33 „	(rock).

Note.—The name "Grue Bank" is to be inserted on the charts against this bank with the note "(*reported 1917*)".

Charts affected.—No. 2084, Mossel Bay to Cape St. Francis.
„ 2095. Hondeklip Bay to Port Natal.
„ 748*a*, Indian Ocean, southern portion.
„ 2202*a*, South Atlantic Ocean, eastern portion.
„ 2203, South Atlantic Ocean.
„ 2483, Atlantic and Indian Oceans, etc.
„ 2936, Oceanic soundings, Atlantic Ocean.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 87.

Authority.—Captain F. Grue, Master of the Danish Motor Vessel *Chile*. (*H. 7527-17.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Kamaran Passage, Southern Entrance—Buoy disappeared.

No. 312 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 912 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 341 of 1918. (*This Office No. 145 of 1918.*)

Position.—On southern edge of the mid-channel shoal, at a distance of about 7 cables south-eastward from Ras el Yemmen telegraph hut.

Lat. 15° 16′ N., long. 42° 35′ E

Description.—A black can buoy.

Remarks.—The buoy has disappeared and is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 543, Kamaran Passage and southern approach.
„ 143, Jebel Teir to Perim Island.

Publication.—Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1909, page 361.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4095-18.*)

JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Cheribon Road—Light-Buoy to be established.

No. 313 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No 914 of 1918), are republished :—

Date of establishment.—Not stated.

Position.—At a distance of 1½ cables, 16° (*V. 15° E. Mag.*), from the group flashing light on inner end of East Mole.
Lat. 6° 42½′ S., long. 108° 34½′ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted black, exhibiting an *occulting white* light.

Remarks.—This light-buoy is to mark the outer end of the East Mole, which is being extended for a distance of $2\frac{7}{10}$ cables, and the note "*Works in progress (1918)*" is to be inserted on the charts between the position of the light-buoy and the existing outer end of the mole.

Note.—No further notice will be given with regard to the establishment of the light-buoy.

Variation.—1° E.

Chart affected.—No. 932, Plan of Cheribon Road.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 111.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 893 of 1918. (*H. 3984-18.*)

CHINA, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Chifu (Yentai) Inner Harbour—Southern Entrance re-opened; Alterations in Aids to Navigation.

No. 314 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 915 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Tower Hill, lat. 37° 33′ N., long., 121° 23½′ E.

1. Southern entrance re-opened :

Details.—The southern entrance to the inner harbour is now open to traffic and the note on the chart "Entrance temporarily closed (1916)" is to be expunged.

Caution.—Vessels using this entrance must give the southern end of the breakwater a berth of at least 50 yards. When a red flag is exhibited on the southern end of the breakwater, vessels passing must proceed at a dead slow speed.

Note.—This entrance is primarily intended for the use of inward bound vessels, but outward bound vessels may use it if it is seen that no inward bound vessel is approaching.

2. Alteration in character of light:

Details.—The character of the light on the southern end of the breakwater under construction has been altered from fixed white to *flashing white every three seconds*, thus:—

$$\frac{\text{light,}}{1\frac{1}{10}\text{ sec.}} \quad \frac{\text{eclipse,}}{2\frac{7}{10}\text{ secs.}}$$

3. Alteration in position of light-buoy:

Details.—The light-buoy painted black with *flashing white* light, off the northern end of the breakwater, has been moved about 1¼ cables north-westward and is now situated at a distance of 6¼ cables, 356° (*N. 1° E. Mag.*), from Tower Hill lighthouse.

Variation—5° W.

Chart affected—No 1260, Ching tsu shan to Chilu Bluff, with plan.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI., 1918, No. 1643 (Remarks). China Sea Pilot, Vol. V., 1912, pages 465, 466; Revised Supplement II., 1918.

Authority.—Shanghai, Notice No. 655 of 19th April 1918. (*H. 3961-18.*)

JAPAN, HOKUSHU, WEST COAST.

Otaru Ko—Light established; Alteration in Position and Description of Light-Buoy.

No. 315 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 920 of 1918), are republished:—

1. Light established:

Position.—On end of southern breakwater, at a distance of 9 cables, 72° (*N. 79° E. Mag.*), from Suitengu yama summit (192 feet).

Lat. 43° 12′ N., long. 141° 01¼′ E.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. F., *Gn., 25 ft., vis. 3 m.*

Characteristics:

Character.—A *fixed green* light.

Elevation.—25 feet.

Visibility.—3 miles.

Structure.—White square iron structure with ball topmark.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

2. Alteration in position and description of light-buoy :

New position.—At the extremity of the projected extension of the northern breakwater, at a distance of $9\frac{1}{10}$ cables, 64° (*N. 71° E. Mag.*), from Suitengu yama summit, and about one cable southward of former position.

New description.—A light-buoy exhibiting a *fixed white* light.

Remarks.—A pecked line is to be shown on the charts between the foregoing light-buoy and the northern breakwater lighthouse. The extension of the southern breakwater shown on the charts to the northward of the light mentioned in (1) above is to be expunged.

Variation.—7° W.

Charts affected.—No. 993, Plan of Otaru ko.
„ 2981, Furubira wan to Aikappu misaki.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 2130*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, pages 696, 697.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 76 of 1918. (*H. 3940-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

Newcastle Harbour—Extension of Bank; Alterations in Aids to Navigation.

No. 316 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 921 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Newcastle lat. 32° 56′ S., long. 151° 47′ E.

Details.—The accompanying reproductions of portions of Chart No. 2119 show the following :—

(*a*) Extension of bank on northern side of harbour.

(*b*) New leading beacons on northern side of harbour entrance near Wave trap breakwaters, and amended positions of gas pipes.

(*c*) Amended positions and details of the fairway leading lights and towers, of which there are now only two; these lights and towers are now in line when bearing 237° (*S. 47° W. Mag.*)

(*d*) New leading light on Guide wall in place of beacon.

Remarks.—The white leading light near the tramway between Gray and Dangar streets, in the vicinity of the proposed inner basin, has been discontinued; also the red and white leading lights near Fort Scratchley, formerly known as Signal Hill. A black conical buoy has been established at a distance of 870 feet, 23° (*N 13° E. Mag.*), from Nobby's lighthouse.

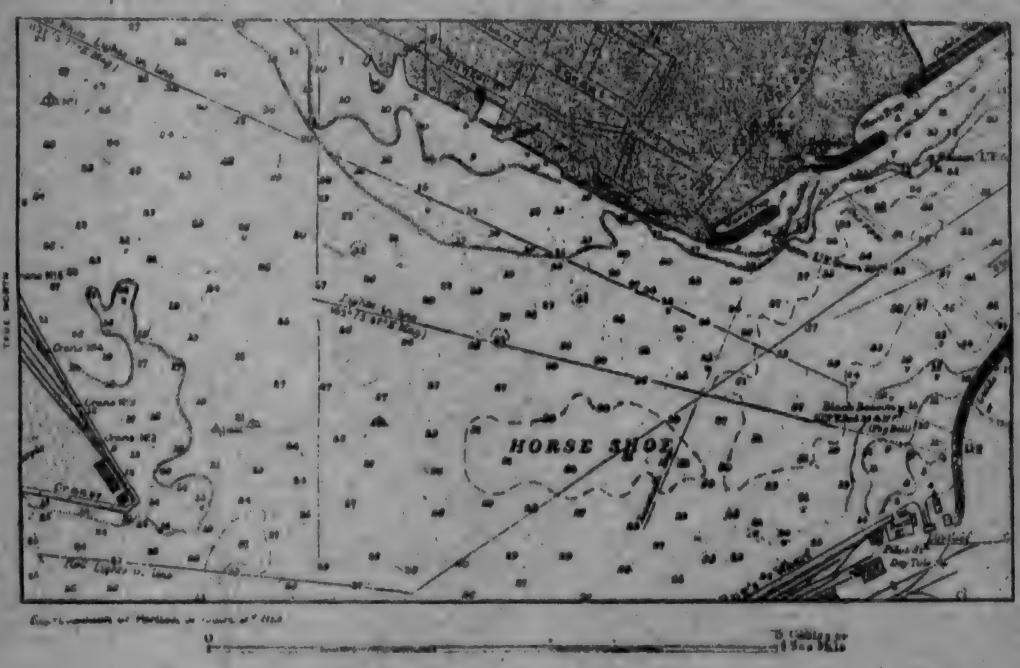
Note.—Further details concerning the above lights will be found in Section VIII of the Weekly edition of Admiralty Notices to Mariners (*week ending 2nd August 1918*).

Variation.—10° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2119, Newcastle Harbour.

Publications.—Australia Pilot, Vol III, 1916, pages 53, 54, 55, 56, 57.
List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 2558 to 2565.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 3469-18*).



PERSIAN GULF—SHATT-AL-ARAB RIVER.

Inner Bar—Existence of Wreck; temporary alteration of Buoys.

No. 317 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 82M. of 1918) are republished:—

(*a*) *Wreck Position.*—At a distance of about 7½ cables 136° (*S 46° E. Mag.*), from Inner Bar gas buoy.

Description.—Sunken Dhow.

(*b*) *Inner Bar Gas buoy.*—As a temporary measure the Inner Bar gas buoy will be moved to a position close to northward of the wreck and should be regarded as a Porthand buoy.

(*c*) *No. 7 Buoy.*—No. 7 black can buoy will be moved temporarily to the former position of the Inner Bar gas buoy and painted Red.

This buoy should be regarded as a Starboardhand buoy.

Variation.—2° E.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Basrah. Dated 6th September 1918.

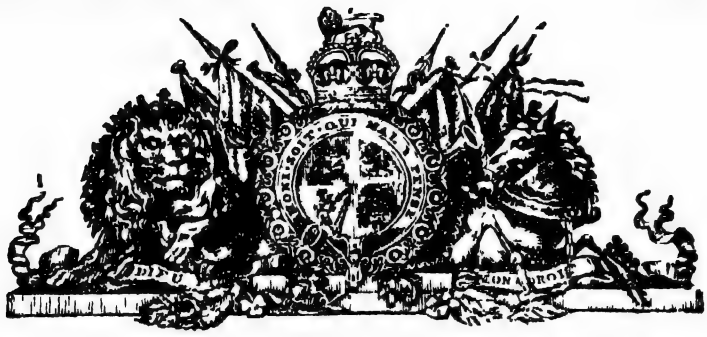
INDIA, EAST COAST.—BAY OF BENGAL.

Govalpur.—Alteration in character of light.

No. 318 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 242, dated the 26th August 1918, issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further Notice (No. 44 of 1918) that the alteration therein notified to take place on the 15th October 1918 is postponed to the 15th December 1918.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

REGISTERED No. C 207. **No. 43 of 1918.**



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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE ON THE LAND REVENUE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1918.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Land Revenue Branch.

DARJEELING, THE 16TH OCTOBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 1715T.R.

READ—

The Report of the Board of Revenue on the Land Revenue Administration of the Presidency of Bengal for the year ending the 31st March 1918.

THE Hon'ble Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., was in charge of the office of the Member of the Board of Revenue throughout the year.

2. **General conditions of the year.**—The outturn of crops was satisfactory ; but owing to the dislocation of trade due to the war prices of the staple crops, rice and jute, were low. The material condition of the cultivating classes and of the land-holders was not therefore satisfactory, while the high prices of imported articles, such as salt, sugar, kerosine oil, corrugated iron, and particularly of cloth, affected all classes of people, cultivators, labourers and persons with small fixed incomes suffering very severely. The coal mines in Asansol and the various mills and factories in Hooghly and Howrah had a very prosperous year and gave employment to a large number of labourers. The weaving of cotton cloth, the silk industry and the sugar making industry prospered on account of the dearness of imported articles ; but the brass and bell-metal industries and other industries which depend on foreign countries for raw materials were seriously hampered. A good impetus was given to the ship-building industry in Chittagong where several brigs and schooners were built during the year, the registered tonnage varying from 89 to 450 tons. Some damage was done to crops by the floods of the Ajay, Damodar and Silai in parts of Burdwan, Hooghly, Howrah and Midnapore districts, and by the floods of the Kuya and Maurakshi in Murshidabad district A sum of Rs. 1,00,628 was advanced during the year under the Agriculturists' Loans Act and of Rs. 19,700 under the Land Improvement Loans Act.

3. **Land Revenue demand and collections.**—The current demand of the year amounted to Rs. 2,78,56,900, showing an increase of Rs. 69,898 over the previous year, due to new settlements, resettlements and progressive increase of demands in temporarily-settled and Government estates. The collections amounted to Rs. 2,72,97,443, being 91·96 per cent. of the total and 97·99 per cent. of the current demand against 93·77 and 99·85 per cent. of the previous year. The remission of revenue during the year amounted to Rs. 66,429.

4. **Road and Public Works Cesses.**—The current demand on account of Road and Public Works Cesses showed an increase of Rs. 1,12,422 over the previous year, due to valuation and revaluation proceedings. There was a falling off in the percentage of total collections on the current demand from 100·8 in 1916-17 to 97·7. Only 7 districts attained the standard of 100 per cent. collection against 13 districts in the previous year. Out of the 25 districts to which the Cess Act applies, valuations and revaluations, partial or complete, were made in 14 districts and were completed in 9. Revaluations conducted by the Settlement Department were in progress in Rajshahi and Noakhali, and revaluations in accordance with the ordinary procedure were in progress in the 24-Parganas, Midnapore and Bakarganj. The current demand of land-revenue for the cess-paying districts was Rs. 2,78,41,561, and the valuation or gross rental on which cesses are based amounted to Rs. 12,59,55,694. The land revenue is thus 22·1 per cent. of the rental.

5. **Revenue and Cess money orders.**—As compared with the previous year there was a slight increase in the number of money-orders for the remittance of land-revenue and cesses and in the amount covered by them, viz., 226,206 and Rs. 20,07,860, respectively, against 225,411 and Rs. 19,53,563 in 1916-17. The number of money-orders issued shows a considerable decrease from 297,491 in 1914-15, due to the introduction of the combined form for the payment of both revenue and cesses ; but the amount covered by the orders has been the largest this year since 1914-15.

6. **Coercive measures.**—The number of estates which defaulted and became liable to sale was 13,273 or over 2,200 more than in the previous year. Only 1,019 estates or 7·6 per cent. were actually sold against 981 estates in 1917-18. The largest numbers of defaults were in the districts of Chittagong, Midnapore and Dacca ; and the sales were proportionately most numerous in Dacca, Hooghly and Chittagong. The number of certificates filed, including those for cess, was 100,943 against 105,814 in the preceding year, and the number pending at the close of the year was 28,986 against 32,248 of 1916-17. In the majority of cases payments were made on the issue of notices or on attachment of property. Actual sale became necessary only in 5,915 cases or 5·6 per cent. of 105,109 cases disposed of during the year.

7. **Government Estates.**—The total number of estates under direct management, including those of private individuals managed by Government, was 2,359, with an annual demand of Rs. 43,55,696. Rs. 1,34,295 were spent on miscellaneous and sanitary improvements; and of this amount Rs. 66,575 were spent on drainage, embankment and irrigation alone. The expenditure on roads and communications was Rs. 3,07,620 of which Rs. 74,779 were given by Government, and the balance was provided by District Board and other funds. There were 2,361 schools attended by 76,648 pupils in Government estates. The expenditure on education amounted to Rs. 81,219, and of this Government contributed Rs. 50,993 and the remainder was met by local grants.

8. **Waste Lands.**—The rules for the grant of waste lands leases to large capitalists in the 24-Parganas and Khulna portions of the Sundarbans continued in abeyance. Raiyatwari settlements on the lines of the Bakarganj Colonization Scheme are being made in certain Sundarbans lots in the 24-Parganas. The Colonization Scheme in the Bakarganj Sundarbans continues to thrive; in this area 476 colonists were settled on 23,141 bighas against 638 colonists on 24,805 bighas in 1916-17.

Arrangements were made for improving the educational facilities in the colonization areas and an initial expenditure of Rs. 2,500 for the construction of schools and teachers' quarters and a recurring grant of Rs. 2,004 on account of teachers' pay were sanctioned. No fees will be charged for the present; and vacations will be arranged to suit the local conditions and the requirements of parents during the sowing or harvesting seasons.

9. **Drainage, Embankment, and Irrigation.**—No new drainage or irrigation scheme of importance was undertaken during the year. The Public Works Department prepared a very extensive scheme for improving the drainage of the Contai Subdivision and steps are being taken for initiating two projects connected with this scheme, which are expected to drain 152 square miles. The Damodar reservoir survey is still under the consideration of Government. The repairs of embankments along the left bank of the Ajay which were badly damaged by the floods of 1916 and the question of repairing and maintaining the zamindari embankments in Birbhum are also under consideration. To improve the Gumti embankments in Tippera, which were breached by floods in 1915, it has been decided to take charge of that portion which falls within the estate of His Highness the Raja of Hill Tippera; and action is being taken under section 7(*1*) of the Bengal Embankment Act.

10. **Partitions.**—Forty-seven cases were instituted during the year and 278 cases were pending at the end of the previous year. Of these 40 cases were disposed of during the year and 285 cases were left pending.

11. **Working of the Bengal Tenancy Act.**—The relations between landlords and tenants were unsatisfactory in places. Ill-feeling, caused by enhancement of rent, illegal exactions and money-lending, was noticeable in several districts. Failure to give rent-receipts and levy of *abwabs* and illegal cesses in addition to rent continued to prevail throughout the Presidency. The extension of the record-of-rights in the Presidency has had a beneficial effect in restricting the levy of *abwabs* as it educates the cultivators to a recognition of their rights. As compared with the previous year there was a falling off in the number of rent money-orders and also in the amount covered by them. The percentage of money-orders refused by landlords to money-orders sent fell from 19·1 to 16·7. The law relating to the transferability of occupancy-holdings has been amended by Act II of 1918 to provide restrictions on alienation of land by aboriginals. The Bill relating to the transferability of occupancy-holdings generally is still under consideration.

12. The thanks of the Governor in Council are due to the Board for its efficient administration of the Land Revenue Department.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Second Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of Bengal, 1918-19.

Note.—On an average of the five years ending 1916-17 the area under Sugarcane in Bengal has represented some 0·2 per cent. of the total area under Sugarcane in British India.

Character of the season.—The season which was favourable at the time of planting and during the early days of the crop finally turned out too wet. Growth has been generally retarded and a good deal of damage done by floods. Prospects have accordingly been seriously affected.

Area.—The area planted with the crop is returned at 219.300 acres as against 207.900 acres reported in the Second Forecast of last year.

Outturn.—According to the estimates of the District Officers, the provincial outturn works out to 81 per cent. of the normal as against 88 per cent. reported in the corresponding forecast of last year.

S. MILLIGAN,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CAMP, DARJEELING,
The 9th October 1918.

APPENDIX I.

Second Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of Bengal, 1918-19.

District.	Estimated normal area under sugarcane.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER SUGARCANE.		TAKING 100 TO REPRESENT THE NORMAL, WHAT WOULD BE THE AVERAGE OUTTURN PER ACRE CROPPED.		Date by which the planting of the setts generally commenced this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas ...	5,100	4,000	4,100	100	100	November to December. Normal.	The weather has been favourable and the growth of the crop good.
Nadia	7,900	5,500	5,800	75	75	January and February. Normal.	The increase in area is due to high price of sugar. Weather conditions were at first favourable, but subsequently heavy rain interfered with the growth of the plants. Some damage has been done to the crop by insects in the Ranaghat subdivision.
Murshidabad ...	3,650	3,200	3,100	88	75	November to April ...	The decrease in area was due to want of rain at the time of planting. The weather has not been favourable. Want of rain at the time of planting and immediately after has affected the growth of the crop.
Jessore	3,900	2,800	3,000	88	75	February and March. Normal.	The weather was not favourable at the time of planting. The growth of crop was retarded owing to heavy and incessant rains.
Khulna	1,500	1,400	1,100	77	62	February. Normal ...	The decrease in area was due to drought at the time of planting. The weather has not been favourable.
Burdwan	35,800	18,000	19,000	100	83	Middle of April to middle of May. Normal.	The increase in area was due to favourable weather at the planting season. Heavy rainfall in August has done some damage and may also affect the growth of the crop.
Birbhum	9,000	11,000	11,000	83	83	May Normal ...	The weather has not been favourable.
Bankura	15,000	11,500	11,500	83	100	Ditto	The weather conditions and the growth of the crop have been fair.
Midnapore	3,000	3,000	3,000	90	90	March and April. Normal.	The weather was favourable at the beginning. Some plants withered for want of rain at the proper time. But with the setting in of rains they began to grow well. The outturn is estimated to be a little below the normal.
Hooghly ...	7,200	5,200	5,000	93	84	March. Normal ...	The slight decrease in area was due to untimely heavy rainfall. The weather has not been favourable.
Howrah ...	8,500	5,100	5,300	63	77	From the beginning of January 1918.	The increase in area was due to high price of *gur*. The weather has been favourable in Sadar, but it was not so at Umbaria. The growth of the crop has been hampered by excessive rainfall in the months of May and June and scorching heat of the sun and scarcity of rain in the latter part of July and first part of August.
Rajshahi	18,000	13,100	13,200	80	70	End of January. Normal.	The slight increase in area was due to favourable weather at the time of planting. The weather has been favourable, but the heavy rainfall in August affected the crop to some extent.
Dinajpur	35,000	29,800	30,500	86	82	January to March. Normal.	The increase in area was due to high price of sugar. The weather has not been favourable. Excessive rainfall in August affected the growth of the crop.
Jalpaiguri	5,300	3,800	4,000	87	80	December to middle of February. Normal except in Mainaguri where it is late.	The slight increase in area was due to favourable weather at the time of planting. The growth of the crop has been affected by drought after planting and heavy rainfall in May.
Darjeeling ...	100	100[a]	100[a]	62	31	Middle of March. Normal.	Owing to unfavourable weather the growth of the crop has been poor.
Rangpur	20,500	11,000	11,000	100	100	By the end of February. Normal.	The weather was good at the time of planting, but the flood in August retarded the growth of the plants.
Bogra	20,000	3,100	3,700	73	67	March and April. Normal.	The increase in area was due to high price of *gur*. The weather was favourable at the time of planting. Heavy rainfall in June, July and August did some damage to the crop and retarded its growth.
Pabna	10,000	10,000	9,700	70	66	Middle of April. Normal.	The weather has been unfavourable since the time of planting. A flood in August did some damage to the crop. Hence the outturn is estimated to be much below the normal.
Malda	300	300[a]	300[a]	90	100	By the end of April. Normal.	The weather has been favourable and the growth of the crop good.

[a] Conventional area.

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		Last year.	This year	Last year	This year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Acres	Acres.	Acres				
Dacca ..	21,100	23,100	23,900	98	73	From January to March Normal	The increase in area was due to high price of sugar The weather was favourable at the time of planting and continued so up to June But sudden flood in July did some damage to the crop
Mymensingh ...	11 100	10,300	10,300	100	80	Normal in all Subdivisions except at Jamalpur where it commenced from the middle of May	The weather has been favourable. Owing to excessive rainfall the growth of the plants has been stunted to a considerable extent.
Faridpur .. .	7 100	7,300	7 400	95	87	February. Normal ..	The slight increase in area was due to favourable weather at the time of planting But the growth of the crop has been affected by heavy rainfall
Bakarganj	11,000	16,400	20,000	90	80	January and February. Normal	The increase in area has been due to high price of *gur* and sugar and favourable weather at the time of planting The weather has been unfavourable
Chittagong ...	6,400	5,000	5 380	97	96	Middle of March. Normal.	
Tippera	8,000	4 100	6,100	90	65	March Normal ..	The increase is due to high price of molasses The weather was dry at the time of planting Excessive rainfall in May, June July and August retarded the growth of the crop
Noakhali ..	800	800*	800*	80	90	March Normal ...	The weather has been favourable and the growth of the crop good
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	1,000	1 000	1 000	70	63	Chakma Circle —1st part of April Early Mung Circle.—Last part of April Normal	The growth of the crop has been fair.
Total Bengal ..	256,200	207,400	219,300	89	87		

* Conventional area.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 17th October 1918.

Summary.—During the week light scattered showers fell in places of the western and northern districts; elsewhere the rainfall was generally light to moderate. More rain is needed for the growth of winter paddy, especially in the western districts. Steeping and washing of jute are almost finished. Preparation of lands for *rabi* crops is proceeding; sowing has commenced in places. Prospects of standing crops are fair. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 0·37 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
1	24-Parganas	0·10	8	$7\frac{9}{16}$	Harvesting of *aus* paddy and steeping of jute continue. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops.
	Diamond Harbour.	0·03	7	$7\frac{1}{4}$	
	Barrackpore	Nil	7	7	
	Barasat ...	Nil	$9\frac{7}{16}$	$9\frac{7}{16}$	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	$9\frac{5}{16}$	$9\frac{1}{16}$	
2	Nadia ...	0·11	$8\frac{3}{4}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$	Prospects of standing crops are good. Rain is wanted for *aman* paddy. Weeding of *aman* paddy is going on. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Steeping and washing of jute continue.
	Kushtia ...	0·12	$7\frac{1}{2}$	8	
	Meherpur ...	1·23	9	9	
	Chuadanga ...	0·21	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	0·06	$7\frac{7}{8}$	$7\frac{7}{8}$	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	$8\frac{1}{2}$	$8\frac{3}{4}$	Prospects of standing crops are not favourable for want of rain.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	8	8	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	$8\frac{1}{2}$	(*a*)	
	Kandi ...	Nil	10	$10\frac{1}{2}$	
4	Jessore ...	0·12	10	10	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on in places. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	0·45	12	12	
	Magura ...	0·11	11	11	
	Narail ...	0·24	10	10	
	Bangaon ...	0·03	10	10	
5	Khulna ...	0·30	9	9	Condition and prospects of *aman* paddy are good.
	Satkhira ...	0·30	9	9	
	Bagerhat ...	1·31	9	9	

(*a*) Not reported

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy continues. *Aman* paddy is being watered.
	Asansol ...	0·31	7¾	7¾	
	Katwa ...	0·33	9½	9½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7½	8	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7	8	Weather hot. Paddy is withering for want of rain.
	Rampurhat	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	0·10	7½	8	Want of rain is damaging winter paddy.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7½	8	
9	MIDNAPORE	0·20	8 1/16	9 1/16	Standing crops are suffering for want of rain. Harvesting and steeping of jute are in progress. Lands are being prepared for the sowing of mustard and rape.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	8	8⅛	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	8	8	
	Contai ...	Nil	10	11	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	9	9	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are favourable.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7	7	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·21	7½	7½	Steeping and washing of jute continue Prospects of *aman* paddy are hopeful. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	8	8	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA)	Nil	10	10	Weather hot. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Importation of fodder continues.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Nator ...	0·30	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	2·25	8⅛	7	Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	0·20	10	10	
	Balurghat ...	0·05	9 1/16	9	
14	JALPAIGURI	1·18	7½	9	Condition of standing crops is fair.
	Alipur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	DARJEELING	0·03	(*n*)	6	Prospects of winter rice are favourable. Outturn of *marua* is fair.
	Kurseong ...	(*n*)	6	(*n*)	
	Siliguri ...	1·00	8½	9	
	Kalimpong...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
16	RANGPUR ...	0·09	8	7	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of winter rice and washing of jute have been finished. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	(*n*)	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	9	9	Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Rain is wanted for transplanted paddy.
18	PABNA ...	0·18	9	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Washing of jute is continuing. *Rabi* crops are being sown.
	Sirajganj ...	0·16	8	6¼	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8¼	8½	Rain is badly wanted for standing winter rice crop.
20	COOCH BEHAR	0·42	8⅜	8⅜	Cutting of jute is finished and steeping and washing are continuing. Sowing of tobacco seedlings in nursery is going on and transplantation has commenced at places. Prospects and condition of standing crops are favourable but want of rain is causing anxiety to *haimanti* paddy.
21	DACCA ...	0·44	8	8	Light showers of rain during the week have been beneficial both to the broadcast and transplanted paddy. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Water is rapidly subsiding.
	Manikganj ...	0·95	8½	8½	
	Narayanganj	0·37	7	7 17/24	
	Munshiganj*	0·27	8½	8½	
22	MYMENSINGH	1·21	6⅜	6⅜	Harvesting of jute is finished. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	0·07	7	6½	
	Tangail ...	0·59	8¼	7 9/16	
	Netrokona ...	3·29	8	8	
	Kishoreganj	3·80	7½	7	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
23	FARIDPUR ...	1·19	8	8	Weather is favourable to crops. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Goalundo ...	0·57	8	8½	
	Madaripur ..	0·14	8	8	
	Gopalganj*...	0·08	9	9	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	2·32	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Pirojpur ...	5·08	8	8	
	Patuakhali	4·96	8	8	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	3·44	8	8	
25	CHITTAGONG	6·26	8	8	Weather fair. Prospects of standing crops are fair. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers per rupee.
	Cox's Bazar	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	1·53	8	8	Transplanting of *aman* paddy is over in Brahmanbaria. Ploughing for *rabi* crops in high lands in Sadar and Chandpur subdivisions is going on. Prospects of crops are good.
	Brahmanbaria.	1·63	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	1·28	8	8	
27	NOAKHALI ...	3·90	8	8	Weather seasonable. Storm and floods caused some damage to paddy in Ramgati and Sidhi thanas.
	Feni ...	6·45	11	9¼	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS	1·41	10	8	Reaping of *jhum* paddy is nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are good and those of cotton are hopeful.

* The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here
(*n*) Not reported.

N. GUPTA,

DACCA, *the 21st October 1918.* for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 19th October 1918.

Names of Articles	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rice—												
Balam, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Patnai, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	3	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	8	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Nagra, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	5	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	7	0	6	3	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Dudhkalma ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	.....			.....		
Rangoon Boiled ...	4	8	0	5	0	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
Kajla	4	0	0	4	12	0	0	2	3	.....		
Wheat, Dudhia	7	8	0	7	10	0	.....			.....		
„ Jamali	7	4	0	.....			.....			.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	6	10	0	7	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ dal	7	8	0	7	12	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
Mung , (Hari)	11	0	0	11	8	0	0	4	0	0	6	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	10	0	0	10	8	0	0	4	0	0	4	6
Arhar „	6	8	0	7	12	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Masur „ (split)	4	12	0	5	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	7	4	0	7	12	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Kalai „	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Salt	3	9	0	3	10	6	0	1	9	0	2	0
Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	8	0	.....			0	5	0	0	5	3
Gur, Bheli	6	8	0	7	8	0	0	4	6	.....		
„ Bhursut	8	8	0	8	12	0	.....			.....		
Milk	11	4	0	14	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil	26	0	0	28	0	0	0	10	0	0	11	0
Flour (country)	10	0	0	10	8	0	0	4	6	0	5	0
Atta No. 3	7	0	0	.....								
„ „ 2½	7	4	0	.....			0	4	0	0	5	0
„ „ B	11	4	0	.....								
Suji	11	4	0	11	8	0	0	4	9	0	5	0
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	79	0	0	80	0	0	2	2	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	68	0	0	70	0	0	2	0	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	65	0	0	66	0	0	1	14	0	.....		
Maize	4	12	0	5	1	0	.....			.....		
Potato	6	8	0	7	0	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
Patal	.....			.....			0	4	0	0	5	0
Brinjal	4	8	0	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Onion	3	12	0	4	8	0	0	1	6	0	2	6
Fish, Rahu	25	0	0	.....			0	12	0	.....		
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets :—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raj Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jag Babu's Bazar.

S. C. RAY.

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd October 1918.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 12th October 1918.

Month and date.	Hour	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1918.					
6th Oct.	7 A M	17·5	17·5	21·6	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
7th ,,	7 ,,	17·2	17·2	21·2	The bench-mark for the gauge is on
8th ,,	7 ,,	17·0	17·0	21 0	a pucca pillar between the passenger
9th ,,	7 ,,	16·7	16·7	20 9	ghat and Chandpore ghat.
10th ,,	7 ,,	16·4	16·4	20·9	Its reduced level is 22·41.
11th ,,	7 ,,	16·2	16·2	20·9	
12th ,,	7 ,,	16·0	16·0	20·9	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·0 on 9th August 1917.
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	4·8 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25 66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra only)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do	... ...	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	..	2·12 on 18th March 1908.
Do	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 12th October 1918.

M L. MOITRA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 12th October 1918.

Date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level: Old value.	Height of surface above mean sea-level: According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B M.	Remarks.
1918.						
6th Oct.	8 A M	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	53·72	47·40	62·90	B. M. on College step 63·42.
7th ,,	8 ,,		53·32	47·00	62·40	
8th ,,	8 ,,		53·12	46 80	62·10	
9th ,,	8 ,,		52 92	46·60	61·80	
10th ,,	8 ,,		52·62	46 30	61·50	
11th ,,	8 ,,		52·22	45·90	61·30	
12th ,,	8 ,,		51·92	45·60	60·50	

			Value according to old gauge	Value according to new value of B. M = 63·42.
The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60 18
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	... 40 15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 38 88
Record	...	.. Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62 93
Do	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62·76
Do	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 68·30 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 68 21 on 26th August 1890	... 61 89
Do	... ...	Lowest ,,	... 87·63 on 25th April 1884	... 31 81
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 88 13 on 14th-15th April 1888	... 31 81
Do	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32 70
Do	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32 96

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 12th October 1918.

S. C. BHATTACHARJI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 12th October 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 12th October 1918.			Week ending Saturday, the 13th October 1917.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	1,002	129,350	2,135	218	19,515	277
Jute	198	64,957*	766	223	64 853†	808
Firewood	163	67 400	1,003	57	27,225	422
Other articles	999	204,745	2,203	804	126,545	1,607
Total ...	2,362	466,452	6,107	1,302	238,138	3,114
Empty boats and rafts ...	945	...	1,521	652	...	1,019
Grand Total ...	3,307	466 452	7,628	1,954	238 138	4,133

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 70,683½
† Ditto ditto 71,012½

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd October 1918.

P. C. SHOME,
for *Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5833A

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL—*No. 2463A D.—The 22nd October 1918.*—Mr Girish Chandra Sen, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, **Nadia.** is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. E. Jack, I.C.S., or until further orders

No 2465A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.—Mr. E. Milsom, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 2470A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.—Mr. Probodh Chandra De, I.C.S., is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Pabna and Bogra, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Mahim Chandra Ghosh, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Pabna.
Bogra.

No. 2472A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.—Mr. Rajendra Nath Roy, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Pabna and Bogra.

Pabna.
Bogra.

No. 2481A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Ghulam Quadir, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Tippera district.

Tippera.

No. 2501A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.—The services of Mr. H. L. Stephenson, C.I.E., I.C.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

Calcutta.

No. 2521A.D.—The 24th October 1918.—Babu Charu Chandra Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision

Pabna.

No. 2523A.D.—The 24th October 1918.—Babu Sharat Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Jalpaiguri district.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2536A D.—The 25th October 1918.—Mr. Benegal Narsinga Rau, I.C.S., Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Bakarganj, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Bakarganj.

No. 2538A.D.—The 25th October 1918.—Mr. Sharat Chandra Ghosh, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 2542A.D.—The 25th October 1918.—Mr. A. M. Hutchison, Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department and Assistant Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council, with effect from the 17th October 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 2544A.D.—The 25th October 1918.—Mr. Jyotish Chandra Mukharji, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department and Assistant Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

Calcutta.

No. 2556A.D.—The 28th October 1918.—Mr. R. W. A. Ashe, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is appointed to be Assistant Superintendent, Chittagong Hill Tracts.

Rajshahi.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 2559A.D.—The 28th October 1918.—Maulvi Chaudhuri Afsar Ali, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Malda, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Rajshahi district.

Malda.
Rajshahi.

No. 2561A.D.—The 28th October 1918.—Maulvi Abul Fazl Muhammad Mohsin Ali, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district.

Nadia.
Murshidabad.

POLICE.—*No. 2533A.D.—The 25th October 1918.*—The orders of the 18th October 1918, posting Mr. D. R. Hardwick, Assistant Superintendent of Police, to Serampore, Hooghly, are cancelled.

Hooghly.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2484A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.*—The officers, named below, acted in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges for the periods mentioned opposite their names :—

Mr. Mahim Chandra Ghosh, I.C.S., from the 12th September 1918 to the 3rd October 1918, inclusive.

Mr. J. C. H. Macnair, I.C.S., with Mr. J. H. A. Street, I.C.S., on privilege leave, from the 12th September 1918 to the 28th September 1918, inclusive.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2461A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.*—Mr. R. E. Jack, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 6th November 1918 to the 6th December 1918, inclusive.

Nadia.

No. 2468A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.—Mr. Mahim Chandra Ghosh, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Pabna and Bogra, is allowed leave for thirty-nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th November 1918.

Pabna.
Bogra.

No. 2480A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.—Mr. V. Dawson, I.C.S., has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough on medical certificate for six months.

No. 2517A.D.—The 24th October 1918.—Babu Shyama Charan Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is allowed leave on private affairs, under article 337 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 23rd December 1918, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 11th September 1918.

Khulna.

No. 2546A.D.—The 25th October 1918.—Maulvi Dalilur Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for six months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 16th August 1918.

No. 2553A.D.—The 28th October 1918.—Mr. Jatindra Nath Roy, General Press Censor, Calcutta, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 15th November 1918, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 11th September 1918.

Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 2479A.D.—The 22nd October 1918.*—Mr. D. R. Hardwick, Assistant Superintendent of Police, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough on medical certificate for six months.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1770 T.-R.—The 23rd October 1918.—Under the provisions of section 4 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council declares that it is proposed to constitute as reserved forest the lands situated within the boundaries described below :—

Jalpaiguri.

District—Jalpaiguri, Alipur-Duar subdivision.
Name of forest—Hathipotha extension to Sachaphu Reserve Buxa Forest Division.
Approximate area—185 acres.

BOUNDARIES.

North—Sachaphu Reserved Forest from boundary Pillar No. 103 to a point 3·67 chains east of boundary Pillar No. 111 (Post 1).

East—A demarcated line as follows :—

Post No.	Bearing in degrees.	Distance in chains
1 to 2	197	27·25

South—A demarcated line along the east bank of Turturi River as follows :—

Post No.	Bearing in degrees.	Distance in chains
2 to 6 (stone prism)	263	34·6
6 to 9	259	22·25
9 to 10	211	10·0

ending at the masonry pillar on Hathipotha Tea Estate boundary.

West—The boundary of Jainti Tea Estate from the masonry pillar due north to Sachaphu Reserve boundary Pillar No. 103.

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Deputy Commissioner of Jalpaiguri to be the Forest Settlement Officer, who will under the provisions of Chapter II of the Indian Forest Act, enquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any rights alleged to exist in favour of any person in or over any land comprised within the boundaries specified above.

The Governor in Council is also pleased, under section 16 of the Indian Forest Act, to appoint the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division to hear appeals from the decisions of the Forest Settlement Officer as above appointed.

No. 1825 T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, ·86 of an acre, which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 6007L.A., dated the 19th July 1917, published at pages 1072-73, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, and required for the Public Works Department Sectional Officers' quarters at Sarda, in the village of Goursurpur, pargana Lashkarpur, district Rajshahi.

Rajshahi.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1787 T.-R.—The 24th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for an escape weir for the Anti Malarial Flushing Scheme in the villages of Isafabad and Fagupur, pargana Burdwan, zilla

Burdwan.

Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4·56 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Nani Laik,

East—By the lands of Nani Laik, Alijan Sheik, Sheik Felu, Amrita Mayi Debi, Gobardhan Sheik, Amrita Mayi Debi, Sheik Mansaf, Amrita Mayi Debi, Jahir Sheik, Amrita Mayi Debi, Sheik Dedar Bux, Nadir Bux, Chhota Sheik Alef, Sheik Ibrahim, Sheik Firu, Golap Rabbani, Ebrahim Laik, Abdul Sheik, Sheik Syed, Maula Bux Haji, Sheik Rahaman, Sheik Syed, Maula Bux Haji, Amrita Mayi Debi, Sheik Felu, Amrita Mayi Debi, Babujan Mandal and Chhaku Mallik,

South—By the land acquired for Anti Malarial project at Isafabad,

West—By the lands of Babujan Mandal, Amrita Mayi Debi, Rahaman Sheik, Sheik Munsif, Amrita Mayi Debi, Sheik Syed, Sheik Rahaman, Sabiran Bibi, Sheik Syed, Sheik Feru, Sheik Abdul Jabbar, Sheik Dedar Bux, Sheik Ebrahim, Chhota Sheik Alef, Nadir Bux, Chhota Alef Sheik, Amrita Mayi Debi, Sheik Mansaf, Jaher Sheik, Amrita Mayi Debi, Sheik Mansaf, Sheik Oahad, Amrita Mayi Debi, Gobardhan Sheik, Amrita Mayi Debi, Sheik Felu, Alijan Sheik and Nani Laik,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Isafabad and Fagupur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 1795T.-R.—The 25th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Kalia Union Committee for a public purpose, viz., for a burning-ghât, in the village of Benda-Narsingpur, pargana Naldi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·165 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Banka Behari Das and Syama Charan Das,

East—By the land of Syama Charan Das,

South—By a tow-path on the right bank of the Benda khal,

West—By the land of Banka Behari Das,

is required within the aforesaid village of Benda-Narsingpur,

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Narail.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Tippera.

No. 1817T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for District Argicultural Farm at Comilla, in the village of Champaknagar, pargana Meharkul, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that

for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 20 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the Public Works Department Grand Trunk road,
East—By the Kalir Bazar road,
South—By part of village road and by *nal* lands of Muhammad Hosain, Akram Ali, Askar Ali, Mujafar, Manikjan Bibi, Nasaruddi, Amirjan Bibi, Jiamuddi. Hossainali and Jiamuddi,
West—By village road known as Jama Gazi Sardar's path,

is required within the aforesaid village of Champaknagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Midnapore.

No. 1828T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that the tank called Murhra with its side lands is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Midnapore, for a public purpose, viz., for reserving it for drinking purposes, in the village of Pingla, pargana Sabang, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose the said tank with its side lands measuring, more or less, 2·61 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the land belonging to the High English School at Pingla,
East—By the village road,
South—By the Post Office compound, the police-station compound and the village road to the police-station,
West—By District Board road No. 62,

is required within the aforesaid village of Pingla.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Howrah.

No. 1831T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Howrah for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Chengil, pargana Balia, zilla Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 1·50 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. 1.

North—By the paddy lands of Narain Sheikh and Fakir Chandra Gharami,
East—By the paddy lands of Giris Palit,
South—By the paddy lands of late Bhola Nath Napit, Tamijaddi Dewan, Kalu Dewan and Narain Sheikh,
West—By the paddy lands of Narain Sheikh and late Bhola Nath Napit,

PLOT NO. 2

North, West and South—By the paddy lands of Giris Palit,
East—By the Local Board road,

are required within the aforesaid village of Chengil.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Uluberia.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 1834T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of the 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed diversion of Babu Bani Kanta Mukharji's road, in the village of Patdanga, pargana Ukhra, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·2245 of an acre, bounded on the—

North and East—By the lands of Janakinath Acharjee, Sarada Agradani, Jadu Nath Chakravarty and a common passage,

South and West—By the lands of Sarada Agradani, Rashamoy Agradani and Bani Kanta Mukharji's road and the common passage,

is required within the aforesaid village of Patdanga.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, 24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 1865T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Baruipur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a passage to the Municipal road, in the village of Baruipur, pargana Medanmolla, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·023 of an acre, bounded on the—

North and South—By the lands of Gopal Mandal and Harekrishna Marik.

East—By the land of Saferali Shaik,

West—By the Municipal road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Baruipur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Commissioners of the Baruipur Municipality.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 1868T.R.—The 26th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Burdwan for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an inspection bungalow at Nadanghat in the village of Shahjadpur Khurd, pargana

Satsaika, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·723 of an acre, bounded on the—

North and East—By the land of Haridas Das of Nawpara.

South—By the bank of the Kharia river,

West—By the District Board road from Samudragorh to Nadanghat,

is required within the aforesaid village of Shahjadpur Khurd.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Kalna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 8025L.A.—The 28th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Monikhali drainage scheme in the villages of Jagannathnagar, Kancooli, Santoshbati, Gopalpur, Laskarpur, Bandhal, Goragacha, Shamsundarpur, Baraganipur and Rampur, parganas Balia and Magura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 54·2974 acres, as described below :—

Main drain.—Commencing from chainage marked 21·90 from Jagannathnagar in the plan up to chainage 88·30 Kancooli, again from chainage commencing at 89·88 Santoshbati ending at chainage 216·70 at Bandhal with a width varying from 44 feet to 185 feet passing through the villages of Jagannathnagar, Kancooli, Santoshbati, Rampur, Gopalpur, Laskarpur and Bandhal,

Branch drain No. I.—Commencing from chainage marked 198·76 on the main drain or the chainage marked 0 of the branch drain from Laskarpur in the plan ending at chainage 44·88 of the branch drain in the village Shamsundarpur with a width varying from 20 feet to 40 feet passing through the villages of Laskarpur, Goragacha and Shamsundarpur,

Branch drain No. II.—Commencing from chainage marked 132·72 on the main drain or the chainage marked 0 of the branch drain commencing from Gopalpur in the plan ending at chainage 69 of the branch drain at Baraganipur with an uniform width of 40 feet passing through the villages of Gopalpur, Shamsundarpur and Baraganipur,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Jagannathnagar, Kancooli, Santoshbati, Gopalpur, Laskarpur, Bandhal, Goragacha, Shamsundarpur, Baraganipur and Rampur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Khulna.

No. 1871T.R.—The 28th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Khulna for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Technical School at Khulna, in the village of Kailaghata, pargana Hogla, zilla Khulna, it is

hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·61 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the Technical School compound,
East—By the Rupsa river,
South—By the land of Ashutosh Chakravarty,
West—By Gagan Babu's road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kailaghata.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Board of Khulna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No 1891T.-R.—The 28th October 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of the drainage scheme of the E. B. Railway at Khalasipara, in the village of Koya, pargana Kazirhat, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·400 acres, bounded on the—

Rangpur.

North, West and South—By the railway land,
East—By the land of Har Govinda Sarkar.

is required within the aforesaid village of Koya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Rangpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 1883T.-R.—The 28th October 1918.—In lines 5 and 16 of Declaration No. 2362L.A., dated the 5th March 1918, published at page 372, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the District Board of the 24-Parganas, for the excavation of a tank at Thakurani Chak, in that district, *for* " village of Thakurani-Chak " *read* " village of Ramchandrapur "

24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1839T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdus Sobhan to be a Muhammadan Registrar, within police-station Kachua, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 1840T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdus Sobhan to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, within police-station Kachua, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 1843T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Habibulla to be a Muhammadan Registrar, within police-station Faridganj, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 1844T.R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Habibulla, to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, within police-station Faridganj, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 1847T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Rezwan Ali to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar, within police-station Bancharampur, in the district of Tippera

Tippera.

No. 1848T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act 1880 (Act, XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Rezwan Ali to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, within police-station Bancharampur, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 1851T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Safatullah to be a Muhammadan Registrar, within police-station Hajiganj, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 1852T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Safatullah to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Hajiganj, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 1855T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Bari to be a Muhammadan Registrar, within police-station Chandpur, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 1856T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Bari to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, within police-station Chandpur, in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 1859T.R.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Abdus Sobhan to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar within police-station Nabinagar in the district of Tippera.

No. 1860T.R.—The 25th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Muhammad Abdus Sobhan to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Nabinagar in the district of Tippera.

Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Under section 20 of Calcutta Survey Act, I of 1887.

To

All Owners, Managers, and Agents of lands in the "Town of Howrah", lying within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, from Wards Nos. 1 to 15, Circle Nos. 1 to 11.

WHEREAS a survey has been made, and boundaries demarcated, of all municipal holdings situated in the above area within the Howrah Municipality. You are hereby informed that the maps and records are open to inspection. You are, therefore, requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within sixty days of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps and records can be inspected at any time at the Municipal Office, Howrah, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., on any day excepting holidays and Sundays.

O. E. C. JUDD,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 595 T.—Edn.—The 24th October 1918.—Mr. A. A. Barnes, Head Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, in class II of the Provincial Educational Service, is allowed leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for five months and one day, with effect from the 13th June 1918.

Darjeeling.

No. 601T.-Edn.—The 26th October 1918.—Mr. Adi Nath Sen is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as Professor of Physics at the Dacca College, with effect from the date on which he joins his appointment, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. A. Jenkins, or until further orders.

Dacca.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2943S.R.—The 28th October 1918.—Maulvi Bazlur Rahman, Probationary Superintendent of Excise and Salt in charge of the district of Darjeeling, is transferred to Howrah to hold charge of that district.

Darjeeling. Howrah.

No. 2944S.R.—The 28th October 1918.—Mr. M. A. Peychers, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Howrah, is transferred to Darjeeling.

Howrah.
Darjeeling.

No. 2922S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1916-17, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 5th November 1918, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 466 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the Notification, dated the 18th December 1917, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes*.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 20th November 1918, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 11th November 1918, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 20th November 1918.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH. CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1918.*

No. 9388F., dated the 24th October 1918.

Copy of a letter No. 9389F., dated the 24th October 1918, to the Accountant-General, Bengal.

IN continuation of Government order No. 1446F., dated the 19th February 1918, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the grant of grain compensation allowance of Re. 1 a month to all whole-time servants under this Government on the Civil establishment, drawing Rs. 12 or less per month, who were employed in those districts of the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Hooghly, Mymensingh and Bakarganj, in which cheapest common rice was dearer than 10 seers per rupee during the month of August 1918.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4674Com.—The 24th October 1918.—Mr. J. S. Lloyd is appointed to be Deputy Director of Civil Supplies, Bengal, with effect from the 1st October 1918.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 25th October 1918.

No. 104Marine.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Bassein, it is hereby notified, for general information, that Bassein is declared an infected port and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by Sea in force in the ports of Bengal will be enforced in the ports of Calcutta and Chittagong against vessels arriving from Bassein.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 26th October 1918

No. 105Marine.—Mr. O. J. Field, Officiating Assistant Inspector of Smoke-nuisances, is appointed to be an Assistant Inspector of Smoke-nuisances, *vice* Mr. J. J. J. Roberts, with effect from the 21st June 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 28th October 1918.

No. 106Marine.—The following bye-law, which has been framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, under section 126 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890 (Bengal Act III of 189), in addition to the bye-laws published under Bengal Government Notification No. 39Marine, dated the 22nd May 1893, is published for general information

2. It will be taken into consideration on the expiry of a month after its first publication in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and the Governor in Council will consider any suggestions or observations which may be made by any person within that period.

Bye-law.

No. 16A.—No flush-decked country boat or cargo dinghee shall be allowed to enter the Dock for the loading or unloading of cargo.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 28th October 1918.

No. 107Marine.—Mr. James Sutherland, Assistant Inspector of Smoke Nuisances, is granted, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, leave on medical certificate for two months, in extension of the leave granted to him in Bengal Government Notification No. 92Mne., dated the 25th September 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 29th October 1918.

No. 108Marine.—The following draft amendment which, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), intends to make in the rules for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum, published under Bengal Government Notification No. 143Marine, dated the 30th November 1914, as subsequently amended, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft amendment will be taken into consideration on or after the 30th November 1918, and any suggestion or criticism with regard thereto received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft Amendment.

Add the following proviso to clause 6 of rule 21A. of Part III of the Petroleum Rules :—

" Provided that, in the case of a cargo boat employed in the loading or discharging of a tanker vessel, this precaution shall not be necessary until the cargo boat has completed its work of loading or discharging."

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 29th October 1918.

No. 103Marine.—The following notification by the Government of India, Marine Department, is republished for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 61, dated Simla, the 11th October 1918

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Marine Department.

Appointments.

The services of Engineer-Lieutenant-Commander W. G. Horley, R.I.M., are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal for employment as 2nd Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor to that Government, substantive *pro tempore, vice* Engineer-Lieutenant-Commander E. S. Borner, R.I.M., with effect from the 9th September 1918.

The 29th October 1918.

No. 110Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Indian Steamships Act, 1884, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Engineer-Lieutenant-Commander W. G. Horley, R.I.M., 2nd Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor to this Government, to be an Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor for the purposes of the Act, in the port of Calcutta, with effect from the 9th September 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 29th October 1918.

No. 111Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Inland Steam-Vessels Act, 1917, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Engineer-Lieutenant-Commander W. G. Horley, R.I.M., 2nd Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor to this Government, to be an Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor for the purposes of the Act at Calcutta, Kushtia and Khulna, with effect from the 9th September 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 29th October 1918.

No. 112Marine.—It is hereby notified, for general information that the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Engineer-Lieutenant-Commander W. G. Horley, R.I.M., 2nd Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor to this Government, to be a Surveyor of Steam and Sailing Vessels, under the Indian Emigration Act, 1908, in the Port of Calcutta, with effect from the 9th September 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5834A.

No. 2514A.D.—The 24th October 1918.—In modification of the orders of the 7th August 1918, Babu Sudhir Kumar Sen Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kushtia, Nadia, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 3rd September 1918 to the 15th November 1918, inclusive.

Nadia.

No. 5826 J.—The 28th October 1918.—Mr Alexander Jitendra Lal Mitra, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Serampore, Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Hooghly.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 412.—The 26th October 1918.—Babu John Ballav Chaudhuri, Probationer of Calcutta, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Dhaniakhali, in the district of Hooghly, with effect from the 24th October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Shib Chandra Banarji, or until further orders.

Calcutta. Hooghly.

No. 413.—The 26th October 1918.—Babu Prabhat Chandra Datta, Sub-Registrar of Kendua, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Phulbari in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 414.—The 28th October 1918.—Babu Phanindra Kumar Mitra, Probationer of Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is allowed leave on medical certificate for one month, under rule (*1*) to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 398, dated the 9th October 1918

Nadia.

No. 415.—The 29th October 1918.—It is hereby notified that the Departmental Examination of Probationers and Sub-Registrars instituted under Government Notification No. 1301Regn., dated the 7th February 1914, will be held on Monday, the 18th November 1918, and Tuesday, the 19th November 1918, at the Dalhousie Institute, Calcutta :—

PROGRAMME OF EXAMINATION.

Monday, the 18th November 1918.

Morning 11 A.M. to 2 P.M. ... Law without books.

Tuesday, the 19th November 1918.

Morning 11 A.M. to 2 P.M. ... Law with books.
Afternoon 3 P.M. to 4 P.M. ... Practical Test.

No. 416.—The 29th October 1918.—Maulvi Abdus Samad Khan, Sub-Registrar of Mangalkot, in the district of Burdwan, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Burdwan.

No. 417.—The 29th October 1918.—Maulvi Chaudhuri Ghulam Kibriya, Sub-Registrar of Manteswar, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Mangalkot, in the same district, with effect from the 21st October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdus Samad Khan, or until further orders.

Burdwan.

No. 418.—The 29th October 1918.—Maulvi Abdur Razzak, Sub-Registrar of Baliakandi, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 385, dated the 2nd October 1918.

Faridpur

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

1. It is notified, for general information, that a Compounder and Dresser class will be started at the Sadar Hospital, Mymensingh, on 1st November 1918. The examination for admission of students to the above class will be held on 1st November 1918 at 8 A.M. The training will extend over a year, and it will be given on the same lines as is followed by the Campbell and the Dacca Medical Schools.

2. All candidates shall have to apply personally to the Civil Surgeon, with certificates of residence, respectibility and character—

(*a*) from a Government Officer not below the rank of Deputy Magistrate;
(*b*) from the Head Master of the School where he was educated last.

3. Candidates must pass a test examination—

(*a*) Reading and writing English;
(*b*) Arithmetic (up to Fraction and Rule of Three).

4. Every student shall pay a tution fee of Re. 1 per month and an examination fee of Rs. 5.

J. N. MITRA, *Civil Surgeon.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 5th October 1918.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

I AUTHORIZE MR. R. W. A. ASHE, Deputy Collector, to draw bills on other Treasuries from the forenoon of the 21st October 1918.

U. P. GUHA,
Deputy Collector in charge, for *Collector*.

RAJSHAHI, *the 22nd October 1918.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

BABU JOGESH CHANDRA SEN GUPTA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bhanga Munsifi. The orders of the 12th September 1918, vesting him with such powers within the local limits of the Bankura Munsifi, are cancelled.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 22nd October 1918.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1918 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Second day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

F. W. CARTER,
Sheriff.

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৮ সাল, তারিখ ২৫শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৮ সালের ২রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপর আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন এয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী তিহিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া যোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

এফ, ডব্লিউ, কার্টার,
শরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 8th October 1918.

No. 90P.—Babu Ram Ranjan Ghosh, B.A., B.E., Teacher, Apprentice Department, Civil Engineering College (class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Lecturer in Civil Engineering in that College and in the Provincial Educational Service, on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Das, deceased.

The 11th October 1918.

No. 91P.—Maulvi Musharraf Hossain, B.A., B.T., District Deputy Inspector of Schools, Nadia, now Officiating District Deputy Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas (class V of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Rajshahi Division, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, with effect from the date he joins the appointment, *vice* Maulvi A. S. M. Azam, on leave.

The 22nd October 1918.

No. 92P.—Mr. Hiran Kumar Banerji is confirmed in his appointment as a Professor of English at the Rajshahi College and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from 30th September 1917.

The scheme for the revision of the pay and prospects of teachers and clerks employed in Government secondary schools for girls in the Presidency, having been sanctioned in Government order No. 430, dated the 15th June 1918, the following arrangements are sanctioned :—

Bethune Collegiate School.

No. 93P.—Miss Surabala Sinha, Head Mistress of the Bethune Collegiate School (class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service), is promoted to class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the 1st April 1918.

Dr. Khastagir's High School for Girls, Chittagong.

No. 94P.—Miss Surama Biswas, B.A., B.T., is appointed substantively on probation for one year to be Head Mistress of Dr. Khastagir's Government High School, Chittagong, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the date on which she joins the appointment.

Vidyamayee High School for Girls, Mymensingh.

No. 95P.—Miss Mrinalini Bose, Head Mistress, Vidyamayee Girls' School, Mymensingh, (class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is promoted to class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the 1st April 1918.

The 25th October 1918.

No. 96P.—Dr. Anukul Chandra Sarkar, Demonstrator in Chemistry, Presidency College (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed temporarily to be Professor of Chemistry, Dacca College, on the pay of his own grade, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Mr. Bawa Kartar Singh, transferred.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION—No. 3306Misc.

Calcutta, the 29th October 1918.

THE price-lists of staple food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), for the period from 1st April to 30th June 1918, having been approved by the Board of Revenue, Bengal, are published for general information.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

F. D. ASCOLI,
Offg. Secretary.

Price-list (retail) of Staple Food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), for three months from April to June 1918.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1918.
					April.	May.	June.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Burdwan.	Subdivision—							
	Sadar ...	Burdwan Nutunganj.	Rice ...	Last day of every month ...	13 0	14 8	13 0	13 8
	Asansol ...	Ranigauj ...	Do. ...	27th of every month ...	12 8	12 12	12 0	12 7
	Katwa ...	Katwa ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	13 2	14 0	13 1	13 6
	Kalna ...	Kalna ...	Do. ...	28th of every month ...	12 0	12 0	10 10	11 9
Birbhum.	Sadar ...	Suri ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	15 0	16 0	15 0	15 5
	Rampur Hât ...	Rampur Hât ...	Do. ...	Last Monday or Friday of every month.	15 0	15 0	15 0	15 0
Bankura	Sadar ...	Bankura ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	12 8	12 8	11 4	12 1
	Vishnupur ...	Vishnupur ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	13 8	13 8	12 8	13 3
Midnapore.	Sadar ...	Colonelgola and School Bazar, town Midnapore.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	13 12	14 12	14 12	14 7
	Ghatal ...	Ghatal Municipal Market.	Do. ...	27th of every month ...	14 8	14 8	12 4	13 12
	Tamluk ...	Tamluk Bazar ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	12 14	11 12	11 12	12 2
	Contai ...	Kantanala Bazar, town Contai.	Do. ...	Last market day, *i.e.*, last Sunday or Thursday, whichever is nearer to the last day of every month.	15 0	15 0	15 0	15 0
Hooghly.	Sadar ...	Hooghly ...	Do ...	Last Thursday of every month.	11 1	11 2	10 0	10 12
	Serampore ...	Serampore ...	Do. ...	First or last Saturday of every month.	10 0	10 0	8 6	9 7
	Arambagh ...	Arambagh ...	Do. ..	Ditto ditto ...	13 5	13 5	13 5	13 5
	Howrah ...	Ramkristopur ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	9 0	8 14	10 8	9 7
	Uluberia ...	Uluberia ...	Do. ...	Last Saturday of every month.	10 8	10 0	10 8	10 5

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

24-Parganas.	Subdivision—				S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
	Sadar ...	Chetla Hât ...	Rice ...	Last Wednesday of every month.	10 10	10 10	10 10	10 10
	Barasat and Barrackpore.	Barasat ...	Do. ...	Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	10 10	10 10	10 10	10 10
	Diamond Harbour.	Magrahat ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	12 13	12 13	11 13	12 8
	Basirhat ...	Baduria ...	Do. ...	Second Tuesday of every month.	14 4	13 9	12 15	13 9

PRESIDENCY DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1918.
					April.	May.	June.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
	Subdivision—							
Nadia	Sadar ...	Goari ...	Rice ...	Last day of every month ...	11 7	12 12	12 1	12 1
	Ranaghat ...	Ranaghat ...	Do. ...	28th of every month ...	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 13
	Meherpur ...	Meherpur Kalbazar.	Do. ...	Last Monday of every month	11 12	10 0	10 0	10 9
	Chuadanga ...	Chuadanga ...	Do. ...	Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	11 6	12 4	12 4	11 15
	Kushtia ..	Bahadurkhali ...	Do. ...	28th of every month ...	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
Murshidabad	Sadar ...	Berhampore Khagra.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	13 11	13 0	11 9	12 12
	Lalbagh ...	Jiaganj ...	Do. ...	First Monday of every month	14 0	13 0	13 0	13 5
	Kandi ...	Kandi ...	Do. ...	The last market day before the 28th of every month	15 4	15 0	14 0	14 12
	Jangipur ...	Raghunathganj	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	14 0	14 0	13 0	13 11
Jessore.	Sadar ...	Jessore ...	Do. ...	Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	13 0	16 0	13 0	14 0
	Narail ...	Rupganj ...	Do. ...	Sunday or Thursday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	14 8	15 3	14 8	14 12
	Magura ...	Magura ...	Do. ...	Thursday or Sunday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Thursday falling on or next before the 26th.	13 8	15 0	15 0	14 8
	Jhenida ...	Jhenida ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	12 12	13 8	15 12	14 0
	Bongaon ...	Bongaon ...	Do. ...	Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	14 8	14 8	13 5	14 2
Khulna.	Sadar ...	Khulna Bazar (*alias* Saheberhat).	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	15 0	16 0	15 0	15 5
	Satkhira ...	Satkhira Bazar (*alias* Pranshire).	Do. ...	28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the 26th.	13 5	13 0	13 6	13 4
	Bagerhat ...	Bagerhat ...	Do. ...	Sunday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Sunday falling on or before the 26th.	14 8	14 8	14 8	14 8

DACCA DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S c.	S. c
	Subdivision—							
Dacca.	Narainganj ...	Narayanganj Bazar.	Rice ...	Last market day before the 13th of every month	11 6	11 6	11 6	11 6
	Sadar ...	Dacca Town Imamganj Bazar.	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	13 1	11 0	11 1	11 11
	Manikganj ...	Daora Bazar ...	Do. ...	Market day falling on or immediately before the 28th of every month.	13 8	12 0	11 0	12 3
	Munshiganj ...	Munshirhat ...	Do. ...	Last Sunday of every month	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0

DACCA DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1918.
					April.	May.	June.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Mymensingh.	Subdivision—							
	Jamalpur ...	Raniganj ...	Rice ...	Last market day of the 3rd week of every month.	11 0	11 0	11 9	11 0
	Tangail ...	Kagmari ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 4	11 10	11 10	11 8
	Netrakona ...	Netrakona ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 4	11 8	11 8	11 7
	Sadar ...	Nasirabad ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 4	11 4	11 0	11 3
	Kishorganj ...	Kisorganj ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	12 8	12 4	11 8	12 1
Faridpur.	Sadar ...	Faridpur ...	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	13 0	15 0	13 0	13 11
	Madaripur ...	Madaripur ...	Do. ...	On the market day preceding the 28th of every month.	13 0	13 8	12 0	12 13
	Goalundo Rajbari.	Rajbari ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	13 11	13 8	13 11	13 19
	Gopalganj ...	Gopalganj ...	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	14 0	16 0	14 0	14 11
Bakarganj.	Patuakhali ...	Patuakhali ...	Do. ...	Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	12 0	11 12	11 4	11 11
	Pirojpur ...	Pirojpur ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	12 8	11 12	11 4	11 13
	Sadar ...	Barisal ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4
	Dakhin Shahbazpur.	Bhola Hat ...	Do. ...	Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	10 11	11 4	11 3	11 1

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Tippera.	Subdivision—							
	Brahmanbaria...	Brahmanbaria ...	Rice ...	Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	13 5	13 14	13 0	13 6
	Sadar ...	Rajganja Bazar, Comilla.	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	13 14	13 5	13 7	13 9
	Chandpur ...	Chandpur Old Bazar.	Do. ...	Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	14 9	13 2	12 3	13 5
Noakhali.	Sadar ...	Kalitara Hat ...	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	10 14	10 14	11 4	11 0
	Feni ...	Feni Bazar ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	13 5	13 0	13 0	13 2
Chittagong.	Sadar ...	Buxy Hat ...	Do. ...	Last Saturday of every month	12 0	11 8	11 0	11 8
	Cox's Bazar ...	Cox's Bazar ...	Do. ...	Friday immediately preceding the 26th, or the 26th if that day happens to be a Friday.	14 0	14 0	13 8	13 13

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Rajshahi.	Subdivision—							
	Sadar ...	Saheb Bazar ...	Rice ...	Last day of every month ...	10 14	10 14	10 14	10 14
	Nowgaon ...	Nowgaon ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0
	Nator ...	Nator ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	12 0	11 4	11 4	11 8
Dinajpur.	Sadar ...	Railway Bazar Hat.	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	13 6	13 12	11 6	12 13
	Thakurgaon ...	Lahirihat ...	Do. ...	.....	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0
	Balurghat ...	Balurghat ...	Do. ...	.....	13 5	13 5	13 0	13 3
Jalpaiguri.	Alipur Duar ...	Alipur Duar ...	Do. ...	.....	11 8	8 5	8 4	9 6
	Sadar ...	Dinbazar ...	Do. ...	15th of every month ...	11 11	11 8	10 5	11 3

RAJSHAHI DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1918.
					April.	May.	June	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Rangpur.	Subdivision—							
	Sadar ...	Nawabganj Chaliamad, Rangpur.	Rice ...	Last Wednesday or Saturday, whichever may be next to the last day of every month.	10 11	9 3	10 11	10 3
	Nilphamari ...	Sagamacha ...	Do. ...	Last Wednesday or Sunday, whichever may be close to the 28th of every month.	12 0	11 0	11 0	11 5
	Kurigram ...	Kurigram ...	Do. ...	Last Saturday or Tuesday next to the 28th of every month.	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Gaibandha ...	Gaibandha Bazar	Do. ...	27th of every month ...	11 5	11 3	11 4	11 4
Bogra	District of Bogra	Kalitala Hat ...	Do. ...	Last Sunday of every month.	13 14	13 0	12 12	13 3
Pabna	Subdivision—							
	Sadar ...	Pabna Bazar ..	Do. ...	15th of every month ...	12 0	12 0	10 0	11 5
	Sirajganj ...	Fariapati at Sirajganj.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 5
Malda	District of Malda	Balia Nawabganj	...	Second Wednesday of every month.	13 12	13 2	13 8	13 7

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 34For.—The 21st October 1918.—The headquarters of Babu Debendra Nath Datta, B.Sc., Probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, Muraghat Range, Jalpaiguri Division, are changed from Kuntimari to Gairkatta, with effect from the 15th September 1918.

Jalpaiguri.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3746J.—Maulvi Nausher Ali Khan Yusufji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rajshahi Division, is posted to Bogra.

F. W. STRONG, *Deputy Commissioner in charge of the current duties of the Office of the Commissioner of Rajshahi Division.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 22nd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 173R.G.—Babu Surendra Nath Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, Sadar, is temporarily transferred to the Lalbagh subdivision of the district.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4173J.—This office orders, dated the 24th September 1918, transferring Babu Jatindra Mohan Chatterji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Narainganj, in the Dacca district to the Mymensingh district, are hereby cancelled

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4340G.—Babu Sushil Chandra Dutta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is transferred to Brahmanbaria in the same district.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4335G.—Maulvi Ali Ahmed, Sub-Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU SASTKARI LAL DEY, Sub-Deputy Collector, Birbhum, Sadar, is transferred temporarily to the Uluberia subdivision in the district of Howrah.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4150J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the following gentlemen are re-appointed as non-official visitors of the District Jail at Barisal for a period of two years with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

1. Maulvi Syed Muhammad Hussain ... 6th October 1918.
2. Khan Bahadur Maulvi Hemayetuddin Ahmed 18th November 1918.
3. Babu Benode Kumar Roy Choudhury ... 18th November 1918.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 23rd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3974J.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Jail and Sub-Jails noted against their respective names for a period of two years, with effect from the date of this notification :—

Rev. A. E. Summers	Dinajpur District Jail.
Babu Tarakeswar Chakravarti, L.M.S.	
„ Radha Gobinda Choudhuri ...	
„ Durgadas Mukherji ...	Thakurgaon Sub-Jail.
„ Munshi Tasaddak Rahaman Chaudhuri.	
Babu Chandra Kumar Chatterjee ...	Balurghat Sub-jail.
„ Rajendra Nath Sanyal ...	

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 36M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 14th December 1918, is fixed as the date for holding a by-election in Ward No. I of the Maheshpur Municipality, in the district of Jessore, to elect a Commissioner for that Ward in place of Babu Sukhananda Bhattacharji, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 37M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Wednesday, the 19th March 1919, is fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the Kotechandpur Municipality, in the district of Jessore, in place of those who, having been elected at the last general election of Commissioners held on the 18th March 1916, will complete their term of office under section 21 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 38M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 1st March 1919, is fixed as the date for holding the first general election of Commissioners of the Budge-Budge Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in consequence of the introduction of the elective system in the Municipality, under Government Order No. 1523M., dated the 1st July 1918.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 22nd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, a the last general election, held on the 25th September 1918, the following gentlemen were duly elected as Commissioners of the Arambagh Municipality in the district of Hooghly :—

Ward No. I (Krishnapur)	...	Babu Sital Chandra Banerjee.
		,, Nava Gopal Basu.
Ward No. II (Basudebpur)	...	,, Upendranath Singha.
Ward No. III (Daulatpur)	...	,, Rajani Kanto Chatterjee.
Ward No. IV (Chandur)	...	,, Satish Chandra Ghose.
		,, Aghore Nath Shana.
Ward No. V (Basantapur)	...	,, Bishnupada Karfa.
Ward No. VI (Bishnupur)	...	,, Sashi Bhusan Ballabh.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the last general election, held on the 21st September 1918, the following gentlemen were elected without contest as Commissioners of the Uttarpara Municipality in the district of Hooghly :—

Ward No. I	...	... Babu Jahar Lal Mukherjee. „ Jatindra Nath Mukherjee.
Ward No. II	...	... The Hon'ble Babu Siv Narayan Mukherjee. Babu Bhupendra Nath Mukherjee
Ward No. III	...	... „ Nibaran Chandra Banerjee. „ Mohini Mohan Chatterjee.
Ward No. IV	...	... Rai Sarat Chandra Chatterjee Bahadur. Babu Suresh Chandra Banerjee.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 39M.—Whereas, Saturday, the 5th October 1918, was fixed in this office Notification No. 29M, dated the 3rd September 1918, published at page 1310, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th September 1918, for holding a fresh election of Commissioners in Ward No. I of the South Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, and whereas no election was held on the aforesaid date, it is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 23rd November 1918, is fixed as the date for holding the fresh election of Commissioners in Ward No. I of the aforesaid Municipality.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the last general election held on the 23rd August 1918, the following gentlemen were duly elected Commissioners of the Katwa Municipality, in the district of Burdwan :—

Ward No. I	...	Babu Nritya Gopal Banerjee. „ Shyam Sundar Ghose. „ Annada Prasad Saha.
„ „ II	...	„ Gunendra Nath Roy. „ Hari Krishore Saha. „ Gobin Chand Saha.
„ „ III	...	„ Gunendra Nath Mukherjee. „ Jotindra Nath Chaudhury.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th October 1918*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the last general election held on the 28th September 1918, the following gentlemen were duly elected Commissioners of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly :—

Ward No. I	...	Babu Bhagabati Charan Kundu.
,, ,, II	...	,, Hem Chandra Kundu.
,, ,, III	...	,, Gopi Mohan Singha. ,, Akhoy Kumar Mukherjee.
,, ,, IV	...	,, Dole Gobinda Biswas. ,, Soshi Bhusan Mazumdar.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 24th October 1918.*

ERRATUM.

IN this office notification, dated the 7th September 1918, published at page 1349, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th September 1918, regarding the election of certain gentlemen as Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality, *for* " Babu Jatindra Mohan Ghose " in line 3 *read* " Babu Jatindra Nath Ghose."

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 24th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 19 (*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, Babu Uma Charan Maity has been appointed a member of the Contai Local Board, in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Babu Gopal Chandra Sen, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 24th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that at a by-election held under section 19 (*1*) of the Local Self-Government Act, Babu Bona Behari Chaudhuri has been duly elected as a member for thana Dhaniakhali, of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Hooghly, in place of Babu Khirode Krishna Biswas, resigned.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 23rd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4147J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 19 (*1*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Munshi Abdul Aziz has been duly elected by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Faridpur, to be a member of the Faridpur District Board, *vice* Munshi Bazlal Haque, deceased.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 23rd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4321G.—Under rule 19 of the rules made by the Government of Bengal under section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885, it is notified, for general information, that the number of members to be elected for each revenue thana of the Local Boards, in the district of Tippera, has been fixed as follows :—

(1) SADAR LOCAL BOARD.

Revenue Thana.	Number of members to be elected.
Muradnagar (including police-stations Muradnagar and Deviduar).	2
Daudkandi (including police-stations Daudkandi and Homna).	3
Comilla (including police-stations Kotwali and Burichang).	2
Chandina	1
Choudagram	1
Laksam	1
Total ...	10

(2) BRAHMANBARIA LOCAL BOARD.

Brahmanbaria (including police-stations Sarail, Nasirnagar and Brahmanbaria).	4
Kasba	1
Nabinagar (including police-stations Nabinagar, Rasulabad and Bancharampur).	3
Total ...	8

(3) CHANDPUR LOCAL BOARD.

Chandpur (including Chandpur and Faridgunj) ...	2
Hajiganj (including Hajigunj and Kachua) ...	2
Katlubbazar	2
Total ...	6

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 47L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of the 24-Parganas by the Local Boards mentioned against their respective names :—

Name of Local Board by which elected.	Names of members elected.
Alipore (Sadar) ...	(1) Babu Upendra Krishna Mandal. (2) „ Sashi Sekhar Bose.
Barrackpore ...	(1) Babu Asutosh Ghosh. (2) „ Sideswar Banarji.
Baraset ...	(1) Babu Surendra Nath Ghose. (2) Munshi Abdul Aziz.
Basirhat ...	(1) Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen. (2) „ Sarat Chandra Bose.
Diamond Harbour ...	(1) Babu Gangadhar Haldar. (2) „ Sarat Kumar Das. (3) „ Jogesh Chandra Nag Chaudhury.

2. The proportion of members of the District Board prescribed to be elected by the Sadar Local Board not having been elected by that Local Board within the time prescribed, I, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 10 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, appoint Munshi Sadaruddin Ahmed to be a member of the District Board, to make up that proportion.

3. The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the District Board :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Sadar ...
2. Ditto, Baraset ...
3. Ditto, Basirhat ...
4. Ditto, Diamond Harbour
5. Ditto, Barrackpore ...

} *Ex officio.*

6. District Deputy Inspector of Schools ...
7. The Hon'ble Raja Rishikesh Laha, C.I.E.
8. The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Roy.
9. Khan Bahadur Maulvi Ghulam Quasim.
10. Maulvi Ghulam Mahomed.
11. M. Velayet Ali
12. Rai Sahib Beni Madhab Mitra.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 46L.S.-G.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended by section 13 of the Bengal Act V of 1908, I approve the election by the members of the Local Boards concerned in the district of the 24-Parganas, of the following gentlemen to be Chairman of the Boards mentioned against their names :—

Name of Local Board	Name of Chairman
Sadar (Alipur)	Babu Sashindra Kumar Ray Chowdhuri.
Barrackpore ...	... C. G. B. Stevens, Esq., I.C.S., Subdivisional Officer, Barrackpore.
Basirhat	... Khan Bahadur Maulvi Ghulam Quasim.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 45L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Babu Haripada Sen, B.A., has been appointed under section 43 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, to be a member of the Morrelganj Union Committee, in the Bagerhat subdivision of the district of Khulna, in place of Maulvi Abdul Jalil, resigned.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 7 of the Local Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been elected members of the District Board of Birbhum :—

Names of members.	Local Board by which elected.
Babu Mritunjoy Ray Chaudhury ...	Sadar.
„ Debraj Mukherji	
„ Kshitish Chandra Mitter ...	
„ Dwijendra Nath Mukherji ...	
„ Rama Prasanna Mukherji ...	Rampur Hat.
„ Kali Das Sarkar	
Maulvi Abdul Aziz	
Babu Bhupati Bhusan Mukherji ...	

2. The following gentlemen are appointed members of the said Board :—

The Subdivisional Officer, Sadar ...
The Subdivisional Officer, Rampur Hat } *Ex officio.*
The Civil Surgeon, Birbhum ...
Raja Satya Niranjan Chakravarti.
Khan Bahadur Moulvi Mahammad Shamsuzzoha.
Rai Abinash Chandra Banerji Bahadur.
Babu Kamala Prosanna Ray.
Maulvi Sayed Hossain Ali.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 24th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the following gentlemen have been elected members of the District Board of Burdwan :—

	Names of members.	Local Board by which elected
1.	Rai Nalinaksha Basu Bahadur ...	Sadar Local Board
2.	Babu Amulya Chandra Mitra ...	
3.	„ Amrita Lal Seal ...	
4.	„ Satindra Nath Banerjee ...	Katwa „ „
5.	„ Jatindra Nath Chaudhury ...	
6.	„ Sri Mohan Singha ...	Kalna „ „
7.	„ Manmatha Nath Roy Mahasay ...	

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the said District Board under section 10 of the Local Self-Government Act :—

8. Lt.-Col. F. J. Agabeg.
9. Rai Sahib Mritunjay Chatterjee.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Local Self-Government Act to be members of the said District Board :—

10. Civil Surgeon, Burdwan ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
11. Subdivisional Officer, Sadar subdivision ...
12. Subdivisional Officer, Asansol ... ...
13. Raja Maniloll Singh Roy.
14. Rai Bunwari Lal Hati Bahadur.
15. Babu Tara Prasanna Mukherjee.
16. Mr. Nibaran Chandra Sarkar.
17. Maulvi Muhammad Abdulla.
18. Kazi Newaj Khoda.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 24th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4116J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Hara Chandra Hospital at Sherpur, in the district of Mymensingh :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Jamalpur ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. „ Civil Surgeon, Mymensingh ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. „ Munsif of Sherpur ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. „ Sub-Registrar of Sherpur ... } *Ex-officio.*
5. Rai Charu Chandra Choudhuri Bahadur.
6. Babu Hiran Chandra Chaudhuri.
7. „ Satyendra Mohan Choudhuri, B.A., B.Sc.,
8. „ Jogesh Chandra Nag.
9. „ Satindra Kumar Chaudhuri.
10. „ Woomesh Chaodra Roy.
11. Maulvi Ainuddin Ahmed.
12. Babu Srikanta Kishore Mazumdar, B.L.
13. „ Mohini Mohan Roy, B.L.
14. „ Sailajananda Mahalanavis, B.A.
15. „ Ganga Charan Maitra,

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OEFICE, DACCA DIVN, DACCA, *the* $\frac{9th}{22nd}$ *October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 44L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I do hereby sanction, under section 6, clause (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I (B.C.) of 1885, the establishment of a ferry over Chilla-nullah on the 36th mile of the Jeagunj-Jangipur road, in thana Raghunathgunj, in the district of Murshidabad; and declare it to be a public ferry under clause (*a*) of the said section.

In exercise of the power conferred on me by Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905 I also direct, under section 35 of the Act, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Murshidabad and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund with effect from 1st July 1918.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th October 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 12536.—The 24th October 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Bailavdi Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 28 of of 1907), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 12622.—The 26th October 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Bhabanipur Gramya Mohajani Sabha (registered No. 8 of 1910), in the district of Tippera, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Comilla, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 43 OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

IMPROVEMENT SCHEME NO. XV (SECTION B).

(Street Scheme.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have framed an Improvement Scheme described as Scheme No. XV (New Main Sewer Road), Section B (between Scheme No. IV-A and Gariahat Road).

The area comprised in this section is bounded as follows:—

On the North—By a line from the north-west corner of 124-7, Russa Road, South, to the south-east corner of 127, Russa Road, South and by another line from the north-west corner of 20, Nakuleswar Bhattacharjee Lane, to a point on the centre of Gariahat Road.

On the East—From this point along the middle of Gariahat Road to another point on the centre of Gariahat Road opposite 14, Gariahat Road.

On the South—By a straight line from this point to the north-western corner of Kayatola Road and thence westwards in a straight line to the north-west corner of 107, Russa Road, South.

On the West—By a line from the north-west corner of 107, Russa Road, South, along the eastern boundary of the Russa Road, South to the north-west corner of 124-7, Russa Road, South.

Particulars of the scheme, a map of the area comprised in the scheme, and a statement of the land which it is proposed to acquire, may be inspected at the offices of the Trust, No. 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. and on Saturdays between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Copies of the above documents will be delivered to applicants on payment of the following fees:—

	Rs.	A.
Particulars of the scheme	0	4
Map of the area	1	0
Statement of land which it is proposed to acquire ...	0	4

Objections to the scheme will be received up to the 31st January 1919.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1918.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of October 1918, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th October 1918.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH OCTOBER 1918, INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	276,700	...	276,700	30,000	43,440	...	2,400
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	3,130	...	3,130	...	...	...	600
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	399,639	...	399,639	79,825	272,223	62,175	253,986
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	287,488	...	287,488	59,010	81,667	27,000	125,004
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	85,304	...	85,304	3,800	...	...	84 512
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	7,976	...	7,976	162	...	...	1,162
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,060,237	...	1,060,237	172,797	397,330	89,175	467,664

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	4,649
Abandoned and destroyed	38

S. C. SATYAWADI,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 22nd October 1918.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, published in the *Supplement to the Gazette of India*, dated the 12th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

No. 996, dated Simla, the 11th October 1918.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (Agriculture).

THE Government of India have decided to discontinue further purchases of wheat for export overseas other than (1) wheat which is absolutely necessary on military and Government account and (2) supplies to Mesopotamia; and they have under consideration the question of reducing these commitments. The Government of India further propose to exercise closer control over the export of all other kinds of food grains These decisions, which have been taken in order to conserve for use in the deficit provinces in India such supplies of wheat and other foodstuffs as are not immediately required for local consumption in those provinces which have a surplus, are now to be supplemented by further measures designed to secure the most effective distribution to deficit provinces of the supplies of wheat, rice and subsequently of other foodstuffs, which are not required for local consumption in the surplus provinces For this purpose the Government of India propose to set up a single executive authority, working directly under them, to be designated the Foodstuffs Commissioner. When the Government of India have, after consultation with the various Provincial Governments, decided what quantities of foodstuffs are available for transfer from time to time from surplus to deficit provinces, and the maximum prices at which such foodstuffs should be purchased, the Foodstuffs Commissioner will arrange through the agency of selected commercial firms, for the purchase of the foodstuffs in question in their despatch to the destinations and consignees indicated by the Directors of Civil Supplies in the deficit provinces.

2. Initially the operations of the Foodstuffs Commissioner will be directed to the question of supplies of wheat and rice, in respect of which there are already in full working order the two agencies represented by the Wheat Commissioner, whose headquarters are in Karachi, and the Rice Commissioner in Burma. These two agencies will continue to work,

generally speaking, on their present lines as regards purchases of wheat and rice, and will, in addition, exercise such other functions as may be allotted to them by the Foodstuffs Commissioner to whom they will in future be subordinate.

3. It will be a primary condition of supplies to dealers in deficit provinces that they should be licensed by the Director of Civil Supplies, or other local authority, and that the grant and continuance of such licenses shall be conditional on the holder selling within such prices as the Local Government may fix, with due regard to the prices previously fixed for purchases by the Foodstuffs Commissioner. It will also be within the discretion of Local Governments, if they think this necessary, to arrange for the opening of Government and municipal depôts or shops for the sale of foodstuffs at fixed prices

4. Under this scheme it is contemplated that licenses for the export of wheat and rice, and subsequently of other foodstuffs shall not be granted by the Director of Civil Supplies of any surplus province save in respect of purchases made through the Foodstuffs Commissioners; nor shall the Director of Civil Supplies in any deficit province issue licenses for import in respect of articles under the control of the Foodstuffs Commissioner to a larger aggregate amount than the total quantity of such articles allotted by the Government of India for import into such province.

5. The essence of this scheme is inter-provincial allotment, the fixing and control of the quantities to be supplied by surplus to deficit provinces, the control within each province of arrangements for distribution and sale and the appointment of a Foodstuffs Commissioner as an essential link between Local Governments and the Government of India and as the authority to arrange for the purchase and despatch of foodstuffs from one province to another.

6. The Foodstuffs Commissioner will enter on his functions at the beginning of November, and the Governor-General in Council has selected for this post Mr. M. M. S. Gubbay, C.S.I., C.I.E., by reason of his financial experience and ability, and his successful management of the somewhat analogous Wheat Scheme of 1915-16. Pending the assumption of his duties by Mr. Gubbay, steps are being taken to give such immediate effect as is possible to the scheme formulated in this Resolution.

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to all Local Governments and Administrations; to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India; to the several Departments of the Government of India; to the Wheat Commissioner for India; to the Rice Commissioner in Burma; to the Secretary to the Central Transport and Foodstuffs Board; to the Secretary to the Communications Board; to the Publicity Board; to the Controller of Traffic; and to Mr. M. M. S. Gubbay, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S.

ORDERED also that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India* for general information.

J. MACKENNA,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

Simla, the 17th October 1918.

No. 1081.—Mr. G. C. Denham, C.I.E., O.B.E., on special duty, is appointed to officiate until further orders as Deputy Director, Central Intelligence, with effect from the 15th November 1918.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 19th October 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 18th October 1918.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

37th Calcutta Presidency Battalion.

No. 2437.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Clifford George Warren-Boulton.
Richard Francis Read.
Roy Drummond Whitehorn. } Dated 3rd October 1918.

APPOINTMENTS.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

5th Calcutta Battalion.

No. 2460.—The undermentioned gentleman is granted a temporary commission, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second-Lieutenant.

Edgar Geoffrey Dixon. Dated 30th September 1918.

1-36th Bengal-Nagpur Railway Battalion.

No. 2462.—The undermentioned gentleman is granted a temporary commission, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

George Cochrane Godfrey. Dated 1st April 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 26th October 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE—WAR.

Simla, the 26th October 1918.

No. 11653.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations

shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2043, dated the 27th April 1918, as subsequently amended, viz. :—

Additions.

Chung, C. P., Mr, (Manager, Nanking Dispensary, Nanking and Tientsin).
Clarkson Dye, Mr., Shanghai.
Clerici, Bedoni and Company, Shanghai.
Government Dock and Engineering Works (Foochow Dock and Arsenal, Pagoda Anchorage), Foochow.
Hon Mee Company, Limited, The, Shanghai.
Klauber Trading Company, Shanghai.
Kwong Sang Hong, Limited, Shanghai
Louis, G., Shanghai.
Miyawaki and Company, Shanghai.
Podarikis, Nicholas, Shanghai,
Watson, A. S. and Company, Shanghai and Tientsin.
Union Commerciale Sino-Francaise (Letanneur, E.), Tientsin.
United States Trading Company, Shanghai.

Alterations.

Compagnie Generale do Extreme Orient, Tientsin,
should read
Compagnie-Generale d'Extreme Orient.
Debenhams, Limited, Chefoo,
should read
Debenham and Company, Limited, Chefoo.
Fairchild, F. A., Shanghai,
should read
Fairchild, F. A., Tientsin,
Foochow Dock and Arsenal, Pagoda Anchorage,
should read
Foochow Dock and Arsenal, Pagoda Anchorage (Government Dock and Engineering Works), Foochow.
Gaillard, J., Shanghai,
should read
Nile, Rheams and Cie, Shanghai.
Markt and Company, Shanghai,
should read
Dodge and Seymour (China), Limited, Shanghai.
Mitsubishi Company,
should read
Mitsubishi Goshi Kaisha.
Nanking Dispensary, Nanking,
should read
Nanking Dispensary, Nanking and Tientsin (Manager Mr. C. P. Chung).
Saiseido Japanese Pharmacy, Shanghai,
should read
Saiseido and Company, Shanghai.
Savonnarie-Franco Chinoise, Tientsin,
should read
Savonnsrie Franco-Chinoise, Tientsin.
Touliatos, Gerassime, Manjuria Station, C. E. R.,
should read
Touliatos Gerassimo, Manchuria Station, C. E. R.
Waston, A. S. and Company, Limited,
should read
Watson, A. S. and Company, Limited, Canton.
Whitamore, R. A., Shanghai,
should read
Whitamore, R. A., Tientsin.
Yates, T. M.,
should read
Yates, T. M., Shanghai.

Removals.

Audinet, Jean and Cie, Shanghai
Church Missionary Society.
Gaston Williams and Wigmore Electrical Engineering Corporation, Shanghai.
Hipwell, P., Shanghai.
Kaye, C. B. and Company, Shanghai.
Kochien Transport and Towboat Company, Limited, Shanghai.
London Mission.
Opium Bonded Godown, Shanghai.

CUSTOMS—WAR.

The 26th October 1918.

No. 11586.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in this Department Notification No. 1223-D., dated the 8th December 1917, as subsequently amended :—

From proviso (*ii*) (*g*) *delete* the words "granite and granite setts for paving", "kerbstone" and "strawboard".

INTERNAL TRADE.

The 26th October 1918.

No 11738.—In pursuance of section 5 of the Cotton Cloth Act, 1918 (XXIII of 1918), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Committee to assist the Controller of Cotton Cloth with their advice in the performance of his duties :—

(1) Mr G. Wiles, I.C.S.
(2) Mr. C. N Wadia.
(3) Mr. N. B. Saklatwala.
(4) Mr. R. H. Brooke.
(5) Sir Vithaldas Thackersey, KT
(6) Mr. Ambalai Sarabhai.
(7) The Hon'ble Mr. T. Smith.
(8) Sir Clement B. Simpson, KT
(9) Mr. F. Stones.
(10) The Hon'ble Mr. Purushottam Thakurdas.
(11) Mr. Devidas Madhowji Thackersey.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 26th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

PROMOTION.

Simla, the 25th October 1918.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 2482.—The undermentioned officers to be acting Lieutenant-Colonels subject to His Majesty's approval, under the provisions of Army Instruction

(India) No. 62 of 1918, while commanding Medical Units in the field, for the periods stated :—

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Captain W. L. Harnett, Officer Commanding, No. 154, Indian Field Ambulance, from 5th March 1918 to 31st March 1918.

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Major A. C. MacGilchrist, Officer Commanding, No. 2-A, Indian Field Ambulance, from 3rd March 1917 to 1st October 1917.

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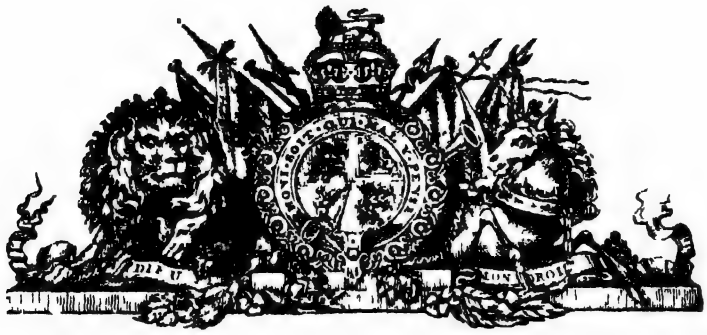
A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General*,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 818T.M.—The 26th October 1918.—The following draft of by-laws, which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Sherpur Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of that Act, is published for the information of persons affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1918, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

DRAFT BY-LAWS UNDER SECTION 350 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884 (FRAMED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SHERPUR MUNICIPALITY, DISTRICT MYMENSINGH).

DEFINITIONS.

1. In these by-laws,—

(1) "Carriage" includes also a motor-car; and

(2) "Cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871).

GENERAL EXCEPTIONS.

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force, no act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under by-law 19,

Police Act 1861, section 34

37 or 48.

PENALTIES.

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

Fines

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Youthful drivers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts, the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Driving more than one carriage or cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

6. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road, shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Rule of the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows :—

Lights

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side ;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light ;

(*c*) every elephant, camel or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light ;

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front :

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon or on the four nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

8. No person shall drive any motor-car, or ride any motor-cycle, or any tricycle or bicycle, on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Signals on motors and cycles

Fine, Rs. 50.

9. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of fifteen maunds.

Maximum load for carts

Fine, Rs. 10.

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, bullas, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person, and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Cart laden with girders, etc.

Fine, Rs. 10.

11. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Cart laden with bricks, stones, etc.

Fine, Rs. 10.

12. No person shall, on any road, carry himself or convey on the back of any animal bamboos or timber in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Conveyance of bamboos or timber.

Fine, Rs. 10.

13. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, take any elephant or camel along any road.

Taking elephant or camel along a road.

Fine, Rs. 50.

14. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Taking an elephant over a bridge.

Fine, Rs. 10.

15. No person shall take any elephant over any road unless it has a bell in good order attached to it.

Warning bell on elephant.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

16. No person shall abandon, or let loose, or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle, on or on to any road.

Abandoning or letting loose cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

17. No person or persons shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, take any flock of swine or pigs on, on to or along any road.

Swine or pigs not to be taken to roads.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

18. No parent or guardian of any child below the age of seven years shall allow such child to play or wander about on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Children playing or wandering

Fine, Rs. 10.

19. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose:

Depositing articles.

Provided that, during the months of April, May and June, between the hours of 10 P.M. and 5 A.M., khatias may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to persons using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

20. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Planting trees

Fine, Rs. 10.

21. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road, or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Excavation and enclosures.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Removing turf or cutting grass

22. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Discharge of water

23. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road or into any drain in or near a road, except through a downpipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Breaking in horses

24. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for the purpose.

Fine Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50

Flying kites

25. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way that it may fall on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Playing games

26. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Throwing stones or missiles

27. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving across a drain

28. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Barbed wire, etc

29. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire or thorny plants or thorny trees.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Dust-bins

30. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any Municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Conveying sewage or offensive matter

31. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely covered receptacle, of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Privies and urinals

32. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *tatti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs 10; daily fine Rs. 2.

33. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill, or clean the carcass of, any cattle or poultry.

Killing cattle or poultry or cleaning carcasses.

Fine, Rs. 10.

34. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Closed roads.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING-OFF OF FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

35. (*1*) No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except—

Letting off of firearms, etc.

(*i*) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and

(*ii*) on payment of fees at the following rates :—

Fireworks worth under Rs. 25							...	Re. 1.
Fireworks worth	Rs.	25	and under	Rs.	50	...		Rs. 2.
„	„	„	50	„	„	„ 75	...	„ 3.
„	„	„	75	„	„	„ 100	...	„ 4.
„	„	„	100	„	„	„ 200	...	„ 5.
and „	„	upwards of Rs. 200 for each additional Rs. 100					...	Re. 1.

Fine, Rs. 10.

(2) This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs or crackers.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

36. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Setting up obstruction.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing-traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction", as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10: daily fine, Rs. 2.

37. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Easing oneself.

Fine, Rs. 10.

38. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Weeds.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

39. The owner of every well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Masonry platforms and drains for wells

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Washing clothes, etc

40. No person shall bathe or wash, or shall wash or cleanse, or cause to be washed or cleansed, any clothes, utensils or any other article near any public well or tank.

Fine, Rs. 25.

Obstructing persons drawing water.

41. No person shall in any way obstruct any one in drawing water from any public well or tank for carrying away for domestic purposes.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Washing vehicles and cattle

42. No person shall wash or cleanse or cause to be washed or cleansed any vehicle, cattle, dogs, or other animals in, upon or by the side of any public well or tank.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Use of public well or tank

43. Except with the permission of the Commissioners and under such condition as they may from time to time prescribe, no person shall use any public well or tank for any purpose other than drawing water—

(*a*) for drinking on the spot, or

(*b*) for carrying away for domestic purposes.

Fine, Rs. 25.

Steeping jute, hemp, etc

44. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Washing infected articles

45. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Bathing by infected persons

46. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Bathing place reserved for females

47. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing-place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

Depositing night-soil.

48. No person shall deposit night-soil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Systematic deposit of filth.

49. No owner or occupier of any land shall allow the same to be made filthy by systematic deposit thereon of any dirt, dung, bones, night-soil or any other offensive matter.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Access to Municipal servants.

50. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises, from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the Municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Removal of offensive matter from markets.

51. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter, which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF RUBBISH.

Refuse matter to be placed in dust-bins.

52. In localities provided with dust-bins, in accordance with section 187 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, no person shall throw or cause to be thrown rubbish or any refuse matter on any place other than into the dust-bins.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

Disposal of carcasses

53. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the Sanitary Inspector of the Municipality.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

Latrines reserved for females

54. No male person above twelve years of age, except the Municipal Inspecting Officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

Obstruction to drains.

55. No person, except with the special permission of the Commissioners, shall deposit or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to the drain.

Explanation.—Placing of fishing traps in any such drain or part thereof and erecting or putting a fencing or anything of that character for the purposes of fishing are also included in the word "obstruction".

Fine, Rs. 10.

Excavation or enclosures of drains

56. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation in any public drain or enclose any public drain or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Constructing stalls, platforms, etc., over a drain.

57. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATION AND BURIALS, AND DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

Covering of corpse

58. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Burial or burning obligatory.

59. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burning or burying it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Depositing corpse on or near road.

60. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Lines of graves.

61. When lines for graves in any burial-place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial-place except in such a line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of coffin or corpse in masonry grave

62. No person shall, in any burial ground, bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of non-masonry graves.

63. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves.

64. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening graves.

65. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Complete cremation

66. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

67. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning-ground or burning-ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land

68. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, night-soil and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Sanitation of public places of charity or worship

69 No proprietor owner, manager, trustee or motwali, or person entrusted with the daily supervision, or in charge, of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cleanliness of shops, markets, and slaughter-houses

70. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house, serai or hotel, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Sale of fish in market

71. No person shall sell fish or expose fish for sale in any part of the market except on the paved floor specially set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sale of prepared articles of food

72. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Easing oneself in market

73. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Aerated water or ice

74. No person shall make any aerated water or ice for the purpose of sale except with water which has been boiled or filtered.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Infected clothing

75. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease

Fine, Rs. 50.

Disinfection of carriages

76. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Picketing animals, collecting carts or forming encampments.

77. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket or tether animals on any road or public ground, or near any road or public ground, in such a manner that they may, while so picketed or tethered, reach such road or public ground, or collect carts or form any encampment on any road or public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Diseased or worn-out cattle.

78. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Nocturnal noise

79. No person shall, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, beat a drum or tom-tom or blow any high-sounding instrument after 10 P.M. or before 6 A.M.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sale of articles of food touched or prepared by infected persons.

80. No person shall sell or expose for sale in any market, any articles of food knowing it to have been touched or prepared by a person suffering from infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS.

Cancellation of former by-laws

81. The by-laws which were confirmed by Government Order No. 273T.—M., dated the 4th June 1896, are hereby cancelled.

Howrah.

No. 832T.-M.—The 28th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. W. H. Partridge to be a Commissioner of the Howrah Municipality, *vice* the District Traffic Superintendent, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, resigned.

Mymensingh.

No. 834T.-M.—The 28th October 1918.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred on him by section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Netrakona Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, made at a meeting, proposes to make the following order.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Commissioner of the Dacca Division before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 (*a*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Netrakona Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, made at a meeting, the Governor in Council sanctions the levy, by the Commissioners of the said Municipality, of a tax, under section 131 of the Act, on carriages and horses.

Midnapore.

No. 803T.-M.—The 23rd October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Chandrakona Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, under section 23 of that Act, electing Pandit Bharat Ramanuj Das Mohanta to be their Chairman.

No. 804T.M.—The 24th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Chandrakona Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, under section 27 of that Act, electing Babu Shyamapada Banarjee to be the Chairman of that Municipality, *vice* Pandit Bharat Ramanuj Das Mohanta, deceased.

Midnapore.

No. 830T.-M.—The 28th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Kalna Municipality, in the district of Burdwan, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Ram Chandra Chakravarty to be Chairman of that Municipality.

Burdwan.

No. 820T.—L.S.-G.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Dacca.

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Dacca, North	Keraniganj	Dattapara	9	Gazipara ... 107 Salik Chhara ... 108 Auchhpara .. 109 Khartail ... 110 Satais ... 111 Bade Palasana ... 113 Gutia ... 114 Rajkur ... 115 Andarul ... 116 Bhakral ... 117 Chak Bhadam ... 118 Jamaldia ... 121 Bhadam ... 122 Gusulia .. 123 Darail ... 124 Kakil Satais ... 125 Bara Deora ... 126 Paran Mandal Tek ... 127 Chhata Kathaldia 128 Masimpur ... 129 Tangi ... 130 Arijpur ... 131 Pagar ... 132 Simlun ... 133 Markun ... 134 Gopalpur ... 135 Himardighi ... 136 Sailargati ... 137 Dattapara ... 138	North— Mauzas— Palasona ... 112 Gachha ... 104 Chandara ... 105 Kunia ... 106 Khalikan ... 83 Hydarabad ... 140 Sukundi ... 139 East— Majukhan ... 168 Markun ... 169 South— Tangi River. Bhatulia ... 205 Kamarpara .. 204 Rasadia .. 203 West— Turag River. Thana Sabhai.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

No. 822T.—L.S.-G.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Dattapara Union, in the district of Dacca, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Dacca.

No. 823T.—L.S.-G.—The 26th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Dattapara Union, in the district of Dacca, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Dacca.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified for general information that a Special Islamic Matriculation Examination for the students who have completed the Senior Madrasa Course sanctioned under Government Resolution No. 450T.G., dated the 31st July 1914, will be held at Dacca on Monday, the 21st April 1919, and the following days. The examination will be conducted in accordance with the rules given below.

2. Candidates from recognized Madrasas should submit their applications for permission to appear at the examination, through the heads of their institutions, together with the examination fee of Rs. 15 to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education by the 28th February 1919.

3. Applications from male private candidates for permission to appear at the examination should be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction by the 15th January 1919.

4. Applications from female candidates for permission to appear at the examination should be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction by the 31st January 1919.

5. Male private candidates and female candidates should not send their examination fees until permission is granted to them to appear at the examination.

6. Forms of application may be obtained from the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

Regulations for the Special Islamic Matriculation Examination.

1. The examination shall be held once a year at Dacca on the dates to be notified by the Director of Public Instruction in the official Gazette.

2. Ordinarily, only students who have studied for at least one school year in a Madrasa or other school approved for the purpose by the Director of Public Instruction shall be admitted to the examination. Females and other private candidates who can satisfy the Director of Public Instruction that they have been under satisfactory tuition and discipline for at least one year prior to the examination may also, for special reasons, be admitted to the examination on permission being obtained from the Director of Public Instruction.

3. No one shall be admitted to the examination unless he shall have completed the age of 16 years on the first day of the month in which the examination commences.

4. Every candidate for the examination will have to produce satisfactory certificates, (1) of good character, (2) of diligent and regular study, (3) of having passed the periodical tests (if at school), and (4) of probability of passing.

5. Every candidate for the examination must send his application in the form prescribed by the Education Department, and must pay an examination fee of Rs. 15.

6. The examination shall be conducted by means of printed papers. The number of papers to be set, the number of marks to be allotted to each paper, and the duration of the examination shall be as shown below :—

					Marks.
1st day ...	English	Paper I	... 3 hours	...	100
	English	,, II	... 3 ,,	...	100
2nd day ...	Arithmetic and Geometry	,, I	... 3 ,,	...	100
	Indian History ...	,, I	... 2 ,,	...	70
	Vernacular ...	,, I	... 1 ,,	..	30
3rd day ...	Arabic—Language ...	,, I	... 3 ,,	...	100
	Arabic—Literature ...	,, II	... 3 ,,	...	100
4th day ...	Kalam	,, I	... 2 ,,	...	70
	Fiqh	,, I	... 2 ,,	...	70
	Logic	,, I	... 2 ,,	...	60
		10 papers.			800

7. In order to pass the examination a candidate must obtain 30 per cent of the maximum number of marks in each subject and 33 per cent. of the total in the aggregate.

8. Candidates who obtain 60 per cent. of the total number of marks in the aggregate shall be placed in the first division, and those who obtain 40 per cent. shall be placed in the second division.

9. Until the Dacca University is in a position to make its own regulations all other matters connected with the examination shall be regulated by the Director of Public Instruction.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction
for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1918.*

A

Statement of stipends awarded to pupils and to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination, 1918, held by different Associations under the Rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

(Held on the 18th and 19th February 1918.)

Approved by the Council of the Sanskrit Association Calcutta.

Fifty-seven stipends to pupils at Rs. 2 a month for two years.

Twenty-one stipends of Rs. 6 a month, twenty-four stipends of Rs. 8 a month, and Four Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 4 a month and one at Rs. 3 a month, are awarded to teachers (tenable for one year.)

These stipends are tenable from September 1918.

Name of Association.	CANDIDATES.				STIPENDS TO PUPILS							STIPENDS TO TEACHERS.						
	Number of candidates presented.		Number of candidates passed.		Available for merit at Rs. 2.		Available for the encouragement of the students in backward localities.		Stipends in proportion to passes under different Associations.		Total.	Available for merit at Rs. 8.		Available for the encouragement of Pandits in backward localities at Rs. 6.	By adding up marks.		Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends at Rs. 4. Endowed scholarships reserved for Calcutta Pandit Sabha only.	Total.
	Kavya and Grammar	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.		Kavya and Grammar	Higher subjects.		At Rs. 8.	At Rs. 6.	At Rs. 4	
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.																		
1. Calcutta Pandit Sabha	199	52	114	43	1	2			2	6	11	1	2		1	2	4	
2. Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha	18	13	9	8					1	1	2					1		
3. Navadwip Bidodha Janani Sabha	18	8	9	3					2	1	3	1						
4. Berhampur Pandit Sabha	24	4	17	3						2	2					1		
5. Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha	8	2	3															
6. Dauiatpur Saraswat Samiti	65	19	25	14		1			1	3	5		1	2	1			
7. Burdwan Bijay Centre	69	6	32	1					3		3				1			
8. Srikhanda Chaitanyadami Sabha	14	3	6	2			1				1					1		
9. Midnapur Vidyotsahini Sabha	44	6	23	2			1			1	2							
10. Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti	78	42	37	24		1		1	1	3	6		2		2			
11. Baraberia Sanskrit Samiti	53	14	15	3														
12. Contai Sanskrit Samiti	128	34	44	18				1	2	3	6	1	1		1	3		
13. Tiluri Sanskrit Samiti	37	3	21	2										1	1			
14 Dacca " " "	68	14	38	10						3	3			1				
15. Bakia Aryya Sammilani Sabha	3	3	8	2						1	1							
16. Barasat Dharmarakshini Sabha	15	11	5	9					1	4	5				1			
17. Idilpur Hitaisini Sabha	33	2	20	2										2				
18. Bishnupur Vidyotsammilani Sabha	4	2	1															
19. Mymensingh Dharma Sabha	45	22	23	8						1	1			2		1		
20. Rajshahi Rani Hemanta Kumari Sanskrit College.	5	1	5	1														
21. Rangpur Dharma Sabha	23	9	11	5	1						1	1			1			
22. Chittagong Vidyabisodini Sabha	54	11	32	8					2		2				3	1		
23. Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha	23	6	11	4				2			2			1	1			
24. Comilla Dharma Samiti	25	6	13	1												1		
25. Brahmanberia Vidyotsahini Sabha	18	10	6	6						1	1			1	1			
ASSAM.																		
26. Gauripur Tarinipriya Sanskrit Samiti	7	2	3	2														
27. Silchar Prachya Siksha Parisad	18	2	8															
28. Nalbari Sanskrit Sanjiwan Sabha	36	6	20	3														
CENTRAL PROVINCES.																		
29. Mandala Sanskrit School Committee	14		6															
30. Jubbalpur K. Hitakarini Sabha	59	4	29	3														
31. Khairagarh Sanskrit School Committee	18	5	4	4														
Total	1,357	312	601	191	2	4	2	4	15	30	57	4	6	10	14	11	4	

B

Statement of stipends awarded to pupils and to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit Second Examination, 1918, held by different Associations under the Rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896, and Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and the Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

(Held on the 18th and 19th February 1918.)

Seventeen stipends of Rs 3 a month and fifteen stipends of Rs 4 a month, tenable for two years, and four Nyaya stipends at Rs. 3 a month, tenable for three years, are awarded to pupils.
Fourteen stipends of Rs. 10 a month, fifty stipends at Rs. 12 a month, three Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 5 a month, and two Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 6 a month (tenable for one year) are awarded to teachers.

These Stipends are tenable from September 1918.

Name of Association.	Candidates.				Stipends to pupils.										Stipends to teachers.									
	Number of candidates presented.		Number of candidates passed.		Available for merit at Rs. 4.		Available for the encouragement of students in backward localities at Rs. 3.		Stipends in proportion to passes under different Associations.				Reserved for Nyaya, Rs. 3 for three years.	Total.	Available for merit at Rs. 12.		Available for the encouragement of pandits in the backward localities, Rs. 10.	By adding up marks.		Reserved for Nyaya.		Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends. Endowed scholarship reserved for Calcutta Pandit Sabha only.		
	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar, Rs. 3.	Higher subjects, Rs. 3.	Kavya and Grammar, Rs. 3.	Higher subjects, Rs. 3.	Kavya and Grammar, Rs. 4.	Higher subjects, Rs 4.			Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects		At Rs. 10.	At Rs. 12.	At Rs. 10.	At Rs. 12.	At Rs. 5.	At Rs. 6.	Total.
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.																								
1. Calcutta Pandit Sabha	215	114	122	80	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	4	3	14	...	3	...	1	3	...	1	3	2	5
2. Bhatpara Parikshá Sabha	24	22	12	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
3. Navadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha	40	25	26	15	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	3	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
4. Berhampur Pandit Sabha	21	11	10	5	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha	8	1	2	Nil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Daulatpur Saraswat Samiti	36	3	14	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
7. Burdwan Bijay Centre	51	41	34	26	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	2	...	5	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Srikhanda Chaitanyadalm Sabha	13	4	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Midnapur Vidyotsahini Sabha	33	3	21	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
10. Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti	27	15	24	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Baraberia Sanskrit Samiti	11	1	6	Nil	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Contai Sanskrit Samiti	40	16	15	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Tiluri Banibikash Sanskrit Samiti	12	1	7	Nil	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Dacca	47	10	18	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha	30	4	17	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
16. Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha	32	3	10	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Idilpur Hitaisini Sabha	27	6	15	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
18. Bishnupur Vidyotsammilani Sabha	2	1	Nil	Nil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Mymensingh Dharma Sabha	34	15	14	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Rajshahi Rani Hemanta Kumari Sanskrit College	6	2	4	Nil	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21. Rangpur Dharma Sabha	23	10	11	6	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22. Chittagong Vidyabinodini Sabha	31	13	17	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23. Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha	22	7	15	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24. Comilla Dharma Samiti	29	4	22	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25. Brahmanberia Vidyotsahini Sabha	19	7	11	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ASSAM.																								
26. Gauripur Tarinipriya Sanskrit Samiti	2	2	1	Nil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27. Silchar Prachya Siksha Parisad	14	6	8	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28. Nalbari Sanskrit Sanjiwan Sabha	6	4	6	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CENTRAL PROVINCES.																								
29. Mandala Sanskrit School Committee	5	1	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30. Jubbalpur K. Hitakarini Sabha	33	33	26	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31. Khairagarh Sanskrit School Committee	6	Nil	2	Nil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	943	385	503	245	1	2	1	2	5	9	4	8	4	36	2	4	6	7	8	1	1	3	2	34

C

Stipends awarded to pupils on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination, 1918, held by different Associations under the Rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and the Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

[To be paid by the Deputy Inspector of Schools.]

Stipends tenable for two years from September 1918.

For merit.

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend. Rs.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies	Subject.
		DHARMA SABHA, RANGPUR.		
Upendrakrishna Joaddar ..	2	Pandit Bepinchandra Vidyanidhi, Raikali, Bogra.	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
		PANDIT SABHA, CALCUTTA.		
Radhagovinda Chattopadhyaya	2	Pandit Dwarkanath Nyaya Sastri, 6-22, Kebal Krishna Sur Street, Calcutta.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdha-bodha.
Dhirendranath Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Saradacharan Kavya-Jyotish-tirtha, 93-4, Harighosh Street, Simla, Calcutta	Ditto ...	Jyotish.
Natabar Nanda Misra ...	2	Pandit Biswanath Thakur, Visudhya-nanda Vidyalaya, Calcutta	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
		SANSKRIT SAMITI, GHATAL.		
Kunjabehari Acharyya ...	2	Pandit Manmathanath Jyotishsekhar, Gambhirnagar, Ghatal, Midnapore.	With the same teacher ...	Jyotish.
		SARASWAT SAMITI, DAULATPUR.		
Upendranath Chattopadhyaya	2	Pandit Kshetranath Smrititirtha, Tilak, Khulna.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.

Stipends in proportion to passes.

		CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.		
Anuplal Jha ...	2	Pandit Jogi Jha, Visudhyayananda Vidya-laya, Calcutta.	With the same teacher ...	Saraswat.
Debendranath Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Radhaballav Jyotishtirtha, San-skrit College, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Jyotish.
Gopendubhusan Bandyo-padhyaya.	2	Pandit Herambhanath Kavya-Vyakaran Sankhyatirtha, Kalna, Burdwan.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
Taraknath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Priyanath Tarkatirtha, Baranagar, 24-Parganas.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Jaminikanta Thakur Chakra-varti.	2	Pandit Kalicharan Smriti Purantirtha	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Radhacharan Kavya-Vyakaran-tirtha	2	Pandit Haridas Siddhantabagisa, Nakipur, Khulna.	Ditto ...	Smriti (*)
Ramanimohan Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Mritunjoy Smritititirtha, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
Satya Kinkar Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Krishnachandra Smritiratna Balli, Howrah.	Ditto .	Kavya.
		BHATPARA PARIKSHA SABHA.		
Bhimacharan Panda ...	2	Pandit Bamacharan Bhattacharyya, Lakhya, Midnapore.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdha-bodha.
Sujib Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Narayanchandra Smritititirtha Bhatpara, 24-Parganas	Ditto ...	Smriti (*)

Name of stipend-winner	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies	Subject.
NAVADWIP BIBUDHA JANANI SABHA.				
Monoranjan Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Niranjan Vidyabhusana, Navadwip, Nadia.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdha-bodha.
Satish Chandra Acharyya ...	2	Pandit Saratchandra Kavyatirtha, Navadwip, Nadia.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Nikhilananda Goswami ...	2	Pandit Kesorimohan Kavyatirtha, Mymensingh, Mymensingh.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
BERHAMPUR PANDIT SABHA.				
Nrityagopal Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Chandidas Nyayatarkatirtha, Jubilee tol, Berhampur, Khagra, Murshidabad.	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (*)
Rakhahari Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Isanchandra Smritipanchanan, Jubilee tol, Berhampur, Khagra, Murshidabad.	Ditto ...	Smriti (*)
DAULATPUR SARASWAT SAMITI.				
Nripendranath Ghosh ...	2	Pandit Ramcharan Kavyatarkatirtha, Champaful, Khulna.	With the same teacher ...	Supadma.
Kalibar Bandyopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Kshetranath Smrititirtha Tilak, Bawidanga, Khulna.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
Manmathanath Chakravarti	2	Pandit Devnath Smrititirtha, Daulatpur, Khulna.	Ditto ...	Smriti (*)
Nepalchandra Bhattacharyya	2	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
BURDWAN BIJAY CENTRE.				
Abanipati Adhikary ...	2	Pandit Asutosh Kavyatirtha, Anukhal, Burdwan.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdha bodha.
Divakar Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Ramhari Smrititirtha Vejay Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	Ditto ...	Kavya.
Kalipada Sarma ...	2	Pandit Sripatinath Vyakarantirtha, Belut Hatsuria, Bankura.	Ditto ...	Sankshipta sar.
MIDNAPORE VIDYOTSAHINI SABHA.				
Sivaram Mukhopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Rajanikanta Kavyatirtha, Ballavpur, Midnapore.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
GHATAL SANSKRIT SAMITI.				
Abolakanta Chakravarti ...	2	Pandit Gayeswar Kavyatirtha, Tikasi Henria, Midnapore.	With the same teacher ...	Sankshipta sar
Bibhutibhusan Chakravarti ...	2	Pandit Srischandra Tarkatirtha, Narajole, Midnapore.	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
Rakhalchandra Tripathi ...	2	Pandit Aghorenath Kavyabhusana, Kalagechia, Midnapore.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
Santoshkumar Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Rameswar Tarkasiddhanta ...	Ditto ...	Upanisad.
CONTAI SANSKRIT SAMITI.				
Parameswar Tripathi ...	2	Pandit Padmanath Smriti Vyakarantirtha, Paikbar, Contai, Midnapore.	With the same teacher ...	Saraswat.
Durgeshcharan Acharyya ...	2	Pandit Sripaticharan Kavyatirtha, Balageria, Basudevpur, Midnapore.	Ditto ...	Sankshipta sar.
Ramanath Panda ...	2	Pandit Durgadas Vidyaratna, Deulbar, Midnapore.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
Girishchandra Pahari ...	2	Pandit Joynarayan Kavyatirtha, South Khanda, Khorui, Midnapore.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Baikunthanath Misra ...	2	Pandit Sripaticharan Kavyatirtha, Balageria, Basudevberia, Midnapore.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
DACCA.				
Upendranath Bhattacharyya...	2	Pandit Dinanath Vidyabagisa, Dhalchatra Digirpar, Dacca.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Murarimohan Goswami ...	2	Pandit Ramkrishna Tarkatirtha, Saraswat Chatuspathi, Dacca.	Ditto ...	Nyaya.
Rohatikumar Bhattacharyya ...	2	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Samaveda.

Name of stipend-winner	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name and address of teacher	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies	Subject.
	Rs.			
BAKLA ARYYA SAMMILANI SABHA.				
Ramgovinda Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Chintaharan Smrititirtha, Nathullabad, Barisal.	With the same teacher ...	Smriti.
BARISAL DHARMARAKSHINI SABHA.				
Abinashchandra Gangopadhyaya.	2	Pandit Sitanath Kavyatirtha, Kalaskati, Barisal.	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
Ramsankar Thakur Chakravarti.	2	Pandit Harendranath Siddhantabhusana, Kaminisundari Chatuspathi, Barisal	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
Anathbandhu Samaddar ...	2	Pandit Asutosh Kavyatirtha, Khalisakota, Barisal.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
Basantakumar Gupta ...	2	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Narayan Chandra Thakur Chakravarti.	2	Pandit Harendranath Siddhantabhusana and Kamini Kanta Vidyaratna, Kaminisundari Chatuspathi, Barisal.	Ditto ...	Smriti (2)
MYMENSINGH DHARMA SABHA.				
Annadacharan Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Giriudranath Vedantaratna, Durgabari, Mymensingh.	With the same teacher ...	Vedanta.
CHITTAGONG VIDYABENODINI SABHA.				
Jogeshchandra Acharyya ...	2	Pandit Surendramohan Smritiratna, Kharandwip, Chittagong.	With the same teacher ...	Kalap.
Devendra Chandra Chakravarti.	2	Pandit Tripuracharan Kavyatirtha, Sanskrit College, Chittagong.	Ditto ...	Do.
BRAHMANBERIA VIDYOTSAHINI SABHA.				
Govindachandra Chaudhury ...	2	Pandit Gopalchandra Sankhyatirtha, Agartala, Tippera.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Stipends for the encouragement of students in backward localities.				
SRIKHANDA CHAITANYADAINI SABHA.				
Kumarishchandra Bhattacharyya.	2	Pandit Panchanan Kavyasmrititratna, Khatundi Kulai, Burdwan.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhobodha.
MIDNAPORE VIDYOTSAHINI SABHA.				
Surendranath Satpati ...	2	Pandit Mahadev Kavyatirtha, Kendberia Simlapal, Bankura.	With the same teacher ...	Sankshiptasar.
GHATAL SANSKRIT SAMITI.				
Brajanath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Srinath Tarkalankar, Totanalla, Midnapore.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
CONTAI SANSKRIT SAMITI				
Lakshminarain Acharyya ...	2	Pandit Joynarain Kavyatirtha, Southkhanda Khorui, Midnapore.	With the same teacher	Samaveda.
NOAKHALI SUHRID SAMMILANI SABHA.				
Pravatchandra Chakravarti ...	2	Pandit Saradacharan Kavyatirtha, Sonachaka Khilpara, Noakhali.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Angoadhar Chakravarti ...	2	Pandit Ramram Nyayaratna, Haurkhuma, Belonia, Noakhali.	Ditto ...	Ditto.

D

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[To be paid by the Deputy Inspector of Schools.]

Stipends tenable for two years from September 1918.

For merit.

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies	Subject.
		RANGPUR DHARMA SABHA.		
	Rs.			
Thaneswar Dev Goswami ...	4	Pandit Bhabaranjan Tarkatirtha, Paccatol, Rangpur.	With the same teacher ...	Prayogratnamala.
		CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.		
Akhilchandra Goswami ...	4	Pandit Mrityunjoy Smrititirtha, Sanskrit College, Mulajore, 24-Parganas.	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (**).
		NAVADWIP-BIBUDHA JANANI SABHA.		
Krishnadhan Goswami ...	4	Pandit Yogindranath Smrititirtha, Navadwip, Nadia.	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (**).
		Stipends in proportion to passes.		
		CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.		
Jatindranath Chattopadhyaya	3	Pandit Devkrishna Vedantatirtha, 1, Madan Mitra Lane, Calcutta.	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
Gopal Sarma ...	4	Pandit Chandricadutt Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
Satyakinkar Chattopadhyaya...	4	Mahamahopadhyaya Pramathonath Tarkabhusana, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Jogendranath Sankhyatirtha ...	4	Pandit Krishnacharan Tarkalankar, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Smriti (*).
Atulakshya Chakravarti ...	4	Pandit Rajkumar Vedatirtha, Binapani Chatuspathi, Kaikala, Hooghly.	Ditto ...	Suklayaya Veda.
Sankar Sastri Pandey ...	3	Mahamahopadhyaya Lakshman Sastri, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
Brindaban Acharyya ...	3	Pandit Saradacharan Jyotishtirtha, 93-4, Hari Ghose Street, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Jyotish
Jadugopal Vedatirtha ...	3	Private candidate	Private, Chakravartipara, Kalighat, Calcutta.	Sankhya.
Harendrachandra Bhattacharyya.	3	Mahamahopadhyaya Pramathanath Tarkabhusana, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (**).
Charukrishna Bandyopadhyaya	3	Mahamahopadhyaya Sivachandra Sarbavouma, Sanskrit College, Mulajore, 24-Parganas.	Ditto ...	Nyaya (**).
		NAVADWIP BIBUDHA JANANI SABHA.		
Anandagopal Goswami ...	4	Pandit Abibhusan Kavyatirtha, Navadwip, Nadia.	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
Lalitmohan Kavyatirtha ...	4	Pandit Lalitamohan Kaviratna, Navadwip, Nadia.	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
		BERHAMPUR PANDIT SABHA.		
Sivanath Bhattacharyya ...	3	Pandit Isanchandra Smritipanchanan, Jubilee tol, Berhampur, Khagra, Murshidabad.	With the same teacher ...	Smriti (**).
Ramnarain Bhattacharyya ...	3	Pandit Chandidas Nyayatarkatirtha Jubilee tol, Berhampur, Khagra, Murshidabad.	Ditto ...	Nyaya.

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		Stipends in proportion to passes.		
		BURDWAN BEJAY CENTRE.		
	Rs.			
Sushil Krishna Roy ...	3	Pandit Ramhari Smritititirtha, Bejay Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdha-bodha.
Tarapada Vyakarantirtha ...	4	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Smriti.
Haridas Bhattacharyya ...	4	Pandit Rameschandra Vedantatirtha, Bejay Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	Ditto ...	Sankhya.
Narendra Kumar Chakravarti	3	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.
Chintamony Kavya Vyakarantirtha.	3	Pandit Bireswar Tarkatirtha, Bejay Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	Ditto ...	Nyaya.
		GHATAL SANSKRIT SAMITI.		
Tarapada Bhattacharyya ...	3	Pandit Saryyakanta Smritititirtha, Bhemua, Midnapur.	With Pandit Rameswar Tarkasiddhanta, Bhemua, Midnapur.	Sankshipta-sar.
		CONTAI SANSKRIT SAMITI.		
Syamapada Bhattacharyya ...	4	Pandit Sripaticharan Kavyatirtha, Balageria, Basudepur, Midnapur.	With the same teacher ...	Sankshipta-sar.
Devendranath Pahari ...	4	Pandit Devakar Vedantapanchanan, Contai, Midnapur.	Ditto ...	Smriti (¶).
		TILURI BANIBEKAS SANSKRIT SAMITI.		
Bejoy Krishna Chakravarti ...	4	Pandit Gopinath Smritititirtha, Harmasra, Bankura.	With the same teacher ...	Sankshipta-sar.
		BAKLA ARYYA SAMMILANI SABHA.		
Suryyakanta Sarbajna ...	3	Pandit Kasinath Vidyaratna, Chandsi, Barisal	With the same teacher ...	Kalap.
		RAJSHAHI RANI HEMANTA KUMARI SANSKRIT COLLEGE.		
Jogesh Chandra Chakravarti...	3	Pandit Sarada Charan Vidyaratna, Joari, Rajshahi	With the same teacher ...	Mugdha-bodha.
		NOAKHALI SUHRID SAMMILANI SABHA.		
Sotindra Chandra Chakravarti	4	Pandit Yamini Nath Vyakarantirtha, Ghoshkamta, Sonaimuri, Noakhali	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
		Stipends for the encouragement of students in backward localities.		
		COMILLA DHARMA SAMITI.		
Jnanada Charan Bhattacharyya.	3	Pandit Bamacharan Vyakarantirtha, Jaffergunj, Fultoli, Tippera	With the same teacher ...	Kalap.
		RANGPUR DHARMA SABHA.		
Gobinda Nath Bhattacharyya	3	Pandit Bhabaranjan Tarkatirtha, Rangpur	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (¶)
		IDILPUR HITAISINI SABHA.		
Naliniranjan Sen Gupta ...	3	Pandit Navinchandra Tarkaratna, Mulgaon, Gossainhat, Faridpur	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya (¶)
		Stipends for three years reserved for Nyaya.		
		CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.		
Durgasundar Bhattacharyya	3	Pandit Yamininath Tarkabagis, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya.
Harendrachandra Bhattacharyya.	3	Pandit Durgasundar Kritiratna, 62, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Do.
Gurubelas Bhattacharyya ...	3	Mahamahopadhyaya Sivachandra Sarbavouma, Sanskrit College, Mulajore, 24-Parganas.	Ditto ...	Do.
		IDILPUR HITAISINI SABHA.		
Jibankrishna Goswami ...	3	Pandit Annadacharan Tarkabagisa, Mulgaon, Gossainhat, Faridpur.	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya.

HIRALAL MUKHERJEE SILVER MEDAL RESERVED FOR HIRALAL CHATUSPATHI, SRIDHARPUR, BURDWAN.

Awarded to Kalipada Bhattacharyya for Smriti.

E

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Stipends tenable for one year from September 1918.

For merit.

Name and address of teacher.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name of Association.	Subject
	Rs.		
Pandit Bepinchandra Vidyanidhi, Raikali, Bogra ...	8	Rangpur Dharma Sabha ...	Kavya.
,, Dwarkanath Vayasastri, 6-22, Kebal Krishna Sur Street, Calcutta.	8	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	Mugdhabodha.
,, Niranjan Vidyabhusana, Navadwip, Nadia ...	8	Navadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha	Ditto.
,, Padmanath Smriti Vyakarantirtha, Paikbar, Contai, Midnapur.	8	Contai Sanskrit Samiti ...	Saraswat.
,, Saradacharan Kavyajyotishtirtha, 93-4, Hari Ghosh Street, Calcutta.	8	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	Jyotish.
,, Biswanath Thakur, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.	8	Ditto ...	Veda.
,, Manmathanath Jyotishekhar Gambhirnagar, Ghatal, Midnapur.	8	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	Jyotish.
,, Kshetranath Smrititirtha, Tilak, Khulna ...	8	Daulatpur Saraswat Samiti ...	Veda.
,, Durgadas Vidyaratna, Deulbar, Midnapur ...	8	Contai Sanskrit Samiti ...	.....
,, Srishchandra Tarkatirtha, Narajole, Midnapur ...	8	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	Mimansa.

By adding up marks.

Pandit Suryyanarain Smritibhusana, Patna Bazar, Midnapur ...	8	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	.....
,, Tripuracharan Kavya Vyakarantirtha, Sanskrit College, Chittagong.	8	Chittagong Vidyabinodini Sabha	.....
,, Devkrishna Vedantatirtha, 1, Madan Mitra Lane, Calcutta.	8	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	.....
,, Surendramohan Smrititirtha, Kharandwip, Chittagong	8	Chittagong Vidyabenodini Sabha	.....
,, Harendranath Kavya Vyakaran Smrititirtha, Kaminisundari Chatuspathi, Barisal.	8	Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha ...	.....
,, Devnath Smrititirtha, Daulatpur, Khulna ...	8	Daulatpur Saraswat Samiti ...	.....
,, Rampada Tarkatirtha, Bolepur, Birbhum ...	8	Burdwan Bijay Centre ...	.....
,, Karticchandra Smrititirtha, Padurbheri, Janka, Midnapur.	8	Contai Sanskrit Samiti ...	.....
,, Saradacharan Kavyatirtha, Sonachaka, Khilpara, Noakhali.	8	Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha.	.....
,, Pratapchandra Kavyatirtha, Brahmanberia, Tippera ...	8	Brahmanberia Vidyotsahini Sabha.	.....
,, Dhirendranath Kavya Smrititirtha, Tamluk, Midnapur.	8	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	.....
,, Iswarchandra Smrititirtha, Malatinagar, Bagura ...	8	Rangpur Dharma Sabha ...	.....
,, Kalikanta Smritibhusana, Bhatikhain, Chittagong ...	8	Chittagong Vidyabenodini Sabha	.....
,, Saratchandra Chudamani, Hetampur, Birbhum ...	8	Tiluri Banibekas Sanskrit Samiti	.....
,, Upendranath Vyakarantirtha, Gopalchak, Basantia Midnapore.	6	Contai Sanskrit Samiti ...	.....
,, Birnarain Vedantaratna, Bhaitghar Banamalichatta, Midnapur.	6	Ditto ...	.....
,, Bangachandra Vyakarantirtha, Fultali, Jaffarganj, Tippera.	6	Comilla Dharma Samiti ...	.....
,, Umacharan Tarkaratna, Kalisahar, Chittagong ...	6	Chittagong Vidyabenodini Sabha	.....
,, Kalikrishna Tarkatirtha, Gauripur, Mymensingh ...	6	Mymensingh Dharma Sabha ...	.....
,, Sitanath Vedantasastri, Chinsura, Hooghly ...	6	Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha ...	.....
,, Purusotham Vidyaratna, Srinath Vidyalaya, Serampur, Hooghly.	6	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	.....
,, Sasibhusan Seromani, Gangatikuri, Burdwan ...	6	Srikhanda Chaitanyadaini Sabha	.....
,, Purandas Vyakarantirtha, 33, Mohanbagan Lane, Calcutta.	6	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	.....
,, Devakar Vedantapanchanan, Contai, Midnapore ...	6	Contai Sanskrit Samiti ...	.....
,, Ramkanta Tarkatirtha, Panchthupi, Murshidabad ...	6	Berhampur Pandit Sabha ...	.....

Stipends for the encouragement of teachers in backward localities.

Name and address of teacher.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name of Association.	Subject.
Pandit Sitanath Ray Kavyatirtha, Tiluri, Bankura ...	6	Tiluri Bambikas Sanskrit Samiti	.....
,, Tarakeswar Smrititirtha, Patgram, Lechraganj, Dacca.	6	Dacca ...	.....
,, Chintaharan Smrititirtha, Sohagdal, Barisal ...	6	Daulatpur Saraswat Samiti ...	.....
,, Asutosh Smrititirtha, Sangdia, Solarkola, Khulna ...	6	Ditto ...	.....
,, Gopalchandra Sankhyatirtha, Agartala, Tippera ...	6	Brahmanberia Vidyotsahini Sabha	.....
,, Navinchandra Tarkaratna, Mulgaon, Gossainhat, Faridpur.	6	Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha ...	.....
,, Girindranath Vedantaratna, Durgabari, Mymensingh	6	Mymensingh Dharma Sabha ...	.....
,, Janakinath Vidyabhusana, Dhipur, Gossainhat, Faridpur.	6	Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha ...	.....
,, Satischandra Vyakarantirtha, Kissoreganj, Mymensingh.	6	Mymensingh Dharma Sabha ...	.....
,, Jamininath Vyakarantirtha, Ghosekamta Sonaimuri, Noakhali.	6	Noakhali Suhaid Sammilani Sabha	.....

Harakumar Tagore Tol Stipends reserved for the Calcutta Pandit Sabha.

[To be paid by the Principal, Sanskrit College.]

Pandit Jajneswar Vedantabhusana, Konnagar, Hooghly ...	4	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
,, Devicharan Trivedi, Ramdayal Katra, Chinipatti, Barabazar, Calcutta.	4	Ditto ...	.....
,, Pratapchandra Kavya Smrititirtha, 6, Syampukur Street, Calcutta.	4	Ditto ...	.....
,, Durgaprasanna Vyakarantirtha, Saraswat tol, Pabna	4	Ditto ...	.....

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For merit.

Name and address of teacher	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name of Association.	Subject.
	Rs.		
Pandit Bhabaranjan Tarkatirtha, Pacca tol, Rangpur ...	12	Rangpur Dharma Sabha ...	Prayogratnamala.
,, Mritunjoy Smrititirtha, Sanskrit College, Mulajore, 24-Parganas.	12	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	Smriti.
,, Yogindranath Smrititirtha, Navadwip, Nadia ...	12	Navadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha	Do.
,, Sripati Charan Kavyatirtha, Balagaria, Basudevpur, Midnapur.	12	Contai Sanskrit Samiti ...	Sankshiptasar.
,, Durgasundar Kritiratna, 62, Amherst Street, Calcutta	12	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	Nyaya.
,, Chandrika Dutt Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta ...	12	Ditto ...	Mimansa.

By adding up marks.

Pandit Raghubir Vedantatirtha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.	12	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	.....
,, Yogi Jha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta ...	12	Ditto ...	.....
,, Saratchandra Kavya Vyakarantirtha, Navadwip, Nadia	12	Navadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha	.....
,, Lalitmohan Smrititirtha, Rukshminikanta tol, Naogaon, Rajshahi.	12	Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha ...	.....
,, Purusottam Vidyanidhi, Bani tol, Bellyabera, Midnapur.	12	Midnapur Vidyatsahini Sabha ...	.....
,, Sriprasanna Dasgupta, Kavisagar, Bakla, Gaila, Barisal	12	Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha ...	.....
,, Ramlal Smrititirtha, Sripur, Bangram, Khulna ...	12	Daulatpur Saraswat Samiti ...	.....

Name and address of teacher.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name of Association.	Subject.
	Rs.		
Pandit Haripada Smrititirtha, Sanskrit College, Mulajore, 24-Parganas.	12	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	.....
,, Rambari Smrititirtha, Bejay Chatuspathi, Burdwan ...	10	Burdwan Bejoy Centre ...	.. ...
,, Siddhinath Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta ...	10	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	.....
,, Baradakanta Kavyatirtha Mughberia, Midnapur ...	10	Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti ...	... ..
,, Asutosh Kavyatirtha, Khaljsakota, Barisal ...	10	Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha ...	.....
,, Jaynarain Kavyatirtha, South Khanda Kharui, Midnapur.	10	Contai Sanskrit Samiti ...	.. ...
,, Brajaraj Bhagabatratna, Chaitannya Chatuspathi, Navadwip, Nadia.	10	Navadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha	... ..
,, Saradaprasad Vedantabagisa, Premchand Chatuspathi, Lakahya, Midnapur.	10	Baraberia Sanskrit Samiti ...	.....

Stipends reserved for Nyaya.

Mahamahopadhyaya Sivachandra Sarbabhauma. Mullajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.	12	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	.....
Pandit Annadacharan Tarkabagisa, Mulgaon Goosainhat, Faridpur.	10	Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha ...	.....

Stipends for the encouragement of Teachers in backward localities.

Pandit Trailokshyanath Kavya Sankhyatirtha, Sadar, Contai, Midnapur.	10	Contai Sanskrit Samiti ...	.....
,, Mahadev Kavyatirtha, Kendberia Simlapal, Bankura	10	Midnapore Vidyotsahini Sabha ...	.....
,, Kesinath Vidyaratna, Chandsi, Barisal ...	10	Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha ...	.....
,, Surendralal Smrititirtha, Alampur Kelisahar, Chittagong.	10	Chittagong Vidyabinodini Sabha	.....
,, Dwarkanath Vedantatirtha, Bankata Simlapal, Bankura	10	Burdwan Bijoy Chatuspathi ...	.....
,, Ramcharan Kavyatarkatirtha, Champaful, Khulna ...	10	Daulatpur Saraswat Samiti ...	.....

Harakumar Tagore Tol Stipends reserved for the Calcutta Pandit Sabha.

(To be paid by the Principal, Sanskrit College.)

Pandit Dwarkanath Vidyabinode, Champdani Baidyabati, Hooghly.	6	Calcutta Pandit Sabha ...	.....
,, Priyanath Tarkatirtha, Baranagore, 24-Parganas ...	6	Ditto ...	.....
,, Kalicharar Smriti Purantirtha, Agarpara, Kamarhati, 24-Parganas.	5	Ditto ...	.....
,, Rakhaldas Vidyaratna, 118, Kasundia Road, Khoorut, Howrah.	5	Ditto ...	.....
,, Surendranath Kavyatirtha, 22, Jeliatola Street, Simla, Calcutta.	5	Ditto ...	.....

Hiralal Mukherji Tol reward reserved for Hiralal Chatuspathi.

(To be paid by the Secretary, Calcutta Sanskrit Association.)

Pandit Bamandas Smrititarkatirtha ...	12	Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha ...	.....

W. C. WORDSWORTH,

Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,

The 28th September 1918.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the Junior and Senior "Muhammadan Education Fund Scholarships" of Rs. 90 per annum each are awarded to the following students :—

Two Junior Scholarships.

1. Abdul Jabbar. | 2. Safiulla.

Two Senior Scholarships.

1. Md. Moazzam Hossain. | 2. Arshadazzaman Khan.

The scholarships are tenable at the Dacca College for two years with effect from 1st June 1918.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 28th October 1918.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT AND THE MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CALCUTTA SANSKRIT ASSOCIATION.

IT is hereby notified that a centre for holding the Sanskrit Title Examination of subjects of which there are no *viva-voce* tests under the auspices of the Dharma Samiti at the town of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, has been sanctioned by the Council of the Calcutta Sanskrit Association from the year 1920.

SATIS CHANDRA VIDYABHUSANA,
Principal, Sanskrit College, and
Secretary, Calcutta Sanskrit Association.

OFFICE OF THE CALCUTTA SANSKRIT ASSOCIATION, *the 23rd February 1918.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT AND THE MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CALCUTTA SANSKRIT ASSOCIATION.

IT is hereby notified that a centre for holding the Sanskrit First and Second Examinations, under the auspices of the Sanskrit Samiti at the village of Baraberia, (Totanalla P. O.) in the district of Midnapore, has been sanctioned by the Council of the Calcutta Sanskrit Association from the year 1919.

SATIS CHANDRA VIDYABHUSANA,
Principal, Sanskrit College, and
Secretary, Calcutta Sanskrit Association

OFFICE OF THE CALCUTTA SANSKRIT ASSOCIATION, *the 28th September 1918.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab-Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on the 21st day of December 1918, corresponding with the 6th of Paus 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN HIGHAS AND ACRES. B. K. Ch.	A. R. P.	Remarks
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghoosal.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto
3	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 0	0 0 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	0 7 15	0 0 30	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold.
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 8	0 1 24	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 19 15	0 1 12	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 2	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold
18	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	2 0 15	0 3 28	Ditto ditto.
19	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	0 18 0	0 1 5	Ditto ditto.
20	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 32	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 0 18	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 4	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold.
24	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	0 1 2	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	0 12 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest is to be sold.

Dacca, the 25th October 1918.

S. G. HARI, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, at noon, 6th November 1918, corresponding with 20th Kartic 1325 B. S., Wednesday

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and thana	Apportionate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	
3626	Ulashi, police-station Hanskhali ...	7·18	7 13 6	
3627	Hariakhi, police-station Chakdah ...	4·38	4 12 9	
3628	Goalpara, police-station Jibannagar ...	3·43	4 8 0	
3629	Depara, police-station Kotowali ...	2·37	3 4 3	
3630	Durgapur, police-station Krishnaganj ...	8·09	11 12 6	

Krishnagar, the 13th September 1918.

JATINDRA MOHAN SINHA, *for* Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 23nd October 1918.

LIABILITIES

		Rs	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,26,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000 0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs. 2,78,63,273 7 5			
Ditto ditto at Branches „	3,50,73,525 2 11	6,29,36,798	10	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		28,79,55,293	4	5
Bank Post Bills, etc		18,97,038	8	7
Sundries		29,92,443	9	3
		39,78,81,574	0	7

ASSETS

		Rs	A.	P
Government Securities		6,51,73,047	0	0
Other authorized Investments		1,41,96,714	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities		11,89,51,694	10	4
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,98,88,086	8	0
Bills discounted and purchased		2,38,66,785	6	8
Balances with other Banks		65,02,555	15	5
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		28,18,108	11	0
Stamps		12,175	7	1
Sundries		17,83,254	12	11
		29,26,32,422	7	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 3,58,08,068 0 7			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs. 6,94,41,083 8 7	10,52,49,151	9	2
		39,78,81,574	0	7

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs; value Rs 3,77,175 0 0

† Do do. do „ 5,12,655 0 0

Rs. 8,89,830 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent

Percentage 29·62

By order of the Directors.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 24th October 1918

H. FISHER,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer

(2679—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON.

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th October 1918.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS— of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total
Balance of 30th September 1918	27,62,800	91,80,300	3,83,01,800	1,42,05,300	62,55,000	19,55,500	6,26,97,900
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	27,62,800	91,80,300	3,83,01,800	1,42,05,300	62,55,000	19,55,500	6,26,97,900
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 15th October 1918	27,62,800	91,80,300	3,83,01,800	1,42,05,300	62,55,000	19,55,500	6,26,97,900

Particulars.	4 PER CENT.— Terminable Loan of 1918-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	INDIAN WAR LOAN— 5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1922.	SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN— 5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.	Grand Total.
Balance of 30th September 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	9,50,000	7,44,04,700
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	9,50,000	7,44,04,700
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.. ... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 15th October 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	9,50,000	7,44,04,700

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th August 1918—Enfaced from India, 12,430 lakhs, re-transferred from London 13,086 lakhs.
,, 16th August ,, 31st ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 7 lakhs; ,, ,, ,, ...
,, 1st September ,, 15th September ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ...
,, 16th ,, ,, 30th ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 7 lakhs, ,, ,, ,, ...
,, 1st October ,, 15th October ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ...
12,429 lakhs. 13,086 lakhs.

G. A. TAYLOR.
Offg. *Superintendent.*

N. H. Y. WARREN.
Secretary & Treasurer

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 23rd October 1918.

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 283 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Akhoya Kumar Baidya, son of late Krishna Baidya, of Palta, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 21st December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 3rd October 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2642—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 288 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Korman Mullik, son of late Kadir Mallik, of Char Rajarambari, police-station Goalundo, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 21st December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 3rd October 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2643—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 89 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

G. C. Sankey, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Chandra Kanta Majhi, son of late Jabura Majhi, of Hingul Ram, police-station Kurigram, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 14th day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

G. C. SANKEY, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 2nd October 1918. (2630—1)

WANTED one temporary Estimator on Rs. 50 per month and one temporary Draftsman on Rs. 35 per month, in the office of the Executive Engineer, Dacca Division, Dacca. Preference will be given to those who have passed the Sub-Overseer Examination and have had experience in a Public Works Department office. The applications, stating age and past services, with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 31st October 1918.

W. J. KERR.

Executive Engineer, Dacca Division.

Dacca, the 21st October 1918.

Notice.

WANTED 22 temporary Excise Sub-Inspectors at Rs. 50 each per month for not less than two months for the manufacture of *ganja*. One of the selected candidates will have to join on the 1st of December 1918, some on the 2nd of January 1919, and some on later dates. Some of the selected candidates will have to work for six months.

None need apply for the post who has not passed the Matriculation Examination or worked in the same capacity in previous years. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 22nd November 1918.

T. BHATTACHARYYA,

Superintendent of Excise, Naogaon.

Naogaon, the 2nd October 1918.

Notice.

WANTED a Sanitary Officer under the District Board of Howrah having the qualification of a Municipal Health Officer of the 2nd class with medical qualifications on a pay of Rs. 150—10—300 per mensem. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 2nd November next.

A. HENDERSON, Chairman.

Howrah, the 8th October 1918. (2663—2)

Board of Revenue, Bengal.

COURT OF WARDS, BENGAL.

WANTED a Manager for the six-annas Santosh Estate, in the district of Mymensigh, under the Court of Wards, on a monthly salary of Rs. 350. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th November 1918. None need apply who has no experience of Court of Wards or Zamindary work. The selected candidate will be required to join at once and will have to furnish security in cash or promissory notes, for Rs. 10,000.

F. D. ASCOLI,

Offg. Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal

Darjeeling, the 14th October 1918. (2674—3)

Board of Revenue, Bengal.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, under sections 6 and 27 of the Court of Wards Act, IX (B. C.) of 1879, as amended to date, the Court of Wards of Bengal has declared Hemendra Nath Ray Chaudhury, the son of the late Babu Baikunta Nath Ray Chaudhury by adoption made by the late Rani Dinamani Chaudhurani, widow of the said Babu Baikunta Nath Ray Chaudhury of Santosh, in the district of Mymensingh to be a minor ; and

Whereas, under sections 7 and 35 of the said Act, the said Court has assumed charge of the property of the said Hemendra Nath Ray Chaudhury.

Notice is hereby given under section 10A of the said Act that all creditors having claims against the said Hemendra Nath Ray Chaudhury or his immovable property are hereby required to submit the same in writing to the Court of Wards at the office of the Board of Revenue in Calcutta within six months from the date of publication of this notice.

Creditors are also hereby warned that claims not submitted as required by this notice are liable to be deemed to have been duly discharged.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

F. D. ASCOLI, Offg. Secretary.

Darjeeling, the 14th October 1918. (2675—3)

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that in the month of July 1918 a treasure consisting of 15 old silver coins of the value of about Rs. 15 was found near the compound wall of the house of Sittu Asari *alias* Sankaran Asari, in Killaripatti hamlet of Sivoyam village, Kulitalai taluk, Trichinopoly district, Madras Presidency.

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at his office at Trichinopoly on 26th February 1919, with a view to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

H. T. REILLY, Collector.

Trichinopoly Collector's Office, the 16th October 1918.

Notice.

UNDER the King of Oudh's Estate Validation Act (Act No. XII of 1917) the sum of Rs. 77,856 and the interest accrued since 1st January 1914, on a share amounting to Rs. 2,00,000 in a certain Government Promissory Note No. 018878 for Rs. 5,00,000, standing in the name of Malka Kishwar, will be available for distribution from the office of the Collector of the 24-Parganas and Superintendent of Political Pensions to those issues of Malka Kishwar who are descended from her son, the late Wajid Ali Shah, the late King of Oudh, and who are heirs under the Muhammadan Law. Persons entitled to a share in the distribution should apply to the undersigned before the 31st December 1918, in the form shown below :—

1. Name and address of the applicant
2. Relationship with the King of Oudh.
3. The fractional share in the whole amount claimed by the applicant, 1 being taken to represent the whole amount available for distribution.
4. A brief statement showing how the share claimed is arrived at under the Muhammadan law.

W. D. R. PRENTICE,
Collector of the 24-Parganas and
Superintendent of Political Pensions.

Alipore, the 1st October 1918.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 171383 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 10,000 originally standing in the name of Nistariney Dassee, the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to any o her person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of advertiser—Sarat Kumar Das.
Residence—11, Suri Lane, Calcutta.

Calcutta, the 11th October 1918. (2671—3—2562)

Currency Note.

THE following Currency Note of the Calcutta Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of Note.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
WD 4 of 1917-18.	VA 26 31727	10.	Srimati Dayamai Devi, village Nartan, P. O. Kulama, district Sylhet.

N. B. DEANE, Deputy Controller,
In charge Paper Currency, Calcutta.

Paper Currency Department, 8th October 1918.

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails.	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
United Kingdom and Allied Countries, Aden, East Africa, West Africa. Also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom.	Twice daily	8-0	8-30	8-0	...
America, Neutral Countries and Egypt ...	Twice daily	P.M. 6-15	P.M. 7-15	P.M. 5-30	P.M. 6-0
Ceylon	Daily ...	3-0	3-30	2-30	3-0
Australia and New Zealand	Nov. 2nd ...	3-30	4-0	3-0	3-30
Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo-China, China, Japan, etc.	Tuesday ...	4-0	...	3-30	...
Burma	Nov. 1st ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7 0
Port Blair	Do. 1st ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
South Africa†	Do. 2nd ...	4-0	4-30	3-30	4-0

* The late fee is 4 annas for each registered and unregistered article to any place named above, except Aden, Burma, Ceylon and Port Blair, the late fee for which is ½ anna for unregistered articles and 2 annas for registered articles. Letters are accepted with late fee only on occasions when a direct mail is closed by the Calcutta G. P. O. for Foreign Countries

† Correspondence for South Africa posted up to 6-15 P.M. in the Calcutta G. P. O. is despatched to Bombay for transmission by the first available steamer, when there is no direct mail from Calcutta.

Calcutta G. P. O., the 28th October 1918. J. FISHER-RODERICKS, Presidency Post Master.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF SANSKRIT MANUSCRIPTS.

PARTS I, II and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts, the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID, AND QUINOIDINE.

[Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.]

THESE articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona Alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Behar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public

purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the principal druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or pure Amorphous Alkaloid and Residual Alkaloid or Amorphous Cinchona Alkaloid which contains about 40 per cent. of pure Amorphous Alkaloid are for sale to Missionaries and Government institutions only. These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance, but private purchasers may use the V.-P. P. system AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1918 are as follows :—

Sulphate of Quinine.

For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	...	... Rs. 28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs., but below 60 lbs., in one delivery		„ 29 „ „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs. ...	... ...	... „ 30 „ „

Sulphate of Cinchonidine.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... Rs. 11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	... ...	... „ 12 „ „
(Only small quantities available when in stock.)		

Cinchona Febrifuge.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... Rs. 5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs.	... ...	... „ 6 „ „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantities less than 6 lbs.	... ...	... „ 7 „ „
Quinoidine in non Tablet form (when in stock) and Residual Alkaloids...	... ...	... „ 4 „ „

Quinoidine Tablets (when in stock).

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... Rs. 6 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	... „ 7 „ „

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ½-lb., ¼-lb., 1-lb., and 4-lb. tins.

Cinchonidine is available in ½ lb., ¼ lb., and 1 lb. tins.

Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ½-lb., ¼-lb., and 1-lb. tins.

Residual Alkaloid is available in 1-lb., 5-lb., and 10-lb. tins.

Quinoidine is available in 1 lb. tins.

Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1 lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.-P. Post. Price of postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by post. A scale of postage is given below :—

[For ¼ and ½-lb. 4 annas, 1 lb. 6 annas, 2 lbs. 10 annas, 3 lbs. 12 annas, 4 lbs. Re. 1, 5 lbs. Re. 1-4, and for 6 lbs. Re. 1-6.]

	Re.	A.
Quinoidine Tablet 1 lb., weg. 3 lbs., postage	0	10
Ditto 2 lbs., „ 6 „ „	1	0
Ditto 3 „ „ 9 „ „	1	3

Local Sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Monday.

The Calcutta Gazette.

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☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART V.

Acts of the Indian Legislative Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 20th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XVI OF 1918.

An Act to provide for the immediate effect for a limited period of Bills introduced into the Indian Legislative Council which impose or vary certain taxation.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the immediate effect for a limited period of Bills introduced into the Indian Legislative Council which impose or vary certain taxation ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act, 1918

Government taxation Bills to have limited statutory effect

2. When a Bill is introduced into the Indian Legislative Council by a Member of the Executive Council of the Governor General, and such Bill provides for the imposition or variation of any tax in the nature of customs or excise duties, and there is inserted therein a declaration that it is expedient in the public interest that the Bill should have temporary effect under the provisions of this Act, the Bill shall, for the period limited by this section and subject to the provisions of this Act, have effect from the date of its introduction as if it were an Act of the Governor General in Council :

Provided that the Bill shall cease to have such effect if it is rejected by the said Council, or is not passed into law within thirty days from the date of introduction :

Provided further that, if the Bill is passed into law by the said Council in a modified form, the Bill shall be deemed to have effect under this Act as so modified.

Repayment of money paid where Bill ceases to have statutory effect.

3. (*1*) Where under this Act a Bill to which this Act applies ceases to have effect thereunder, any money paid in pursuance of the Bill shall be repaid or made good, and any deduction made in pursuance of the Bill shall be deemed to be an unauthorised deduction

(*2*) Where the tax as imposed by the Bill is modified by the Act passed by the Indian Legislative Council, any money which has been paid in pursuance of the Bill which would not have been payable under the new conditions affecting the tax shall be repaid or made good ; and any deduction made in pursuance of the Bill shall, so far as it would not have been authorised under the new conditions affecting the tax, be deemed to be an unauthorised deduction.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 20th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XVII OF 1918.

An Act to restrict temporarily the persons who may engage in business connected with certain non-ferrous metals and metallic ores.

WHEREAS it is expedient to restrict temporarily the persons who may engage in business connected with certain non-ferrous metals and metallic ores ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title, extent, commencement and duration.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Non-ferrous Metal Industry Act, 1918 ;

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India, including British Baluchistan ;

(*3*) It shall come into force on the first day of October, 1918 ; and

(*4*) It shall be in force during the continuance of the present war, and for a period of five years thereafter.

Definitions.

2. (*1*) In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*a*) "Indian company" means a company as defined in section 2 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913. VII of 1913

(*b*) "Licence" means a licence granted under this Act, and "licensed" and "licensee" have corresponding meanings.

(*c*) "Prescribed" means prescribed by rules made under this Act.

(*d*) The expression "share warrants to bearer" includes any bearer securities which confer on the holder thereof any voting power with respect to the management of the company.

Metals and ores to which the Act applies.

3. The metals and ores to which this Act applies are zinc, copper, tin, lead, nickel and aluminium and any other non-ferrous metals and ores to which this Act may be applied by the Governor General in Council by notification in the Gazette of India :

Provided that the expression "metal" shall not include metal which has been subjected to any manufacturing process, except such as may be prescribed ; and that the expression "ore" shall include concentrates, mattes, precipitates and other intermediate products.

Prohibition against dealing in certain metals without a licence.

4. (*1*) It shall not be lawful for any person, after the expiration of six months from the commencement of this Act or such longer period, as the Governor General in Council may generally or in any particular case allow, to carry on the business of winning, extracting, smelting, dressing, refining or dealing by way of wholesale trade in metal or metallic ore to which this Act applies, unless licensed to do so in accordance with the provisions of this Act :

Provided that the purchase or sale of metal shall not be deemed to be dealing in such metal where such purchase or sale is incidental only to the trade carried on by the purchaser or seller :

Provided further that no licence shall be required when the winning, extracting, smelting, dressing, refining, or dealing is carried on wholly outside India

(*2*) In the case of a person with respect to whom any of the conditions set forth in the Schedule apply, or who is controlled by a person in respect of whom any such conditions apply, no licence shall be granted, unless the Governor General in Council is of opinion that the grant of a licence is expedient.

(*3*) Save as provided in sub-section (*2*) any person carrying on or proposing to carry on a business to which sub-section (*1*) applies shall, on making application to the Local Government in the prescribed manner, and on furnishing such information and allowing inspection of such books and documents as the Local Government require, and on payment of the prescribed fee, which shall not exceed rupees fifteen, be entitled to a licence.

(*4*) A licence shall remain in force unless and until it is suspended or revoked.

(*5*) The Governor General in Council may revoke or suspend any licence granted in accordance with sub-section (*2*) if he is satisfied that such a course is expedient, or any licence granted under sub-section (*3*) if he is satisfied, on grounds not before the Local Government at the time the licence was granted, that the licensee is or has become subject to any of the conditions set forth in the Schedule.

(*6*) The decision of the Governor General in Council shall be final on the following questions, namely :—

(*a*) whether or not the business carried on by any person is such as to require a licence or not ; or

(*b*) whether or not any of the conditions set forth in the Schedule apply in respect of any person ; or

(*c*) whether or not any person is controlled by a person in respect of whom any such conditions apply.

(*7*) The Local Government shall publish in the prescribed manner the name of any person to whom a licence has been granted, or whose licence has been suspended or revoked under this Act.

Power to require information and inspection of documents.

5. (*1*) The Governor General in Council or the Local Government may, by order in writing, require the applicant for a licence or a licensee, or any person who, being a director, partner, manager or officer of, or the holder of or a person interested in shares or securities of, any company, or firm, which has applied for the grant of a licence, or to which a licence has been granted under this Act, or by which the applicant or licensee is controlled, or being the manager of the business carried on by an individual applicant or licensee, is able to give any information as to the constitution, control or management of the

company or firm, or the business carried on by the company, firm, or individual, or the beneficial interest of any person in such business or in any shares or securities of the company or firm, to furnish such information within such time as may be specified in the order.

(2) Any person authorised by the Governor General in Council or the Local Government in this behalf may, for the purpose of verifying or obtaining information of the nature referred to in sub-section (1), inspect any books and documents belonging to or under the control of such company, firm or individual, the inspection of which may reasonably be required for the said purpose.

Provisions as to share warrants to bearer

6. (1) An Indian company carrying or any business to which section 4 (1) applies which has issued share warrants to bearer may give notice requiring the holders of such share warrants to surrender the same for cancellation, and to have their names entered in the register of members in respect of the shares included in such warrants.

(2) Such notice shall be given by advertisement in the Gazette of India and by any other method by which notices to or for the information of holders of share warrants to bearer are required to be given by the regulations of the company or the conditions of issue of such warrants.

(3) Where notice has been given under this section, no person shall, as holder of a share warrant, be entitled to attend or vote at any meeting of the company, and any dividends or interest which may become payable in respect of any shares represented by share warrants shall be retained by the company until such share warrants have been surrendered for cancellation.

Provisions as to declarations by share-holders.

7. (1) An Indian company carrying on any business to which section 4 (1) applies may give notice requiring a share-holder or debenture-holder to make a declaration in writing duly signed with his usual signature as to the beneficial ownership of the shares or debentures standing in his name and as to the nationality of such beneficial owner.

(2) Such notice shall be given by any method by which notices to or for the information of holders of shares or debentures are required to be given by the regulations of the company or the conditions of issue of the debentures.

(3) Where notice has been given under this section, no person shall, as holder of a share, be entitled to attend or vote at any meeting of the company, and any dividends or interest which may become payable in respect of any shares or debentures shall be retained by such company until the share-holder or debenture-holder shall have made such declaration as aforesaid.

(4) For the purposes of this section the expressions "shares" and "debentures" include stock and debenture stock, and "share-holder" and "debenture-holder" have corresponding meanings.

Information obtained under the Act not to be disclosed.

8. No information as to any person or business obtained in accordance with the provisions of section 5 or section 7 shall be published or disclosed, except for the purposes of a prosecution under this Act.

Penalties.

9. (1) Any person who—

(a) carries on the business of winning, extracting, smelting, dressing, refining or dealing in any metal or metallic ore in contravention of this Act; or

(b) refuses or neglects to furnish any information, which by an order under section 5 is required to be furnished, within the time specified in such order or knowingly furnishes any such information which is false in any material particular; or

(c) having the custody of any book or document which a person is authorised to inspect under section 5 refuses or neglects to produce the book or document for inspection; or

(d) fraudulently uses or permits to be fraudulently used any licence issued under this Act; or

(e) makes a declaration in compliance with a notice under section 7 which is false, and which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true; or

(f) in contravention of section 8 knowingly publishes or discloses any information obtained in accordance with the provisions of this Act,

shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with both.

(2) Where the person guilty of an offence under this Act is a company, every director, manager, secretary and other officer thereof who is knowingly a party to the default shall also be guilty of the like offence and liable to the like punishment.

Cognisance of offences against the Act.

10. No Court shall take cognisance of any offence punishable under this Act, unless the Local Government has by order in writing consented to the initiation of the proceedings.

Power to make rules

11. (1) The Governor General in Council shall make rules for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules shall provide for—

(a) the levying of fees in respect of licences issued under this Act;

(b) excluding from dealings by way of wholesale trade within the meaning of this Act, dealings in quantities below such limits as may be specified generally or in respect of any particular metal or metallic ore; and

(c) any matter which under this Act may be prescribed.

SCHEDULE

Interpretation.

In this Schedule "Capital" in relation to a company means any shares or securities issued by the company which carry or would, if necessary

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 20th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XIX OF 1918.

An Act further to amend the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 ; It is hereby enacted as follows :— of 1917.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Indian Defence Force (Further Amendment) Act, 1918.

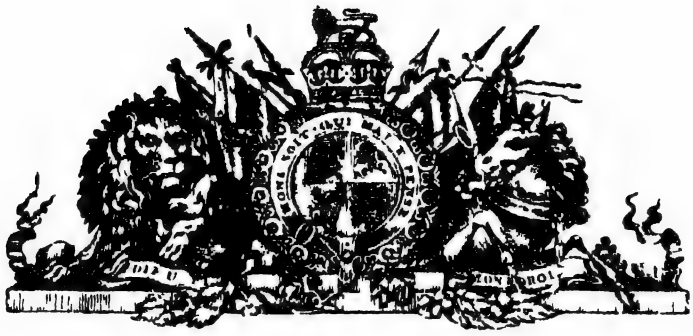
Insertion of new section 11-A. in Act III of 1917.

2. After section 11 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, the following section shall be inserted, namely :— III of 1917.

Enrolment of European British subjects above the age of 50 years

"11-A. Any European British subject who for the time being has attained the age of 50 years may offer himself for enrolment for general military service or local military service, and may be enrolled accordingly in the prescribed manner, and any person so enrolled shall be liable to all the obligations imposed on persons deemed to be enrolled for general military service or local military service within the meaning of this Act, as the case may be, and shall continue to be so liable until relieved thereof in the prescribed manner."

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.



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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st October 1918.*

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER—APPROACHES TO THE WHANGPOO.

Quarantine Anchorage—Quarantine Upper Buoy to be discontinued.

No. 331 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 667 of 1918) that on or about 5th October 1918 the Quarantine Upper Buoy, marking the upper limit of the Quarantine Anchorage and the northern side of the channel, approaches to the Whangpoo, Yangtze River, will be permanently discontinued.

PERSIAN GULF.

Bandar Abbas—Wreck no longer exists; Buoy laid temporarily.

No. 332 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 87-M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former R. I. M. Notice No. 80-M. of 1918. (*This office No. 273 of 1918.*)

(*a*) Wreck, non-existence of—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles and 3 cables 138° (S. 44° E. Mag.) from British Consulate Flag Staff in 22 feet L. W. O. S.

Details.—The wreck of the sunken dhow formerly situated in the above position does not exist and is to be expunged from the charts.

(*b*) Buoy laid temporarily—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles and 8 cables 133½° (S. 48½° E. Mag.) from British Consulate Flag Staff in 24 feet L. W. O. S.

Lat. 27° 9′ 46″ N.
Long. 56° 19′ 59″ E. } On chart No. 3599.

Description.—A mooring buoy painted red.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 3599, plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.
„ 2837a, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 202.

Authority.—The Senior Marine Transport Officer, Bandar Abbas, dated 26th September 1918.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Acting Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 14th October 1918.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST.

Reef reported.

No. 330 (*second publication*).—The Portmaster, Brisbane, has given Notice (No. 8 of 1918) that the Master of a steamship has reported the discovery of a submerged coral reef in lat. 21° 12′ S., long. 152° 47′ E., Lady Elliott Lighthouse, bearing N. 30° W. magnetic, distance 5½ miles. The reef extends over 200 ft. in a north and south direction, and has a depth of 30 ft. to 34 ft. over it at half flood neap tide.

Charts affected.—Nos. 345 and 2763; Australia Directory, Volume II.

The 7th October 1918.

PERSIAN GULF—SHATT-AL-ARAB RIVER ENTRANCE.

Additional Buoy laid; Amended position of Fairway Gas Buoy and Light-Vessel.

No. 319 (*third publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 84M. of 1918), are republished:—

Former R. I. M. Notice to Mariners No. 41-M. of 1917. (*This office No. 67 of 1917*).

(*a*) Additional buoy laid on the Outer Bar:—

Description.—Black Can, Port hand buoy numbered '3'.

Position.—At a distance of about 7·6 cables 168° (S 14° E. Mag.) from No. 4 Gas Buoy in 9 feet of water at L. W. O. S.

Note.—The buoys marking the channel over the bar and into the Shatt-al-Arab river are now laid as follows:—

Port hand buoys are Black in colour and can buoys; and Starboard hand buoys are Red in colour and conical buoys. Nos. 5, 6, 7, Black Can Buoys are Port hand buoys and not Starboard hand buoys as shown on Admiralty Chart No. 1235.

(*b*) *Amended position of Fairway Gas Buoy* :—
Lat. 29° 47′ 57″ N.
Long. 48° 44′ 52″ E.

(*c*) *Amended position of Light-Vessel* :—
Lat. 29° 43′ 56″ N.
Long. 48° 48′ 20″ E.

Variation.—2° E.
Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.
Publications.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 281.
Indian List of Lights, 37th issue, 1918 (in the Press).
Authority.—The Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay. Dated 18th September 1918.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER.

Entrance to the Whangpoo, Lismore Flats—Lismore light-boat discontinued; Light-buoy established.

No. 320 (third publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 666 of 1918) that the Lismore Light-boat, moored off the northern edge of the Lismore Flats, southern side of the entrance to the Whangpoo, Yangtze River, has been discontinued.

In its place a *black* Buoy, gas-lighted, with a *black* spherical daymark surmounting the lantern, has been established.

This Buoy will exhibit an occulting *white* light every 8 seconds thus :—

light, 4 secs. — eclipse 4 secs

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND—KAWAU BAY APPROACH, NORTH CHANNEL.

Maori Rock—Buoy established.

No. 321 (third publication.)—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 940 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about one cable south-eastward from Maori Rock.
Lat. 36° 23′ 00″ S., long. 174° 51′ 42″ E.
Description.—A red can buoy.
Remarks.—The beacon formerly marking this rock has disappeared and is to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 1998, Omaha Bay to Tiri-Tiri Matangi.
„ 3565, Bream Head to Tepaki Point.
„ 2543, Maunganui Bluff to Manukau Harbour, etc.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 80.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 30 of 1918. (*H. 3870-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS, VANUA LEVU.

Savu Savu Bay—Beacons erected.

No. 322 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 944 of 1918), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On edge of Point Reef, at a distance of 13 cables, 254° (*S. 64° W. Mag.*), from Via Via islets+.
Lat. 16° 49½′ S., long. 179° 16½′ E.
Description.—An iron beacon, surmounted by a drum.

(*b*) *Position.*—On the southern side of the entrance to Na Kama Creek, at a distance of one cable and 55 yards, 311° (*N. 59° W. Mag.*), from the centre of the building marked "Naveria" on the charts.

Description.—An iron beacon.

Variation.—10° E.

Charts affected.—No. 727, Plans of Savu Savu Bay, Valanga and Savareka-Reka Bays, and Na Kama Creek.
„ 382, Vanua Levu (central portion), etc.
„ 440, Fiji Islands—eastern group, northern portion.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, pages 146, 147.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3172-18.*)

INDIA, WEST COAST—GOA COAST.

St. George Islands—Correction to Chart No. 492 with regard to depth off.

No. 323 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 951 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 8¼ cables, 338° (*N. 22° W. Mag.*), from the centre of St. George Reef.
Lat. 15° 21¾′ N., long. 73° 47′ E.

Correction.—On Chart No. 492 a depth of 1¾ fathoms is incorrectly shown in the above position; the correct depth is 4¾ fathoms, and the chart is to be corrected accordingly.

Variation.—Nil.

Chart affected.—No. 492, Aguada to St. George Islands, etc.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4224-18.*)

JAPAN, KIUSIU—EAST COAST.

Aburatsu Harbour—Existence of a rock.

No. 324 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 960 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of $1\frac{9}{10}$ cables, 90° (*S. 86° E. Mag.*), from the southern extremity of Yakata bai.
Lat. 31° 32′ N., long. 131° 24′ E.

Depth.—4¼ fathoms.

Remarks.—A rock with a depth of 4¾ fathoms exists at a distance of about half a cable westward of the above 4¼-fathom rock; these two rocks are connected together.

Variation.—4° W.

Chart affected.—No 626, Plan of Aburatsu Harbour.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 90.

Authority.—Tokyo, Notice No. 56 of 1918. (*H. 3638-18.*)

NEW GUINEA, NORTH-WEST COAST—WAIGIU ISLAND.

Offak Harbour, Port Fofaag—Existence of a rock.

No. 325 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 965 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 2¾ cables, 240° (*S. 58° W. Mag.*), from the summit of the small islet off Fofaag Point.
Lat. 0° 03¾′ S., long. 130° 43¾′ E.

Description.—A rock awash.
Variation.—2° E.
Chart affected.—No. 912, Plan of Offak Harbour.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 252.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1005 of 1918. (*H 4361-18.*)

CHINA SEA—SOUTH NATUNA ISLANDS.

Subi Besar—Non-existence of Reef reported westward of.

No. 326 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 966 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 619 of 1918. (*This office No. 225 of 1918.*)
Position on charts.—At a distance of about 8¼ miles westward of Bakau Islet.
Lat. 2° 54′ N., long. 108° 35½′ E.
Details.—An examination of the locality has failed to find any trace of the existence of the reef reported in the former Notice, and the reef is to be expunged from the charts.
Charts affected.—No. 2104, Tanjong Bayung to Tanjong Datu.
„ 2660*a*, China Sea, southern portion—western sheet.
„ 1263, China Sea.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, northern portion.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 60.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 950 of 1918. (*H. 4281-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS, VITI LEVU.

Lauthala Harbour Entrance, N'Dareta Nukumbutho—Beacon and Buoys established.

No. 327 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 969 of 1918), are republished :—

1. Beacon :
Position (approximate).—On eastern side of passage.
Lat. 18° 10′ 30″ S., long. 178° 28′ 38″ E.
Description.—A white beacon.

2. Buoys :
(*a*) *Position (approximate).*—On eastern side of passage.
Lat 18° 11′ 03″ S., long. 178° 28′ 32″ E.
Description.—A white can buoy.
(*b*) *Position (approximate).*—On western side of passage.
Lat. 18° 10′ 45″ S., long. 178° 28′ 23″ E.
Description.—A spar buoy, colour not stated.
(*c*) *Position (approximate).*—On western side of passage.
Lat. 18° 11′ 02″ S., long. 178° 28′ 26″ E.
Description.—A black can buoy.

Note.—The following note is to be inserted on Chart No. 1757 :—
"*Posns. of Bn. and Buoys are approximate.*"
Charts affected.—No. 1757, Nukulau Island to Namuka Island, etc.
„ 167, Kandavu Island and passage.
„ 905, Suva Harbour to Levuka.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 116.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3171-18.*)

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN—FIJI ISLANDS, VANUA LEVU.

Mbutha Bay—Reef marked by Beacon.

No. 328 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 977 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—South-eastward of Nukindam.
Lat. 16° 38′ 45″ S , long. 179° 52′ 45″ E.
Depth.—7 feet.
Note.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet is to be inserted on the chart.
Remarks.—This reef, which is of small extent, is marked by an iron beacon surmounted by a drum.
Chart affected. –No. 440, Fiji Islands, eastern group.
Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 161.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3284-18.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Ombai Passage—Breakers reported.

No. 329 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 981 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Westward of Fatu St. Antonio Point.
Lat. 8° 52′ 30″ S., long. 124° 58′ 30″ E.
Details.—Breakers were observed in the above position, apparently indicating the existence of a reef.
Note.—The position on the chart is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "*Breakers reported (1918).*"
Chart affected.—No. 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago, sheet III.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 299.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 960 of 1918. (*H. 4297-18.*)

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Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

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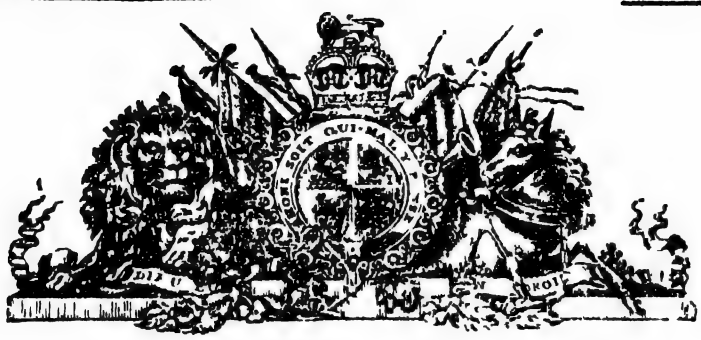

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE PUBLIC SERVICES COMMISSION.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 28TH OCTOBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 5825A.

READ—

Report of the Royal Commission on the Public Services in India.

Report on Indian Constitutional Reforms.

THE Governor in Council has had under consideration the recommendations of the Public Services Commission relating to the Police Service, as contained in annexure XVI to their report, and this resolution is published in order to give the public interested an opportunity of expressing their views on the more important questions involved. By way of concentrating attention on the considerations which may be adduced in connection with different issues, these are briefly set forth below.

2. In regard to the organization of the department, the Commission recommended that the present division of the service into imperial and provincial branches should be retained. This arrangement was accepted by most of the witnesses and was said to be working satisfactorily in practice. Mr. Abdur Rahim, however, in his minute of dissent preferred a division of the services into class I and class II, and proposed to include in the former the holders of superior appointments only and in the latter to group the holders of all the inferior appointments, whether recruited in England or in India. In other words, he desired to see the Assistant and Deputy Superintendents classed together. This desire was voiced by some of the provincial service officers who gave evidence before the Commission, and their claim has been taken up and pressed in other quarters. It appears to be based on a single phrase used in the orders passed on the report of the Police Commission of 1902-03, where it was stated that the functions and departmental status of Deputy Superintendents would be similar to those of Assistant Superintendents. The Police Commission were impressed by the advantages of recruiting the superior police service from Englishmen by open competition in England, and condemned both competition among nominated candidates in India and promotion from the subordinate ranks. On these bases, they developed the idea of a cadre of European Superintendents fed by European Assistant Superintendents recruited in England. They foresaw, however, two consequences of this change :—

(*i*) there would not be enough Assistant Superintendents to provide all the superior assistance required by Superintendents ;

(*ii*) Indians would be excluded from the superior ranks of the police.

To meet these difficulties, and with the precedent of the executive Provincial Civil Service before them, the Commission proposed the creation of the Provincial Police Services. They did not contemplate literal and absolute equality between junior officers of the imperial service and provincial service officers. The provincial service were to be a class of officers recruited for assistants' (not Superintendents') work ; fifty per cent. of them were to be promoted inspectors and only selected officers were to be promoted to the rank of Superintendent. No claim of complete equality can be admitted on the basis of this report therefore, when the objects of constituting the services were diverse, when the prospects of the provincial service officers and those of Assistant Superintendents were defined in entirely different terms, and when most of the provincial service men were to find a career within the bounds of the service itself. It is now necessary to consider the question of the admission of Indians into the imperial service, but this does not affect the necessity for the retention of a provincial service. If Indians are recruited for the imperial service, the division between the two services will, however, be based on the nature of the work to be done and not on a racial distinction.

3. The imperial branch of the police service is at present recruited from three sources :—

(1) The great majority of officers are appointed on the results of a competitive examination held annually in London. Every candidate has to be over 19 and under 21 years of age, and must be a British subject of European descent whose father was at the time of the candidate's birth a British subject.

(2) Not more than 5 per cent. of the cadre is recruited by promotion from the provincial service.

(3) The Government of India have power to nominate a certain number of candidates without examination from the domiciled European community ; such nominations are limited to one for each province annually. This method of appointment has been rarely exercised in recent years.

The recommendations of the Commission were—

(*i*) That the annual competitive examination should no longer be restricted to persons of European descent, but should be open to natives of India who have been educated in the United Kingdom for a period of five years prior to the examination In other respects the Commission considered the present regulations suitable.

(*ii*) That the Government of India should make a more liberal use of its power to nominate candidates, and that this power should be extended so as to admit of the nomination of natives of India.

(*iii*) That the percentage of officers promoted from the provincial service should be raised first to 10 per cent. and ultimately to 20 per cent. of the whole service.

The Commission considered that the imperial police service was one of the services in the high r ranks of which the nature of British responsibility for the good governance of India required the employment of a preponderating proportion of British officers, and they were satisfied with the *personnel* which the existing examination supplies. They were, therefore, in favour of retaining the competitive examination as the main channel of recruitment. At the same time, they recognised that the regulations worked hardly in the case of persons of mixed descent resident in Great Britain and were unpopular with Indians. They, therefore, proposed the modification of the regulations so as to permit Europeans of mixed descent and Indians of pure Asiatic descent to compete, provided they had been educated in the United Kingdom for a period of five years prior to the examination. But realising that this in itself might not result in any substantial increase in the proportion of Indians in the service, they recommended in addition increased recruitment in India.

4. The method of recruitment for the imperial police service has come under consideration at intervals during the last thirty years, and the view has prevailed that the European element should predominate in the higher ranks of the service. It is now, however, necessary to review the position in the light of present day conditions and, in particular, of the recommendations made in paragraphs 313 to 317 of the report on Constitutional Reforms. The racial discrimination which at present exists in the regulations of the competitive examination would to a great extent be removed if the recommendations of the Public Services Commission were adopted, but the proposal that the competitive test should be open only to such Indians as have been educated in the United Kingdom for five years prior to the examination would still retain an element of discrimination against the Indian. Even if, as has been suggested, the period were reduced to two years, the proposal would still be objectionable in principle. It has therefore been suggested that the Commission's recommendation should be adopted without such qualification, and that the examination should be thrown open to Europeans of British descent, Indians and Anglo-Indians on absolutely equal terms.

5. In paragraph 316 of their report His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State have recommended that in the case of all public services for which there is recruitment in England open to Europeans and Indians alike, a definite percentage of recruitment should be made in India. The Public Services Commission, on the assumption that the admission of Indians to the competitive examination in England would probably be restricted by insistence on the five years' residential qualification referred to, proposed that recruitment for the imperial service in India should be both direct and by promotion from the provincial service. If, however, Indians are admitted to the examination in England on equal terms with Europeans of British descent, it seems doubtful whether direct recruitment in India is

necessary or desirable. As it is, young men of good educational and social qualifications come forward for the provincial police service in numbers largely exceeding the vacancies available, and there would seem to be no advantage in putting a small proportion of these direct into the imperial service. So far as initial qualifications go, there would be little, if any, difference between candidates appointed direct to the imperial service as assistant superintendents and those appointed to the provincial service as deputy superintendents, and the latter would naturally regard the former with some feelings of jealousy and resentment. If, therefore, Indians are admitted to the competitive examination in England without restriction, it would seem best to recruit for the imperial service in India solely by promotion from the provincial service.

6. In that case, it only remains to consider what proportion of superintendentships should be reserved for members of the provincial service, and it is not easy to fix a proportion while the effect of throwing open to Indians the competitive examination in England is still an unknown quantity. If it were found that Indians were entering the service in large numbers by the competitive test in England, it might be necessary to reduce the percentage of recruitment in India, but such action would inevitably cause dissatisfaction to the provincial service. The existing proportion of superintendents' posts open to the provincial service is 5 per cent., and it would seem best to increase the percentage cautiously and gradually, in order to afford time in which to test the effect of the contemplated changes on the administration.

7. The mode of making appointments in India is a matter of great importance So far as officers promoted from the provincial service are concerned, appointments must be by nomination. But if it is decided to make direct appointments in addition, there is the choice between examination, nomination, and a combination of examination and nomination. The Commission recommended a system of nomination. Mr. Chaubal in his minute of dissent advocated an extension of the competitive system wherever possible. Mr. Abdur Rahim did not contemplate a system of direct appointment to the superior service, but for the Indian recruitment to his class II, from which class I of the service was to be recruited, he recommended the utilization of selection committees. It has at times been suggested that the whole service should be recruited by simultaneous examinations in England and in India, but the objections which apply to simultaneous examinations in the case of the Indian Civil Service apply with much greater force in that of the police. The question of the methods to be adopted for the recruitment of the public services in India is a general one, and as such will come under consideration separately, but, as at present advised, the Local Government are inclined to favour a combination of examination and nomination, coupled with adequate safeguards for securing a due representation of the various communities in the public services. In any case, a system of pure competition is scarcely suitable for the police service in existing conditions.

8. There is reason to believe that in regard to the pay of the imperial police service the Public Services Commission purposely confined themselves to the removal of minor anomalies and defects on account of the short time which had elapsed since the reorganization of the service in 1905. Through increased lapse of time this reason is now less cogent. Further, conditions have so altered since 1915, that it is extremely doubtful whether the rates of pay proposed by the Commission will be adequate to attract the right type of recruit in future. The Commission's proposals have been received with disappointment and dissatisfaction by the officers of the imperial service, and His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State, in paragraph 319 of their report, have recognised the need for improving the conditions of the European services generally if they are to continue to

attract the type of men required. It is not proposed at this stage to examine in detail the Commission's proposals in the matter of pay, but it is necessary to give some indication of the manner in which the passage of time and recent political developments have affected the position. First, it has been urged with some reason that the position of the officers in the upper grades of Superintendent of Police has become one of considerable hardship. In the early years of his service, it is said, a police officer is well off as compared with officers of equal age in other services. But among officers of from thirteen years' service and upwards there is stagnation and some penury, with the natural consequence of discouragement, loss of keenness and deterioration. If this is a true picture, then the Commission's proposals would do little to bring relief where it is most required. They have been criticised especially on two grounds: (1) that a compartment system will maintain blocks in promotion, (2) that the proposed scale is inadequate. The substitution of an incremental for a graded system of pay is a move in the right direction, but there would appear to be grave defects in an incremental system divided into compartments, unless there is a definite provision to meet the case of officers whose promotion is blocked through no fault of their own, and who find themselves still in an inferior appointment long after the period of service at which they had a right to expect promotion to the higher grade. The Commission have not examined this point, but His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State have dealt with it in paragraph 319 of their report, and have suggested a method by which the difficulty might be overcome. They suggest, and the remarks appear to have particular force in respect of the police service, that (1) the junior scale should be continued until a senior post is actually obtained, and (2) that the higher responsibility of the senior post should be marked by the grant of an additional allowance over and above the time scale. The same result can be obtained by separate but overlapping scales so designed that the difference between the junior and senior scales would be a constant figure. The figures given below, which, however, are used purely for the purpose of illustration, indicate how the proposal would work in practice:—

Year of service.	Junior scale.	Senior scale.	Year of service.	Junior scale.	Senior scale.
1	300	...	12	600	750
2	350	...	13	650	800
3	400	...	14	700	850
4	400	...	15	750	900
5	450	600	16	800	950
6	450	600	17	...	1,000
7	500	650	18	...	1,050
8	500	650	19	...	1,100
9	550	700	20	...	1,150
10	550	700	21	...	1,200
11	600	750	22	...	1,250

In this scale what His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State have termed an allowance to mark the higher responsibility of the senior post would be the difference of Rs. 150 between the junior and senior scales in any year in which they overlapped; and in the case of an officer who had not been confirmed in a superior appointment this amount would be regarded technically as an acting allowance. Such a system would be very simple in practice. It would require only the simple rules that (1) an officer holding an inferior appointment would draw pay according to the junior scale and an officer holding a superior appointment according to the senior scale; and (2) an officer holding an inferior appointment who had not been declared fit to hold a superior appointment would not draw more than a fixed amount, say Rs. 600. It would equalise, so far as this is possible, the prospects of officers in different provinces and at different times, and it ensures that an officer will never lose more than Rs. 150 per mensem owing to slowness of promotion and that, when this promotion does come, he is restored to the pay which he would have attained had promotion been normal. An arrangement on these

lines would *primâ facie* seem to have advantages over the Commission's scale.

9. The inadequacy of the scales proposed by the Commission has been the subject of comment, and the following alternative proposals have been received :—

(*i*) It has been suggested that (*a*) ordinary promotion, on an incremental scale, should go up to Rs. 1,200, (*b*) there should be a minimum pay of Rs. 1,000 for the two or three charges in each province in which work is most responsible and the cost of living highest, (*c*) there should be a selection grade on an incremental scale from Rs. 1,300 to 1,500.

(*ii*) In another case the following scale has been suggested :—

Rs. 300—40—700 (in the eleventh year)—50—1,250 (in the twenty-second year), with a selection grade on Rs. 1,400. This scale is based on the scales of the Imperial Forest Service and Public Works Department, retarded by two years on account of the difference of age on entry, and assumes that an officer has a right to expect to hold a superior appointment from his ninth year and will usually act for two years before he is confirmed.

(*iii*) The third scale put forward is Rs. 300—50—1,500, with no selection grade.

These suggestions raise two questions, the first of which is whether a few of the most responsible and most expensive charges should carry with them a minimum pay of Rs. 1,000 per mensem. The reason for this proposal is that a junior officer, who has been specially selected for a difficult post, should not be penalised thereby and driven into debt at an early stage of his career. The present system is to compensate officers posted to the more expensive stations by special allowances. The amount of the allowance so given would not ordinarily bring the pay of a junior officer up to Rs. 1,000, but it is for consideration whether the system of allowances apart from the question of their adequacy is not more suitable than that of a minimum pay. The former certainly has this advantage in that it benefits officers of whatever period of service and not only those in the junior ranks. Secondly, there is some difference of opinion as to the desirability of retaining the selection grade. The comparative lack of higher posts in the police service is an argument for the retention of such a grade, but against this has to be considered the further fact that there is a tendency for these grades to become the last stage in the official career of mediocre officers who are passed over for higher posts.

10. The Commission have proposed that Deputy Inspectors-General should be placed on an incremental scale of Rs. 1,500—100—2,000 per month. Other suggestions received have been : (*i*) that the scale should be Rs. 1,800—100—2,000 or even Rs. 1,800—100—2,200, and (*ii*) that the graded system should be retained, but that the pay of the grades should be raised from Rs. 1,500 and Rs. 1,800 to Rs. 1,600, Rs. 1,700, Rs. 1,800 and Rs. 2,000.

11. In paragraph 322 of their report, His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State have suggested as a general principle that the standard scales of pay of the services generally should be fixed with reference to Indians recruited in India at rates sufficient to attract the best men available and to give them an income appropriate to their position, while persons recruited by reason of superior qualifications in Europe should be given an extra allowance to compensate them for the drawbacks and expenses of expatriation. The Public Services Commission on the other hand recommended that the salaries of Europeans and statutory natives of India should be settled for each service separately and ordinarily in accordance with the principle that Government should pay so much and so much only as is necessary to obtain recruits of the right stamp and to maintain them in such a degree of comfort as will shield them from temptation and keep them

efficient, and not on any consideration of race or place of recruitment. In regard to the imperial Police Service, the Commission considered that all officers of that service, European and Indian, whether recruited in England or in India, should be paid at the same rates. The reasons for making this exception have been detailed in paragraph 56 of the Commission's report. The point for consideration is whether the system proposed by His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State is suitable to the circumstances of the imperial Police Service, or whether for the reasons urged by the Public Services Commission all officers of that service wherever recruited should be remunerated at the same rates.

12. As regards the recommendations of the Commission concerning the provincial service, it is considered that the rules regulating recruitment for this service are generally suitable and that no radical reorganization is called for, though certain minor changes might be adopted. The educational qualifications prescribed for candidates for direct appointment to this service are already high, and no change is called for in this respect. The best method of making direct appointments is a more difficult question, which may be considered with reference to the remarks in paragraph 7 of this resolution. The existing practice followed in Bengal of making half the appointments to the provincial service by the promotion of inspectors was apparently approved by the Commission, and no change is contemplated in this respect. Following their general principles, the Commission have proposed the substitution of an incremental for a graded system of pay, and the point for consideration here is whether the scale of pay proposed is suitable.

13. The other matters dealt with in the Commission's report, so far as the Police Service is concerned, are of minor importance, and His Excellency in Council does not propose to invite opinion specifically on them. As the Government of India desire to be placed in possession of the views of the Local Government at as early a date as possible, it is requested that any remarks or criticisms, which any person or body of persons interested may desire to offer, may be forwarded to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal not later than the 30th November 1918.

ORDER—Ordered that a copy of the resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF WARDS', ATTACHED AND TRUST ESTATES IN THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL FOR THE BENGALI YEAR 1324 (1917-18).

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Land Revenue Branch.

DARJEELING, THE 28TH OCTOBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 1908T.R.

READ—

The Report of the Board of Revenue on the Administration of Wards', Attached and Trust estates in the Presidency of Bengal for the Bengali year 1324 (1917-18).

Number of estates under management.—The Court of Wards took charge of eight new estates during the year and one estate was released. There were thus 62 estates under the management of the Court of Wards at the end of the year, against 55 estates in the preceding year.

2. **Payment of revenue and cesses.**—The total amount of revenue and cesses due to Government, including arrears, was Rs. 14,02,282. Payments amounted to Rs. 13,04,086 or 92·9 per cent., against 93·0 per cent. in the preceding year. As in the previous year, the heaviest balance was due by the Tagore estate.

3. **Rent and cesses due to superior landlords.**—The percentage of payment of rent and cesses to superior landlords showed a slight improvement, being 84·8 per cent. of the amount due, against 83·2 per cent. in the previous year, leaving a balance of Rs. 86.586 out of a total demand of Rs. 5,73,516. This was due mainly to disputes regarding title and interests of superior landlords and non-adjustment of accounts and to accumulation of petty dues allowed by superior landlords.

4. **Collection of rents and cesses.**—The percentage of collection on current demand fell from 140·7 in the previous year to 98·4. The standard of 100 per cent. collection on current demand was exceeded in twenty estates. The deficit in the remaining estates was due to the straitened circumstances of the tenantry in consequence of the high prices of most of the necessaries of life and the abnormally low prices of jute and paddy. The outstanding balance due to all the estates aggregated over 59 lakhs, representing 141 5 per cent. on the current demand against 138·8 per cent. in the previous year. The balance exceeded the current demand in all divisions except Rajshahi.

As compared with the preceding year the number of civil suits filed during the year for the recovery of rent and cesses due to Wards' estates decreased by 797 ; but the number of certificates showed an increase of 6,001. Out of 3,945 civil suits for disposal, 3,064 cases were disposed of during the year, but only a little more than one-third of the decretal amount was recovered. Of 29.704 certificates for disposal, only 19,591 were disposed of ; and 63·6 per cent. of the total claim was realised against 66·8 per cent. in the previous year.

5. **Debts of estates.**—The total liabilities of the estates under the management of the Court of Wards stood at nearly 82 lakhs at the end of the year, and of this amount eleven estates were responsible for nearly 78 lakhs. The decree obtained in the foreclosure suit by the mortgagees of the Tagore estate became absolute, but the proclamation for the sale of the properties has not yet been published. The debts of this estate are more than 21 lakhs.

The special officer appointed to allocate the debts between the proprietors of the Bhawal Wards' estate has submitted his report, and it is now under the consideration of the Board of Revenue. The Nurullapur property of the late Nawab Sir Salimulla was sold, and the entire sale-proceeds were expended in part payment of the debt due to Government.

6. **Cost of management and expenditure on improvements.**—The percentage of cost of management on the current rent and cess demand of estates for the whole Presidency was 13·2 against 13·0 in the previous year. The percentage of the cost of management of the Basudebpur Wards' estate in Midnapore has risen from 3·6 to 14·1, and the local officers have been asked to explain the reason for this high increase. The high percentage (26·0) of the management cost in the Karatiya estate is attributed, as in the previous year, to the fact that a very large amount was paid to the patwaris of the estate on account of arrear commissions on adjustment of their accounts. The total expenditure on improvements, schools and dispensaries was Rs. 1,70,496 or 4·07 per cent. of the current demand. In accordance with the instructions issued by the Board in 1916 agricultural demonstrations in Wards' estates are now generally carried on under the supervision of officers of the Agricultural Department. The report shows satisfactory evidence of increased interest in agricultural improvement.

7. **Education of wards.**—The education of the wards received due attention and the result was generally satisfactory. During the year under report a minor son of the eldest male ward of the Bhukailash estate No. I received some training in survey and settlement work under the Settlement Officer of Tippera and Noakhali.

8. The thanks of the Governor in Council are due to the Board of Revenue for its efficient administration of the estates under the Court of Wards. Miss Cornelia Sorabji, Lady Adviser to the Court of Wards, has done much useful work in giving the ladies of the zenanas of the Wards' estates the benefit of her advice in various matters, particularly with regard to the health, comfort and the education of these ladies and of minor wards. The good work of the managers mentioned in the report will be noted.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

COTTON CULTIVATION IN BENGAL.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Agriculture Branch.

No. 8020Agri.

Dated Calcutta, the 28th October 1918.

In view of the interest which has been taken recently in the subject of cotton cultivation in Bengal and of the resolution which was passed in this connection at the meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council held at Dacca on the 19th August 1918, a report on the subject by the Director of Agriculture is published for general information. The report indicates the measures which are being taken and the difficulties of growing cotton in Bengal. The Governor in Council has decided to depute Mr. N. N. Pillai, Weaving Expert to the Government of Bengal, to hold an enquiry as regards the number of *charkas* in use, their requirements in the way of raw cotton, and how these requirements can be met.

L. Birley,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT.

The question of cotton-growing in Bengal formed one of the subjects of discussion at the summer meeting of the Provincial Agricultural Association held in Calcutta on July 4th. The inclusion of this subject was due to the suggestion of the Director of Agriculture as the question was attracting some attention amongst the educated section of the rural community and as indents for considerable quantities of cotton seed had been received and were being supplied by the Agricultural Department. The question is by no means a new one to the Agricultural Department as any marked rise in price of cotton goods is generally accompanied by a demand for the supply of cotton seed. The cloth situation on this occasion, however, was much more acute, and with little apparent likelihood of an early return to normal condition it was considered desirable to see whether anything could be done by local efforts.

2. The subject was discussed at some length by the meeting which consisted largely of unofficial representatives from District Agricultural Associations and District Boards. The general conclusion arrived at was that, although cotton was not to be recommended as a field crop in the plains of Bengal, and although the general situation as regards the price of raw cotton or manufactured cotton goods could not be affected by any possible extension of cotton-growing in the Presidency, yet as a special war time measure and in view of the efforts which were being made to reintroduce home-spinning in certain localities owing to the high price and scarcity of cotton goods, a local supply of raw cotton might be organised through the growing of cotton plants amongst other crops on small areas on the higher homestead lands near village sites. Cotton-growing would thus be a subsidiary industry to home-spinning, and its extension would depend largely on the extent to which local efforts to revive the *charka* proved successful.

3. The following measures were recommended:—

In the first place, the extension of the growth of the various types of tree cotton (*gossipium arboreum*) commonly found in many districts. It was recognized that this was a matter for local effort, no funds being necessary as the seed of the tree cotton would be available locally at the beginning of the cold weather season.

In the second place, it was considered desirable to supply cotton seed of superior field types in small quantities to growers.

The action of the department in insisting on early indents for next year's seed supply was approved of, and it was recommended that Government should be asked to make a free distribution of seed in small quantities.

It was explained to the meeting that a collection of cotton varieties had been made and that these were being grown at the Dacca Agricultural Station and that recommendations would be made after the crop had ripened as to the proper types of cotton to grow. The meeting also recommended the appointment of an agricultural officer to each of the remaining districts.

4. On the recommendation of the meeting Government has agreed as a special war time measure to financing a free distribution of cotton seed, provided the distribution is extensive and in small quantities, in order to supply a nucleus seed supply, and has sanctioned the appointment of five additional District Agricultural Officers from December 1st.

5. In order to understand the exact situation, the following considerations require to be borne in mind :—

No part of Bengal is suited for cotton-growing; much the greater part of it is absolutely unsuitable, and the crop is confined to a comparatively small and highly specialized area on the eastern borders of the Presidency.

The main reasons for this are as follows :—

The cotton plant, in a productive sense (not in a vegetative sense), is particularly sensitive to environment, and unless suitable conditions prevail, the yield tends to sink so low as to make the crop unprofitable.

These conditions are : —

(*a*) Plenty of moisture at sowing time.
(*b*) Enough but not too much moisture in its early stages.
(*c*) Dry conditions up till flowering time and plenty of moisture thereafter.
(*d*) Sunny weather throughout its growth.
(*e*) Absence of water-logging, which is fatal to the crop.

It is thus evident that the ideal conditions for the crop consist in a dry climate with control of the water-supply. The situation and climate of North-east India present a strange contrast to these conditions. It will be seen that the last mentioned of these, viz., the water-logging of the soil, obviously rules out the greater part of Bengal for cotton as a field crop, while the absence of the factors (*a*) and (*b*) would render it risky even in the higher lands of the Western districts. The presence of the factors (*a*), (*b*) and (*e*) renders it possible to grow cotton in the Eastern Hill Tracts, while the almost universal absence of factors (*c*) and (*d*) in Bengal tends to reduce the yield to such an extent as to make it unprofitable except in places where there are no competing revenue crops.

It is known that cotton (of an inferior type certainly, but still cotton) is grown in Hill Tippera and in the Chittagong Hill Tracts, but is found nowhere in the plains of Bengal except in very scattered fields in the west of Midnapore and Bankura districts. On the other hand, it would be possible to grow cotton on the higher homestead lands throughout the Presidency which are free from water-logging, but again on account of the presence of factors (*c*) and (*d*) a satisfactory yield is not to be expected. The Provincial Agricultural Association, it will be noted, recommended that the crop should be grown on small areas only, and that, where possible, the plants should be mixed with other crops to form a mixed crop. This procedure was advocated in order to minimise loss on account of the uncertainty of the crop giving a reasonable outturn.

6. From the above it is clear that the meeting thoroughly understood the position with regard to the possibilities of cotton-growing in the *plains* of Bengal and that their conclusions were based on a sound conception of the situation. It was considered that an increase of the area of the cotton in the *hill tracts* would have no effect on the general situation, as the quality of lint obtainable from these places was not likely to be satisfactory for home-spinning.

7. It is worthy of mention that the experience of those who have tried cotton-growing in the plains this year, confirms absolutely the premises on which the meeting founded their resolutions. In Eastern Bengal, growers have had little success owing to the wet season, while on the higher lands in Western Bengal which had a comparatively light rainfall in July, the

plants have done much better where grown under the proper conditions. As a matter of fact, the main principles regarding cotton-growing have been carefully studied for many years in America, Egypt and in India, and are well known.

8. The next point is the question of the reintroduction of the *charka* as a temporary measure in times of high prices, and the connection between it and a local supply of cotton. There was considerable difference of opinion at the meeting regarding the prospects of a revival of *charka* spinning. It was generally realized that this would involve great difficulties and that success was at least doubtful. The meeting was, however, unanimous in its desire to assist any local effort to improve the cloth situation and considered that it was worth while organizing a locally grown supply of cotton to meet any demand for lint on the part of spinners. This matter was not so fully discussed as that of cotton-growing itself, but the main intention of the meeting was plainly to give an opportunity to those in possession of land, of growing and spinning their own cotton, having their yarn made into cloth by the local weaver. The Director of Agriculture considers that this view is eminently sound, provided the grower is prepared to wear home-spun cotton cloth. A great deal, everything in fact, depends on this.

9. The practical outcome of the discussion was therefore that, as no local supply of the seed of field cotton of the proper varieties for home-spinning was available in Bengal, seed of these varieties would have to be imported, and that this should be distributed in small quantities to those prepared to utilize the produce for home-spinning. The extension of the growing of tree cotton was, as stated above, also recommended. The findings of the meeting have been accepted by the Agricultural Department.

10. The meeting tentatively suggested that a spring crop of cotton might be attempted this year. It was explained that for this purpose *desi* varieties would be necessary and that the quality of the lint obtainable would not be suitable for home-spinning. The opinion of many of the delegates present was, however, that the question was of such urgency that a cold weather crop should be tried, as it had not then been demonstrated that *desi* lint was unsuitable for the *charka*. Arrangements were accordingly made for a supply of seed from the ginning factories, but subsequent experience at Mymensingh with the Garo Hill cotton has compelled the Director of Agriculture to cancel the distribution after the seed had been brought.

The department has accepted the suggestion of the meeting regarding tree cotton varieties and is making arrangements to assist in the distribution of all available seed when the time comes. Last year's seed of these varieties has proved disappointing, presenting great difficulties in germination. As a matter of fact cotton seed appears to deteriorate rapidly in Bengal and old seed is of little use.

11. As mentioned at the meeting, the study of varieties had been taken up by the Botanical section at Dacca in anticipation of events, and a collection of field varieties, both *desi* and acclimatized American, also of tree cottons, has been grown this year with the object of assisting in the selection of those best suited to Bengal conditions. It will, of course, be understood that there is no possibility, by intervarietal selection or crossing, of arriving at an improved type or even a type more suited to the climate during the present crisis. Work of this nature takes many years to bear fruit and results cannot be improvised. The present work is mainly directed towards obtaining the more immediate information regarding the varieties already in existence. This information will, as mentioned above, be of considerable assistance in choosing the varieties for next year's sowings. It is, however, intended, as a matter of course, to continue the work already begun, until definite results have been obtained, more especially regarding the qualities of the different varieties of tree cotton.

12. From the above it will be clear that the policy of the Agricultural Department with regard to cotton-growing aims at assisting any possible development of *charka* spinning. It must, however, be remembered that even in the most favourable circumstances, there will be no results until the cold weather of 1919-20 and that little locally-grown cotton will be available till then. The question of obtaining a supply of lint for local *charkas* is therefore of more immediate importance than that of the seed supply, which can

only bear fruit a year hence. This matter is receiving the attention of the Weaving Expert.

13. As regards the question of a general revival of the *charka* as an emergency measure, prospects which were always doubtful are now by no means bright. There is little doubt that the movement originally owed a great deal of its strength, not only to the prevailing high prices of cloth, but also to the disappointment on the part of the jute-growing cultivators with the low prices of jute. The recovery of the raw jute market in July has altered the situation materially, and so far as can be gathered, has had the effect of turning the attention of the raiyats, in the jute-growing districts, away from growing their own cotton. Further, the improved military situation carrying with it prospects of an earlier restoration of normal conditions will, doubtless, have its effect on the movement. The Director of Agriculture, therefore, anticipates a further falling off in the interest shown in cotton-growing. Nevertheless, as there appears to be little prospect of cheap cloth for some time to come, it is proposed to carry out the policy previously settled on.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 24th October 1918.

Summary.—The week was rainless. Rain is urgently needed for winter rice, the prospects of which have been affected by prolonged drought since the middle of September. Preparation of lands for spring crops is also being impeded owing to the insufficiency of moisture in the soil. Sowing of *rabi* cereals and pulses has commenced at places. The average price of common rice has risen by about 2·1 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	8	8	Steeping of jute is nearly finished. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8	7	
	Barrackpore	Nil	6⅞	7	
	Barasat ...	Nil	9 7/16	9 7/16	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	9⅝	9 5/16	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	7¼	8¾	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Rain is wanted for *aman* paddy. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Steeping and washing of jute are nearly finished.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7¾	7½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	9	9	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7½	7⅝	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	8½	Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable. *Aman* paddy has been badly affected for want of rain.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8	8½	
	Kandi ...	Nil	9	10	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	10	10	Want of rain has retarded the growth of *aman* paddy.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	12	12	
	Magura ...	Nil	11½	11	
	Narail ...	Nil	(*n*)	10	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	8⅞	10	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	10½	9	Condition and prospects of *aman* paddy are good except in thana Paikgachhia, where a kind of insects spread all over the *elaka* and damaged the paddy plants.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	9	9	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	9	9	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7	7½	Weather bright. Harvesting of *aus* paddy is nearly finished. Sowing of potatoes and other *rabi* crops is being retarded for want of rain. *Aman* paddy on high lands is withering and that on low lands suffering for want of moisture. Price of rice ruled high on account of export and cessation of rain.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8½	9½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	7½	7½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7	7	Weather hot. Paddy is withering and gram has not been sown for want of rain.
	Rampurhat	Nil	8	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	6½	7½	Want of rain is damaging winter paddy and hampering sowing of *rabi* crops. Cattle-disease is reported from Saltora.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	7⅞	8 1/16	Standing crops are suffering for want of rain. Steeping of jute is in progress. Seed-beds of mustard and rape are being prepared.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7⅞	8	
	Contai ...	Nil	9	10	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8	9	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are unfavourable. Rain is badly wanted
	Serampore ...	Nil	6	7	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	7¾	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7½	7½	Steeping and washing of jute continue. Rain is wanted for *aman* paddy. Sugarcane is doing well.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	7½	8	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA)	Nil	7½	10	Weather hot. Prospects of standing crops are poor. Fodder is insufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Nator ...	Nil	8	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Rain is badly wanted for winter paddy.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	10	10	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8 9/16 / 12†	9 3/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	7½	7½	Prospect of standing crops is fair.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	

(*n*) Not reported

† New *aus*.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·17	6½	(*n*)	Prospects of winter rice are favourable. *Marua* is in good condition. Potatoes and cardamom are being harvested.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	5½	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	8½	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Washing of jute has been finished. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	8	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	7	9	Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Rain is wanted for transplanted paddy.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	8	9	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Washing of jute is nearly completed. Sowing of *rabi* crops is impeded by want of rain and winter paddy is also suffering.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	8	8	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8	8½	Rain is badly wanted for standing winter rice crop. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8½	8½	Steeping and washing of jute, preparation of lands for tobacco and sowing of seeds in the nursery continue.
21	DACCA ...	0·00	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is finished. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Stocks of food-grains are sufficient.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Narayanganj	(*n*)	(*n*)	7	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	10½	8½	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	6½	6½	Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7	
	Tangail ...	Nil	9	8½	
	Netrokona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishoreganj	Nil	7½	7½	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	8½	8	Weather is favourable to crops. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8¾	8	
	Madaripur ..	Nil	8½	8	
	Gopalganj*...	Nil	9	9	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	7½	8	Prospects of winter rice are good.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Patuakhali	Nil	8	8	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7½	8	
25	Chittagong	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Prospects of standing crops are fair. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	(*n*)	9	(*n*)	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	8	8	Ploughing for *rabi* crops is going on. Prospects of crops are good.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	8	8	
27	Noakhali ...	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. Some cattle-disease is reported from Sudharam thana.
	Feni ...	Nil	11	11	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Nil	10	10	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of cotton crops has begun. Outturn is good.

* The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here
(*n*) Not reported

N. Gupta,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 28th October 1918.*

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 26th October 1918.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rice—												
Balam, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	.....		
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
Patnai, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	12	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	12	0	6	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
Nagra, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	11	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	12	0	6	4	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Dudhkalma ...	6	0	0	6	4	0	.....			.....		
Rangoon Boiled ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
Kajla	4	11	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Wheat, Dudhia	7	10	0	7	12	0	0	2	1½	0	2	3
„ Jamali	6	14	0	7	0	0	.....			.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	6	0	0	6	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ dal	7	0	0	8	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
Mung , (Hari)	12	0	0	12	4	0	0	3	6	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	10	8	0	10	12	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Arhar „	6	12	0	8	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Masur „ (split)	4	10	0	5	4	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	7	0	0	7	8	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Kalai „	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	4	6	0	5	0
Salt	3	8	0	3	8	6			0	1	9	
Sugar (brown Java) ...	.....			12	0	0	0	5	0	0	6	6
Gur, Bheli	.....			.....			.....			0	4	6
„ Bhursut	.....			.....			.....			.....		
Milk	8	0	0	10	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil	25	0	0	27	0	0	0	9	6	0	12	0
Flour (country)	9	4	0	11	2	0	0	4	6	0	5	0
Atta No. 3	6	2	0	.....			0	3	0	0	4	9
„ „ 2½	6	6	0	.....								
„ „ B	10	12	0	.....								
Suji	11	2	0	11	8	0	0	5	0	.....		
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	79	0	0	80	0	0	2	0	0	2	4	0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	68	0	0	70	0	0	2	0	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	65	0	0	66	0	0	1	14	0	.....		
Maize	4	8	0	4	12	0	.....			.....		
Potato	6	0	0	7	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
Patal	.....			.....			0	4	0	0	5	0
Brinjal	2	8	0	3	0	0	0	1	6	0	2	6
Onion	4	12	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Fish, Rahu	20	0	0	22	0	0	0	10	0	0	12	0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	4	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets :—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. Ray,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

Calcutta, *the 26th October 1918.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 12th October 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1918.							
6th Oct	63·6	...	...	...	...	63·5	
7th ,,	63·3	...	...	...	...	63·1	
8th ,,	62·9	...	...	...	...	62 85	
9th ,,	62·75	...	...	...	...	62·6	
10th ,,	62·4	...	...	...	...	62·4	
11th ,,	62·2	...	...	...	...	62·0	
12th ,,	61 8	...	...	...	...	61·8	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·5	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	...	67 86	
10th August	1910	...	69 86	
1st ,,	1911	...	68·46	
13th ,,	1912	...	67·16	
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7	
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1	
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1	
23rd February	1907	...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
18th ,,	1908	...	51 06	
12th March	1912	...	51·06	
6th ,,	1914	...	50·6	
22nd February	1915	...	50 8	
15th ,,	1916	...	50·6	
3rd March	1917	...	51·0	

DACCA,
The 21st October 1918.

J. K. BHATTACHARYYA,
for *Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 19th October 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1918.							
13th Oct.	61·65	...	...	...	...	61·6	
14th ,,	61·4	...	...	...	...	61·28	
15th ,,	60 8	...	...	...	...	60·6	
16th ,,	60·4	...	...	...	...	60 3	
17th ,,	60·2	...	...	...	...	60·15	
18th ,,	60·1	...	...	...	...	60 08	
19th ,,	60·05	...	...	...	...	60·0	

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DACCA,
The 21st October 1918.

J. K. BHATTACHARYYA,
for *Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 19th October 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1918.					
13th Oct.	7 A M	15 8	15·8	20·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
14th ,,	7 ,,	15·3	15·3	20·0	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
15th ,,	7 ,,	14·8	14·8	19 6	
16th ,,	7 ,,	14·4	14·4	19·3	
17th ,,	7 ,,	14·1	14·1	18·9	Its reduced level is 22·41.
18th ,,	7 ,,	13·8	13·8	18·6	
19th ,,	7 ,,	13·6	13·6	18·3	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 9th August 1917
Ditto	... Lowest ,,	...	4 8 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	... Highest ,,	...	25 75 on 28th August 1906
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H F in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	... Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Record (H F in Brahmaputra only) ...	... Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900
Do ...	... Lowest ,,	...	1 0 on 8th February 1914
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	..	2 42 on 13th March 1908.
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	...	2 91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	...	3 16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 19th October 1918.

M. L. MOITRA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 19th October 1918.

Date	Hour	Height of surface above or below zero : *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B. M now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year Old B M	Remarks.
1918.						
13th Oct.	8 A.M	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	51·62	45·30	60·00	B. M. on College step 63·42.
14th ,,	8 ,,		51·32	45·00	59·30	
15th ,,	8 ,,		51·12	44 80	58 70	
16th ,,	8 ,,		50 82	44·50	58·00	
17th ,,	8 ,,		50·62	44·30	57·60	
18th ,,	8 ,,		50·42	44·10	57·00	
19th ,,	8 ,,		50·12	43·80	56·80	

		Value according to old gauge	Value according to new value of B M = 68 42.
The previous year	... Highest water-level	... 66 50 on 12th August 1917	... 60 18
Ditto	... Lowest ,,	... 40 15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 33 83
Record ...	... Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62 93
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62 76
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	... 68·80 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	... 68 21 on 26th August 1890	... 61 39
Do ...	... Lowest ,,	... 37 63 on 25th April 1884	... 31 31
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	... 38 13 on 14th-15th April 1888	... 31 31
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	... 39 02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32·70
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	... 39 28 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32 96

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 19th October 1918.

S. C. BHATTACHARJI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 19th October 1918 as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 19th October 1918.			Week ending Saturday, the 20th October 1917.		
	Number of boats	Weight of cargo	Tollage	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs		Mds	Rs
Rice and paddy	809	111,930	1,913	355	32,550	500
Jute	202	56,859*	717	275	72,419†	968
Firewood	109	42,500	665	112	63 250	990
Other articles	802	150,504	1 811	1,005	210,640	2 510
Total ...	1,922	361,793	5,106	1,747	378,859	4,968
Empty boats and rafts ...	534	...	1,208	940	...	1,146
Grand Total ...	2,456	361,793	6,314	2,687	378,859	6,114

Mds.

* Weight by canal measurement 65,612½
† Ditto ditto 80,300

CALCUTTA,
The 26th October 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 26th October 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 26th October 1918.			Week ending Saturday, the 27th October 1917.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	847	117,180	1,933	282	26,140	389
Jute	258	75,471*	977	277	97,074†	1,197
Firewood	127	58 125	883	73	46,525	747
Other articles	1,072	180,029	2,281	809	151,162	1,813
Total ...	2,304	430,805	6,074	1,441	320,901	4,146
Empty boats and rafts ...	670	...	1,967	420	...	861
Grand Total ...	2,974	430,805	8,041	1,861	320,901	5,007

Mds.

* Weight by canal measurement 85,100
† Ditto ditto 83,762½

CALCUTTA,
The 29th October 1918.

P. C. SHOME,
for *Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5882A.—The 4th November 1918.—The Hon'ble Sir Satyendra Prasanna Sinha, KT., K C., an ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, reported his return to India from deputation on the 4th November 1918, and resumed charge of his office on the forenoon of the same date

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2638A.D.—The 30th October 1918.—The Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 5th November 1918 to the 23rd November 1918, both days inclusive.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2641A.D.—The 30th October 1918.—Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial, Political and Appointment Departments, is appointed to act as Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of the Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., or until further orders.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 5909A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2599A.D.—The 29th October 1918.*—Mr. C. Bartley, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. S. E. Stinton, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 2602A.D.—The 29th October 1918.—Mr. Kedar Nath Chaudhuri, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, is appointed temporarily to act as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 2589A.D.—The 28th October 1918.—Babu Binod Bihari Das Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bakarganj, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Pabna district.

Bakarganj.
Pabna.

No. 2648A.D.—The 30th October 1918.—Mr. Jati Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Serampore, Hooghly, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision.

Hooghly.

No. 2664A.D.—The 31st October 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Hedayat Ali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pabna, is transferred temporarily to the Naugaon subdivision of the Rajshahi district.

Pabna.
Rajshahi.

No. 2717A.D.—The 31st October 1918.—Mr. C. Tindall, I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Political Department.

Calcutta.

No. 2681A.D.—The 1st November 1918.—Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Mumin, Officiating Settlement Officer, Jessore, is appointed substantively to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the 1st October 1918.

Jessore.

No. 5898A.—The 5th November 1918.—Maulvi Afzal-ur-Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pirojpur, Bakarganj, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the Dacca district.

Bakarganj.
Dacca.

No. 5900A.—The 5th November 1918.—Maulvi Saleh Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Narayanganj, Dacca, is appointed to have charge of the Pirojpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

Dacca.
Bakarganj.

No. 5902A.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Sati Prasanna Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is transferred to the Narayanganj subdivision of the Dacca district.

Burdwan.
Dacca.

POLICE.—*No. 2607A.D.—The 29th October 1918.*—Babu Kedareswar Chakrabatti, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police, Nator, Rajshahi, is transferred to the Chandpur subdivision of the Tippera district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Tippera.

No. 2609A.D.—The 29th October 1918.—Babu Karunamay Ray, Deputy Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted to the Nator subdivision of the Rajshahi district, and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Rajshahi.

RESIGNATION.

No. 2720A.D.—The 2nd November 1918.—Sir William Maxwell, K.C.I.E., M.V.O., is permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 26th September 1918.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2567A.D.—The 28th October 1918.*—The following confirmations, promotions and appointment are sanctioned in the Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 1st October 1918, in consequence of the addition of one appointment to the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors. The officers concerned will continue to act in higher grades or appointments, if any, until further orders:—

Confirmed in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. W. A. Marr, I.C.S.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors.*

Mr. W. S. Adie, I.C.S.

Confirmed in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. S. W. Goode, I.C.S.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.*

Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., with Mr. H. E. Spry, I.C.S., on deputation.

Confirmed in the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. J. C. French, I.C.S.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.*

Mr. A. G. R. Henderson, I.C.S.

Appointed substantively to the second grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. J. C. Nixon, I.C.S.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2596A.D.—The 29th October 1918.*—Mr. S. E. Stinton, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is, allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th November 1918.

Dacca.

No. 2670A.D.—The 31st October 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Salamatullah Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Brahmanbaria, Tippera, was on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 15th September 1918 to the 21st September 1918, inclusive.

Tippera.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1821T.-R.—The 26th October 1918.—Babu Kashiswar Chakrabatti Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Rajshahi, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 18th September to the 3rd November 1918. This supersedes Notification No. 7560L.-R., dated the 14th September 1918.

Rajshahi.

No. 8097L.R.—The 5th November 1918.—Maulvi Syeduddin Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bakarganj, is appointed to be Tahsil Circle Officer, in the district of Bakarganj, during the absence, on deputation, of Rai Sahib Hara Kishor Biswas, Deputy Collector, with effect from the date on which he takes over charge of the Sadar Circle in that district.

Bakarganj.

This cancels Notification No. 1726T.-R., dated the 16th October 1918.

No. 8100L.R.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 112 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Governor in Council is pleased to invest Babu Bhubaneswar Sanyal, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Midnapore, acting under Chapter X of the said Act, with the following powers:—

Midnapore.

(*a*) Power to settle all rents;

(*b*) Power, when settling rents, to reduce rents, if, in the opinion of the officer, the maintenance of existing rents would, on any ground, whether specified in the said Act or not, be unfair and inequitable

These powers will be exercisable in respect of all tenancies in pargana Sida, situated in thanas Binpur and Jhargaon, in the district of Midnapore, in respect of which a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights were ordered in the Government Notifications specified below:—

(1) No. 2866L.R., dated the 26th November 1910, published at pages 1678-79, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th idem;

(2) No. 3153L.R. dated the 19th December 1910, published at pages 1759-60, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem.

No. 8102L.R.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Kalipada Maitra, Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Nadia, is allowed combined leave for six months, with effect from the 27th July 1918, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Regulations.

Nadia.

Notification No. 5601L.A., dated 6th July 1918, is hereby cancelled.

No. 8106L.R.—The 5th November 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer of Bankura is also appointed to discharge, in the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura. Burdwan.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid area.

No. 8107L.R.—The 5th November 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*16*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer of Bankura, who has also been appointed to be Settlement Officer of Asansol subdivision in the district of Burdwan is appointed to discharge the functions of a Collector under section 58 of that Act, in the Asansol subdivision.

Bankura. Burdwan.

No. 8108L.R.—The 5th November 1918.—Mr F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Bankura, who has also been appointed to be Settlement Officer of Asansol subdivision in the district of Burdwan is vested with the powers of a Collector, under—

Bankura. Burdwan.

(1) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822),

(2) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825),

(3) the Bengal Land Revenue Assessment (Resumed Lands) Regulation, 1828 (III of 1828),

(4) the Bengal Land Revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833 (IX of 1833),

to be exercised in the Asansol Subdivision.

No. 8109L.R.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 109-C of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Bankura, who has also been appointed to be Settlement Officer of Asansol subdivision in the district of Burdwan, to settle rents in accordance with the provisions of that section, in the Asansol subdivision.

Bankura. Burdwan.

No. 8110L.R.—The 5th November 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned Assistant Settlement Officers, in the district of Bankura, are also authorised to discharge, in the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura. Burdwan.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act to be exercised in the Asansol subdivision.

1.	Babu Satamanyu Mukharji	...	Deputy Collector.
2.	„ Krishna Gopal Ghosh	...	Ditto.
3.	„ Anil Chandra Lahiri	...	Sub-Deputy Collector.
4.	„ Chinta Haran Das Gupta	...	Ditto.
5.	„ Sanat Kumar Mukharji	...	Ditto.
6.	„ Mriganka Bhusan Ray	...	Ditto.
7.	„ Sashi Bhusan Ghosh	...	Sub-Deputy Collector and Technical Advisor.

No. 1929T.-R.—The 30th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, ·84 of an acre which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 4748L.A., dated the 28th June 1917, published at page 986, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th July 1917, and required by the Feni Union Committee for a burial ground, in the village of Birinchi, pargana Bedrabad, district Noakhali.

Noakhali.

No. 8113L.A.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Prafulla Chandra Ghosh, Subdivisional Officer of Vishnupur, in the district of Bankura, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Bankura.

No. 8152L.A.—The 5th November 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Hedayat Ali, Deputy Collector, Naugaon in the district of Rajshahi, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in the Naugaon subdivision of that district.

Rajshahi.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Hooghly.

No. 8081L.A.—The 2nd November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for remodelling the Hoorhoora Khal, in the villages of Baligari, Natibpur, Daulatchak, Harischak, Jhinkra, Ghansuka, Sitalchak, Chak Hyatpur, Hyatpur, Bilsaldeora and Saldeora, parganas Mondalghat, Baira and Kharija Mondalghat, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land about 5 miles long and of width varying from 1,280 feet to 365 feet, measuring, more or less, 416·23 acres, and running approximately north to south from Jitarghai, in mauza Baligari, to the north boundary of mauza Moria, in the district of Howrah, and passing through Baligari, Natibpur, Daulatchak, Harischak, Jhinkra, Ghansuka, Sitalchak, Chak Hyatpur, Hyatpur, Bilsaldeora and Saldeora, is required within the aforesaid villages.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 8084L.A.—The 5th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the link between the Grand Chord and the main line near Sitarampur station, in the villages of Dadee and Chalbalpur, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 68·73 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North—By the lands of Kashi Nath Ray, Bagala Charan Chakrabarty, Nritya Dey, Srinath Chakrabarty, Manindra Nath Chatterji, Baidya Nath Banerji, Ashu Tosh Chakrabarty, Harish Pal, Debi Das Chakrabarty, Babu Ram Ghosal, Ram Nath Chakrabarty, Kedar Bauri, Mohan Kotal, Akhil Bauri, District Board road, the lands of Mohan Gorai, Baku Gorai, Makunda Gorai, Doyal Gorai, Chota Mohan Gorai, Dhaju Gorai, Ram Narain Adhikary, Charu Bala Debi, Ganga Gorai, Khudi Ram Gorai, Dhiru Goalini, Kanai Gorai, Ram Sanker Adhikary, Jagadish Chakrabarty, Bhajahari Gorai, Gour Gorai, Ram Bauri, Situ Bauri, Sasi Gorai, Ram Bandhu Samanta and Makham Mani Debi;

East and West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,

South—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company, Manindra Nath Chatterji, Ashu Tosh Chakrabarty, Rakhal Pal, Kash Nath Ray, Bagala Charan Chakrabarty Jagadiswar Chakrabarty, Lakhi Mondal, Kapileswar Chakrabarty, Ram Nath Chakrabarty, Local Board road, the lands of Mukunda Gorai, Babu Lal Gorai, Baku Gorai, Kunja Gorai, Mohan Gorai, Gobinda Gorai, Babu Ram Ghosal, Sankar Bauri, Khudiram Gorai, Chota Mohan Gorai, Ram Bauri, Situ Bauri, Kanai Gorai, Ram Sanker Adhikary and Babu Lal Gorai.

PLOT B.

North—By the land of Rambandhu Samanta,

East—By the lands of Sasi Gorai and Rambandhu Samanta,

South—By the land of Sasi Gorai,

West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Dadee and Chalbalpur.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (*l*), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Hooghly.

No. 8087L.A.—The 5th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Hooghly for a public purpose, viz., for widening the Local Board road from Borah to Kapasaria, in the villages of Borah and Sahana, pargana Boro, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, ·334 of an acre, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. 1.

North—By the land of Abinash Das,
East—By the lands of Abinash Das, Brojo, Binode and Khepa Ghosh and Dulal Sekra,
South—By the land of Rakhal Dhara,
West—By the Local Board road and drain,

PLOT NO. 2.

North—By the land of Guiram Dey,
East—By the Local Board road and a drain,
South—By the land of Kedar Nath Goswami,
West—By the lands of Guiram Dey, Dulal Sekra and Kedar Nath Goswami,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Borah and Sahana.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Calcutta.

No. 8090L.A.—The 5th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Corporation for a public purpose, viz., for widening the junction of Sovaram Bysack Lane and Sagore Dutt Lane, in the town of Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·007 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By Sovaram Bysack Lane,
East—By premises No. 64, Sagore Dutt Lane,
South and West—By Sagore Dutt Lane,

is required within the aforesaid town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8093L.A.—The 5th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Panihaty Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for Municipal pound at Panihaty, in the village of Panihaty, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·06 of an acre, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North and West—By the land of Atul Krishna Baisak,
East—By the west side drain and its slope of Barrackpore Trunk Road,
South—By the Municipal Office and compound,

is required within the aforesaid village of Panihaty.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Panihaty.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 1945T.-R.—The 31st October 1918.—In Declaration No. 6234L.A., dated the 19th June 1915, published at page 1152, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd *idem*, regarding the acquisition of land required for connecting the line between Ishurdi Station and Sara Transhipment Yard of the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Pabna,—

Pabna.

(1) in lines 5-6 *for* "Pargana Bajurshmahabatpur" *read* "Pargana Bajurashmahabatpur";

(2) *for* the description of boundaries in lines 9—23, *substitute* the following:—

North—By the lands of Maijaddi Mandal, Kajam Khan and Baijaddi Pramanik,
East—By the lands of Maijaddi Mandal, Ijaddi Pramanik, Maijaddi Pramanik, Assar Biswas, Nasar Biswas, Ershadali, Baijaddi Pramanik, Gandu Bewa, Asi Karikar Hamad Pramanik, Radhika Ghosh, Enatulla Pramanik, Dasir Sardar, Meru and Mafej Pramanik and others,
South—By the land of Baijaddi Pramanik and Lower Ganges Bridge boundary (excluding Rifle Range),
West—By the lands of Assar Biswas, Kajam Khan, Mej Pramanik, Ershadali, Jiban Agarwala, Gandu Bewa, Baijaddi Pramanik, Abdul Hamad, Ajmat Pramanik, Nasar Pramanik, Myan Sardar, Merat and Mafej Pramanik, Kudrat Pramanik and Maijaddi Mandal and others.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8115Regn.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Ishaq temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Nageswari, in the district of Rangpur, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Quddus, or until further orders.

Rangpur.

Rangpur. *No. 8116 Regn.—The 5th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Ishaq temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Nageswari, in the district of Rangpur, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Quddus, or until further orders.

Mymensingh. *No. 8121 Regn.—The 5th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdur Rahman Khan temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Kalihati, in the district of Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Halim, or until further orders.

Mymensingh. *No. 8122 Regn.—The 5th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdur Rahman Khan temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Kalihati, in the district of Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Halim, or until further orders.

Mymensingh. *No. 8129 Regn.—The 5th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Ali Nowaz temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Durgapur and Kalmakanda, in the district of Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Khaleq, or until further orders.

Mymensingh. *No. 8130 Regn.—The 5th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Ali Nowaz temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Durgapur and Kalmakanda, in the district of Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Khaleq, or until further orders.

Mymensingh. *No. 8135 Regn.—The 5th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Kalimuddin Ahmed temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Mirzapur, in the district of Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Abul Mansur, or until further orders.

Mymensingh. *No. 8136 Regn.—The 5th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Kalimuddin Ahmed temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Mirzapur, in the district of Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Abul Mansur, or until further orders.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Under section 20 of Calcutta Survey Act, I of 1887.

To

All Owners, Managers, and Agents of lands in the "Town of Howrah" lying within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, from Wards Nos. 1 to 15 Circle Nos. 1 to 11.

WHEREAS a survey has been made, and boundaries demarcated, of all municipal holdings situated in the above area within the Howrah Municipality. You are hereby informed that the maps and records are open to inspection. You are, therefore, requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within sixty days of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps and records can be inspected at any time at the Municipal Office, Howrah, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., on any day excepting holidays and Sundays.

O. E. C. JUDD,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 606T.-Edn.—The 28th October 1918.—The services of Mr. D. B. Meek, Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India for appointment as Assistant Controller of Munitions, with effect from the date he joins the appointment under that Government

Calcutta.

No 191Eccle.—The 2nd November 1918.—The Reverend B. S. Dyer, Chaplain of Barrackpore, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under articles 592 (*a*) and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd November 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

24-Parganas.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2994S.-R.—The 2nd November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (*5*), of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918 (VII of 1918), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abu Ali Muhammad Chaudhuri, Additional Sadar Subdivisional Officer of Mymensingh, to exercise and perform the powers and duties conferred by the said Act, on a Collector, within the limits of his jurisdiction.

Mymensingh.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2512Medl.—The 2nd November 1918.—Major W. V. Coppinger, I.M.S., is placed, until further orders, on general duty, at the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 9th October 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 2524Medl.—The 5th November 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Harendra Kumar Das, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Jalpaiguri, is allowed privilege leave for five weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th October 1918.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2526Medl.—The 5th November 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Basanta Kumar Bhaumik, Officiating Medical Officer, Kurseong, is temporarily appointed to act as a Civil Surgeon of the second class and is posted to Jalpaiguri during the absence, on privilege leave, of first grade Assistant Surgeon Harendra Kumar Das, or until further orders.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2528Medl.—The 5th November 1918—First grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Debendra Nath Hazra is promoted to the senior grade with effect from the 5th February 1918, *vice* Senior Assistant Surgeon Babu Surendra Nath Dutta appointed to be a Civil Surgeon.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5910A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5837A.—The 30th October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Kali Pada Nandi Chaudhuri the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of three years from the 22nd November 1918, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Kalna subdivision of the said district,

Burdwan.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Kalna Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5840A.—The 30th October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Rama Prasanna Chakrabatti the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Nadia, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Kushtia subdivision of the said district,

Nadia.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Kushtia Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5842A.—The 30th October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Murshidabad, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Murshidabad.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Jangipur Bench in the said district:—

Maulvi Syed Abul Fazal. | Babu Kali Charan Singh.

No. 5844A.—The 30th October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Rash Bihari Mandal the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Barasat Bench in the said district.

No. 5848A —The 31st October 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Rama Nath Das the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Dacca, for a period of three years from the 1st November 1918,

Dacca.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 2664A.D.—The 31st October 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Hedayat Ali, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been transferred temporarily to the Naogaon subdivision of the Rajshahi district, is vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Rajshahi.

No. 2667A.D.—The 31st October 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Muhammad Hedayat Ali, a Magistrate of the first class, who has, under the orders of this date, been transferred temporarily to the Naogaon subdivision of the Rajshahi district, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

Rajshahi.

No. 5889A.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Sharat Chandra Chatarji, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Pabna, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

Pabna.

No. 5891A.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Abul Kasem Wijih-uddin Ahmad, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Pabna, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section. He is also vested with powers under sections 110, 133, 144 and 174 of the Code.

Pabna.

No. 5893A.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Satyendra Nath Dutt, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Dinajpur, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section. He is also vested with the powers under section 110 of the Code.

Dinajpur.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3951J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Hari Pada Banarji is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, *vice* Babu Rash Bihari Mukharji, transferred.

Hooghly.

No. 3954J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Basu, Munsif, is appointed to be an Additional Munsif, in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 3957J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Haripada Mazumdar is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dacca, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

Dacca.

No. 3960J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Shyam Lal Basu, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Pirojpur.

Bakarganj.

No. 3963J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Shailesh Chandra Banarji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Jhenida.

Jessore.

No. 3966J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Ghosh, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Narail.

Jessore.

No. 3969J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Manmatha Kumar Ray, B.L., is re-appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Kandi, Lalbagh and Jangipur, but for the present to be employed at Jangipur.

Murshidabad.

No. 3972J.—The 5th November 1918.—Mr. Santi Priya Basu, Bar.-at-Law, is re-appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Arambagh.

Hooghly.

No. 3975J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Jitendra Kumar Biswas, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Bankura, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, but for the present to be employed at Bhanga in the district of Faridpur. The Notification No. 707J.D., dated the 11th October 1918, published in page 1496, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd October 1918, is cancelled.

Bankura.
Faridpur.

No. 3979J.—The 5th November 1918.—In modification of Government order No. 3440J., dated the 9th September 1918, and in supersession of Government Notification No. 707J.D., dated the 11th October 1918, Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen Gupta, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Bankura, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Bhanga. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Bhanga Munsifi.

Faridpur.

No. 3982J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Subodh Chandra Sarkar, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Bhanga.

Faridpur.

No. 3985J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Amulya Kumar Guha, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Chikandi.

Faridpur.

No. 3988J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Rajani Kanta Chaudhuri, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Patuakhali.

Bakarganj.

No. 3991J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Charu Chandra Basu, M.A., B.L., is re-appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Patuakhali.

Bakarganj.

No. 3994J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Pratap Chandra Sen Gupta, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Bakarganj to be ordinarily stationed at Bhola.

Bakarganj.

No. 3997J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Chatarji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at Satkania.

Chittagong.

No. 4000J.—The 5th November 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Abul Ahsan, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Brahmanbaria, but for the present to be employed at Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur.

Tippera.
Faridpur.

No. 4004J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Keshab Chandra Sen, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Iswarganj.

Mymensingh.

No. 4007J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Basanta Bihari Mukharji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Jamalpur.

Mymensingh.

No. 4010J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Bijan Lal Mukharji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, to be ordinarily stationed at Sirajganj.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 4013J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Balurghat.

Dinajpur.

No. 4016J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Ashutosh Mitra, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Dacca, for the present to be employed at Narayanganj.

Dacca.

No. 4019J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Aditya Chandra Datta, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Chittagong, for the present to be employed at the Sadar station.

Chittagong.

No. 4022J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Jogindra Kumar De, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Khulna, for the present to be employed at the Sadar station.

Khulna.

No. 4025J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Gyanendra Kanta Nag, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Mymensingh, for the present to be employed at Iswarganj.

Mymensingh.

No. 4028J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Ghosh, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Mymensingh, for the present to be employed at the Sadar station.

Mymensingh.

No. 4036J.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Gupta, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif, in the district of Midnapore, to be ordinarily stationed at Garhbeta during the absence, on leave, of Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

LEAVE.

No. 3949J.—The 8th October 1918.—Babu Kumud Kanta Basu, late Munsif of Sealdah, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave from the 6th to the 19th August 1918, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, in modification of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 9th August 1918.

24-Parganas.

No. 4039J.—The 1st November 1918.—Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Garhbeta, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for forty-seven days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th November 1918.

Midnapore.

E. B. H. PANTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No 822J.D.—The 30th October 1918.—Insert the words "for two months" *after* "leave" in line 3 of Notification No. 3864J., dated the 8th October 1918, published at page 1459, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918.

E. B. H. PANTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No 764P.-J.D.—The 29th October 1918.—Babu Shailesh Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to be Chaukidari Circle Officer in the Kalna subdivision of that district, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Deb, on leave.

Burdwan.

No. 2914P.-J.—The 4th November 1918.—Maulvi Fazlul Azim, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is appointed to act temporarily as Chaukidari Circle Officer of the Goalundo subdivision of that district.

Faridpur.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 2nd November 1918.

No. 103—Babu Probhat Chandra Ray, Assistant Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division to the Cossye Division.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 5th November 1918.

No. 113Marine.—Mr. D. I. Halford, Senior Master Pilot, is granted, under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the afternoon of the 11th November 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 5th November 1918.

No. 114Marine.—Bengal Government Notification No. 91Marine, dated the 5th September 1918, granting privilege leave to Mr. J. D. Allison, Senior Master Pilot, is hereby cancelled.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second publication.]

The 28th October 1918.

No. 106Marine.—The following bye-law, which has been framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, under section 126 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890 (Bengal Act III of 1890), in addition to the bye-laws published under Bengal Government Notification No. 39Marine, dated the 22nd May 1893, is published for general information.

2. It will be taken into consideration on the expiry of a month after its first publication in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and the Governor in Council will consider any suggestions or observations which may be made by any person within that period.

Bye-law.

No. 16A.—No flush-decked country boat or cargo dinghee shall be allowed to enter the Dock for the loading or unloading of cargo.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 2nd November 1918.

No. 102.—Babu Mohendra Chandra Banarji, Supervisor, 1st grade, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Cossye to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5911 V.

No. 2654A.D.—The 31st October 1918.—Maulvi Nausher 'Ali Khan Yusufji,
Faridpur. Sub-Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is transferred to the
Burdwan Divn. Burdwan Division.

This cancels so much of the orders of the 12th October 1918 as relates
Rajshahi Divn. to his transfer to the Rajshahi Division.

No. 2658A D.—The 31st October 1918.—The orders of the 12th October
Bogra. 1918, transferring Babu Upendra Mohan Basu, Sub-
Bakarganj. Deputy Collector, Bogra, to the district of Bakarganj, are cancelled.

No. 2673A.D.—The 31st October 1918.—Babu Sudhir Kumar Sen Gupta,
Presidency Divn. Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Presi-
" dency Division.

No. 2696A.D.—The 1st November 1918.—Babu Kul Bahadur Pradhan,
Rajshahi Divn. Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Rajshahi Division.

No. 2699.1.D.—The 1st November 1918.—Babu Satkari Lal De, Sub-
Howrah. Deputy Collector, Ulubaria, Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

No. 5895A.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Sridhar Mazumdar, Sub-
Faridpur. Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Goalundo, Faridpur, is transferred temporarily to the headquarters station of that district.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 419.—The 1st November 1918.—Maulvi Naziruddin Muhammad,
Dacca. No. II, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Dacca, on leave, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Monohardi, in the district of Dacca, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Tarak Nath Ray, or until further orders.

No. 420.—The 2nd November 1918.—Maulvi A. S. M. Abdul Baqui,
Dacca. Probationer, of Dacca, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar
Faridpur. of Baliakandi, in the district of Faridpur, with effect from the 22nd October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdur Razzak, or until further orders.

No 421.—The 2nd November 1918.—Babu Saroda Prasanna Majumdar, Sub-Registrar of Kabirhat, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Farashganj, in the same district. **Noakhali.**

No. 422.—The 2nd November 1918.—Babu Tarakumar Ray, Sub-Registrar of Farashganj, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Raipura, in the same district. **Noakhali.**

No. 423.—The 2nd November 1918.—Maulvi Majibul Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Raipura, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Chatkhil, in the same district. **Noakhali.**

No. 424.—The 2nd November 1918.—Maulvi Abdur Rahman, Sub-Registrar of Chatkhil, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kabirhat, in the same district. **Noakhali.**

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 12618, dated Calcutta, the 31st October 1918.—Civil Surgeon Harendra Kumar Das made over charge of the Jalpaiguri Jail to Assistant Surgeon Basanto Kumar Bhowmik on the forenoon of the 14th October 1918.

No. 12835, dated Calcutta, the 31st October 1918.—Dr. H. Suhrawardy, M.D., F.R.C.S., made over charge of the Howrah Jail to Lieutenant-Colonel E. E. Waters, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 20th October 1918.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1600D., dated Darjeeling, the 23rd October 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Tarak Nath Deb, on leave, is appointed to the Cox's Bazar Subdivision and Dispensary, Chittagong district, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Sankar Ray.

No. 1631D., dated Darjeeling, the 28th October 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Tinkari Acharji is placed on general duty at the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 12th October 1918, until further orders.

No. 1633D., dated Darjeeling, the 28th October 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Rajani Kanta Chatterji, on return from leave, is posted temporarily to the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 12th October 1918, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Tinkari Acharji.

No. 1674D., dated Darjeeling, the 29th October 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Binoy Lal Mazumdar, Teacher of Physiology, Campbell Medical School, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th October 1918.

No. 15343, dated Calcutta, the 1st November 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Khagendra Narayan Ghosh is placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the 17th October 1918.

W. H. B. ROBINSON, C.B., I.M.S.,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU SAROJ KANTA BANARJI, Munsif of Magura, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Magura Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL,
The 29th October 1918.

BABU ABINASH CHANDRA GHOSH HAZRA, Munsif of Patuakhali, in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Patuakhali Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL,
The 29th October 1918.

BABU UPENDRA NATH BISWAS, Officiating Subordinate Judge of Dinajpur and ex-officio Subordinate Judge of Jalpaiguri, is appointed to be a District Delegate, under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the executive district of Jalpaiguri.

By order of the High Court,

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL,
The 1st November 1918.

BABU RAMESH CHANDRA SEN, II, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Hooghly.

By order of the High Court,

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL,
The 1st November 1918.

BABU UPENDRA NATH BISWAS, Officiating Sub-Judge, under orders of transfer to Dinajpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Dinajpur.

By order of the High Court,

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL,
The 1st November 1918.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1918 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Second day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

F. W. CARTER,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৮ সাল, তারিখ ২৫শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৮ সালের ২রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

এফ, ডব্লিউ, কার্টার.
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NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD POST OFFICE, MANBHUM.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

AN examination for first class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held on the 17th, 18th and 19th February 1919. An examination for second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency will be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th February 1919. Both examinations will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office" The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad Post Office, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 17th January 1919.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 30th October 1918.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI ABDUL MAJID, M.A., Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Noakhali Treasury with effect from the forenoon of 28th October 1918, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

D. K. MITTER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOAKHALI TREASURY, *the 30th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4390A.—On relief by Maulvi Saiyad Ali Ahmed, Sub-Deputy Collector, Maulvi Tasminuddin Ahmed, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is transferred to the Cox's Bazar subdivision of that district.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 29th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4440G.—Maulvi Nural Huq, Sub-Deputy Collector, Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is allowed privilege leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd December 1918.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 31st October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4264J.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Chattarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Narainganj, in the district of Dacca, is transferred temporarily to the Munshiganj subdivision of that district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 31st October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 180R.G.—Maulvi Abu Muhammad Ubaidur Rashid, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is transferred to Bongaon, in the district of Jessore.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 179R.G.—Babu Surendra Nath Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bongaon, Jessore, is transferred to Basirhat, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 1st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4113J.—The orders of the 19th September 1918, granting leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 9th September 1918, or from any subsequent date, to Babu Subodh Chandra Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Gaibandha, Rangpur, are cancelled.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4478G.—Babu Dhurjati Kumar Dutta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is transferred to Rangamati in the Chittagong Hill Tracts.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN, CHITTAGONG, *the 2nd November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2851M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the general election of the Municipal Commissioners of the Kurseong Municipality, held on the 22nd June 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as Commissioners of the said Municipality :—

Babu Joy Narayan Pradhan.
Mr. Robert Baron Addis.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 40M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the Jangipur Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, at the general election of the Commissioners held on the 28th September 1918 :—

No. of ward.	Name
I	Babu Bhajahari Nath. „ Kalipada Chatterji.
II	Babu Sundar Lal Ghosh. Munshi Afzal Hossain Khan.
III	Babu Dwijapada Chatterji. Munshi Abdur Rahaman Khan.
IV	Babu Ashutosh Sircar. „ Purna Chandra Ray Chowdhuri.
V	Babu Indra Chandra Mukharji. „ Bipin Chandra Sircar.
VI	Babu Surendra Narain Chakrabarti. „ Kali Kanta Sircar.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN, CALCUTTA, *the 2nd November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 19(2) of the Local Self-Government Act, Babu Satyesh Chandra Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be a member of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Midnapore, in place of the Sadar Subdivisional Officer, resigned.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 29th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 32 of the election rules made under section 138 (*a*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, B. C. Act III of 1885, as amended by B. C. Act V of 1908, Saturday, the 21st December 1918, is fixed for holding a by-election for electing a member of the Diamond Harbour Local Board, in the district of 24-Parganas, to represent Thana Diamond Harbour in the place of Babu Naran Chandra Mondal, deceased.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, *Magistrate.*

24-PARGANAS MAGISTRACY, ALIPORE, *the 12th September 1918.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the general election of the members of the Local Boards in several thanas in this district will be held on the date noted below against each thana:—

Sadar Local Board.

Sudharam	...	...	...	20th January	1919.
Lakshipur	...	...	...	21st "	"
Companyganj	...	...	...	22nd "	"
Begamganj	...	...	...	23rd "	"
Ramganj	...	...	...	24th "	"
Hatiya	...	...	...	25th "	"
Sundip	...	...	...	27th "	"

Feni Local Board.

Chhagalneiya	...	...	...	20th January	1919.
Feni	...	...	...	22nd "	"

The notice, dated 22nd August 1918, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 28th August, page 1234, is hereby cancelled.

D. K MITTER, *Magistrate.*

NOAKHALI, *the 30th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 524C.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under sections 41 and 42 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1908, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Union Committee of Akhaura, in the jurisdiction of the Brahmanberia Local Board, in the district of Tippera:—

Mr. P. A. Sharpe.
Tashildar of Tippera Raj Estate, *ex-officio.*
Babu Sailaja Nath Chakrabarty.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 2nd November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4227J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the Sadar subdivision (North) of the district of Dacca :—

1.	Babu Ramani Mohan Adhikary.	Chandpur.
2.	„ Bharat Chandra Chaudhuri.	
3.	Maulvi Maji Khan.	
4.	Alimaddi Munshi of Nalgaon.	
5.	Ainaddi Dorji.	
6.	Alimaddi Ahmed, of Maishadhamna.	
1.	Babu Rama Nath Roy.	Kapasia.
2.	„ Akshoy Kumar Karmakar.	
3.	Tabbali Sarcar.	
4.	Babu Bharat Chandra Das.	
5.	Doulat Bepary.	
6.	Sahedali Sircar.	

2. Under section 41 of the said Act, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the said subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1.	Babu Raj Mohan Bhattacharjee.	Chandpur.
2.	Kaji Abdus Sobhan.	
3.	Babu Nim Chand Biswas.	
1.	„ Banamali Banikya.	Kapasia.
2.	„ Raj Mohan Karmakar.	
3.	„ Pran Kumar Mukerjee, Inspector of Court of Wards, Kapasia Cutchery.	

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4117J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, Babu Pramatha Nath De has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at English Bazar, in the district of Malda.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 490P.W.—The following addition made by me under section 22 of the Bengal Ferries Act. I of 1885, to the rules for the management of private ferries, in the district of Bogra, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* under Government notification, dated the 23rd January 1888, is hereby published for general information :—

Rule 6A.—The proprietor of every private ferry shall, to the satisfaction of the Magistrate, provide and maintain for such ferry safe and serviceable landing stages.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN , JALPAIGURI, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 494P.W.—The following addition made by me under section 22 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, to the rules for the management of private ferries, in the district of Pabna, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* under Government notification, dated the 9th December 1887, is hereby published for general information :—

Rule 6A.—The proprietor of every private ferry shall, to the satisfaction of the Magistrate, provide and maintain for such ferry safe and serviceable landing stages.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 486P.W.—The following addition made by me under section 22 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, to the rules for the management of private ferries, in the district of Rangpur, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* under Government notification dated the 1st November 1887, is hereby published for general information :—

Rule 6A.—The proprietor of every private ferry shall, to the satisfaction of the Magistrate, provide and maintain for such ferry safe and serviceable landing stages.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 474P.W.—The following addition made by me under section 22 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, to the rules for the management of private ferries, in the district of Rajshahi, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* under Government notification, dated the 9th December 1887, is hereby published for general information :—

Rule 6A.—The proprietor of every private ferry shall, to the satisfaction of the Magistrate, provide and maintain for such ferry safe and serviceable landing stages.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 478P.W.—The following addition made by me under section 22 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, to the rules for the management of private ferries, in the district of Dinajpur, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* under Government notification, dated the 1st November 1887, is hereby published for general information :—

Rule 6A.—The proprietor of every private ferry shall, to the satisfaction of the Magistrate, provide and maintain for such ferry safe and serviceable landing stages.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 482P.W.—The following addition made by me under section 22 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, to the rules for the management of private ferries in the district of Jalpaiguri, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* under Government notification, dated the 14th February 1888, is hereby published for general information :—

Rule 6A.—The proprietor of every private ferry shall, to the satisfaction of the Magistrate, provide and maintain for such ferry safe and serviceable landing stages.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 498P.W.—The following addition made by me under section 22 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, to the rules for the management of private ferries in the district of Darjeeling, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* under Government notification, dated the 23rd January 1888, is hereby published for general information :—

Rule 6A.—The proprietor of every private ferry shall, to the satisfaction of the Magistrate, provide and maintain for such ferry safe and serviceable landing stages.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 516P.W.—In exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, under section 35 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, I hereby direct that the Nazipur Ferry on the river Atrai, on the District Board road No. 36, between Khanjanpur and Dubarkuri, police-station Patnitola, in the district of Dinajpur, which has been acquired and declared to be a public ferry under his office Notification No. 214P.W., dated the 14th May 1918, published at page 846, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 22nd idem, shall be managed by the District Board of Dinajpur, and that all the proceeds of the said ferry and the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act, in respect thereof shall be paid into the Dinajpur District Fund, with effect from the date of this notification.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 2nd November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER rule 3 of the Rules for the Managing Committees of Government High Schools the following changes have been made in the constitution of the Committee for the management of the Barisal Zilla School as published, *vide* this office notification, dated the 14th September 1916 :—

3. Babu Aswini Kumar Das Gupta, M.A., Assistant Master, an elected representative of the teaching staff, *vice* Babu Sital Chandra Banerjee, on long leave.

6. Additional District Magistrate, *ex-officio*, Member other than an educational officer, *vice* Rai Jogendra Kumar Ghosh Bahadur, Additional District Magistrate, transferred.

J. R. BLACKWOOD, *Magistrate.*

BARISAL, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER rule 2 of the Rules for the Managing Committees of Government High Schools, I appoint Maulvi Abdul Bari, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, to be a member of the Managing Committee of the Dacca Government Moslem High School, *vice* Khan Bahadur Syed 'Abdul Latiff, Subdivisional Officer of Sadar, transferred.

S. G. HART, *District Magistrate.*

DACCA MAGISTRACY, *the 24th October 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 12760.—The 30th October 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Parapara Rural Co-operative Credit Society (registered No. 897 of 1911), in the district of Midnapore, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Nani Gopal Chaki, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Midnapore, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 12763.—The 30th October 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Sitli Rural Co-operative Credit Society (registered No. 319 of 1918), in the district of Midnapore, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Nani Gopal Chaki, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Midnapore, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 22Exc.—The 29th October 1918.—Maulvi S. M. Tafazzul Hossein, Inspector of Excise and Salt, 24-Parganas, is granted leave for seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from 21st to 27th October 1918.

No. 23Exc.—The 5th November 1918.—Babu Hem Chandra Bose' Inspector of Excise and Salt, under orders of transfer to Bankura, is granted three months' extension of medical leave, in continuation of the leave already granted to him in this office Notification No. 17Exc., dated the 16th August 1918.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 26th October 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 26th October 1918.

No. 11730.—The following War Trade Department list, dated the 6th August 1918, of goods the export of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited or restricted, is published for general information :—

WAR TRADE DEPARTMENT,
4, CENTRAL BUILDINGS,
WESTMINISTER, S.W. 1.

6th August 1918.

List of goods the export of which is prohibited by the Royal Proclamation of the 10th May, 1917, as amended by Orders of Council of the 22nd June, 1917, the 13th July, 1917, the 14th August, 1917, the 28th August, 1917, the 18th October, 1917, the 27th November, 1917, the 18th December, 1917, the 22nd January, 1918, the 8th February, 1918, the 26th February, 1918, the 8th March, 1918 the 12th April, 1918, the 25th April, 1918, the 14th May, 1918, the 11th June, 1918, the 2nd July, 1918, the 30th July, 1918, and the 6th August, 1918, to be exported from the United Kingdom to the following Destinations, viz :—

Goods marked (A) to All Destinations ;
Goods marked (B) to All Ports and Destinations Abroad other than Ports and Destinations in British Possessions and Protectorates ;
Goods marked (C) to all Destinations in European and Asiatic Russia and in other Foreign Countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean, except France and French Possessions, Italy and Italian Possession, and Portugal, and to all Ports in any such Foreign Countries.

The dates appended to various prohibitions are those of Orders of Council imposing or amending those prohibitions since the Royal Proclamation of 10th May 1916. Where no date appears it may be assumed that the prohibitions stands as it did on the 10th May 1916.

List E (page 615).—Goods specially prohibited by Royal Proclamation of the 25th June, 1918, to be exported to Switzerland. The goods in this list are consignable to the Société Suisse de Surveillance Economique. It must be understood, however, that all goods mentioned in the General List, pages 596-615, are prohibited to be exported to Switzerland whether mentioned in List E or not. Goods mentioned in the General List but not in List E are not consignable to the Société Suisse de Surveillance Economique.

This list cancels all similar lists issued by the War Trade Department prior to *6th August 1918*

List F (page 624).—Goods specially prohibited by Royal Proclamation of the 29th September, 1917, to be exported to Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Holland.

Orders of Council issued subsequently to the date of this list are published in the "Board of Trade Journal", *which may be obtained either directly or through any bookseller from the undermentioned branches of H. M. Stationery Office:—*

London: Imperial House, Kingsway, W.C. 2;
Cardiff; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent;
Manchester: 37, Peter Street;
Edinburgh: 23, Forth Street;

or from Messrs. E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 115, Grafton Street, Dublin.

The attention of exporters is drawn to the fact that various articles marked B or C may, in view of the percentage of copper contained in them, be subject to the Copper Prohibition (List A). (See "Copper.")

Application must, therefore, be made to the War Trade Department for licenses to export goods which fall within the aforementioned copper prohibition on account of the quantity of copper contained therein. Such applications should always indicate clearly the actual quantity of copper and/or copper alloys the goods contain.

A

Abrasives, artificial, see Emery.
(B) Accoutrements, not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17.
(A) Acetanilide, 11-6-18.
(A) Acetates, all metallic.
(A) Acetic acid.
(A) Acetic Anhydride, 19-2-17.
(A) Aceto-celluloses.
(A) Acetones and their compounds and preparations, 7-6-16.
Acetylene burners, see Burners.
(A) Acetylsalicylic acid (aspirin) and its preparations.
(C) Acid-resisting apparatus made of quartz and parts of such apparatus made of quartz, 16-8-18.
(A) Aconite root, 11-6-18.
(A) Acriflavine, proflavine and other acridine derivatives having antiseptic or therapeutic properties, and mixtures or preparation containing any of those substances, 18-10-17.
(C) Adrenaline, 22-6-17.
Adzes, see Tools, see also Handles.
(A) Aerated and Mineral Waters, 1 5-17.
(A) Aeroplane dope.
(A) Aeroplane engines and their component parts.
(C) Agar-agar, 23-10-16.
Agricultural machinery, see Machinery.
(A) Aircraft of all kinds and their component parts together with accessories and articles suitable for use in connection with aircraft.
Aircraft, Steel stampings suitable for, see Steel.
Ajowan seeds, see Seeds.
(A) Albumen, 8-9-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Alcohol, absolute.
(A) Alcohol, ethylic, mixtures and preparations containing (not otherwise prohibited), 14-8-17.
(A) Alcohol methylic, and its esters, 15-1-17.
Ale, see Beer.
(C) Algae, 1-5-17.
(B) Algin and its compounds, 12-12-16, 1-5-17, 22-1-18.
Alkaline bromides, see Bromine.
Alkaline tartrates, see Tartaric Acid.
Aloes, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
Alumina, see Phosphate Rock.
(A) Aluminium, alloys of aluminium and manufactures of aluminium, or of its alloys, 18-10-17.
(A) Aluminium nitrate.
(B) Aluminium, oxides of, and mixtures containing aluminium oxides.
(A) Aluminium powder.
(C) Aluminium, salts of (except aluminium-nitrate and sulphate, alumino-ferric, and ammonia alum).
(B) Aluminium sulphate.
(B) Alumino-ferric.
Alundum, see Emery.
(B) Alunite.
(C) Alypin, 22-6-17.
(A) Ambergris, 8-2-18.
(A) American cotton ties, varnished or blacked, 28-7-16.
(A) Amidol and mixtures containing amidol.
(B) Amidopyrine, 10-5-17.
(A) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound, and mixtures containing such salts, 19-1-17, 22-1-18, 6-8-18.
(A) Amyl acetate and other Amyl esters, 15-1-17.
Amyl alcohol, see Fusel Oil.
(C) Amylene, 22-6-17.
(A) Anchors, 30-3-17.
(C) Anchusa, 22-6-17.
(C) Anchusin, 22-6-17.
(A) Aneroids suitable for aircraft.
Animal fats, see Fats.
Animal hair, see Hair.
Animal hoops, see Gluestock.
Animal oils, see Oils.
Animal waxes, see Waxes.
(A) Animals, living, for food, 12-12-16.
(A) Animals, pack, saddle and draught, suitable, or which may become suitable, for use in war, 8-1-15.
(A) Anthracene oil, and mixtures and preparations containing anthracene oil, 26-7-16, 2-2-17.
(B) Antimony and alloys of antimony.
(C) Antimony, compounds of (except sulphides and oxides of antimony).
(A) Antimony, sulphides and oxides of, and mixtures containing sulphides and oxides of antimony, 11-16-18.

(A) Antipyrine (phenazone) and its preparations.
(A) Anti-tetanus serum.
(A) Anvils, 12-3-17, 27-11-17.
Apatites, see Phosphate Rock.
(C) Apoil, 22-6-17.
(C) Apparel, waterproof wearing, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 17-11-16.
(A) Araroba or Goa powder, 27-11-17, 11-6-18.
(A) Areca or betel nuts, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Arecoline, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Armour plates, armour quality castings, and similar protective material.
(A) Arms, not being Firearms and their component parts.
(A) Arrowroot.
(B) Arsenical ore, 18-10-17.
(B) Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, and mixtures containing arsenic, 18-10-17.
(A) Asbestos and articles manufactured wholly or partly of asbestos, 27-11-17.
Aspirin, see Acetylsalicylic Acid.
(A) Asphalt and articles containing asphalt, 22-6-17, 22-1-18, 26-2-18.
(A) Asphalt, coal tar, 25-5-16, 22-6-17, 22-1-18.
Augers, see Tools.
(A) Axes, 10-5-17, 27-11-17, see also Handles.
Axles, see Carts, Bicycles, Motor Vehicles, Railway Material, Waggons.

B

(A) Baggings, old.
(A) Bags and sacks made wholly or partly of jute other than such bags or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings; 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(C) Bags, wrappers or sacks not otherwise specifically prohibited (except unwoven paper bags) other than such bags, wrappers or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings, 19-12-16.
Bakery, utensils, see Tinplate.
(A) Baking powder, 12-3-17.
Balata, see Rubber.
Ball-bearings, see Bearings.
Ball clay, see Clay.
(A) Balsams, 12-4-18.
(C) Bamboo, 4 7-16.
(A) Banana meal and banana flour and preparations containing banana meal and banana flour, 22-6-17.
Bandoliers, leather, see Leather Goods.
Barbed wire, see Wire.
(B) Barium peroxide, 30-3-17.
(A) Barium sulphate and mixtures containing barium sulphate, 11-6-18, 6-8-18.
Bark, see Cascarilla, Cinchona, Cuprea, Qaillaia, Quercitron, Saponaceous berries.
(A) Barley, barley meal and pearled and pot barley.
(A) Barographs suitable for aircraft.
(A) Barometers and their component parts, 17-11-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Barrels and casks, wooden (other than such barrels or casks as contain goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as the containers of such goods), whether whole or in shooks, and their distinctive component parts, 12-12-16, 1-5-17, 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
(A) Basic slag, 23-10-16.
(A) Baskets and Basket ware, 1-5-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Baudruche skin.
(B) Bauxite.
(A) Bayonets and their component parts.
(A) Beans of all kinds including haricots, but not including Calabar and St. Ignatius beans, which see; 12-12-16, 27-11-17.
(A) Bean flour and meal.
Bearded needles, see Needles.
(A) Bearings, ball and roller and steel balls and rollers suitable for bearings, 15-8-16.
(B) Bedding (not including bedsteads and parts thereof), 1-5-17, 8-3-18.
(A) Bedsteads, metal, and metal frames for bedsteads 12-4-18.
(A) Beer and ale, 1-5-17.
(A) Beeswax, 28-8-17.
Beet seed, see Seeds.
Belaying pins, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Belladonna and its preparations.
(A) Belladonna alkaloids, and their salts and preparations.
Belt fasteners, see Castings and Wire.
(A) Belting, cotton, including belting made with cotton duck impregnated with balata or with rubber, 14-5-18.
(B) Belting, woven hair, 8-3-18.
(C) Belting, not otherwise prohibited, 8-3-18
Betling, see Cotton, Leather, Linen, Rubber, etc.
Belts, see Leather Goods.
Benzamine, see Eucaine Hydrochloride.
Benzoic acid (synthetic) and benzoates, 12-4-18.
(A) Benzol and its compounds and preparations.
Betel nuts, see Areca.
(C) Bicycles and their component parts not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17 (see also Motor).
(A) Binder twine, 23-10-16, 12-3-17.
(A) Binnacles, 30-3-17.
(A) Binoculars and their component parts, 10-5-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Bins, iron or steel, 12-4-18.
Biscuit meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Biscuits.
(C) Bismuth and its salts (except bismuth nitrate).
(A) Bismuth nitrate.
(A) Bitumen, liquid or solid, and articles containing bitumen, 10-5-17, 22-6-17, 22-1-18, 26-2-18.

(A) Bladders, 19-2-17, see also Fish Bladders.
(B) Blankets, manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair, 8-3-18.
(C) Blankets, not otherwise prohibited, 8-3-18.
(A) Bleaching powder, 8-9-16.
Blocks, wood and iron rigging, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Boats and craft, 10-5-17, 18-12-17.
(A) Bobbins and their component parts, 22-6-17.
(A) Boilers, including portable boilers and their component parts, 25-5-16, 14-5-18.
Boiler packings, see Packings.
(A) Boiler tubes.
(A) Bolts, iron or steel, 13-7-17.
Bolts, see also Ships' rigging.
Bone ash, see Bones.
(A) Bone black, 15-1-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Bones (except fish bones) in any form and bone ash (see also Fish bones, Whalebone).
(A) Boots and shoes with soles or uppers of leather, 8-7-16, 30-3-17.
(C) Boots, and shoes not otherwise prohibited, 30-3-17.
Boots and shoes materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following; 8-9-16, 15-1-17, 19-2-17, 1-5-17, 22-6-17, 13-7-17 :—
(A) Boot and shoe grindery, including clog nails.
(A) Cutters, 2-7-18.
(A) Drivers, 2-7-18.
(A) Eyelets, 2-7-18.
(A) Groovers, 2-7-18.
(A) Hooks, 2-7-18.
(A) Lasts, 14-8-17.
(A) Shoemakers' machines and their component parts, 14-8-17.
(A) Shoemakers' tools, hand and machine, 14-8-17.

(C) Borax and mixtures containing borax.
(C) Boric acid.
Boring cutters, see Tools.
(C) Boron compounds.
(A) Bottles, metal, such as can be used for containing mercury, 1-5-17.
Bettels, metal, see Hollow-ware, Tinplate
Bowls, see Tinplate.
Braces and bits, see Tools.
Braid, see Hemp, Silk.
Bran, see Offals of Corn.
Brass, see Copper.
Braziers, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Bread.
Brewers' grains, see Grains.
Bricks, see Fireclay, Magnesite, Silica.
(A) Bristles, 26-6-16, 8-3-18, 2-7-18.
Broccoli seed, see Seeds.
(A) Bromine and alkaline bromides, 12-4-18.
Bronze, see Copper.
(A) Bronze powder, 10-5-17.
(A) Brooms and brushes, 1-5-17, 8-3-18, 2-7-18.
Brussels sprouts seed, see Seeds.
(A) Buchu leaves, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Buckets, iron or steel, 12-4-18.
Buckles, see Castings.
(A) Buckwheat, 12-12-16.
Buffalo hides, see Hides,
Builders' ironmongery, see Castings.
Bullion, see Silver.
(C) Burners, acetylene.
(A) Butter.

C

Cabbage seed, see Seeds.
(A) Cables, chain.
(B) Cables, insulated.
Cables, see also Copper manufactures.
(B) Cadmium, alloys of cadmium and cadmium ore, 15-8-16.
(A) Caffeine and its salts, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Cakes and Meals (which may be used as forage or food for animals), the following :—
Biscuit meal.
Calf meal.
Coconut and poonac cake.
Compound cakes and meal.
Cotton seed cake and cotton seed meal.
Fish meal and concentrated fish.
Gluten meal or gluten feed.
Ground nut or earth nut cake and meal.
Hemp seed cake and meal.
Husk meal.
Linseed cake and meal.
Locust bean meal.
Maize germ meal.
Maize meal and floor.
Meat meal.
Palm nut cake and meal.
Poppy seed cake and meal.
Rape seed or colza seed cake and meal.
Sesame seed cake and meal.
Soya bean cake and meal.
Sunflower seed cake and meal.
Whale cake.
Whale meal.

(A) Cakes.
(A) Calabar beans, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Calcium carbide, 12-3-17.
(C) Calcium silicide, 1-5-17.
(C) Calcium sulphate.
(C) Calcium sulphide.
Calf meal, see Cakes and meals.
(A) Calfskins.
(A) Calumba root, 11-6-18.
(A) Calves' stomachs, 25-5-16.
Cambrics, see Cotton.
(B) Camp equipment, military articles of, not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17.
Camp kettles, see Kettles.
(B) Camphor, 1-5-17.
Canary seed, see Seeds.
(A) Candles, 1-5-17, 8-2-18.
(A) Canes, unmounted, 14-5-18.
Cannabis Indica, see Indian hemp.
(A) Cannon and other ordnance, and their component parts.
Cans, see Hollow-ware, Tinplate.
(A) Cantharides, 12-4-18.
Canvas cotton, see Cotton.
(C) Canvas, old ship.
(A) Canvas cuttings.
Caoutchouc, see Rubber, also Gums.

(A) Capsicum, including oleo-resin of capsicum, 2-7-18.
(A) Caramel, liquid or solid, 1-5-17.
(A) Carbolic acid and compounds thereof, and preparations containing carbolic acid.
(A) Carbon, Brazilian.
(A) Carbon, coke oven, 6-8-18.
(A) Carbon disulphide.
Carbon electrodes, see Electrodes.
(A) Carbon, gas, 19-2-17.
(A) Carbon, pitch, 6-8-17.
(A) Carbon tetrachloride and its preparations.
(A) Carbons, suitable for searchlights.
Carbonyl chloride, see Phosgene.
Carborundum, see Emery.
(A) Card clothing, 1-5-17, 10-5-17.
Card pins, see Steel.
Card board, see Papers.
Carnauba wax, see Wax.
(B) Carpets and carpet rugs made wholly or partly of wool or hair, 8-3-18.
(C) Carpets and carpet rugs, not otherwise prohibited, 8-3-18.
Carrot seed, see Seeds.
(A) Carriages and mountings for cannon and other ordnance and their component parts.
Carriages, see Railway.
(A) Cartridges, charges of all kinds, and their component parts, and tools appurtenances and accessories for the filling and repair of rifle and shot gun cartridges, 8-2-18.
(B) Carts, two wheeled capable of carrying 15 cwt. or over, and their component parts.
(A) Casein and preparations thereof, 17-11-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Cascara Sagrada and its preparations, 30-3-17, 2-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Cascarilla bark, 12-4-18.
(A) Casings, 19-2-17.
Casks, see Barrels.
(A) Cassava powder.
(A) Castings malleable, hæmatite iron, the following; 12-3-17, 14-8-17 :—

Belt fasteners,
Buckles,
Builders' ironmongery,
Chain fittings,
Coat and hat hangers,
Conduit fittings,
Cycle fittings,
Furniture fittings,
Hinges,
Horse clippers,
Lamp fittings.
Pipe flanges,
Spurs,
Stove fittings,
Tramway fittings.

Castings, see Armour Plates and Shipbuilding meterial.
Cast iron guttering, etc., see Guttering.
Cast iron pipes, see Pipes.
(A) Catechu, 11-6-18.
Cattle foods, see Cakes and Meals.
Cattle foods, patent and proprietary, see Patent.
Cattle hides, see Hides.
Cauliflower, see Seeds.
Caustic potash, see Potash.
Caustic magnesite, see Magnesite.
Caustic soda, see Soda.
Celery seed, see Seeds.
(A) Celluloid.
(A) Celluloid articles, wholly or partly manufactured of, 1-5-17, 10-5-17, 22-1-18.
(A) "Celluloid" sheet, non-inflammable, and similar transparent material non-soluble in lubricating oil, petrol or water.
(A) Cement for building and engineering purposes, 14-5-18.
(A) Cereals, prepared foods derived wholly or partly from.
(B) Cerium, oxide and salts of, 10-5-17.
(A) Cerium and its alloys (except ferrocerium, the exportation of which is prohibited to all ports and destinations abroad other than ports and destinations in British Possessions and Protectorates).
Chain cables, see Cables.
Chain fittings, see Castings.
Chains, rigging, see Ships' rigging.
Chamois, see Leather and Leather goods.
(C) Charcoal.
Charges, see Cartridges.
(A) Cheese.
Chestnut extract, see Tanning extracts.
(A) Chicory, 30-3-17, 27-11-17.
Chicory seed, see Seeds.
(A) Chick peas, 12-12-16.
China clay, see Clay.
China fibre, see Fibre.
(C) China stone.
Chisels, see Tools.
(A) Chloral and its compounds and preparations, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Chloroform, 12-4-18, see also Halogen derivatives, etc.
(A) Chlorates, all metallic.
(C) Chlorides metallic and metalloidic, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
(B) Chlorine.
Choppers, see Tools.
(B) Chrome ore.
(C) Chromium, compounds of (except chromium acetate, chromium chlorate and chromium nitrate), and mixtures containing such compounds of chromium.
(A) Chromium acetate.
(A) Chromium chlorate.
(A) Chromium nitrate.
(A) Chronometers, 23-10-16.
(A) Chrysarobin, 27-11-17, 11-6-18.
Chucks, see Tools.
Cigarette paper, see Paper.
(A) Cinchona bark, its alkaloids and their salts and preparations of any of these substances, 1-5-17, 27-11-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Cinematograph films.
Cisterns, see Hollow-ware.
(B) Citrates, 22-6-17.
(B) Citric acid, 25-5-16, 30-3-17.
(C) Clay, china, potters and ball.
Clay, fire, see Fireclay.
Cleats, see Ships, rigging.
Cleavers, see Tools.
Clog nails, see Boots and Shoes.

Clothing, see Card, Uniform, Apparel, Wool, Silk.

Cloth, see Cotton, Hemp, Insulating materials, Jute, Wool, etc.

Clover seed, see Seeds.

(A) Coal, except coal allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as bunker coal, 27-11-17.

(A) Coal tar.

Coal tar asphalt, see Asphalt.

(A) Coal tar, all products obtainable from and derivatives thereof, suitable for use in the manufacture of dyes and explosives, whether obtained from coal tar or other sources, and mixtures and preparations containing such products or derivatives, 26-7-16.

Coat and hat hangers, see Castings.

(B) Cobalt, cobalt ore, and alloys of cobalt.

(A) Cobalt nitrate.

(B) Cobalt, oxides and salts of (except cobalt nitrate), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of cobalt.

(A) Cobaltchrom and similar alloys, 12-4-18.

(A) Coca leaves and their preparations, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.

(A) Cocaine and its salts and preparations, 17-11-16.

Coconut cake, see Cakes and Meals.

Coconuts, see Oleaginous Kernels, etc.

(A) Cocoa raw, and manufactures thereof, 19-2-17.

(A) Cocoa husks, 19-2-17.

(A) Cocoa shells, 19-2-17.

Cocoons, see Silk.

(A) Coffee, 19-2-17.

(A) Coffee essence, including coffee essence, containing Chicory, 27-11-17.

(B) Coir yarn, 1-5-17.

(A) Coke and manufactured fuel, 18-12-17.

(B) Colchicum and its preparations.

Collar check, see Wool.

(A) Collodion.

(A) Colocynth, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.

Colza seed, see Oleaginous Kernels.

Comb pins, see Steel.

Combs, see Curry.

Combings, see Malt.

(A) Compasses for ships, and component parts thereof, 30-3-17.

(A) Compasses (other than ships' compasses), and their component parts, 2-7-18.

Compound cakes and meal, see Cakes and Meals.

Condenser tubes, see Shipbuilding Materials.

(A) Condiments (except Table Salt) not otherwise specifically prohibited, 1-5-17, 2-7-18.

Conduit fittings, see Castings.

(A) Confectionery manufactured wholly, or partly of sugar, 12-3-17.

(A) Copper acetate.

(C) Copper, compounds of (except copper acetate, copper iodide, copper nitrate, copper sulphate, and subexide of copper) and mixtures containing such compounds of copper.

(B) Copper iodide.

(A) Copper manufactures, the following; 23-2-17 :—

All articles wholly or partly manufactured of copper or its alloys except articles partly manufactured of copper or its alloys in which the total weight of copper and copper alloy does not exceed 5 per cent. of the total weight of the article, and does not exceed 56 lbs.

(A) Copper nitrate.

(A) Copper ore, regulus, matte, concentrate and precipitate, 27-2-17.

(A) Copper, whether refined or unrefined, unwrought, wrought, or partly wrought of all kinds and descriptions, including brass, bronze, yellow metal, and all other alloys of copper, 23-2-17.

(A) Copper stamps for stamping woven piece-goods, 28-6-16.

(B) Copper, suboxide of, and mixtures containing suboxide of copper.

(A) Copper sulphate, 12-4-18.

(A) Coppers and their component parts, 14-5-18.

Copra, see Oleaginous Kernels.

Cordage and Twine, see Binder twine, Flax, Hemp manufactures, Jute cordage.

Cordite presses, see Implements, etc.

(A) Cork and cork dust, and article manufactured therefrom, not otherwise, specifically prohibited. 22-1-18, 14-5-18.

(B) Corks, crown, 14-5-18.

(A) Cornflour.

(A) Corn grits.

Corn offals, see Offals.

Corundum, see Emery.

Corrugated sheets, see Galvanised sheets.

Cotton, manufactures of, the following :—

(A) Typewriter cloth and fine cotton cambrics, in the grey, from 40 to 50 inches wide and weighing from 1 ounces to 4 ounces per square yard, 11-6-18.

(C) Cotton, all manufactures, mixtures, and products of, not otherwise specifically prohibited.

Cotton belting, see Belting.

(A) Cotton canvas, duck, or sailcloth, weighing more than 25 ounces per square yard, 14-5-18.

(A) Cotton pulp.

(A) Cotton rags and rags containing cotton.

(A) Cotton, raw, 12-3-17.

(A) Cotton, yarn, made from or containing Sea Island cotton, whether grown in the United States of America or the West Indies, 1-5-17, 14-5-18.

Cotton seed, see Oleaginous Kernels, etc.

Cotton seed cake, and cotton seed meal, see Cakes and Meal.

(A) Cotton shoddy.

Cotton ties, see American.

(A) Cotton wadding, and articles containing cotton wadding.
(A) Cotton waste, and articles containing cotton waste.
(A) Cotton wool, and articles containing cotton wool.
Craft, see Boars.
Cramps, see Tools.
Cream of Tartar, see Tartaric Acid.
(A) Creosote and creosote oils (except wood tar oil, for which see Oils) and mixtures and preparations containing such creosote or creosote oils, 26-7-16, 2-2-17.
(A) Cresol, compounds and preparations of cresol and nitro-cresol, 18-10-17.
Crowbars, see Tools.
(B) Crucibles (plumbago).
(A) Crysolite, 15-8-16.
Crystolon, see Emery.
(A) Cubebs, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
Clums, see Malt.
(C) Cuprea bark, 27-11-17.
(A) Curry combs, 15-8-16.
(A) Cutch, and extracts thereof, 28-8-17.
Cutters, see Boots and Shoes, materials for, Tools, small, Wire, barbed.
(A) Cyanamide.
Cycle fittings, see Castings.
Cycles, see Bicycles, Motor Vehicles.
(A) Cylinders, metal, capable of use for the storage of gasses or liquids under pressure, 14-8-17.

D

Dairy utensils, see Tinplate.
(A) Damiana, 12-4-18.
(A) Dari.
Deadeyes, see Ships' rigging.
(B) Deer skins.
Delta metal, see Copper.
(A) Dextrine and all articles and mixtures and preparations, containing dextrine, 19-2-17, 10-5-17.
Dhol, see Gram.
(A) Diamonds suitable for industrial purposes.
(D) Diatomite or infusorial earth, 2-7-18.
Dies for cartridge cases, see Implements, etc.
(A) Diethylbarbituric acid veronal and veronal sodium.
Diesel engines, see Shipbuilding material.
(C) Digitaline, 22-6-17.
(A) Dimethylaniline.
Distillers' grains, see Grains, etc.
(B) Docks, floating, and their component parts.
Domestic Utensils, see Hollow wares, Tinplate.
Down, see Feathers.
Drawings, see Maps.
(B) Draw plates, jewelled for drawing wire, 8-1-15.
Drilling posts, see Tools.
Drivers, see Boots and Shoes, material for.
(A) Drums, iron or steel, other than such drums as contain goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as the containers of such goods, 14-5-18.
Duck, cotton, see Cotton.
(A) Dyes and dyestuffs manufactured from coal tar products, and articles containing such dyes and dyestuffs.
(C) Dyes, vegetable, and dyestuffs and their extracts used in the preparation of vegetable dyes, and articles containing such dyes, dyestuffs and extracts, not otherwise prohibited, 28-8-17.

E

Earth nut cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Earth nuts, see Oleaginous Kernels.
(A) Eggs in shells.
(A) Egg powder, 1-5-17.
(A) Egg, yolk and liquid, 8-9-16, 19-2-17.
(C) Electrical apparatus and plant for the generation, distribution and utilisation of electric power not otherwise prohibited, see also Copper and Magnetos, 17-11-16.
Electrical insulating materials, see Insulating.
(B) Electric lamps (except carbon filament lamps, arc lamps for street lighting and pocket electric lamps and their component parts, 7-6-16, 12-12-16.
(C) Electric lamps, pocket, and their compondent parts, 12-12-16.
Electric lamp filaments, see Tungsten.
(A) Electrodes, carbon for electric furnaces.
(A) Emery and corundum and manufactures thereof, carborundum, alundum, crystolon, and all other artificial abrasives and manufactures thereof, 7-6-16, 17-11-16, 11-6-18.
(A) Emetin and its salts.
Enamel, gold, see Gold.
Engine packings, see Packings.
Engines, internal combustion, see Shipbuilding material.
Engines, see Aeroplane, Railway carriages.
(B) Equipment, military, not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17.
Equipment web, see Web.
(A) Ergot of rye, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(C) Ergotine, 22-6-17.
(C) Eryngo, 22-6-17.
(C) Eserine, 22-6-17.
(A) Esparto glass.
Essential oils, see Oils.
(A) Ether, acetic.
(A) Ether, formic.
(A) Ether, sulphuric.
Ethylic alcohol, see Alcohol.
(A) Eucaine hydrochloride, eucaine (benzamine) lactate, and their preparations.
(C) Exalgin, 22-6-17.
(A) Explosives.
Eyelets, see Boots and shoes material for.
Eyeplates, see Ships' rigging.

F

Faller pins, see Steel.
(A) Farina, 19-2-17.

Farming implements, see Machinery, agricultural.

(A) Fats, all animal and vegetable, and articles and mixtures containing such fats, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 19-2-17, 27-11-17.

(A) Fatty acids, and articles and mixtures containing fatty acids, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 27-11-17.

(C) Feathers and down, except ornamental feathers, 4-7-16, 15-8-16, 29-9-16.

(C) Felspar, 4-7-16.

Fencing staples, see Wire.

(B) Felt made wholly or partly of wool or hair (except roofing felt and saddle felt, which see), 8-3-18.

(C) Felt, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 8-9-16, 26-2-18.

(A) Felt, roofing, 26-2-18.

Felt, saddle, see Wool.

Fenugreek seed, see Seeds.

Ferberite, see Tungsten Ores.

(C) Ferrets, 19-12-16.

Ferro-alloys, the following :—

(B) Ferro-cerium.
(B) Ferro-chrome.
(A) Ferro-manganese, 22-6-17.
(A) Ferro-molybdenum.
(B) Ferro-titanium.
(B) Ferro-vanadium.
(B) Silicon spiegel, 15-8-16.
(B) Spiegeleisen.

(A) Ferro-silicon.

Fibre, Maguey, see Hemp.

Fibre matting, see Mats.

(A) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 15-8-16, 19-12-16, 1-5-17, 28-8-17, 8-2-18.

(C) Fibres, vegetable ; issues and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 8-2-18.

Fibre, vulcanised, see Insulating materials.

(A) Field glasses, and their component-parts, 2-7-18.

Filaments for Electric Lamps, see Tungsten.

Files, see Shoemakers' tools ; Tools, small.

Films, see Cinematograph, Photographic.

Finings, see Glue.

(A) Firearms and their component parts, and tools, appurtenances, and accessories for use in connection therewith, 8-2-18.

(A) Fireclay, and articles wholly manufactured of fireclay including firebricks, 28-6-16, 18-12-17, 26-2-18.

(A) Fish.

Fish bladders, see Gluestock.

(B) Fish bones, 12-12-16.

Fish glue, see Glue.

(A) Fish hooks, 18-10-17.

Fish oil, see Oils.

Fish skins, see Gluestock, etc.

(C) Fishing gear, including tackle (other than fish hooks, which see) for fishing by rod and line, 2-2-17, 18-10-17.

Fishmeal and concentrated fish, see Cakes and Meal.

Fittings, harness, see Harness.

Fittings, metal, see Castings.

(A) Flax and linen, all goods wholly or partly manufactured of, except made up articles of wearing apparel, 29-9-16, 28-8-17, 27-11-17, 18-12-17, 8-2-18.

(C) Flax and linen, made up articles of wearing apparel wholly or partly manufactured of, not otherwise prohibited, 8-2-18, 8-3-18.

(A) Flax cordage and twine, 18-12-17.

(A) Flax, raw.

(A) Flax shakings.

(A) Flax tow.

(A) Flax waste.

Fleshes, see Pickled Grains.

Flour, see Banana, Bean, Corn, Lentil, Malt, Maize, Pea, Potato, Rice, Rye, Sago, Tapioca, Wheat.

(C) Fluorine compounds, not otherwise prohibited, 1-5-17.

Flyers, see Steel.

Foods prepared from cereals, see Cereal.

Forage and food which may be used for animals, see specific headings as, e. g., Beans, Cakes, Hay, Oats, etc.

(A) Forage, green.

(B) Forges, portable.

Forks, see Tools ; see also Handles.

(C) Formates, not otherwise prohibited, 12-12-16.

(A) Formic acid, 27-11-17.

(A) Formic aldehyde, 12-4-18.

Formic ether, see Ether.

Fountains, see Hollow-ware.

French chalk, see Talc

(A) Fruit and fruit preserves, 29-9-16, 15-1-17, 19-2-17.

(A) Fuel economisers constructed of cast iron pipes, used as auxiliary heating apparatus in connection with land or marine steam boilers, 12-12-16.

Fuel, manufactured, see Coke.

Fuel oil, see Oil.

Furniture, fittings, see Castings.

(C) Furs and manufactures thereof (except Sealskin Fur, which see), 12-3-17, 1-5-17.

(A) Fusel oil (amyl alcohol).

(A) Fuses.

(A) Fustic (chips and extracts), 22-1-18.

G.

(A) Gall nuts and extracts thereof, 28-8-17.

(A) Galvanised sheets, corrugated or flat, 26-7-16, 10-5-17.

Galvanised wire, see Wire.

(A) Gambier and extracts thereof, 28-8-17.

(A) Game.

Gas carbon, see Carbon.

Gas mantles, see Incandescent, Mantles Ramie.

Gas masks, see Respirators.

Gasmeters, see Tinplate.

Gauges for cartridges and shells, see Implements, etc.

Gelatine, see Glue.

(A) Gelsemium root, 12-4-18.
(A) Gentian root, 10-5-17, 11-6-18.
Gilding solution, see Gold.
Gill pins, see Steel.
Gimlets, see Tools.
(A) Ginger, crystallised or preserved, 2-2-17, 10-5-17.
(A) Glass for optical instruments.
Glasses, Field see Field.
(B) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 8-9-16, 23-10-16, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Gloves, men's, made wholly or partly of leather, 12-4-18.
(A) Glucose, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing glucose, 19-2-17, 10-5-17.
(A) Glue, osseine, and concentrated size (and other sizes and sizings made from glue), fishglue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Gluestock of all kinds, including animal hoofs, untanned hides and pelts, not otherwise specifically prohibited, fish bladders, and fish skins, 12-12-16, 1-5-17, 14-5-18.
Gluten meal, or gluten feed, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Glycerine, and preparations containing glycerine not otherwise specifically prohibited.
Goa powder, see Araroba.
(A) Goat skins, 18-10-17.
(A) Goldbeater's skin.
(A) Gold, liquid, including gold paint, gold enamel, gilding solution and all other pigments containing gold, 12-4-18.
(C) Gold paint containing sulphide of tin, 1-5-17.
Gouges, see Tools.
(A) Grains, Brewers' and Distillers, 12-12-16.
Grains pickled, see Pickled.
(A) Gramophone and other sound records, including perforated music rolls, 10-5-17.
(C) Gramophone record compositions, 8-9-16.
(A) Gram or dhol, 12-12-16.
(B) Graphite, and mixtures containing graphite.
(A) Grass, esparto.
Grass seed, see Seeds.
Grass matting, see Mats.
(A) Grates and registers for heating purposes, and their component parts, 6-8-18.
(A) Green forage, 12-12-16.
(A) Green oil, and mixtures and preparations containing green oil, 26-7-16, 2-2-17.
(A) Grenades and component parts there of, 10-5-17.
(A) Grindelia, 12-4-18.
Grindery, see Boots and Shoes, material for.
(A) Grindstones, 8-9-16.
Ground nut, or earth nut cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Ground nuts, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Groovers, see Boots and Shoes Material for.
(B) Guaiacol and guaiacol carbonate.
(A) Guanos, 2-2-17.
(B) Gums containing caoutchouc.
(A) Gums not otherwise specifically prohibited, 1-5-17, 12-4-18.
Guns, see Cannon, Firearms, Machine.
Gun-metal, see Copper.
Gutta-percha, see Rubber.
(A) Guts, 19-2-17. See also Silkworm.
(A) Guttering, cast iron, and cast iron gutter fittings and connections, 2-7-18.

H

Hackle pins, see Steel.
Hacksaws and their component parts, see Tools.
(A) Hair, animal, and tops, noils, mixtures waste, and yarns thereof, 8-9-16, 18-10-17.
(B) Hair, human, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof, 10-5-17, 14-8-17.
(B) Hair, all manufactures, mixtures and products of, except such as are prohibited to all destinations, 8-3-18.
Hair, see Belting, Blankets, Carpets, Felt, Rugs.
(C) Halogen derivatives of aliphatic hydro-carbons (except carbon tetrachloride, chloroform, and iodoform which see). 12-4-18.
(B) Hammers, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 12-3-17, 27-11-17, see also Tools, also Handles.
(A) Handles and helves for grubbers, pickaxes, spades, and shovels, 12-3-17.
(A) Handles for adzes, axes, forks (agricultural, stone, roadmaking, and coke), hammers (hand), hoes, hooks (brushing and reaping), road scrappers and scythes, 27-11-17, 14-5-18.
(A) Harness and metal fittings therefor, see also Leather.
Harness and saddlery, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following ; 18-12-17 :—
(A) Harness and saddlery making machines and their component parts.
(A) Harness and saddlery tools, hand and machine,
(A) Needles for harness and saddlery making machines.
Haricots, see Beans.
(A) Hatchets, 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
Hat hangers, see Castings.
Hawsers, see Steel.
(A) Hay.
(A) Heliographs and their component parts, 2-7-18.
Hemp and hemp manufactures, the following :—
Hemp ropes, old.
(A) Hemp waste.
(A) Hemp of all kinds (including Indian hemp used in textile manufactures), Maguey fibre and manufactures thereof, except Tagalbraid, 8-3-18.

(C) Tagalbraid, 7-6-16, 29-9-16, 23-10-16, 17-11-16.
See also Indian Hemp.

Hempseed, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Hempseed cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(B) Henbane and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(A) Hexamethylene tetramin (urotropine) and its compounds and preparations, 11-6-18).
(A) Hides of cattle, buffaloes and horses.
(A) Hides and pelts, clippings of, 12-12-16, 14-5-18.
Hides and pelts untanned, see also Gluestocks, etc.
Hides, manufactures of, the following :—
(A) Pickers and drop box pickers, 14-8-17, 8-3-18.
(B) Pinions, centres, and other goods manufactured from hide, suitable for textile machinery, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 14-8-17, 8-3-18.

Hinges, see Castings.
Hods, see Hollow-ware.
Hoe handles—see Handles.
Hollow-ware, wrought made wholly or partly from iron and steel sheet or plate, the following 2-7-18 :—
Bottles empty, braziers, cans, measures, scoops, pails, pans, riddles, skips, troughs and trunks,
Cisterns and tanks,
Domestic utensils,
Fountains,
Hods,
Hoppers, seed.

(A) Hominy.
(A) Honey and all articles, mixtures and preparations containing honey, 25-5-16, 19-2-17.
Hoofs, animal, see Gluestock.
Hooks, see Boots and Shoes, materials for, Fish, Handles.
Hoppers seed, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Horns, animal, and articles manufactured therefrom in which the total weight of horn exceeds fifty per cent. of the total weight of the article, 2-7-18.
Horse clippers, see Castings.
Horsehides, see Hides.
Horse rugs, see Rugs.
(B) Horse, mule, and pony shoes, 23-2-17.
Hosiery needles, see Needles.
Hosiery, see Cotton manufactures.
Hosiery, see Wool.
Hubnerite, see Tungsten Ores.
Huskmeal, see Cakes and Meals.
(B) Huts, wooden.
(A) Hydrastis canadensis and hydrastine, 22-6-17, 22-1-18, 12-4-18.
(A) Hydrobromic acid, 11-6-18.
(B) Hydrochloric acid.
(A) Hydrocyanic (prussic) acid and solutions thereof, 22-6-17.
(B) Hydrogen peroxide, 30-3-17.
(A) Hydroquinone, and mixtures containing hydroquinone.

I

(A) Implements and apparatus designed exclusively for the manufacture of munitions of war, for the manufacture or repair of arms or of war material for use on land or sea, the following :—
Cordite presses.
Dies for cartridge cases.
Gauges for cartridges or shells.
Incorporators.
Lapping machines.
Rifling machines.
Wire-winding machines.

Implements for cutting or fixing barbed wire, see Wire.
(A) Incandescent gas mantle rings, 18-12-17.
Incandescent mantles, see Mantles, Ramie.
Incorporators, see Implements.
(B) Indian hemp (*Cannabis indica*), 27-11-17.
(C) Indigo, natural, 6-8-18.
(A) Indigo, synthetic, 6-8-18.
Infusorial earth, see Diatomite.
(A) Ingot moulds manufactured of hæmatite iron, 14-5-18.
(C) Insecticides, not otherwise prohibited. 22-6-17.
Insulated cables, see Cables.
Insulated wires, see Wires.
(C) Insulating materials, 28-6-16, 17-11-16, 2-2-17, 30-3-17, the following :—
(C) Compounds intended for the purpose of electrical insulation.
(C) Leatheroid,
(A) Oiled insulating cloth, paper silk and tape, 14-5-18.
(B) Vulcanised fibre, 14-5-18.
See also Mica.
(A) Invert sugar, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing invert sugar, 28-8-17.
(C) Iodine and its compounds and preparations (except iodoform), 12-4-18.
(A) Iodoform, 12-4-18.
(A) Ipecacuanha root.
(B) Iridium and its alloys and manufactures containing iridium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Iridium compounds, 27-11-17.
Iron and steel castings and forgings for hulls and machinery of ships, see Shipbuilding Material.
(A) Iron and iron articles containing chrome, cobalt, molybdenum, nickel, tungsten or vanadium, 1-5-17.
Iron, 1-5-17, the following :—
(A) Angles, channels, joists tees and other sectional material.
(A) Bars, including flats, rounds and other sections and shapes.
(A) Billets, blooms and slabs.
Bins, see Bins.
Bolts, see Bolts.
(A) Bridgework, pierwork and constructional material.
Buckets, see Buckets.
Castings (see also Shipbuilding Material).
Channels, see Angles.

Constructional material, see Bridge work.
Drums, see Drums
Flats, see Bars.
Forgings (see Castings, also Shipbuilding Material).
Guttering, etc., cast, see Guttering.
Hollow-ware, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Hoops and strips.
(A) Ingots.
Joists, see Angles.
Moulds, see Ingot Nails, see Nails.
Nuts, see Nuts.
(A) Ore.
Pierwork, see Bridgework.
(A) Pig.
(A) Pipes, wrought (see also Pipes, cast).
Piping, see Piping.
(A) Plates and sheets.
(A) Pyrites.
Radiators, see Radiators.
Rails, see Railway Material.
Rivets, see Rivets.
Rounds, see Bars.
(A) Scrap.
Sections, see Bars.
(A) Sheet bars.
Sheets, see Plates.
Slabs, see Billets.
Sleepers, see Railway Material.
Springs, see Railway Material.
Tees, see Angles.
(A) Tubes.
Tubs, see Tubs.
Wire and wire rods, see Wire.

(A) Iron, oxides of, and mixtures containing iron oxides, 2-7-18.
(C) Iron sulphate.
Ironmongery, builders, see Castings.
Isinglass, see Glue.
(A) Ivory, vegetable and manufactures thereof, 10-5-17, 22-6-17.

J

(A) Jalap, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
Jellies, see Mineral, Rubber.
Jimcrows, see Tools, small.
(A) Jute cordage and twine, 7-6-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute padding, 30-3-17, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute, piece-goods made wholly or partly of, 28-7-16, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute rags, 15-1-17.
(A) Jute, raw and carded, 12-3-17.
(A) Jute threads, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute twist, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute waste.
(A) Jute webbing, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute wrappers (Surat tares) other than such wrappers as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings, 28-6-16, 19-12-16.
(A) Jute yarns, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.

K

Kale seed, see Seeds.
Kernels, Oleaginous, see Oleaginous.
(B) Kettles, camp.
Knives, see Tools, small.
Kohl rabi seed, see Seeds.
(A) Kola seeds, 14-5-18.

L

(A) Lacs, not including lac dye, 12-4-18.
(A) Lactates, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
(A) Lactic acid, 22-6-17.
Lactose, see Milk Sugar.
Lamp fittings, see Castings.
Lamps, see Electric, Signalling, Tinplate.
(B) Lanterns suitable for camp use.
Lapping machines, see Implements.
(A) Lard of all kinds and imitation lard, 19-2-17, 10-5-17.
Lasts, see Boots and Shoes, material for.
Latch needles, see Needles.
Lathe tools, see Tools, small.
(A) Lead coated sheets, 15-8-16.
(A) Lead ore, 18-10-17.
(A) Lead, lead alloys, and manufactures of lead or of lead alloys, 12-12-16, 30 3-17.
(A) Lead compounds and mixtures containing lead compounds, 30-3-17.
(A) Leather, 30-3-17.
Leather goods of the following descriptions ; 8-9-16, 30-3-17 :—
(A) Articles of personal equipment suitable for military purposes, 6-8-18.
(A) Bandoliers, 6-8-18.
(B) Belting, leather manufactures suitable for textile machinery (except pickers and drop box pickers, which see), and leathers cut or shaped for hydraulic or pump purposes, 18-10-17, 8-3-18.
(A) Belts, 6-8-18.
Boot, see Boots.
Gloves, see Gloves.
Hydraulic leather, see Belting.
(A) Laces, 6-8-18.
(A) Pickers and drop box pickers, 8-3-18.
(A) Pouches, 6-8-18.
Pump leather, see Belting.
Shoes, see Boots.
Textile machinery leather, see Belting.
(B) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise prohibited, 19-2-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Waste, leather 8-3-18.

Leatheroid, see Insulating Materials.
Leek seed, see Seeds.
(A) Lentil flour and meal.
(A) Lentils, 12-12-16.
Lettuce seed, see Seeds.
Levels, spirit, see Tools, small.

(A) Levulose, 22-6-17.
(C) Lichens, 1-5-17.
Lime phosphate, see Phosphate Rash
Lime Soda, see Soda.
Linen, see Flax.
(A) Linen rags
(A) Linen waste.
(A) Linoleum, 15-8-16, 22-1-18.
Linseed, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Linseed cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Liquorice roots and juice, 22-6-17, 11-6-18.
(C) Lithium, 22-6-17.
(C) Lithium compounds, 22-6-17.
Locomotives, see Railway Carriages.
Locust lean meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Logwood (chips, extract, and preparations), 22-1-18.
(A) Lubricants not otherwise specifically prohibited and articles and mixtures containing such lubricants, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
Lupin seed, see Seeds.
(C) Lycopodium, 22-6-17.

M

(A) Macaroni.
(A) Machine guns, mountings for machine guns, and component parts thereof.
(A) Machinery, agricutural or farming, and component parts thereof, including hand tools for agricultural or farm purposes, 26-7-16, 12-12-16, 12-3-17, 14-8-17, 18-10-17.
(C) Machinery, metal-working, and component parts and accessories thereof, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 27-11-17.
Machinery, Ships, see Shipbuilding Material.
Machines, harness and saddlery making, see Harness.
Machines, shoemakers', see Boots and Shoes, material for.
(A) Magnesite and magnesite bricks.
(A) Magnestic, caustic or lightly calcined, and dead burnt magnesite.
(B) Magnesium chloride, and sulphate and mixtures containing magnesium chloride or sulphate.
(A) Magnesium and its alloys.
(A) Magnetos and component parts thereof, 10-5-17.
Maguey Fibre, see Hemp.
(A) Maize, 12-12-16.
(A) Maize germs, 12-12-16.
Maize germ meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Maize meal and flour, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Male fern rhizome, 12-4-18.
(A) Malt, 19-2-17.
(A) Malt dust, malt flour, culms, sprouts or combings, 12-12-16.
(A) Malt sugar (maltose) and articles and preparations containing malt sugar, 19-2-17, 28-8-17.
(A) Mandioca.
(C) Manganese compounds not otherwise prohibited, 1-5-17.
(A) Manganese, peroxide of, and mixtures and preparations thereof, 12-12-16.
(B) Manganese and Manganese ore.
Mangold seed, see Seeds.
(A) Manna, 22-6-17.
(A) Mannite, 22-6-17.
(A) Mantles, Incandescent.
Mantles, see Ramie.
(A) Manures, compound, 2-2-17.
(A) Manures, organic, 2-2-17.
(B) Maps and Plans of any place within the territory of any belligerent or within the area of military operations, on a scale of four miles to one inch or on any larger scale, and reproductions on any scale by photography or otherwise of such maps or plans.
(A) Margarine, 19-2-17.
(C) Marjoram leaves, 28 8-17.
(A) Matches, 29-9-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Matchets, 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
(C) Maté or Yerba Maté (paraguay tea), 2-7-18.
(C) Maté and matting made of fibre, grass or straw, 19-2-17.
(A) Mattresses, wire, fixed on wooden frames, 14-5-18.
Meals, see Banana ; Barley ; Bean ; Cakes ; Lentil ; Oat ; Pea ; Rye-Sago ; Whalebone ; Wheat.
Measures, see Hollow-ware ; Tinplate.
Measuring tools, see Tools, small.
(A) Meat of all kinds (including tinned and potted meat), 19-2-17.
(A) Meat, extract of ; 19-2-17.
Meat meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(C) Menthol, 10-5-17.
(A) Mercury.
(B) Mercury, compounds and preparations of (except nitrate of mercury), and mixtures containing such compounds of mercury.
(A) Mercury nitrate.
(C) Mess tins.
Metals and Ores, see specific headings, *e.g.*, Copper, Iron, etc.
Metal containers, see Bottles, Cylinders.
Metal harness fittings, see Harness.
Metal nozzles, see Nozzles.
Metal saddlery fittings, see Saddlery.
Metal-working machinery, see Machinery.
(A) Methylaniline.
Methylated spirits, see Spirits.
(B) Methyl salicylate, 10-5-17.
(A) Methylic alcohol and its esters, see Alcohol.
(A) Metol and mixtures containing metol.
(A) Mica block, mica sheets, and mica splittings, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(A) Mica waste, mica powder, micanite, and articles made from and insulating materials containing mica in any form, 17-11-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
Middlings, see Offals of Corn.
(A) Milk, condensed or preserved.
(A) Milk powder, 12-12-16.
(A) Milk sugar (lactose), 22-6-17.
Mill dust and screenings, Offals of Corn.

Millboard, see Paper.
(A) Millet, 12-12-16.
Milling cutters, see Tools, small.
(A) Mineral jellies, 22-6-17.
Mineral waters, see Aerated.
Mineral waxes, see Waxes.
(B) Mines and their component parts.
(A) Molasses, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing molasses, 26-7-16, 22-6-17.
(B) Molybdenum and molybdenite.
(B) Molybdic acid and its salts, 29-9-16.
(C) Monazite sand.
(A) Moss, Carrageen, 12-12-16, 1-5-17.
(C) Mosses, other than Carrageen Moss, 12-12-16, 1-5-17.
Motor ploughs, see Machinery, Agricultural.
(A) Motor spirit, 22-6-17.
(A) Motor vehicles, motor bicycles, and their component parts and accessories, 14-8-17, 12-4-18.
Moulds, ingot, see Ingot.
Mule shoes, see Horse.
Mungo, see Woollen Rags.
Music rolls, perforated, see Gramophone.
(A) Mustard, 1-5-17, 11-6-18.
Mustard seed, see Seeds.

N

(A) Nails, wrought and cut iron, or steel, 11-6-18.
(A) Naphthalene and its compounds and peparation.
(A) Nautical instruments and their component parts, 30-3-17, 2-2-18.
(A) Needles for bootmaking machines, 10-5-17.
Needles, harness and saddlery making machine, see Harness.
(A) Needles, hosiery machine (latch and bearded), 23-10-16, 18-10-17.
(A) Neo-salvarsan.
(A) Nickel, its ores, alloys, and manufactures (except nickel-plated goods not otherwise prohibited), 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
(A) Nickel nitrate.
(B) Nickel, oxides and salts of (except nickel ammounium sulphate and nickel nitrate, which are prohibited to all destinations), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of nickel, 22-1-18.
(A) Nicotive and its compounds, 6-8-18.
(A) Nightlights, 18-12-17, 8-2-18.
Nitrate of soda, see Soda.
(A) Nitrates, all metallic.
Nitre cake, see Sodium Sulphate.
(A) Nitric acid.
Nitro cresol, see Cresol.
(A) Nitro-toluol.
Noils, see Hair, Silk, Wool.
(A) Notes, Russian rouble, 26-2-18.
(A) Novocain and its preparations.
(B) Nozzels, metal, having an orifice less than one and one-half inches in diameter, 14-8-17.
(A) Nuts, iron or steel, 13-7-17.
(A) Nuts used as fruit.
Nuts, see Ground Nuts, Oleaginous, Saponaceous.
(A) Nux Vomica, 12-4-18, 14-5-18, 11-6-18.
(B) Nux Vomica, preparations of, 11-6-18.
(B) Nux Vomica alkaloids and their preparations, 12-4-18.

O

(A) Oakum, 8-2-18.
(A) Oats.
(A) Oatmeal and rolled oats.
Offals of corn and grain which may be used as food for animals, the following :—
(A) Bran.
(A) Middlings.
(A) Mill dust and screenings.
(A) Pollard.
(A) Rice meal (or bran) and dust.
(A) Sharps.

Oils, various :—
Oil anthracene, See Anthracene.
(A) Oil, blast furnace, 12-4-18.
Oils, creosote, see Creosote.
(C) Oils, essential (except sandalwood and turpentine oils, which see), 17-11-16, 8-10-18.
(A) Oils, fish, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing such oils, 1-5-17, 18-10-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Oil fuel, except oil fuel allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped for use on board the exporting ship, 22-6-17.
(A) Oil fuel, shale, 22-6-17.
Oil fusel, see Fusel.
Oil green, see Green.
Oil, paraffin, see Paraffin.
Oils, petroleum, see Petroleum.
(B) Oil, sandalwood, 18-10-17.
Oil, tar, see Tar.
(B) Oil waste.
(B) Oil, wood tar.
(A) Oils, fixed, all animal and vegetable, and articles and mixtures containing such oils, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 27-11-17.

Oiled insulating cloth, paper, silk and tape, see Insulating Material.
(A) Oilstones, 27-11-17.
(A) Oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds, and products of all kinds, 12-3-17, 27-11-17.
(A) Oleo-margarine, 19-2-17.
Oleo-resin of capsicum, see Capsicum.
Oleum, see Sulphuric Acid.
(A) Onions.
Onion seed, see Seeds.
(A) Opium and its preparations.
(A) Opium alkaloids and their salts and preparations.
Optical glass, see Glass.
Ordnance, see Cannon, Carriages.
Osiers, see Willows.
(B) Osmium and its alloys and manufactures containing osmium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Osmium compounds, 27-11-17.
Osseine, see Glue.
(B) Ovens, suitable for camp use.

(C) Oxalates, not otherwise prohibited, 12-12-16.
(C) Oxalic acid.

P

(A) Packing cases, empty wooden, and their distinctive component parts, including box shooks and staves, other than such wooden packing cases as have been previously imported full and are being returned empty whether whole or in parts.
(C) Packings, engine and boiler.
Paddings, see Jute.
Pails, see Hollow-ware.
Paint, gold, see Gold.
(B) Palladium and its alloys and manufactures containing palladium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Palladium compounds, 27-11-17.
Palm nuts, and palm kernels, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Palmnut cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Pans, see Hollow-ware, Tinplate.
Paper, printing, see Photagraphic.
(A) Paper, cigarette, 2-7-18.
(B) Paper and cardboard (including straw-board, pasteboard, millboard, and wood pulp board) and manufactures of paper and cardboard, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 2-7-18.
(A) Paper, waste.
(B) Paper, waxed.
(A) Paraffin liquid medicinal, 22-6-17.
(A) Paraffin oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Paraffin wax, and mixtures and preparations thereof containing 30 per cent. and upwards, of paraffic wax, but not including waxed paper, 1-5-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Paraformaldehyde.
(A) Paraldehyde.
(C) Parchment, 27-11-17.
Parsnip seed, see Seeds.
Pasteboard, see Paper.
(A) Patent and proprietary cattle foods of all kinds.
(A) Pea flour and meal.
Peanuts, see Oleaginous Kernels.
(A) Peas, 2-2-17.
(C) Peat.
(A) Pegs, wooden, suitable for use in the manufacture of boots and shoes, 15-1-17.
Pelts, see Gluestock, etc., hides, sheepskins.
(A) Pencils, carpenters', 27-11-17.
(A) Pencils, copying ink, 8-2-18.
(A) Pepper, 19-2-17, 22-6-17, 12-4-18.
(C) Pepsin, 22-6-17.
(C) Peptone, 22-6-17.
(A) Perchlorates, all metallic.
(A) Periscopes and their component parts, 10-5-17.
(A) Petroleum fuel oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum gas oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum lighting oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum spirit and articles containing petroleum spirit, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum and its products not otherwise specifically prohibited, and mixtures thereof, 22-6-17.
(A) Phenacetin and its preparations.
Phenazone, see Antipyrine.
(A) Phosgene (carbonyl chloride).
(A) Phosphate rock, namely:—Apatites, Phosphates of lime and alumina, 2-2-17.
(A) Phosphorus and its compounds, 22-1-18.
(A) Photographic materials, sensitised, of all kinds, whether exposed or not, 14-5-18.
Photographs, see Maps.
(A) Pickaxes (see also Handles), 12-3-17.
Pickers, see Hides, also Leather.
(B) Pickled grains and fleshes, 26-7-16.
(A) Pickles, 15-1-17.
(A) Picric acid and its components.
(A) Pigeon Peas, 12-12-16.
Pigments containing gold, see Gold.
(B) Pigskins.
(C) Pilocarpine, 22-6-17.
(C) Pimento.
Pincers, see Tools, small.
Pins, see Steel.
Pipe cutters, see Tools, small.
Pipe flanges, see Castings.
(A) Pipes, cast iron, and cast iron pipe fittings and connections, 26-7 15, 2-7-18.
Pipes, see also Copper, Iron, Lead.
(A) Piping, sheet iron or steel, for stoves or for ranges and parts thereof, 14-5-18.
Pistols, see Firearms.
(C) Pitch, and all mixtures, preparations and commodities of which pitch forms an ingredient not otherwise specifically prohibited, 26-7-16, 26-2-18.
Planes, wood and iron, see Tools, small.
Plans, see Maps.
Plates, see Copper, Drawplates, Iron, Photographic, Steel, Tin Plates.
(A) Platinum, alloys of platinum, and manufactures containing platinum.
(A) Platinum, salts of.
Ploughs, see Machinery, Agricultural.
(B) Plumbago, see also Crucibles.
(A) Plywood, 1-5-17.
Pocket lamps, see Electric lamps.
(A) Podophyllum rhizome, 12-4-18, 14-5-18.
Pollard, see Offals of Corn.
Pony shoes, see Horse.
Poonac cake, see Cakes and Meals.
Poppy seed cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Poppy seeds, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Pork, see Meat.
(A) Potash, caustic, and articles containing caustic potash.
(A) Potash, muriate, nitrate (saltpetre), sulphate, and crude manurial potash salts, and mixtures containing any of these substances, 19-2-17.
(B) Potash salts, and mixtures containing such potash salts, not otherwise prohibited, 19-2-17.
(A) Potassium bicarbonate and mixtures containing pottasium bicarbonate, 13-7-17.
(A) Pottasium carbonate and mixtures containing potassium carbonate, 22-6-17.

(A) Potassium chlorate, and mixtures containing potasium chlorate.
(A) Potasium cyanide, and mixtures containing potassium cyanide.
(A) Potassium perchlorate.
(A) Potassium permanganate.
(A) Potassium prussiates and mixtures containing potassium prussiates, 12-3-17.
(A) Potatoes, 7-6-16.
(A) Potato flour, 7-6-16, 19-2-17.
Pots, see Tinplate.
Potter's clay, see Clay.
(A) Poultry, 4-7-16, 29-9-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Prepared foods wholly or partially derived from cereals.
Preserves, see Fruit.
Prints, see Maps.
Proflavine, see Acriflavine.
(A) Projectiles of all kinds and their component parts.
Prussic acid, see Hydrocyanic.
Pulp, see Cotton, Tomato, Wood.
(A) Pulp-board waste.
(C) Pumice stone, including powdered pumic stone, 14-8-17.
Pump leather, see Leather.
(A) Pyridine.
(C) Pyrites cinders, 28-8-17.
Pyrites, see Iron, Copper.
(A) Pyrogallic acid, and mixtures, containing pyrogallic acid.

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Quartz, see Acid-resisting apparatus.
(A) Quassia wood, 11-6-18.
(A) Quercitron bark and extracts thereof, 30-3-17, 10-5-17, 28-8-17.
(C) Quillaia bark, 23-10-16.
Quinine, see Cinchona.

R

(A) Radiators manufactured of cast iron pipes 2-7-18.
(A) Radium and its compounds, 27-11-17.
(A) Raffia, 12-3-17.
Rags, see Cotton, Jute, Linen, Wool.
Railbenders (or Jimcrows), see Tools, small.
(A) Railway material of iron or steel; 1-5-17, the following :—

Rails,
Sleepers,
Springs,
Wheels, axles and tyres,
Other railway constructional material.

(A) Railway carriages, locomotives and wagons and their component parts.
(C) Railway material (except railway carriages, locomotives and wagons and their component parts, steel rails and steel sleepers).
(B) Ramie stockings and ramie fabrics suitable for the manufacture of gas mantles.
(A) Range finders and their component parts.
(A) Ranges, cooking, and their component parts, 14-5-18.
Ranges, piping for see Piping.
Rape or colza seed, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Rapeseed, or colza seed cake, and meal, see Cakes.
(A) Rattan, woven, 28-6-16, 14-5-18.
(A) Rattans, 30-3-17.
Reamers see Tools, small.
Receptacles, empty, see Tinplate.
Records, and Record Compositions, see Gramophones.
Registers, see Grates.
(A) Rennet powder, rennet extract, and other preparations of rennet, 4-7-16.
(A) Resins, resinous gums and resinous substances (except such as contain caoutchouc) and articles containing them, 4-7-16, 1-5-17, 12-4-18.
(B) Resinous substances containing caoutchouc.
(A) Respirators and self-contained breathing sets intended to afford protection to the wearer against toxic atmospheres, 22-1-18.
(A) Revolution indicators suitable for aircraft.
Revolvers, see Firearms.
(A) Rhatany root, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(B) Rhodium and its alloys and manufactures containing rhodium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Rhodium compounds, 27-11-17.
(A) Rhubarb (medical), 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
Rice meal (or bran) and dust, see Offals of Corn.
(A) Rice and rice flour, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing rice or rice flour.
Riddles, see Hollow-ware.
Rifles, see Firearms.
Rifling machines, see Implements.
(A) Rivets, iron or steel, 13-7-17.
Road scrapers, see Tools.
(C) Rock crystal.
Rock salt, see Salt.
Roller bearings, see Bearings.
Roofing felt, see Felt.
Rope made of steel wire, see Steel.
Ropes, see Hemp.
Rouble notes, see Notes.
(B) Rubber (raw, waste, and reclaimed), solutions containing rubber, jellies containing rubber, and any other preparations containing rubber, and also balata, gutta-percha, and the following varieties of rubber, viz. :—Borneo, Guayula, Jelutong, Palembang, Pontianac, and all other substances containing caoutchouc, 20-11-14.
(B) Rubber, gutta-percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly or not otherwise specifically prohibited, 29-9-16, 23-10-16, 19-2-17, 14-5-18, see also Tyres.
(B) Rubies, natural or synthetic, 2-2-17.
(B) Rugs, manufactured whooly or partly of wool or hair ; 8-3-18.
(E) Rugs, not orherwise prohibited, 8-3-18, see also Carpets.
(B) Rugs, horse.
Russian rouble notes, see Notes.
(B) Ruthenium and its alloys and manufactures containing ruthenium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Ruthenium compounds, 27-11-17.
(A) Rye, rye flour and meal.

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Sabadilla seeds, see Seeds.
(A) Saccharin, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing saccharin, 28-8-17.
(B) Sacks, coal.
Sacks, other sorts, see Bags.
(A) Sackings, old.
Saddle felt, see Wool.
Saddle serge, see Wool.
(A) Saddlery, and metal fittings therefor, see Leather.
Saddlery, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, see Harness.
(C) Saffron, 22-6-17.
(A) Sago and sago flour and meal.
Sailcloth, cotton, see Cotton.
(C) St. Ignatius beans, 27-11-17.
(B) Salicylic acid and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(B) Salipyrine, 10-5-17.
(B) Salol and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(C) Salt, rock and white (except table salt).
Saltpetre, see Potash, Muriate, etc.
(A) Salvarsan.
(B) Sandalwood for medicinal purposes, 18-10-17.
Sandalwool oil, see Oils.
(A) Santonin and its preparations, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(C) Saponaceous berries (soap nuts and saparita), barks and root, 27-11-17.
(B) Sapphires, natural or synthetic, 2-2-17.
(A) Sassafras root, 12-4-18.
(C) Sauces 29-9-16, 19-2-17, 1-5-17.
(A) Sausages, 2-2-17.
(A) Sausage skins, 19-2-17.
Saws, see Tools, small.
(A) Scammony root, 12-4-18.
Screenings, see Offals of Corn.
Scheelite, see Tungsten Ores.
Scoops, see Hollow ware.
Scrap, see Copper, Iron, Steel, Tin.
Scythe handles, see Handles.
Screwdrivers, see Tools, small.
Screwing tackle, see Tools, small.
Screws, rigging, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Sealskins, fur and hair, 12-3-17. 8-2-18.
(B) Searchlights, and their component parts, 1-5-17.
Searchlight carbons, see Carbons.
Seeds, 12-12-16, 12-3-17, the following:—
(A) Ajowan, 11-6-18.
(A) Beet, 14-8-17.
(A) Broccoli, 14-8-17.
(A) Brussels sprouts, 14-8-17.
(A) Cabbage, 14-8-17.
(C) Canary.
(A) Carrot.
(A) Cauliflower.
(A) Celery, 14-8-17.
(A) Chicory, 14-8-17.
(A) Clover, 14-8-17.
(A) Fenugreek, 22-6-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Grass, 14-8-17.
(A) Kale, 14-8-17.
(A) Kohl rabi.
(A) Leek, 14-8-17.
(A) Lettuce, 14-8-17.
(A) Lupin, 12-12-16.
(A) Mangold.
(A) Mustard, 23-2-17.
(A) Onion.
(A) Parsnip.
(C) Sabadilla seeds and preparations therefrom.
(A) Shallot, 14-8-17.
(A) Spinach, 14-8-17.
(A) Strophanthus, 12-4-18.
(A) Swede.
(A) Tomato, 14-8-17.
(A) Turnip.
(C) Vegetable, not otherwise prohibited, 18-10-17.
Seeds, oleaginous, see Oleaginous.
(B) Selenium.
(A) Semolina.
(A) Senega root, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Senna leaves and pods., 12-4-18
(A) Serpentary rhizome, 12-4-18.
(C) Sera, except anti-tetanus serum which is prohibited to all destinations, 13-7-17.
Sesame seed cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Shackles, see Ships' rigging.
Shale, see Oil, Fuel.
Shallot seed, see Seeds.
Sharps, see Offals of Corn.
Shaves, see Tools, small.
Shears and snipes, see Tools, small.
(A) Sheepskins, haired or wooled and pelts, 23-10-16, 18-10-17.
Sheets, see Galvanised, Iron, Lead coated, Mica, Steel.
Shipbuilding Materials, 15-1-17, 30-3-17, the following:—
(A) Condenser tubes.
(A) Engines for use on board ships (including Diesel and other internal combustion engines for marine propulsion) and component parts of such engines.
(A) Iron and steel castings and forgings for hulls and machinery of ships.
(A) Machinery for steam ships and component parts thereof, 10-5-17.
(A) Sectional materials for shipbuilding, 26-7-16.
(A) Ships' auxiliary machinery.
(A) Ships' telegraphs and component parts, thereof.
(A) Steering gear and component parts thereof.
(A) Winches.
(A) Windlasses
See also Fuel Economisers.
Ships' Rigging, 27-11-17, Fittings for the following:—
(A) Belaying pins.
(A) Blocks, wood and iron rigging.
(A) Bolts.
(A) Chains, rigging.
(A) Cleats.
(A) Deadeyes.
(A) Eyeplates.
(A) Screws, rigging, set or stretching.
(A) Shackles.
(A) Thimbles.

Ships' compasses, see Compasses.
Shoddy, see Cotton, Wool.
Shoemakers' tools and materials, see Boots.
Shoes, see Boots, Horse.
(A) Shovels, 13-7-17.
(A) Shuttles and their component parts, 22-6-17.
(A) Siennas, 2-7-18.
(B) Signalling lamps and their component parts.
Signalling apparatus, see Submarine.
(A) Silica bricks.
(C) Silicon, 22-6-17.
(A) Silicon manganese, 10-5-17.
(B) Silicon-speigel, 15-8-16.
Silk and Silk Manufactures, 23-10-16, 15-1-17, the following :—
(C) Articles of clothing for men's wear, not otherwise prohibited, manufactured from tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials in the grey, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted, 14-8-17, 8-3-18.
(A) Cocoons—
(A) Raw silk and all threads, yarns and twists thereof, 15-1-17.
(A) All threads, yarns and twists of Tussah silk and of artificial silk.
(A) Silk waste of all kinds (including artificial silk waste) and all threads, yarns and twists thereof, including noils and noil yarns.
(B) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk) whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials in the grey, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted, with the exception of velvets, plushes, laces, mourning crepe, trimmings, braids, ribbons, not exceeding 6 inches in width, furnishing fabrics (embroidered or brocaded), fabrics containing any kind of metal thread, and all made-up articles, not otherwise prohibited, 15-1-17, 22-6-17, 14-8-17, 8-2-18.
(A) Silkworm gut (surgical), 12-4-18.
(A) Silver bullion, specie and coin and articles wholly or mainly manufactured of silver, 12-4-18.
(A) Sisal strings, old.
(A) Sisal waste.
(B) Size and sizings of all kinds (whether nitrogenous or not), not including articles, the exportation of which is prohibited to all destinations under the prohibition attached to farinaceous substances, dextrine, concentrated size and other size in sizings made from glue (which see), 22-1-18.
Skins, see Bandruche, Calf, Deer, Fish, Gluestock, Goat, Goldbeater, Hides, Pig, Sausage, Sheep.
Skips, see Hollow-ware.
(C) Slagwool.
Slitting saws, see Tools.
Small tools, see Tools.
(A) Soap, including soft soap, 26-2-18.
Soap nuts, see Saponaceous.
(A) Soda, caustic, and mixtures containing caustic soda, 8-2-18.
(C) Soda lime, 12-12-16.
(C) Soda, nitrite of, 27-11-17.
(B) Sodium.
(A) Sodium bicarbonate, 25-5-16, 6-8-18.
(A) Sodium carbonate in all forms, including sodium sesquicarbonate and mixtures containing any of these substances, 25-5-16, 22-1-18.
(A) Sodium cyanide, and mixtures containing sodium cyanide, 12-3-17.
(B) Sodium hyposulphite (thiosulphate) and mixtures containing sodium hyposulphite.
(B) Sodium peroxide, 22-6-17.
(A) Sodium prussiates and mixtures containing sodium prussiates, 12-3-17.
(B) Sodium salicylate and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(C) Sodium silicate and mixtures containing sodium silicate, 1-5-17.
(C) Sodium sulphate and bisulphate (nitre cake).
(B) Sodium sulphide, 12-4-18.
Solder, see Copper, Lead.
Sound records, see Gramophone.
(A) Soups, compressed and desiccated, 19-2-17.
Soya beans, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Soya bean cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Spaghetti.
Spanners, see Tools, small.
(A) Sparking plugs, 15-8-16.
(A) Spelter and spelter dross.
(A) Spent oxide.
(A) Spermaceti, 1-5-17.
(A) Spices and mixtures thereof, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 12-12-16, 12-4-18, 2-7-18.
(B) Spiegeleisen.
Spinach seed, see Seeds.
Spirit, Motor, see Motor.
Spirit, Petroleum, see Petroleum.
(A) Spirits, methylated, and mixtures containing methylated spirits.
(A) Spirits of a strength of not less than 43 degrees above proof.
(A) Spirits, portable, of a strength less than 43 degree above proof, 26-7-16, 22-1-18.
Spokeshaves, see Tools, small.
(C) Sponges, raw and prepared.
Spurs, see Castings.
Squares, see Tools, small.
(A) Squills, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
Stamps, copper, used for stamping woven piece-goods. See Copper.
(A) Starch, articles containing starch and mixtures, and preparations of starch, 19-2-17.

Steel, 1-5-17, 10-5-17, the following :—

(A) Angles, channels, joists, tees and other steel sectional material.
Balls, see Bearings.
(A) Bars, including flats, rounds, and other sections or shapes, 1-5-17.
(A) Billets.
Bins, see Bins.
(A) Blooms.
Bolts, see Bolts.
(A) Bridgework, pierwork, and structural material.
Buckets, see Buckets.
Castings, see Shipbuilding Material.
Channels, see Angles, etc.
Drums, see Drums.
(A) Flats, see Bars.
(A) Flyers, 10-5-17.
(A) Hawsers, 25-5-16.
Hollow-ware, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Hoops, 8-9-16.
(A) Ingots.
Joists, see Angles, etc.
Nails, see Nails.
Nuts, see Nuts.
Pierwork, see Bridgework, etc.
Piping, see Piping.
(A) Plates and sheets, 29-9-16, 1-5-17.
Pins, see Textile.
Rails, see Railway Material.
Rivets, see Rivets.
Rounds, see Bars, etc.
(A) Scrap.
Screws, see Wood Screws.
Sectional material, see Angles, etc.
Sections, see Bars, etc.
Sheets, see Plates, etc.
(A) Sheet bars.
(A) Slabs.
Sleepers, see Railway Material.
Springs, see Railway Material.
(A) Stampings, suitable for aircraft.
Structural material, see Bridgework.
Tees, see Angles, etc.
(A) Textile pins of all kinds, including card pins, comb pins, faller pins, gill pins, and hackle pins.
(A) Travellers.
(A) Tubes.
Tubs, see Tubs.
Wire and wire rods, see Wire.
(A) Wire rope, 25-5-16.

(A) Steel, containing tungsten or molybdenum, and any tools or other articles made from such steel.

(A) Steel and steel articles containing chrome, cobalt, nickel, or vanadium, 29-9 16, 1-5-17.

(A) Stellite and similar alloys, 12-4-18.

(A) Sticks, unmounted, 14-5-18.

(A) Stoves, heating, capable of consuming coal, coke or other solid fuel, and their component parts, 14-5-18.
Stoves, piping, for, see Piping.
Stove fittings, see Castings.
(B) Stramonium leaves and seeds.
(A) Straw.
Straw-board, see Paper.
(A) Straw-board waste.
Straw matting, see Mats.
(C) Straw plait, 13-7-17.
(A) Strontium compounds, and mixtures containing strontium compounds, 19-12-16.
Strontium sulphate, see Strontium Compounds.
Strophanthus seeds, see Seeds.

(B) Submarine sound signalling apparatus.
(A) Sugar, cane and beet, and articles mixtures, and preparations containing sugar, cane or beet, 10-5-17 ; see also Confectionery ; Malt Sugar; Milk Sugar ; Invert Sugar.
Sulphates, Iron, see Iron.
(C) Sulphites, metallic, not otherwise prohibited, 12-12-16.
(C) Sulphocyanides, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
(C) Sulphoricinates, 22-6-17.
(A) Sulphonal.
(A) Sulphur and preparations containing sulphur.
(A) Sulphur, chlorides of.
(A) Sulphur, dioxide, liquefied.
(A) Sulphuric acid and mixtures containing sulphuric acid, 26-7-16.
(A) Sulphuric acid, fuming (oleum).
Sunflour seed, see Oleaginous Kernels.
Sunflour seed cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Superphosphates.
Surat tares, see Jute Wrappers.
(A) Surgical bandages and dressings, 12-4-18.
(A) Surgical instruments, 14-5-18.
Swede seed, seed Seeds.
(A) Swords and their component parts.
(B) Syringes, hypodermic.
(A) Syrups which may be used as food for man, 19-2-17.

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Tagal braid, see Hemp.
(C) Talc, all forms, including French chalk, 7-6-16, 1-5-17.
(A) Tallow, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing tallow, 19-2-17, 1-5-17, 22-6-17.
Tanks, see Hollow-ware.
(C) Tannalbin, 22-6-17.
(C) Tannigen, 22-6-17.
(A) Tanning extracts, and substances for use in tanning, 23-10-16, 30-3-17, 14-8-17, 28-8-17.
(A) Tantalum, alloys of tantalum, and ores containing tantalum.
Tape, Oiled, see Insulating Materials.
(A) Tapers, 8-2-18.
(A) Tapioca and tapioca flour.
(A) Tar, coal.
(C) Tar, oil, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 22-6-17.
(A) Tar, vegetable, 6-8-18.
(A) Tar, wood, 2-7-18.
(A) Tarpaulins.

(A) Tartaric acid, cream of tartar, and alkaline tartrates, 5-2-14, 8-1-15, 12-4-18.
(A) Tea, including tea waste, sweepings, dust and fluff whether denatured or not, 28-6-16, 19-2-17, 2-7-18.
Tea, paraguay, see Mate.
(A) Telegraphs (including wireless) and telephones, and instruments and material for, including valves for wireless telegraphic apparatus, 15-1-17, 23-2-17, 28-8-17.
Telegraphs, ships. see Shipbuilding Materials.
(A) Telescopes, and their component parts, 2-7-18.
(B) Tents and their component parts.
(A) Terebene, and articles containing terebene, 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Medicinal terebene only, for painters terebene, see Turpentine Substitute.
(A) Terneplates and receptacles made from terneplates, 15-8-16.
Textile machinery, articles for, see Hides.
Textile pins, see Steel.
(B) Theobromine sodium salicylate, 10-5-17.
(A) Theodolites, and their component parts, 2-7-18.
(A) Thermometers, 17-11-16, 12-12-16.
Thimbles, see Ships' rigging.
(C) Thiosulphaes, metallic, not otherwise prohibited, 12-12-16, see also Sodium Hyposulphite.
(A) Thorium and its alloys, 12-12-16.
(B) Thorium, oxide and salts of, 10-5-17.
(A) Thread, see Cotton, Jute, Silk.
Thread milling hobs, see Tools.
(C) Thyme leaves, 28-8-17.
(B) Thymol and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(A) Tin and alloys of tin, 8-2-18.
(B) Tin, manufactures of (not otherwise) specifically prohibited, 10-5-17, 8-2-18, 12-4-18, 2-7-18.
(A) Tin, chlorides of, 8-2-18.
(B) Tin, compounds of (except chlorides and oxide of tin), 8-2-18.
(A) Tin ore, 8-2-18.
(A) Tin, oxide of, and mixtures and preparations containing tin oxide, 5-12-16, 10-5-17, 8-2-18.
(A) Tin plates and receptacles made wholly or partly made therefrom (not otherwise specifically prohibited, the following; 15-8-16, 12-4-18, 2-7-18 :—

Receptacles empty.
Bottles, cans, measures, posts, pans, tins and bowls, empty.
Lamps,
Bakery, diary and domestic utensils.
Gas meters and component parts thereof.

(A) Tin plate scrap including scrapped and disused receptacles wholly or partly made of tin plate, 11-6-18.
(A) Titanium, titanium alloys, and titanium ores, 10-5-17.
(A) Titanium compounds, 10-5-17.
(A) Tobacco, unmanufactured and manufactured, 4-7-16, 13-7-17, 27-11-17.
(A) Toluol and its compounds and preparations.
(A) Tomato pulp, 19-2-17.
Tomato seed, see Seeds.
Tongs, see Tools.
Tools, agricultural and farm, see Machinery, also Handles.
Tools, etc., for firearms, see Firearms.
Tools, etc., for the filling and repair of rifle and shot gun cartridges, see Cartridges.
Tools, harness and saddlery, see Harness.
Tools, shoemakers', see Boots and Shoes, material for.
(A) Tools, small, the following :—

Adzes, 27-11-17.
Augers, 27-11-17.
Bars, boring, jumping and pinching, 27-11-17.
Boring cutters, 27-7-16.
Braces and bits, 27-11-17.
Chisels, 27-11-17.
Choppers, 14-5-17.
Chucks, 26-7-16.
Cleaners, 14-5-18.
Cramps, 27-11-17.
Crowbars, 27-11-17.
Drilling posts, 27-11-17.
Files, other than shoemakers' seat files, 8-9-16.
Forks, stone, roadmaking and coke, 27-11-17.
Gimlets, 27-11-17.
Gouges, 27 11-17.
Hacksaws and their component parts, 22 6-17.
Hammers (hand varieties), 27-11-17.
Knives, carpenters', coopers, farriers', glaziers', and painters' ; 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Lathe tools, 26-7-16.
Levels, spirit, 27-11-17.
Measuring tools, 26-7-16.
Milling cutters, 26-7-16.
Pincers, 27-11-17.
Pipe cutters, 27-11-17.
Planes, wood and iron, 27-11-17.
Railbenders (or Jimcrows), 27-11-17.
Reamers, 26-7-16.
Road-scrapers, 14-5-18
Saws, cross cut, frame and pit, 22-1-18.
Saws, hand, 27-11-17.
Screwdrivers (or turnscrews), 27-11-17.
Screwing tackle, 26 7-16.
Shaves, coopers', 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Shears and snips, tinman's, 27-11-17.
Slitting saws, 26-7-16.
Spanners, 27-11-17.
Spokeshaves, 27-11-17.
Squares, carpenters', fitters' and smiths', 27-11-17.
Thread milling hobs, 26-7-16.
Tongs, farriers', 27-11-17.
Twist drills, 26-7-16.
Wedges, wood splitting, 14-5-18
Wrenches, 27-11-17.

(B) Torpedoes and their component parts.
(B) Torpedo nets.

(B) Torpedo tubes.
Tramway fittings, see Castings.
Travellers, see Steel.
(A) Trional.
(A) Trioxymethylene.
(A) Triphenyl phosphate.
Troughs, see Hollow-ware.
Trunks, see Hollow-ware.
Tubes, see Boiler; Copper Manufactures; Iron; Shipbuilding Material; Steel; Torpedo; Umbrella.
(A) Tubs, washing, iron or steel, 12-4-18.
(A) Tungsten alloys, 22-6-17.
(A) Tungsten (except tungsten filaments for electric lamps.)
(B) Tungsten filaments for electric lamps.
(B) Tungsten ores (including ferberite, hubnerite scheelite and wolframite) 19-12-16.
(B) Tungsten, compounds, 10-5-17.
(A) Turnbuckles suitable for aeroplanes.
Turnip seed, see Seeds.
(A) Turpentine (oil and spirit), and articles containing turpentine, 18-12-17.
(A) Turpentine substitute, and articles containing turpentine substitute' 22-6-17, 27-11-17, 8-12-17.
Twine, see Binder; Hemp; Jute.
Twist drills, see Tools, small.
Typewriter cloth, see cotton manufactures.
(A) Typewriters and parts thereof, 13-7-17, 14-8-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Tyres for motor vehicles and for cycles (whether attached to a vehicle or cycle or not), together with articles and materials especially adapted for use in the manufacture or repair of tyres.

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(C) Ultramarine and mixtures containing ultramarine.
(A) Umbers, 2-7-18.
(A) Umbrella ribs, tubes and tubes frames.
(B) Uniform clothing (except second-hand naval and military uniform clothing.)
(A) Uniform clothing, second-hand naval and military, 15-1-17.
(A) Uranium, alloys of uranium and uranium ores, 12-3 17.
(C) Uranium compounds, 10-5-17.
(B) Urea and its compounds.
Urotropin, see Hexamethylene.

V

(C) Vaccines, 22-6-17.
(C) Valerienates, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
(C) Valerianic acid, 22-6-17.
Valves for wireless telegraphic apparatus, see Telegraphs.
(C) Valves, gas, steam and water (not otherwise prohibited), 29-9-16, 12-12-16, 14-8-17.
(B) Valves, metal, of all descriptions, 14-5-17.
(B) Vanadium.
(C) Vanadium compounds, 1-5-17.
(B) Vanadium ore, 28-8-17.
(A) Vanillin, vanilla and vanilla pods, 22-6-17, 28-8-17, 2-7-18.
(C) Varnishes not otherwise prohibited, 17-11-16.
Vegetable fats, see Fats.
Vegetable ivory, see Ivory.
Vegetable oils, see Oils.
(A) Vegetables of all kinds, whether fresh, dried, preserved, canned or bottled, 29-9-16, 12-12-16, 15-1-17, 10-5-17.
Vegetable seeds, see Seeds.
(C) Vellum, 27-11-17.
Venision, see Poultry and Game
Veronal, see Diethylbarbituric Acid.
(A) Vessels, 18-12-17.
(A) Vermicelli.
(A) Vices, 12-3-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Vinegar containing not more than 6 per cent. of acetic acid, 28-6-16.
(A) Vinegar essence and similar preparations containing more than 6 per cent. of acetic acid, 28-6-16.
Vulcanized fibre, see Insulating Materials.

W

Wadding, see Cotton.
(B) Waggons, four-wheeled, capable of carrying one ton or over, and their component parts.
Waggons, see Railway Carriages.
(A) Waggon covers.
Waste, see Cotton; Flax; Hair; Hemp; Jute; Leather; Linen; Mica; Silk; Sisal; Strawboard; Wool.
(B) Watches and watch movements, 18-10-17, 18-12-17.
(C) Waterbottles suitable for military use.
Waterproof wearing apparel, see apparel.
(A) Wax, carnauba, 13-7-17.
(A) Wax, paraffin, 1-5-17.
(B) Waxed paper.
(B) Waxes, animal, mineral and vegetable not otherwise prohibited, 8-9-16, 1-5-17, 18-10-17.
(A) Waxes, composite, 18-10-17.
(B) Web equipment.
Wedges, wood splitting; see Tools.
(A) Whalebone, 1-5-17.
(A) Whalebone meal, 1-5-17.
Whale cake, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Whale fins, 1-5-17.
Whale meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Wheat, wheat flour and wheat meal and all articles, mixtures and preparations containing wheat, wheat flour, or wheat meal.
Wheels, see Carts; Cycles; Motor Vehicles; Railway Materials; Waggons.
(A) Willows, and osiers, 22-1-18.
Winches, see Shipbuilding Material.
Windlasses, see Shipbuilding Material,
(A) Wine, 19-12-16, 22-1-18.
(A) Wire, barbed, and galvanised wire, and implements for cutting or fixing such wire, 28-6-16, 10-5-17.
(A) Wire, card.
(A) Wire, heald.
Wire mattresses, see Mattresses.
(A) Wire, reed.
(A) Wire rods, and wire of iron or steel, and articles manufactured wholly of such wire rods of wire, 8-2-18.
Wire-winding machines, see Implements.

(B) Wires, insulated.
(B) Wolfenite.
Wolframite, see Tungsten ores.
(A) Wood and timber of all kinds, hewn, sawn, or split, planed or dressed; 29-9-16, 15-1-17, 2-2-17, 12-3-17. See also Plywood.
(A) Wood pulp ; 12-12-16.
Wood-pulp-board, see Paper.
Wood tar, see Tar.
Wood tar oil, see Oils.
Wood packing cases, see Packing.
Wooden pegs, see Pegs.
(A) Wood screws, made of iron or steel ; 29-9-16, 12-12-16, 18-10-17.
(A) Wool grease, and articles and mixtures containing wool grease, 12-4-18.
Wool and Woollen Goods :—
Blankets, see Blankets.
Carpets, see Carpets.
Collar check, see below.
Felt, see Felt.
Rags, see below.
Rugs, see Rugs, also Carpets.
(A) Saddle felt.
(A) Saddle serge.
Sheepskins, woolled or haired, see Sheepskins.
Shoddy, see below.
(A) Wool, raw and mixtures thereof, 8-9-16, 18-10-17.
(A) Wool tops and mixtures thereof, 18-10-17.
(A) Wool noils and wool waste and mixtures thereof, 8-10-17.
(A) Woollen and worsted yarn and mixtures thereof, 18-10-17.
(A) Woollen collar check.
(A) Woollen rags, shoddy and mungo applicable to other uses than manure, 18-10-17.
(B) Wool, all manufactures, mixtures and products of, except such as are prohibited to all destinations, 17-11-16, 8-3-18.
Wrappers, see Bags, Jute.
Wrenches, see Tools, small.

X

(A) X-ray apparatus, 14-5-18.
(A) Xylol and its compounds and preparations.

Y

Yarns, see Coir ; Cotton ; Hair ; Jute ; Silk ; Wool.
(A) Yeast, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing yeast, 8-9-18, 22-6-17.
Yellow metal, see Copper.

Z

(A) Zinc, alloys of zinc, manufacture of zinc and zinc dust, 2-2-17.
(A) Zinc ashes.
Zinc barium pigments, see the various headings affecting zinc salts.
(B) Zinc chloride and sulphate, and mixtures containing zinc chloride, or sulphate.
(B) Zinc ore.
(A) Zinc oxide ; and mixtures containing zinc oxide, 2-2-17, 14-3-17.
(A) Zinc sulphate and mixtures containing zinc sulphide, 10-5-17, 14-8-17.
(A) Zirconium and its alloys, 12-12-16.
(A) Zirconium compounds, 12-12-16.
(A) Zirconium minerals, 12-12-16.

LIST E.

List of goods in the schedule appended to the Royal Proclamation of the 25th June, 1918, prohibiting the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to any destination in Switzerland ; the prohibition also applies to any articles composed wholly or partially of such articles. (*See page 595.*)

Abaca.
Abaca yarn.
Accumulators, electric, and accumulator plates.
Acetani ide.
Acetates.
Aceto-cellulose.
Acetone.
Acids :—
Acetic.
Benzoic.
Boric.
Carbolic.
Chloroylphuric.
Citric.
Fatty.
Formic.
Gallic.
Hydrobromic.
Hydrochloric.
Lactic.
Nitric.
Oleic.
Oxalic.
Palmitic.
Phenic.
Pyrogallic.
Salicylic.
Stearic.
Sulphuric.
Tannic.
Tartaric.

Aconite and its preparations and alkaloids.
Aconitine.
Acorns, roasted or not.
Aeroplanes and airships, and engines and parts.
Aeroplanes, component parts of, with accessories and articles suitable for use in connection with aircraft.
Agar agar.
Albumen including yolks of egg.
Alcohol, industrial.
Alcohol, potable.
Aldehyde.
Alfa.
Alimentary paste.
Alkaline bromides.

Alkaline tartrates.
Alkaloids (vegetable).
Almonds.
Almond oil.
Alpaca yarn.
Alpiste.
Alum.
Alumina : anhydride, hydride, salts.
Alumina (sulphate).
Aluminium ore.
Aluminium in all forms: pure metal; alloys of.
Aluminium, manufactures of, not including aluminium jewellery.
Aluminium ozides and salts of.
Aluminium bronze.
Alundum, cast or not.
American cloth.
Amidopyrine.
Ammonium salts.
Ammunition.
Amyl alcohol (fused oil).
Aniline (meterials for).
Aniline and its compounds.
Animal wax, beeswax, spermaceti.
Animals, living.
Aniseed and starred aniseed.
Anthracene.
Anti-bacterium.
Anti-febrine.
Antimony, metallic (native antimony and regulus of antimony); alloys of.
Antimony, native sulphide, ore and other combinations of antimony.
Apples, residue of.
Arms of all kinds and component parts.
Arsenic, ore and metal.
Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, mixtures containing arsenic.
Asbestos, crude.
Asbestos, manufactured.
Asphalt, all kinds.
Asses.
Atropine.
Automobiles, and parts and accessories.
Awls, shoe-makers'.
Axes.

Bacon.
Bags (except paper bags).
Balata, all forms.
Balata belting.
Balloons and parts.
Balloon stuffs.
Bamboos.
Bananas.
Banana meal.
Barges.
Barium, nitrate of.
Barium sulphate.
Bark for tanning and dyeing.
Barley.
Barrels.
Batteries, electric, and parts.
Bauxite.
Bayonets.
Beans, dried, whole.
Beans for cattle feeding.
Beans, split and meal.
Beans, locust.
Beef, corned.
Beef oleo for margarine.
Bees'-wax, crude or worked and articles in bees'-wax.
Beet pulp for cattle.
Beetroot salin.
Belladona and its preparations and alkaloids.
Bell-metal, all forms.
Belting (Machine) in all materials.
Benzine.
Benzo-napthol.
Benzol, benzoates.
Berries for dyeing and tanning.
Billhooks.
Bi-phosphate of lime.
Biscuits.
Bismuth, ore and metal.
Bismuth salts.
Bitumen, and bituminous compositions
Bladders.
Blankets (woollen).
Blasting powder.
Blocks, stereos, clichés (copper).
Boats for river use (barges, etc.).
Boiler compositions.
Bone fat.
Bones, whole, dissolved, melted, calcined, and bone ash.
Bootmakers' tools.
Boots and shoes, rubber and leather, including footwear in textile with leather soles or parts, also parts thereof, and grindery used in the manufacture thereof.
Borax (borate of soda) and mixtures containing borax.
Boron compounds.
Bran.
Brass, all forms.
Brazil nuts.
Bread.
Bristles, pigs', assorted and in bundles.
Bromine and bromides, and their compounds and salts.
Bromoform.
Bronze, all forms.
Brooms, Sorghum fibre.
Brucine.
Buckwheat.
Burners, acetylene.
Butter.
Butter substitutes.
Buttons and eyelets for boots and shoes (celluloid or metal).
Buttons of vegetable ivory.

Cabbages.
Cable, insulated.
Cables, cordage, ropemakers' wares, of any textile materials.
Cadmium ore and metal.
Cadmium salts.
Cafeo.
Caffeine and its salts.
Cakes.
Calcium, carbide of.
Calcium cyanamide.
Calves.
Camel's hair.
Camels' hair yarn.
Camp equipment.
Camphor.
Canary seed.
Candles, nightlights, tapers, of bees'-wax, stearine, spermaceti, and other substances.
Canes.
Cantharides and its preparations
Canvas.

Caoutchouc.
Capsicum.
Caraway seeds.
Carbolic acid and its compounds, and mixtures containing carbolic acid.
Carbon sulphide.
Carbon chloride and tetrachloride and their preparations.
Carbon (gas).
Carbons (electric).
Carborundum in all forms.
Cardamoms.
Cardboard, asphalted.
Card clothing.
Carpets of animal hair, wool, linen, jute, and cotton and mixtures thereof.
Carriages and carts.
Carrots.
Cartridges.
Caseine.
Cashew nuts.
Casks.
Cassava root.
Cassia.
Castor oil.
Cattle.
Cattle cake.
Cattle feeding stuffs, brewery grains, and other; also prepared cattle foods.
Cauliflowers.
Celluloid, in all forms; including wares.
Cellulose.
Cellulose yarn.
Cement.
Cement, dental.
Cereals, cereal foods.
Ceresine.
Cerium, ore and metal.
Cerium, salts of.
Chamois leather.
Charcoal.
Charcuterie (pork butchers' meat.)
Charts.
Cheese.
Chestnuts, fresh or dried.
Chestnut meal.
Chicory, ground.
Chicory root, dried or roasted, a substitutes.
"Chiendent" fibre.
Chisels.
Chloral and its compounds and preparations.
Chlora nide.
Chlorates.
Chloride of ammonia.
Chlorine, liquefied and in solution.
Chlorine and its compounds.
Chloroform.
Chocolate.
Chrome ore and metal.
Chrome salts.
Chronometers, ships.
Cigars and cigarettes.
Cinchona bark.
Chichonine.
Cinematograph films, including blank, unexposed films.
Cinnamon.
Citrate of lime and other citrates.
Citrate of magnesia.
Clay, china (kaolin.)
Clichés.
Clothing for men, non-waterproofed.
Clothing for woomen, non-waterproofed.
Clothing, waterproofed.
Cloves.
Cloves, essence of.
Coal-tar, its products and derivatives capable of being utilised in the manufacture of dyes or explosives; compounds containing such products and derivatives (except coal-tar dyes.)
Cobalt, salts, and oxides of cobalt, and articles containing cobalt.
Coca and its preparations.
Cocaine and its salts and preparations.
Cocoa.
Cocoa beans, cocoa pods, husks and dust.
Cocoa butter.
Cocoa powder.
Cocoanut butter.
Coconut oil.
Coconuts.
Codeine (alkaloid of opium).
Coffee, raw, roasted, and hygienic coffee, coffee substitutes, not otherwise specified, in a dry state, including ground acorns, kubin cafeo, ground chicory.
Coffee extracts, essences, and substitutes, liquid.
Coin, nickel, bronze, and copper.
Coir yarn and wares.
Colchicum and its preparations.
Collodion.
Colophany.
Colts.
Colza oil.
Conicine.
Copal gum.
Copper: ore (incuding pyrites); pure metal and alloys of, in all forms; waste.
Copper wares, including carbons for electricity containing copper, and including all metal articles containing 10 per cent. or more of copper or its alloys; enamelled or plated copper wares; perforated copper plates; copper leaf; insulated and non-insulated copper cables; insulated electrical copper wires; copper cables with lead sheath, or iron fittings; electrical cables of all kinds containing copper; copper trellis work; copper bolts, screws, nails, rivets; church and other bells; unfinished brass machine parts; brass valves and taps imported apart from their machines; copper or alloyed copper wares not otherwise specified, whether turned or not; bronze wares.
Copper, suboxide of, and articles containing suboxide of copper.
Copper, sulphate of.
Copra butter.
Copra oil.
Cordage.
Cordage (old.)
Cork in sheets, including cork unworked, waste and old cork.
Cooks worked, including corks.
Cornflour.
Corozo (vegetable ivory) nuts and buttons made thereof.
Corundum, all forms.
Cotton and cotton waste (including cotton yarn waste), carded or not; cotton wool.
Cotton rags.
Cotton-seed oil.

Cotton stearine.
Cotton tissues, all kinds, made up or otherwise.
Cotton yarn.
Cream.
Cream of tartar.
Creosote, wood.
Creosote oil.
Cresol and nitro-cresol, and their compounds and preparations.
Crucibles.
Cryolite.
Crystelon.
Cutch.
Cyanides.
Cycles and motor cycles and component parts.
Cylinders and discs for phonographs and gramophones with or without impressions, new or old, broken or waste.
Cylinders and receptacles of iron or steel for compressed or liquid gas.

Damar gum.
Dari.
Dates.
Daturine.
Degras.
Delphinine.
Dental apparatus, teeth sets, and their accompaniments.
Dental rubber, waxes, cement, and fillings.
Dermatol.
Detonators.
Dextrines.
Diamonds, cut or pierced for Industrial use.
Diamonds, industrial, including rough diamonds for cutting into Jewellery gems, and boart.
Digitaline.
Di-methyl-aniline.
Distillers' grains, and residues from apples, raisins, or olives.
Diuretine.
Down.
Drains, rubber.
Draw-plates, jewelled.
Dress protectors proofed.
Dyeing substances, all kinds, except coal-tar dyes.
Dynamite.
Dynamos.

Earth containing infusoria.
Ebonite.
Eggs.
Eggs, preserved and egg yolk.
Electrical appliances adapted for use in war, and their component parts.
Electrical fire-lighters.
Electrical insulated wire and cables.
Electric insulation, compositions or products, suitable for.
Electrodes (unmounted).
Electrodes (mounted), piles and component parts.
Emery, all forms including wheels and paper.
Emetine and emetic salts
Engines (locomotive).
Engines, marine and aerial, and parts.
Equipment, military.
Erasers, rubber.
Ether sulphuric and ether acetic.
Eucaine, hydrochloride, eucaine (benzamine) lactate, and their preparations.
Explosives, gunpowder and similar explosives, nitroglycerine, dynamite, melinite, etc.
Extracts, liquid and solid, for dyeing; extracts of colouring matter other than those derived from coal-tar.
Extracts tanning.
Extracts of meat.

Farinaceous articles of all kinds being food-stuffs: wheat, rye, oats, barley, maize, buckwheat, grain, meal and flour malt, bread and biscuits, groats, semolina, Italian paste, sago, salep, mandioca and flour, tappioca and flour, rice of all kinds, dried vegetables of all kinds and their meal, chestnuts and flour, dari, millet, and alpiste (long millet).
Fats, animal.
Fats, vegetable, comestible.
Feathers, feather waste and down (other than fancy feathers.)
Fecula of all kinds.
Felspar.
Felts, asphalted.
Felts of animal hair.
Ferro-chrome and ferro-nickel, and all other ferro-alloys.
Ferro-cyanides.
Fibre.
Figs, fresh, dried.
Figs, roasted.
Fillings and scrap, of old copper, lead, tin, zinc, and their alloys.
Firearms of all kinds and their component parts.
Fish, in brine, preserved, dried, salted.
Fish, potted or canned, all kinds.
Flannels (cotton).
Flannels (woollen).
Flax, raw, as tow or combed; waste.
Flaxen canvas: hammock canvas, kit-bag canvas, navy canvas, tent canvas.
Flaxen fabric suitable for balloons.
Flour: wheat, maize, rice, peas, beans, and other sorts of.
Flour-mill waste.
Foodstuffs, preserved, all kinds.
Forges, portable.
Formaldehyde, denatured.
Formaldehyde, non-denatured.
Formol.
Fruit juice and syrup.
Fruit kernels.
Fruits, fresh.
Fruits, exotic.
Fruits, dried, preserved drained.
Fruits for dyeing and tanning.
Fullers' earth.
Furs rough or prepared, but not worked or made up.
Fusel oil.
Fuses (miners').
Fustic.

Gambier.
Game.
Game (preserved).
Garlic.
Geodetic instruments.
Ginger.
Ginger, preserved.
Glass paper.

Gloves (leather).
Gloves (rubber).
Gloves (woollen).
Glucose, liquid.
Glucose, solid.
Glucose, solid, for the manufacture of artificial silk.
Glue.
Gluten, all kinds.
Glycerine and preparations containing glycerine.
Glycerophosphates.
Goats.
Goatskins.
Goldbeaters' skin.
Grains (brewery and distillery).
Grapes, fresh and pressed grapes.
Grapes, residue of.
Graphite, all forms, including crucibles.
Grease.
Grease, curriers' and leather dressers'.
Grease for vehicles and machinery.
Grease, machine.
Grenadines.
Grindery used in the making of boots and shoes, including rivets, plates, nails, buttons, etc.
Grindstones.
Groats, all kinds.
Ground-nut oil.
Guaiacol and guaiacol carbonate.
Guano.
Gums, all kinds, solid and liquid, such as arabic, cherry, tragacanth, Senegal, acacia, agar, Bassorah, and mahogany.
Gun cotton.
Gunpowder.
Gun-metal, all forms.
Guns and parts.
Gut, animal, in all forms.
Gut, cords of (except those for musical instruments), including gut cords for machinery.
Guts of oxen.
Gutta-percha, all forms.

Hair, human and animal, rough, cleaned, spun or otherwise prepared or manufactured.
Hair, textiles of.
Halogen derivatives of aliphatic hydrocarbons.
Hams.
Hand carts.
Handles of tools.
Haricot beans.
Harness and parts.
Haulers.
Hausers and ropes of iron and steel wire.
Hay.
Heliographs.
Hematite cast iron in pig and other forms.
Hemp, cloth.
Hemp, cordage and twine.
Hemp, crushed, dressed, and combed; waste.
Hemp, yarn and knotted.
Hexamethylene-tetramine.
Hides and skins, rough or prepared, including fur skins not put together.
Honey, natural or artificial.
Horn.
Horsecloths of hair.
Horsehair, and vegetable substitutes for horsehair.
Horses.
Horseshoes.
Hosiery (cotton).
Hosiery (woollen).
Hydrocarbons and hydrocarbides.
Hydroquinone.

Indigo, natural.
Injectors, rubber.
Instruments, nautical, of all kinds.
Insulating materials.
Iodine and its compounds and preparations.
Iodoform.
Ipecacuanha root.
Iridium, ore and metal.
Iridium, compounds of.
Iron, unworked, forged, rolled or drawn, including wire, unworked cast iron, all forms.
Iron alloys.
Iron ore (including pyrites).
Iron and steel plate, all kinds, including black tinned, annealed, terne, nickelled, leaded, coppered, zincked, galvanised, corrugated, painted varnished, and boxes for packing food.
Isinglass.

Jams, with or without sugar.
Jellies, fruit.
Jellies, mineral.
Jewellery, imitation.
Jute, raw, carded, etc.
Jute yarn.
Jute sacks.
Jute: piece-goods.

Kaolin (china clay).
Kermes, mineral.
Kernel oil for industrial use.
Kernels of fruit.
Kino.
Kubin.

Lac.
Laces, for boots and shoes, all kinds.
Lamps, signalling.
Lard.
Lard, imitation.
Lava, volvic.
Lead (ore and metal, pure and alloyed) in all forms, including lead type, old or new.
Lead, salts and compounds of.
Leather, hides, and skins, raw.
Leather, hides, and skins, tanned and dressed.
Leather wares, including travelling articles in leather, but not including fancy light leather goods ("maroquinerie").
Leaves for dyeing and tanning.
Leeks.
Lemons and fresh lemon skins.
Lemon juice.
Lentils.
Lichens for dyeing and tanning.
Lime, acetate, and pyrolignite of.
Lime, chloride, and phosphate of.
Lime, phenate of.
Linen tissues.
Linen yarn.
Lingerie, cotton.
Linoleum.
Linseed.

Linseed meal.
Linseed oil.
Liqueurs.
Liqueurs, wines containing a higher percentage of alcohol than that indicated in the Swiss Tariff.
Liquerice.
Liquorice juice (in cakes, sticks, etc.).
Liquorice root.
Llama hair, yarns, and tissues.
Logwood.
Lorries motor.
Lubricants.

Macaroni.
Mace.
Machine tools and parts thereof.
Machinery, agricultural, all kinds, and spare parts thereof.
Machinery and mechanical apparatus of all kinds, including spare parts.
Machinery and parts thereof, suitable for use in marine and aerial navigation.
Machinery and parts thereof, exclusively used for the manufacture of munitions and weapons of war.
Machinery and parts thereof in special steel, such as high speed steel, nickel steel, etc.
Machinery, electrical, electric dynamos, and motors.
Machinery, metal-working.
Machinery, refrigerating.
Magnesia, calcined.
Magnesium chloride and sulphate, and mixtures containing magnesium chloride and sulphate.
Magnetos and their parts.
Maize.
Maize flour.
Maize meal.
Maize stalks.
Malt.
Malt (exhausted) and malt germs, for cattle.
Mandarines.
Mandioca and flour.
Manganese, ore and metal, all forms; dioxide and perioxide of manganese.
Manganese salts.
Mangrove bark and extract.
Manilla yarn.
Manioc, raw and dried.
Manures of all kinds, chemical and other.
Maps.
Marble, unworked or sawn.
Marcs (residues).
Margarine, oleo-margarine, copra butter, and similar products.
Marmalade.
Mats of horse-hair.
Mats of straw and fibre.
Meal, farinaceous, all kinds.
Meat meal for cattle.
Meats, fresh and refrigerated.
Meats, salt and smoked
Meats, tinned, and extracts of.
Melinite.
Mercury, and its compounds and preparations, and mixtures containing such compounds of mercury.
Mercury, fulminate of.
Metal, anti-friction.
Methylene, methylic alcohol, crude or chemically pure.
Methyl-ethyl-acetone.
Mica, crude or in sheets; mica splittings; ground mica.
Mica, cut manufactured and mica wares.
Milk, condensed, sweetened or not.
Millet.
Millet, long (alpiste).
Millinery, cotton.
Mineral oils and essences.
Mohair yarn and tissues.
Molasses.
Molybdenum: ore and alloys.
Molybdenum salts.
Monazite sand.
Morphia; morphine.
Mosses, Iceland, Irish, caragheen, and sphagnum.
Motor-cars, motor-lorries; parts and accessories.
Motor-cycles and parts and accessories.
Motors, electric, all kinds.
Mowing machines and spare parts.
Mules.
Munitions.
Muriate of ammonia.
Mustard seed.

Nails for boots and shoes.
Naphtha.
Napthalene.
Napthol; naphthyla mine and similar products.
Narcotine.
Nets, fishing and other.
Nickel; ore, metal, pure and alloyed, all forms.
Nickel wares and coin.
Nickel, salts and combinations.
Nicotine.
Nitro-benzine.
Nitro-cresol and its compounds and preparations.
Nitro-glycerine.
Novocaine.
Nutmegs.
Nuts.
Nuts and seeds, oleaginous.
Nuts for dyeing and tanning.
Nuts, pistachio.
Nux vomica and its alkaloids and preparations.

Oats.
Oatmeal.
Observation instruments.
Oil, animal, including neat's foot oil.
Oil, fish.
Oil, mineral, crude, refined, heavy.
Oil (tar).
Oil, vegetable, all kinds.
Oil, whale.
Oil and grease for machinery.
Oil, residual of distillation of alcohol.
Oil-cake, whole or ground.
Oils, essential.
Oiled cloth for furniture.
Oiled cloth for packing.
Oleine.
Oleo-margarine.
Olive oil, comestible.
Olive oil, denatured.
Olives, packed in oil
Olives, residue of.
Onions, including small pickling onions, both edible and for planting.

Opium and preparations containing opium.
Optical instruments, not including spectacles.
Oranges and fresh orange skin.
Orange juice, citronelle, citrates.
Oseers.
Osmium ore and metal.
Osmium, compounds of oxalates.
Oxen.
Oxide of tin and stanniferous waste.
Oxides of lead (litharge and minium).
Ozokerit.

Packings, engine and boiler.
Paleine.
Palladium, compounds of.
Palm nuts.
Palm oil.
Paper, Japanese, and similar paper, including serviettes of Japanese paper.
Papers, sensitised.
Paraffin.
Paraffin, liquid medicinal.
Paraffin wax.
Paraformaldehyde.
Paraldehyde.
Paste, Italian.
Peaflour.
Peas, dried, whole.
Peas, split and meal.
Peel, candied.
Pepper.
"Peptone Witte."
Perchlorates.
Peroxides, metallic.
Petroleum, crude, refined and spirit.
Petroleum jelly.
Petroleum residue and waste.
Pewter, all forms.
Phenacetine.
Phenazone.
Phenetidine.
Phosgene (oxychloride of carbon).
Phosphor bronze.
Phosphorus.
Phosphoric acid and compounds of phosphorus.
Photographic papers.
Photographic plates and films.
Pickles
Picks.
Pigeons, live and dead.
Pigs.
Pimento.
Pineapples.
Pitch.
Pitch (wood tar).
Plait, straw, hemp, tagal or other, for hatmaking.
Plants for dyeing and tanning.
Plated wares.
Plates for bootmaking.
Platinum, in all forms, including manufactures (except platinum jewellery).
Platinum salts.
Plumbago.
Pollards.
Poppy oil.
Pork-butchers' meat ("charcuterie").
Potash, prussiate of.
Potassium, chlorate and perchlorate.
Potassium, cyanide of.
Potassium nitrate.
Potatoes.
Pottery and refractory bricks with magnesite base.
Poultry, live and dead.
Precious stones, uncut, and artificial precious stones, cut or uncut.
Presspahn ("carton américain").
Projectiles and other munitions of war.
Prunes, dried.
Pyridine (base).

Quebracho extract.
Quebracho wood.
Quinine and its salts.
Quinine, extracts of.

Rabbits.
Radium and its salts.
Rags of all kinds.
Railway carriages, trucks, and lorries.
Raisins, dried.
Ramie, raw and waste.
Ramie tissues.
Ramie yarn.
Rapeseed.
Rattans, all kinds, and articles wholly or partly composed of rattans.
Reaping machines and spare parts.
Regurine.
Rennet.
Residues, exhausted, from gas production (Masses d'épuration épuisées).
Resin and resin pitch.
Resin oil.
Resinous substances, pine and fir.
Rhodium, ore and metal.
Rhodium, compounds of.
Rice.
Rice flour.
Rifles and parts.
Rigging.
Rivets used in bootmaking.
Roots for dyeing and tanning.
Ropes and rope-makers' wares.
Rosin, rosin pitch.
Rubber: Balata, gutta-percha, raw or remelted, including waste vulcanised rubber and ebonite and rubber substitutes; rubber wares; rubber-proofed and rubber-mixed goods; rubber preservatives.
Rum.
Ruthenium, ore and metal.
Ruthenium, compounds of.
Rye.
Rye, ergot of.

Sabadilla seeds.
Sacks, satchels and bags or all textile materials including paper thread.
Saddlery, leather.
Saddlery, metal parts.
Safrol.
Sago and flour.
Salad oil.
Salep.
Salicine.
Salipyrine.
Salophene.
Saltpetre, refined.
Saltpetres (Chile), crude.
Salts of—

Thorium, cerium, platinum, titanium, molybdenum, vanadium, and other salts of rare earths.

Salts of copper, chrome, tin, mercury, and other metals.
Sandarac gum.
Sandpaper.
Santonin and its preparations.
Satches.
Sausage casings.
Sausagees.
Saws.
Scheelite.
Scrap steel, *i.e.*, scrap, filings and waste of special steel; broken up special steel wares.
Scraps, metal, and filings: copper, lead, tin, zinc, and their alloys.
Screws.
Sealing wax.
Searchlights.
Seeds, sowing.
Selenium, ore and metal.
Semolina.
Senna leaves and pods.
Sesamum oil.
Shale oil.
Sheep.
Sheepgut.
Sheepskins.
Shellac.
Shell-fish, preserved.
Shipbuilding materials, rigging and apparatus.
Ships, all kinds.
Shoddy (wool).
Shoe fittings, shoe mercery, grindery.
Shovels.
Silica bricks.
Silica paper.
Silicon.
Silk; cocoons, raw, spun and tissues (including artificial silk); all kinds and forms.
Silver, raw, bar, ingot, powder, scrap, coin.
Skins, raw and dressed.
Slag wool.
Sledges.
Snuff.
Soap (including "Monkey Brand.")
Soaps perfumed toilet.
Socks and stockings (wool).
Soda, carbonate of, in all forms, including bicarbonate.
Soda, caustic.
Soda, peroxide of.
Soda, prussiate of.
Sodium bichromate.
Sodium chlorate.
Sodium cyanide.
Sodium (metal).
Sodium nitrate.
Sodium nitrite.
Sodium, sulphate, sulphide and hyposulphite.
Soles, lifts, and other cut leather for boots and shoes.
Soups, compressed, desiccated, preserved.
Soy.
Spades.
Spaghetti.
Spelter.
Spermaceti.
Spices, ground or not.
Spirits, portable.
Spirits of wine.
Sponges of all kinds, including waste.
Sprayers and spraying machines, other than those for toilet, medicinal and domestic use.
Starch; also starch waste for cattle.
Stearine.
Stearine, cotton for industrial purposes.
Steel, special, containing 0·5 per cent. of nickel, chrome, or tungsten, 0·2 per cent. of molybdenum, 0·1 per cent. of vanadium or titanium, 9 per cent. of manganese, 0·5 per cent. of cobalt (stellite); scrap, filings and waste of special steel.
Steel, unworked, forged, rolled or drawn (including wire).
Stencil paper.
Stereos.
Stirrups.
Stramonium leaves and seeds.
Straps (textile).
Straw.
Strontium, compounds of.
Strychnine.
Sublimate, corrosive.
Suet.
Sugar, raw, refined, candy.
Sugar of milk.
Sulphate of copper and cuprous powders; green copper.
Sulphoricinates.
Sulphur in all forms.
Sulphur dioxide (anhydride).
Surgical bandages and dressings.
Surgical, medical and orthopædic instruments and apparatus.
Swords, and other arms.
Syrups of molasses.

Tagal plait.
Talc.
Tallow.
Tanning substances of all kinds.
Tapioca and flour.
Tar.
Tar (coal), derivatives and products of, for the manufacture of dyes.
Tar oil derivatives.
Tarpaulins.
Tartar, cream of tartar and its alkaloids; tartrates.
Tea.
Tedders and spare parts.
Teeth, artificial.
Telegraph apparatus, parts of, and materials for.
Telephone apparatus, parts of, and materials for,
Tents and fittings.
Terpine; terpinol.
Textile fabric for baloons.
Theobromine.
Thiosulphates and polythionates.
Thorium ore and metal.
Thorium nitrate.
Thorium salts.
Thyme, essence of.
Thymol and its preparations.
Tin, chloride of.
Tin: ore, metal, pure and alloyed, in all forms.
Tin oxide.
Tin wares, including alloys.
Tinned plate, and terne plate; tinned plate boxes for packing foodstuffs.

Titanium, ore, and metal.
Titanium salts.
Tobacco, unmanufactured and substitutes.
Tobacco, manufactured and substitutes.
Toluidine, toluol.
Tomatoes, fresh.
Tomatoes, preserved.
Tools, edge, with or without handles, of ordinary iron or steel; also spades, chisels, picks, axes, shovels, saws farriers', carpenters', wheelwrights', and saddlers' tools, entrenching tools, billhooks, hoes.
Tools, instruments, and their parts, of special steels (such as high-speed steel, nickel steel) etc., except watchmakers' tools.
Tools used in the making of boots and shoes.
Toys, rubber.
Traction engines.
Treacle.
Trional.
Trioxymethylene.
Trucks and trollies, railway and other.
Tubes and tubing for boilers; cocks, (vannes) for steam, gas and water.
Tubes, drain.
Tungsten, ore and metal and tungstic acid.
Tungsten, compounds of.
Turkey red oil, and other sulfericinates.
Turnips.
Turpentine and mixtures containing turpentine.
Twine.
Type, metal.
Typewriters.
Tyres, solid or pneumatic.

Union cotton goods (containing 25 per cent. of cotton).
Uranium, ore and metal.
Urea any its compounds.
Urethane.
Urotropine (hexamethylene tetramine) and preparations containing urotropine.

Vanadium, ore, and metal.
Vanadium salts.
Vanilla.
Varnishes, all kinds.
Vaseline.
Vegetable fibre; also yarn and wares; vegetable substitutes for horsehair; vegetable substances for plaiting; rough, spun, or manufactured in any way.
Vegetable ivory (corozo).
Vegetables, dried, and their meal.
Vegetables, fresh.
Vegetables, preserved.
Vegetaline (butter substitute).
Vehicles of all kinds, haulers and traction engines of all kinds, all articles (unmanufactured or manufactured) for military, naval, or ; transport purposes.
Ventilators of 50 to 250 kilogrammes.
Veratrine.
Vermouth.
Vessels, sailing, steam, motor.
Vinegar.
Vitriol, oil of vulcanised fibre, all forms.

Waggons.
Walnuts.
Waterproofed clothing, with or without rubber.
Waterproofed (rubber) goods.
Wax, animal.
Wax paper.
Wax polish for floors, leather, furniture, etc.
Wax cloth.
Waxes, dental.
Waxes, mineral.
Waxes, vegetable.
Wheat, in grain.
Wheat flour.
Wheat meal.
Wheel-barrows.
Wheel wrights' tools.
Whisky.
White spirit.
Wicker, osier and rattan wares.
Wines, in bottles and registering over 15 degrees Gay-Lussac; but not including Burgundy (over 15 degrees), Madeira (up to 21 degrees), Marsala (up to 18 degrees), and Port (up to 23 degrees).
Wine, in casks.
Wire, barbed.
Wire, insulated.
Wolfram (tungsten), ore and metal.
Wood alcohol.
Wood, ash, beech, birch, lime, mahogany, okoumé, plane, teak.
Wood, for building.
Wood, for rifle stocks and rifle parts.
Wood spirit.
Wood, walnut, unhewn, squared and sawn.
Wool of all kinds, including waste; artificial wood.
Woollen hosiery and knitted goods.
Woollen tissues (including alpaca, mohair and camels' hair, but excluding felted woollen cloths in circular bands having a felted surface and warp and weft, and exclusively used for paper-making.
Woollen yarn.

Xeroform.
Yarn of vegetable fibre.
Yeast.

Zinc, ore; metal, pure and alloyed, in all forms, not including zinc wares.
Zinc chloride and mixtures containing zinc chloride.
Zinc sulphate and mixtures containing zinc sulphate.
Zinc dust.

LIST F.

Goods of every description [other than (1), such printed matter of all descriptions, as is not prohibited under the specific heading :—(B) paper, etc. (see page 19) ; and (2) personal effects accompanied by their owners], whether mentioned in the foregoing lists or not, are prohibited from export to Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Holland in accordance with the Royal Proclamation of 29th September 1917.

Licences will however be granted, in approved cases, for exports to Norway and Sweden subject to the conditions laid down in the notices published in the issues of the Board of Trade Journal dated 16th May (page 605), 27th June (page 814), 25th July (page 135), and 1st August 1918 (page 147). Licences will not be granted for exports to Denmark and Holland except in respect of the following *goods :—

Adding and calculating machines.
Alabaster for statuary purposes.
Artists' material, excluding oils and turpentines.
Athletic goods not containing rubber or leather.
Automobiles, passenger and spare parts, but not tyres or accessories.

Bicycles and spare parts, but not tyres or accessories.
Buttons of bone or horn.

Carpets, Oriental, of high value.
Cash registers.
China.
China clay.
Clocks, including clocks for time checking.
Clothing (made up) of silk or mixed silk.
Coral.
Cutlery, the following :—
- Bowie knives
- Bread knives.
- Budding knives.
- Butchers' knives.
- Carving forks.
- Carving knives.
- Cooks' knives.
- Desert knives.
- Hunting knives.
- Painters' knives.
- Palette knives.
- Pocket knives.
- Pruning knives.
- Razors.
- Scissors.
- Shoemakers' knives.
- Table forks, steel.
- Table knives.

Dental burs.
Dental filling materials, other than such as contain platinum or other rare metals.
Diamonds other than industrial diamonds.
Drugs, &c., the following :—
- Acetyl salicylic acid.
- Aconite.
- Agaric.
- Althaca root.
- Amidol and substitutes.
- Argentamin.
- Arsenobillon.
- Arsenous acid.
- Barium sulphate.
- Beta naphthol.
- Bromine.
- Bubylchloralhydrate.
- Cacodylicate.
- Camomile.
- Chromic acid.
- Diethylbarbituric acid.
- Digitalis.
- Duboisin sulphuric.
- Eucaine.
- Ferric compounds.
- Ferrum redactum.
- Folia hyoscyami.
- Fructus feoniculi.
- Hydrobromic acid.
- Ichthyol.
- Inula root.
- Khar-sevan.
- Metol.
- Nitrate of silver.
- Opium, alkaloids of.
- Paraldehyde.
- Phenacetin.
- Salicylic acid.
- Saltcake (subject to special conditions).
- Sodium arsenate.
- Sodium bromide.
- Sodium nitroprusside.
- Sodium salicylate.
- Veronal sodium.

Dyes and dyestuffs.

Earthenware.
Electro-plated goods and silverware containing not more than 5 per cent. of nickel or copper.

Feathers of high value.
Films (subject to special conditions).
Flower seeds, except seeds of oil-bearing plants.
Flowers, artificial.
Fountain pens.
Furs of high value.

Gauge glasses.
Glassware.

Hair ornaments and combs, except such as are manufactured from casein or corozo.
Hardware (builders), if of iron or steel.
Hats, felt, trimmed ready for wear.
Hats, straw.
Household furnishings, fixtures and equipment if manufactured of wood, iron, or steel.

Jewellery, imitation.

Laces, hand-made, such as Maltese lace.
Laundry machinery not containing rubber or copper.
Ledgers, loose leaf and similar stationery (subject to special conditions).
Lighting fixtures, if of iron or steel.

Machinery for manufacture of cotton goods.

* Export licenses will not be granted in respect of any article in this schedule should it contain an undue proportion of rubber, tin, copper, or lead.

Machinery, spare or replacement parts of (subject to special conditions).
Marble for statuary purposes.
Medical appliances, other than appliances containing rubber.
Morocco leather, small fancy goods.
Motor cycles and spare parts, but not tyres or accessories.
Musical instruments, except instruments composed entirely or mainly of metal.

Office furniture, equipment and supplies.
Oil paintings.
Opera glasses for use in theatres.

Pen nibs.
Perfumery, but not essential oils.
Phonographs.
Phonographic records.
Photographic goods other than cinema films.
Pianos.
Pictures, reproductions of.
Precious stones (real and imitation).
Printing presses, not containing an undue proportion of copper, nickel or antimony.

Razors, safety (and blades) not containing nickel or tin.
Ribbons, silk.

Sanitary ware (plumbers' goods), if of iron or steel or earthenware.
Scales and balances, not including weights of copper or brass.
Screw spanners for cycles.
Sewing machines.
Shrubs.
Spectacles.
Sugar-refining machinery (subject to special conditions).
Surgical appliances other than appliances containing rubber.

Teeth, artificial (except such as contain platinum, iridium, or other rare metals).
Toilet preparations (excluding soap) not in tin or lead containers and not containing more than 1 per cent. of glycerine.
Tooth brushes.
Toys.
Trimmings, silk.
Truffles, fresh or preserved.
Type-setting and type-casting machinery (excluding type metal).
Typewriters and spare parts and accessories (except typewriter ribbons not cut for use and except those over two inches wide).

Wall paper.
Wines.

STATISTICS.

The 26th October 1918.

No. 11571.—Mr. Nabagauranga Basak, a Deputy Collector in the Bengal Provincial Service, is appointed to officiate as Director of Statistics, with effect from the 21st October 1918, or the subsequent date on which he assumes charge, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Mr. G. Findlay Shirras, I.E.S.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 26th October 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 25th October 1918.

No. 2508.—Hamlet Cunningham Vachell Philpot, who was appointed Second-Lieutenant in the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, in Army Department Notification No. 2014, dated the 7th September 1918, is hereby granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 2nd October 1918.

37th Calcutta Presidency Battalion.

No. 2518.—The undermentioned gentleman is granted a temporary commission, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second-Lieutenant.

Robert Leonard Jenks. Dated 1st April 1917.

44th Calcutta Scottish.

No. 2519.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted temporary commissions, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Major.

Sir Francis Hugh Stewart, C.I.E. Dated 1st April 1917.

To be Second-Lieutenant.

Harold Browne. Dated 4th October 1918.

To be Major (Supernumerary List).

The Hon'ble Mr. Nicholas Dodd Beatson Bell, C.S.I., C.I.E. Dated 1st April 1917.

To be Second-Lieutenant (Supernumerary List).

Howard Charles Linney Barber. Dated 4th October 1918.

REWARDS.

No. 2534.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon Major George Augustus Webb, 9th Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, Indian Defence Force.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 2nd November 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 30th October 1918.

No. 53.—The following Statutes are published for general information :—

1. NAVAL PRIZE ACT, 1918.

[8 AND 9 GEO. 5, CH. 30.]

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATING TO NAVAL PRIZE OF WAR.

[8th August 1918.]

BE it enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Application of proceeds of prizes being the droits of the Crown.

1.—(1) If His Majesty is pleased by Proclamation or Order in Council to signify his intention to make a grant of prize money out of the proceeds of prize captured in the present war, the sums which have been or may be received in respect of ships and goods captured during the present war specified in Part I of the schedule to this Act shall (subject as respects money in any prize court to the assent of that court) be paid as and when the Treasury and Admiralty jointly direct into a separate fund to be called the Naval Prize Fund, and there shall be charged on and payable out of the Naval Prize Fund all such

costs, charges, expenses, and claims as are mentioned in Part II of the said schedule, and any question whether any sum is payable into or out of that fund shall be determined by the Tribunal hereinafter constituted.

(2) Subject to the payment of such costs, charges, expenses, and claims as aforesaid, such sum as may be required for the payment of prize money under this Act shall be a first charge on the Naval Prize Fund, and such prize money shall be of such amounts and payable to such members of His Majesty's Naval and Marine forces as hereinafter defined, or in the case of their death their representatives, and in such manner, as His Majesty may by Proclamation or Order in Council determine.

(3) The residue of the said Fund may be applied towards any of the purposes for which provision may be made by Greenwich Hospital, and also, subject to regulations made by the Admiralty, may be applied for the benefit of members and dependants of members of forces raised and provided by the Governments of parts of His Majesty's dominions outside the United Kingdom.

(4) Section seventeen of the Naval Agency and Distribution Act, 1864 (which requires forfeited and unclaimed shares and balances of prize money, and a percentage of the proceeds of prize and prize money to be carried to the naval prize cash balance), shall not apply to sums payable into the Naval Prize Fund or to any prize money payable out of that fund, but any forfeited and unclaimed shares and balances of such prize money may be applied for the purposes for which the residue of the said fund is applicable without prejudice, however, to the rights of any person who may subsequently establish a claim thereto, and no ship's agent shall be entitled to any share in the money so distributed, anything in section nineteen of the Naval Agency and Distribution Act, 1864, to the contrary notwithstanding; but, save as aforesaid, and subject to the provisions of this Act with respect to the investment of funds standing to the credit of the Naval Prize Fund, the Naval Agency and Distribution Act, 1864, shall so far as applicable apply to the sums distributable out of the Naval Prize Fund and the distribution of those sums. 27 & 28 Vict. c. 24.

(5) The Naval Prize Fund shall be under the control of the Admiralty, and payments into and out of that fund and all matters relating to the fund shall be made and regulated in such manner as the Admiralty direct, and any sum standing to the credit of the fund may be temporarily invested in such manner as the Treasury may authorize, and the accounts of the receipts and expenditure of the fund shall be made up at such times, in such form, and with such particulars as may be directed by the Treasury, and shall be audited by the Comptroller and Auditor-General as public accounts in accordance with such regulations as the Treasury may make and shall be laid before Parliament together with his report thereon.

(6) For the purposes of this Act the expression "goods" has the same meaning as in the Naval Prize Act, 1864, and the expression "members of His Majesty's Naval and Marine Forces" includes persons who are or have been members of His Majesty's Naval and Marine Forces, and officers and members of the crews of His Majesty's ships of war, and the expressions "His Majesty's Naval and Marine Forces" and "His Majesty's ships of war", include forces, and ships raised and provided by the Government of any part of His Majesty's Dominions outside the United Kingdom, and the latter expression further includes any ship or vessel engaged in the naval service of His Majesty, whether belonging to His Majesty or not, which the Admiralty declare is a ship of war for the purposes of this section, either generally or during such period or whilst engaged on such service as may be specified by the Admiralty. 27 & 28 Vict. c. 25.

Constitution of tribunal.

2.—(1) For the purposes of this Act there shall be constituted a tribunal, in this Act referred to as the tribunal, consisting in the first instance of the following persons, namely, the Right Honourable Walter George Frank Baron Phillimore of Shiplake (who shall be Chairman), Admiral of the Fleet, Sir George Astley Callaghan, G.C.B., G.C.V.O., and the Right Honourable Sir Guy Douglas Arthur Fleetwood-Wilson, G.C.I.E., K.C.B., K.C.M.G., and if any vacancy occurs amongst the members of the tribunal it shall be lawful for His Majesty to appoint a person to fill the vacancy:

Provided that in the case of a vacancy in the chairmanship the person appointed to fill the vacancy shall be a person who holds or has held high judicial office within the meaning of the Appellate Jurisdiction Act, 1876, as 39 and 40 Vict. c. 59. 50 and 51 Vict. c. 70.

amended by the Appellate Jurisdiction Act, 1887, and provided that at least one member of the tribunal shall be an officer of the Royal Navy or Royal Marines.

(2) The tribunal may Act by two of its members notwithstanding a vacancy in its members, and may make rules regulating its own procedure and shall have a seal which can be judicially noticed.

(3) The tribunal may appoint a clerk who shall receive such salary or other remuneration as the Treasury may determine.

(4) The tribunal shall have all such powers, rights, and privileges as are vested in the High Court or in any judge thereof, on the occasion of any action, in respect of the following matters:—

(*a*) The enforcing the attendance of witnesses and examining them on oath, affirmation, or otherwise, and the issue of a commission or a request to examine witnesses abroad; and

(*b*) The compelling the production of documents; and

(*c*) The punishing of persons guilty of contempt;

and a summons signed by the chairman of the tribunal may be substituted for and shall be equivalent to any formal process capable of being issued in any action for enforcing the attendance of witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

Provisions as to prize bounty

3. (1) The percentage of the sums distributable as prize bounty payable to ships' agents by way of remuneration shall be such percentage not exceeding one per cent. as the prize court may having regard to the expense and trouble involved determine to be just.

(2) The persons entitled to share in the distribution of any prize bounty under section forty-two of the Naval Prize Act, 1864, shall include and shall be deemed as from the commencement of the present war to have included the officers and crew of such of His Majesty's aircraft, operating under the directions of the Admiralty, as are determined by the prize court to have been actually present at, and to have assisted in, the taking or destroying of an armed ship of any of His Majesty's enemies.

28 and 29 Vict c. 111.

Payment of prize money and prize bounty in certain cases.

4. Where, in pursuance of the Navy and Marines (Property of Deceased) Act, 1865, on the death of any person being or having been an officer, seaman or marine, the amount to the credit of the deceased in the books of the Admiralty in respect of moneys payable by the Admiralty, being an amount not exceeding one hundred pounds has been disposed of without representation to the deceased being taken out, and subsequently in consequence of an award of prize money or prize bounty there becomes payable to the estate of the deceased an amount less than one hundred pounds, the amount of such money or bounty may be disposed of by the Admiralty if they think fit in accordance with the said Act without requiring representation to the deceased to be taken out, notwithstanding that the amount of the money or bounty is such that when added to the other sums previously paid by the Admiralty the aggregate exceeds one hundred pounds.

Short title and savings.

5. (1) This Act may be cited as the Naval Prize Act, 1918.

(2) Nothing in this Act shall be construed as prejudicing or affecting any prerogative or right of His Majesty to grant or release any ship or goods subject to prize jurisdiction, or the proceeds of sale thereof, or money representing the same, or to grant or release any droits of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

Section 1 (1)

PART I.

PAYMENTS INTO THE NAVAL PRIZE FUND.

(1) Any money in court paid in respect of any ship or goods condemned by any prize court, whether in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, being droits of the Crown, together with any accumulations of interest accrued on any such money.

(2) Where any ship or goods condemned by any prize court, being droits of the Crown, have, whether before or after the condemnation, been delivered to the Crown with or without the payment of any money into court or any

undertaking to pay any money into court, a sum equal to the value of the ship or goods at the date of delivery together with interest from the date of such delivery, after deducting any money which has been paid into court, or which may be payable under any such undertaking in respect of the ship or goods in question.

(3) Any sum paid in pursuance of any bond agreement or undertaking executed or given in favour of the Crown in respect of any ship or goods subject to prize jurisdiction which are droits of the Crown or which if condemned would have been droits of the Crown or in respect of the proceeds of sale or money representing any such ship or goods, or in consideration for any money paid out of the Naval Prize Fund.

(4) Any sums received from any of His Majesty's Allies under any convention relating to prizes captured during the present war.

(5) Any other sums received in respect of ships and goods subject to prize jurisdiction which the tribunal consider may reasonably be treated, having regard to the principles and practice heretofore observed by prize courts, as being sums to which, had there been a grant of prize to captors, captors would have been entitled.

PART II.

CHARGES ON NAVAL PRIZE FUND.

(1) All expenses (not otherwise recovered) incurred by any prize court or incurred in connection with, or with a view to prize proceedings (other than legal expenses), in relation to ships and goods in the custody of the court which are droits of the Crown or which if condemned would have been droits of the Crown, whether the same are condemned or are released, and whether such expenses were incurred before or after condemnation, except where, having regard to the special circumstances of the case, the tribunal may otherwise direct.

(2) Any reward or remuneration awarded to any officer or person seizing or taking any ship or goods or part thereof which are droits of the Crown or which if condemned would have been droits of the Crown, or giving information in relation thereto, or leading to the condemnation thereof.

(3) Any sum payable to any of His Majesty's Allies under any convention relating to prizes captured during the present war.

(4) Any claims in respect of any ship or goods subject to prize jurisdiction, which are droits of the Crown or which if condemned would have been droits of the Crown or of the proceeds of sale of, or money representing, any such ship or goods which the Treasury on the recommendation of the Prize Claims Committee may have paid or may hereafter pay being claims of a nature that had they been established in prize proceedings would have been ordered by a prize court to be paid by the persons entitled to the ship or goods, or out of the money representing the same.

(5) Any other costs, charges, expenses and claims which the tribunal consider may reasonably be treated, having regard to the principles and practice heretofore observed by prize courts, as being costs, charges, and claims which, had there been a grant of prize to captors, captors would have been liable to pay.

(6) The remuneration of the clerk of the tribunal and any other expenses of the tribunal to such amount as the Treasury may sanction.

2. BRITISH NATIONALITY AND STATUS OF ALIENS ACT, 1918.

[8 AND 9 GEO. 5, CH. 38.]

AN ACT TO AMEND THE BRITISH NATIONALITY AND STATUS OF ALIENS ACT, 1914.

[8th August 1918.]

BE it enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in

this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

4, 5 Geo. 5. c. 17.

1. The following sections shall be substituted for section seven of the British Nationality and Status of Aliens Act, 1914 (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act)", which relates to the revocation of certificates of naturalization :—

Substitution of provisions for section 7 of the principal Act.

"7.—(1) Where the Secretary of State is satisfied that a certificate of naturalization granted by him has been obtained by false representation or fraud, or by concealment of material circumstances, or that the person to whom the certificate is granted has shown himself by act or speech to be disaffected or disloyal to His Majesty, the Secretary of State shall by order revoke the certificate.

Revocation of certificate of naturalization.

"(2) Without prejudice to the foregoing provisions the Secretary of State shall by order revoke a certificate of naturalization granted by him in any case in which he is satisfied that the person to whom the certificate was granted either—

(*a*) has during any war in which His Majesty is engaged unlawfully traded or communicated with the enemy or with the subject of an enemy state, or been engaged in or associated with any business which is to his knowledge carried on in such manner as to assist the enemy in such war; or

(*b*) has within five years of the date of the grant of the certificate been sentenced by any court in His Majesty's dominions to imprisonment for a term of not less than twelve months, or to a term of penal servitude, or to a fine of not less than one hundred pounds; or

(*c*) was not of good character at the date of the grant of the certificate; or

(*d*) has since the date of the grant of the certificate been for a period of not less than seven years ordinarily resident out of His Majesty's dominions otherwise than as a representative of a British subject, firm, or company carrying on business, or an institution established, in His Majesty's dominions, or in the service of the Crown, and has not maintained substantial connection with His Majesty's dominions; or

(*e*) remains according to the law of a state at war with His Majesty a subject of that state;

and that (in any case) the continuance of the certificate is not conducive to the public good.

"(3) The Secretary of State may, if he thinks fit, before making an order under this section refer the case for such inquiry as is hereinafter specified, and in any case to which sub-section (1) or paragraph (*a*), (*c*) or (*e*) of sub-section (2) of this section applies, the Secretary of State shall, by notice given to or sent to the last-known address of the holder of the certificate, give him an opportunity of claiming that the case be referred for such inquiry, and if the holder so claims in accordance with the notice the Secretary of State shall refer the case for inquiry accordingly.

"(4) An inquiry under this section shall be held by a committee constituted for the purpose by the Secretary of State, presided over by a person (appointed by the Secretary of State with the approval of the Lord Chancellor) who holds or has held high judicial office, and shall be conducted in such manner as the Secretary of State may direct:

"Provided that any such inquiry may, if the Secretary of State thinks fit, instead of being held as aforesaid be held by the High Court, and the practice and procedure on any inquiry so held shall be regulated by rules of court.

"A committee appointed under this section shall have all such powers, rights, and privileges as are vested in the High Court or in any judge thereof on the occasion of any action, in respect of the following matters :—

(*a*) the enforcing the attendance of witnesses and examining them on oath, affirmation, or otherwise, and the issue of a commission or a request to examine witnesses abroad; and

(*b*) the compelling the production of documents; and

(*c*) the punishing of persons guilty of contempt;

and a summons signed by one or more members of the committee may be substituted for and shall be equivalent to any formal process capable of being issued in any action for enforcing the attendance of witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

"(5) Where a person to whom a certificate of naturalization has been granted in some other part of His Majesty's dominions is resident in the United Kingdom, the certificate may be revoked in accordance with this section by the Secretary of State, with the concurrence of the Government of that part of His Majesty's dominions in which the certificate was granted.

"(6) Where the Secretary of State revokes a certificate of naturalization, the revocation shall have effect from such date as the Secretary of State may direct, and thereupon the certificate shall be given up and cancelled, and any person refusing or neglecting to give up his certificate shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds.

Effect of revocation of certificate of naturalization.

"**7A.**—(1) Where a certificate of naturalization is revoked the Secretary of State may by order direct that the wife and minor children (or any of them) of the person whose certificate is revoked shall cease to be British subjects, and any such person shall thereupon become an alien; but except where the Secretary of State directs as aforesaid the nationality of the wife and minor children of the person whose certificate is revoked shall not be affected by the revocation, and they shall remain British subjects:

"Provided that—

"(*a*) it shall be lawful for the wife of any such person within six months after the date of the order of revocation to make a declaration of alienage, and thereupon she and any minor children of her husband and herself shall cease to be British subjects and shall become aliens; and

"(*b*) the Secretary of State shall not make any such order as aforesaid in the case of a wife who was at birth a British subject unless he is satisfied that if she had held a certificate of naturalization in her own right the certificate could properly have been revoked under this Act, and the provisions of this Act as to referring cases for inquiry shall apply to the making of any such order as they apply to the revocation of a certificate.

"(2) The provisions of this section shall, as respects persons affected thereby, have effect in substitution for any other provisions of this Act as to the effect upon the wife and children of any person where the person ceases to be a British subject and such other provisions shall accordingly not apply in any such case.

"(3) Where a certificate of naturalization is revoked the former holder thereof shall be regarded as an alien and as a subject of the state to which he belonged at the time the certificate was granted.

Minor amendments of the principal Act.

2. The following amendments shall be made in the principal Act:—

(1) In paragraph (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 1 (which defines natural-born British subjects) after the words "had been granted" there shall be inserted the words "or had become a British subject by reason of any annexation of territory, or was at the time of that person's birth in the service of the Crown"; and at the end of that section the following sub-section shall be inserted:—

"(4) The certificate of a Secretary of State that a person was at any date in the service of the Crown shall for the purposes of this section, be conclusive."

(2) At the end of section 2 (which relates to the grant of certificates of naturalization) the following sub-section shall be inserted:—

"(6) For the purposes of this section a period spent in the service of the Crown may, if the Secretary of State thinks fit, be treated as equivalent to a period of residence in the United Kingdom."

(3) In sub-section (2) of section 5 "whether or not" shall be substituted for "although" and "not" shall be omitted, and in sub-section (3) of section 5 "Act" shall be substituted for "section".

(4) In sub-section (1) of section 8 (which relates to the grant of certificates of naturalization in British possessions) after the words "United

Kingdom" shall be inserted the words "and of a High Court or superior court of the possession for the High Court, and with the omission of any reference to the approval of the Lord Chancellor", and after the words "any certificate proposed to be granted" there shall be inserted the words "and any proposal to revoke any certificate".

(5) In section 10 (which relates to the national status of married women) at the end of the section there shall be added the words "and provided that where an alien is a subject of a state at war with His Majesty it shall be lawful for his wife if she was at birth a British subject to make a declaration that she desires to resume British nationality, and thereupon the Secretary of State, if he is satisfied that it is desirable that she be permitted to do so, may grant her a certificate of naturalization.

(6) In sub-section (1) of section 27 (which contains definitions) at the end of the definition of "British subject" after the words "has been granted" there shall be inserted the words "or a person who has become a subject of His Majesty by reason of any annexation of territory", and for sub-section (2) of that section the following sub-section shall be substituted :—

"(2) Where in pursuance of this Act the name of a child is included in a certificate of naturalization granted to his parent, or where, in pursuance of any Act repealed by this Act, any child has been deemed to be a naturalized British subject by reason of residence with his parent, such child shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be a person to whom a certificate of naturalization has been granted".

Provisions as to naturalization certificate

3. (1) Where a certificate of naturalization has been granted in the United Kingdom during the present war to a person who at, or at any time before, the grant of the certificate was the subject of a country which at the date of the grant was at war with His Majesty, the Secretary of State shall refer for such inquiry as is provided for in the case of revocation of certificates the question whether it is desirable that the certificate should be revoked, and if such question shall be answered in the affirmative shall revoke the certificate, but this provision shall not apply to a person who at birth was a British subject.

(2) No certificate of naturalization shall, before the expiration of a period of ten years after the termination of the present war, be granted in the United Kingdom to any subject of a country which at the time of the passing of this Act was at war with His Majesty, but this provision shall not apply to a person who—

(*a*) has served in His Majesty's forces or in the forces of any of His Majesty's Allies or of any country acting in naval or military co-operation with His Majesty; or

(*b*) is a member of a race or community known to be opposed to the enemy governments; or

(*c*) was at birth a British subject.

Short title and printing.

4. (1) This Act may be cited as the British Nationality and Status of Aliens Act, 1918, and the Principal Act and this Act may be cited together as the British Nationality and Status of Aliens Acts, 1914 and 1918.

(2) Every enactment and word which is directed by this Act to be substituted for or added to any portion of the Principal Act shall form part of that Act in the place assigned to it by this Act; and the Principal Act, and any enactments referring thereto, shall after the commencement of this Act be construed as if that enactment or word had been originally enacted in the Principal Act in the place so assigned, and, where it is substituted for another enactment or word, had been so enacted in lieu of that enactment or word, and the expression "this Act" in the Principal Act or this Act shall be construed accordingly.

(3) A copy of the Principal Act with every such enactment and word inserted in the place so assigned shall be prepared and certified by the Clerk of the Parliaments and deposited with the rolls of Parliament, and His Majesty's printer shall print in accordance with the copy so certified all copies of the Principal Act which are printed after the commencement of this Act.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 2nd November 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 29th October 1918.

No. 3490-I.C.—In consequence of the misconduct of Lala Onkar Pershad, Contractor, Military Works Services, 16th Division, he is hereby deprived of the title of "Rai Sahib" which was conferred upon him, as a personal distinction, in the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 1564-I.C., dated the 3rd June 1918.

The 31st October 1918.

No. 2357Est.-A.—Mr. A. C. Lothian, Assistant Political Agent in Bundelkhand, was granted privilege leave for one month and twelve days, with effect from the 8th August 1918.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 2nd November 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 1st November 1918.

INDIAN ARMY RESERVES.

No. 2546.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

* * * * * * *

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

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Henry George Blomfield. Dated 1st October 1918.

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INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

9th Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 2554.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Frederick Evan Wood. Dated 17th October 1918.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 2557.—The following acting promotions and relinquishments of acting rank are notified, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

123rd Outram's Rifles.

Lieutenant H. J. Twynam, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 1st April 1918.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

36th Bengal-Nagpur Railway Battalion.

No. 2576.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted temporary commissions, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Aubrey Matthew Clark, V.D., A.D.C. Dated 1st April 1917.

To be Major.

Charles Vincent Nixon Shortland, V.D. Dated 1st April 1917.

To be Captains.

Cyril George Ridsdale, V.D.
Alexander James Neely.
Charles William Alexander Carroll.
Vivian Everard Donno Jarrad. } Dated 1st April 1917.

To be Lieutenants.

Archibald Bayley.
Arthur Eaglesome. } Dated 1st April 1917.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Sydney Lukis.
Douglas Henry Remfry.
Archibald Douglas Carroll.
James Bryan Blake.
Ivon Guy Charles Hunter.
Frederic Selby Hughes. } Dated 6th June 1918.

To be Captain (Supernumerary List).

Ernest Godfrey Beckett, V.D. Dated 1st April 1917.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

9th Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 2577.—Lieutenant-Colonel George Frederick Stoddart, V.D., resigns his commission, subject to His Majesty's approval. Dated 16th October 1918.

JUDICIAL.

No. 2583.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1915, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In clause (*ii*) of sub-rule (2) of rule 24-B of the said rules, after the word "workshop" the words "or in any dock under the control of a public authority" shall be inserted.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 2586.—Lieutenant-Colonel George Frederick Stoddart, V.D., resigns his commission, and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank. Dated 31st March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Indian Munitions Board, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 14th September 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 14th September 1918.

No. X.-628.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Wool) Rules, 1916, published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 5134-W.-11, dated the 28th June 1916, namely :—

For rule 3 of the said rules the following rule shall be substituted, namely :—

"3. No person shall despatch, or cause to be despatched, by railway, any wool from any railway station in British India except in accordance with the terms of a license issued by the Collector of the district, in which the station is situated."

Prohibition of despatch of wool by rail except under license

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Midnapore. *No. 840T.-M.—The 29th October 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Khirpai Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Hari Charan Haldar to be Chairman of that Municipality

Calcutta. *No. 842T.-M.—The 29th October 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*3*) of section 72 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), Mr. A. C. Banerji, Barrister-at-Law, has been re-appointed by the Corporation of Calcutta, with effect from the 18th November 1918, to be an Assessor of the Tribunal constituted under the said section for the purpose of performing the functions of the Court in reference to the acquisition of land for the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894.

Khulna. *No. 845T.-M.—The 29th October 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Khulna Municipality, in the district of Khulna :—

The Civil Surgeon, *Ex-officio*.
The Revd. W. W. Milne.
Maulvi Shamsur Rahaman.
Kazi Saifuddin.
Munshi Mahmudal Haq.

24-Parganas. *No. 2540.M.—The 1st November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Baruipore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

Kazi Saiyid Muhammad Yusuf.
Babu Uma Charan Ray.
„ Sushil Chandra Ghosh.

No. 2547M.—The 2nd November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Kharar Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Shyama Charan Ghorui to be Chairman of that municipality.

Midnapore.

No. 2549M.—The 2nd November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Dhulian Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Sachindra Nath Ray to be Chairman of that municipality.

Murshidabad.

No. 2557M.—The 2nd November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Dacca Municipality, in the district of Dacca:—

Dacca.

The Additional District Magistrate of Dacca ... } *ex-officio.*
The Civil Surgeon of Dacca ... }
Mr. W. Bewley.
Nawab Khwaja Muhammad Yusuf.
Kazi Abdur Rouf.
Khwaja Shahabuddin.
M. Kazimuddin Siddique.

No. 2565M.—The 5th November 1918.—The Commissioners of the Serampore Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, having recommended at a meeting that the number of Commissioners of that Municipality should be altered from 15 to 16, the Governor in Council hereby declares his intention, under clause (*e*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), to make that alteration.

Hooghly.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 15 of the said Act and in modification of Notification No. 1018M., dated the 10th May 1915, the Governor in Council also declares his intention to raise the number of Commissioners to be elected by Ward No. III (East Serampur with Bullavpur) of the said Municipality from two to three.

3. Any ratepayer of the Municipality who objects to the proposed alterations should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate of Hooghly to the undersigned before the 19th December 1918.

No. 2559L.S.-G.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 1233T.—L.S.-G., dated the 1st November 1911, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Jhenida Union Committee, in the district of Jessore, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Jessore.

No. 2561L.S.-G.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 3 of Government Order No. 151T.M., dated the 15th June 1895, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Senhati Union Committee, in the district of Khulna, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Khulna.

Khulna.

No. 2562L.S.-G.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 66T.M., dated the 27th April 1914, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Daulatpur Union Committee, in the district of Khulna, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Murshidabad.

No. 2545L.S.-G.—The 2nd November 1918.—The following draft of an order, which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1918, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Bhagwangola, in the district of Murshidabad, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list			Boundaries of the Union.	
Murshidabad	Bhagwangola.	9	Diar Shyampur	...	4	North—	
			Mahishatali	...	6	Thana Lalgola and Mayakhana	... 3
			Anarbag	...	7	Kantanagar	... 2
			Bele Shyampur	...	8	Bele Shyampur	... 5
			Mahatpur	...	9		
			Kasipur or Bilkuli	...	38		
			Taha	...	39	East—	
			Ijad-Indramani	...	40	Habashpur	... 70
			Kashipur	...	41	Maheshpur-Bridabanbati	69
			Budhar Kismat	...	42		
			Tatla Kismat	...	43	South—	
			Ijad Mauza Khaijanipur	...	46	Patti-Palashbati	... 68
						Gobindapur or Dangapara	67
						Kulgachi	... 66
						Bajidpur	... 48
						Kulgachi Arazi	... 45
						Gobra	... 44
						Jemalpur	... 35
						Chengta	... 36
						West—	
						Sundarpur	... 12
						Dastma	... 10

2 In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Bhagawangola Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

3. Notification No. 1278L.S.-G., dated the 8th June 1918, is hereby cancelled.

Khulna.

No. 2563L.S.-G.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 41T.—L.S.-G., dated the 20th April 1914, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Goalpara Union Committee, in the district of Khulna, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Khulna.

No. 2564L.S.-G.—The 5th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 1692L.S.-G., dated the 16th June 1914, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Phultala Union Committee, in the district of Khulna, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified for general information that a Special Islamic Matriculation Examination for the students who have completed the Senior Madrasa Course sanctioned under Government Resolution No. 450T.G., dated the 31st July 1914, will be held at Dacca on Monday, the 21st April 1919, and the following days. The examination will be conducted in accordance with the rules given below.

2. Candidates from recognized Madrasas should submit their applications for permission to appear at the examination, through the heads of their institutions, together with the examination fee of Rs. 15 to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education by the 28th February 1919.

3. Applications from male private candidates for permission to appear at the examination should be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction by the 15th January 1919.

4. Applications from female candidates for permission to appear at the examination should be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction by the 31st January 1919.

5. Male private candidates and female candidates should not send their examination fees until permission is granted to them to appear at the examination.

6. Forms of application may be obtained from the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

Regulations for the Special Islamic Matriculation Examination.

1. The examination shall be held once a year at Dacca on the dates to be notified by the Director of Public Instruction in the official Gazette.

2. Ordinarily, only students who have studied for at least one school year in a Madrasa or other school approved for the purpose by the Director of Public Instruction shall be admitted to the examination. Females and other private candidates who can satisfy the Director of Public Instruction that they have been under satisfactory tuition and discipline for at least one year prior to the examination may also, for special reasons, be admitted to the examination on permission being obtained from the Director of Public Instruction.

3. No one shall be admitted to the examination unless he shall have completed the age of 16 years on the first day of the month in which the examination commences.

4. Every candidate for the examination will have to produce satisfactory certificates, (1) of good character, (2) of diligent and regular study, (3) of having passed the periodical tests (if at school), and (4) of probability of passing.

5. Every candidate for the examination must send his application in the form prescribed by the Education Department, and must pay an examination fee of Rs. 15.

6. The examination shall be conducted by means of printed papers. The number of papers to be set, the number of marks to be allotted to each paper, and the duration of the examination shall be as shown below :—

					Marks.
1st day ...	English	Paper	I	3 hours ...	100
	English	„	II	3 „ ...	100
2nd day ...	Arithmetic and Geometry	„	I	3 „ ...	100
	Indian History ...	„	I	2 „ ...	70
	Vernacular ...	„	I	1 „ ..	30
3rd day ...	Arabic—Language ...	„	I	3 „ ...	100
	Arabic—Literature ...	„	II	3 „ ...	100
4th day ...	Kalam	„	I	2 „ ...	70
	Fiqh	„	I	2 „ ...	70
	Logic	„	I	2 „ ...	60
		10 papers.			800

7. In order to pass the examination a candidate must obtain 30 per cent. of the maximum number of marks in each subject and 33 per cent. of the total in the aggregate.

8. Candidates who obtain 60 per cent. of the total number of marks in the aggregate shall be placed in the first division, and those who obtain 40 per cent. shall be placed in the second division.

9. Until the Dacca University is in a position to make its own regulations all other matters connected with the examination shall be regulated by the Director of Public Instruction.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction
for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1T.B.—The lists of text-books published herewith contain books approved for use in all schools in the Presidency of Bengal. In Western Bengal, List A contains the books to be used in all classes of Government and recognized schools, both English and Vernacular, and embodies material which has hitherto appeared only in the inspectors' lists for the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions. List B contains supplementary text-books in English, History and Geography, along with the Mathematical, Vernacular and Classical texts for use in all grades of schools. In this list a wide range of the best supplementary reading is offered; and books which indicate the standard of attainment to be expected in the various classes have been noted. The same remarks apply to the two lists for Eastern Bengal; but appended to List B for that area is a separate list of books approved for vernacular schools following the Eastern Bengal vernacular curriculum. Here also are included books for girls' schools.

It has been felt in the past that the system of exclusive prescription, particularly in the case of Mathematical and Vernacular texts, has tended to discourage Indian publishers and to give undue monopoly to individual authors. It is not intended to adhere to this system more than is absolutely necessary; and save in the case of certain text-books in English, in Indian History and in Geography, where the range of choice is at present extremely limited, teachers are at liberty to select their text-books from those included in the supplementary List B for Eastern and for Western Bengal. It is, however, necessary to indicate the standard of attainment expected in the various classes of schools. Those books which may be taken as the best guide to this standard have been specially marked, and may be regarded as indicating the standard of the scholarship examination. It is not proposed, however, to base these examinations in future upon any single set of text-books.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA:
The 29th October 1918.

EASTERN BENGAL.

LIST A.

List of English and Vernacular Text-books approved for all classes of Government and Recognized High and Middle English schools in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions of Bengal for the year 1919.

English Literature and Grammar.

For the books recommended by the University of Calcutta as indicating the standard of the Matriculation Examination in English, Headmasters are referred to the University Calendar. It should be noted that these books are intended only to indicate the standard expected of pupils on the completion of the high school course. These books are not suitable for such junior classes as VII and VIII; and, if used, they should be confined to the last year of study.

For High School classes VII, VIII and IX.

(*a*) New English Course for Indian Schools, Fourth and Fifth Readers. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

(*b*) Macmillan's New English Readers; Readers IV, IVB and V:

(*c*) Star of India Readers, Book V. (Blackie & Son.)

For English texts suitable for additional and supplementary reading in classes beyond VI, see List B. Care should be taken to select books that appeal to Indian boys; and some effort should be made to encourage their reading on historical lines, and to make them acquainted with current events. "England and India" (Longmans, Green & Co.) deals with the British Empire in the East, and explains the work done by the British Government in and for India. It is an advanced supplementary reader for senior pupils and teachers. For knowledge of the war a book like Nelson Fraser's "The World at War" is of value.

Poetry: for anthologies of verse—*see* List B.

Grammar and Composition :—

(1) Elementary Lessons in English Composition. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.)
(2) The High School English Grammar. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.)
(3) Jenning's English Grammar. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(4) English Composition for Indian High Schools. (Oxford University Press.)

For Middle Classes. V and VI.

(1) New English Course for Indian Schools, Second and Third Readers. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(2) Tipping's English Readers for Standards V and VI. (Macmillan & Co.)
(3) Star of India Readers, Books III and IV. (Blackie & Son.)
(4) Macmillan's New English Readers; Readers II and III.

Grammar and Composition :—

Junior School Grammar for India. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Middle School English Grammar. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.)

For Junior classes (classes III and IV).

(1) New English Course for Indian Schools: Primer, and First Reader. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(2) Tipping's English Readers for Standards III and IV.
(3) Macmillan's New English Readers, Reader I. (For class IV.)
(4) Star of India Readers, Books I and II. (Blackie & Son.)
(5) Macmillan's King Readers—The King Primer. (For class III.)

Whenever it is found possible to introduce supplementary reading material in addition to the texts mentioned above, reference should be made to List B. At every stage the power of expression in simple English must be cultivated along with correct pronunciation and articulation. Teachers will be assisted in this by the "Teachers' Book" in the Reformed series of Readers for India, published by the Oxford University Press at As. 12. This series gives the simple principles of phonetics and should be procured for school libraries and for teachers' use.

History.

Class X—

A selected Matriculation Text, as recommended by the University.

Classes VII, VIII and IX—

A Class-Book of Indian History. Ramsbotham and Williams. (K and J. Cooper.)

Bharat Barsher Itihas. Marsden and Vidyasagar. (For Vernacular students.)

History of India for Junior Classes. (Macmillan & Co.)

England and India (Longmans, Green & Co.): for general knowledge of the growth of the British Empire and of the work done by the Government of India.

Classes IV, V and VI—

*(1) Model Lessons in the History of India for Higher Classes, Parts III and IV. (Macmillan & Co.)

*(2) Model Lessons in the History of India for Lower Classes, Parts I and II. (Macmillan & Co.)

*(3) Bengali Model Lessons in the History of India, Parts I and II.

*(4) Aitihasik Path, Part I. Kazi Imdadul Haque.

*(5) Bengali History of North East India. Nagendra Nath Mazumdar.

* These books are intended solely for the use of teachers in their oral instruction of history in middle and junior classes

For supplementary historical material, and for books for the use of pupils in schools not adhering strictly to the Departmental curriculum, see List B.

Geography.

1. Geographical Series for India. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
   Geography of the Indian Empire.
   The World in Outline with fuller treatment of India. Books I and II.
2. Regional Geography of the Indian Empire. (Blackie & Son.)
3. The Oxford Geographies, edited by Herbertson. (Oxford University Press.)
4. The World and India. (Oxford University Press.)
5. Regional Geographies by Reynolds. (Macmillan & Co.)

For descriptive Geographies, teachers are referred to List B and to the teachers' list for Geographical maps and apparatus.

Classes II to VI—

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Parts I and II. Kazi Imdadul Haque.

At this stage the teaching of Geography will be purely oral and text-books for pupils are therefore not recommended.

Mathematics.

For books on Geometry, Algebra and Arithmetic, teachers are referred to List B. The books marked with an asterisk indicate the standard of the various grades of instruction, but these need not be exclusively used.

Bengali Literature and Grammar.

For vernacular class readers and grammars, teachers are referred to List B. The books marked with an asterisk indicate the standard required in the various classes, but these need not be exclusively used.

Indian Classics.

For books on Sanskrit, Persian, Arabic, Pali and Urdu, teachers are referred to List B. The books indicating the required standard have been marked.

Handwriting and Drawing.

For the teaching of English penmanship the following copy-books are recommended:—

(1) Imperial Copy Books (specially adapted to Indian pupils). (Macmillan & Co.)
(2) Semi-upright Copy Books. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(3) New Graphic Copy Books. (Indian School Supply Depot.)

For the teaching of Bengali penmanship the following are recommended—

Classes I—V—

Adarsha Lipi, Parts I—III. Ashutosh Dhar.
Lipi Shiksha, Parts I—III. (Santi Press, Dacca.)
Adarsha Lekha, Parts I—III. Syam Chandra Dutta.

Hater Lekha, Parts I—III. Suniti Devi. (J. N. Banerjee.)
Bangala Adarsha Likhan, Parts I—III. B. C. Basak.
Adarsha Lipi, Parts I—III. Upendra K. Roy.
Bengali Kindergarten Alphabet Charts for use in schools. (P. Mukhopadhya, Calcutta.)
Adarsha Lipi, Parts I—III. Sitanath Roy. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Mahuttuli, Dacca.) A. 1-6 each part.
Hater Lekha, Nos. 1—7. W. S. Milne, I.C.S. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Urdu Copy Slips, I—IV. Hafiz Jalaluddin Ahmed.
Urdu Handwriting Copy Books, I—IV. (Rai Sahib Gulab Singh.)
Writing Copy Slips, I—IV. Ramjidas Bargo. (Allahabad Book Depôt.)
Movable Copy Slips, 1—V. Ramjidas Bargo. (Allahabad Book Depôt.)

Drawing.

Teachers' Manual of Drawing, Vols. I and II. (For teachers only.) Charu Chandra Guha.

Classes I—VII—

Chitrankan Pustak, Nos. 1—6. Charu Chandra Guha.
Primary Tablets, I—VI. Charu Chandra Guha.
Royal Drawing Copy Books, I—VI. Satyendra Kumar Dutta.
Prathamic Chitra Shiksha, IA—V. J. C. Mahalanabis,
Chitra Shiksha, I—II. J. C. Mahalanabis. (Bhattacharya & Son.) (For teachers only.)
Chitra Shiksha Tablets, I—VI. J. C. Mahalanabis.
Adarsha Chitra Pustak, 1—VI. Syam Chandra Dutta.
Prathamic Chitra Pustak, Parts 1—VI. Syam Chandra Dutta. (Ashutosh Dhar.)
Adarsha Chitra, Parts IA—VI. Sitanath Basak. (Author.)
Nutan Chitra Pustak, Parts I—VI. Syamlal Das. (K. P. Nath.)
Imperial Drawing Book, Parts 1—VI. Prem Ranjan Das Gupta. (Acharyya and Co., Mymensingh.)

Drill.

Departmental Drill Book. Revised by Dr. Gray. (Education Department.) As. 8.

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LIST B.

Supplementary List of Text-Books for use in Government and Recognized High and Middle English schools in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions of Bengal for the year 1919. This list contains additional reading material in English, History and Geography. It also contains the Mathematical, Classical and Vernacular texts for all classes of High and Middle English schools. Appended is a list of books for use in schools following the Vernacular curriculum.

English Literature, Grammar and Composition.

Additional series of class readers are as follows:—

New Globe Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
King Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
New Senior Class Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
The 'AL' New English Course. (Macmillan & Co.)
Senior Supplementary Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)

New Literary Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
Lethbridge and Sircar's Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
The Reformed Series of English Books for Indian Schools. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
British Empire Readers. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Palmerston Readers. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.)
Newton Readers. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.)
New Systematic English Readers. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.)
Reformed Series of Readers for India with Teachers' Books. (Oxford University Press.)
The New Indian Readers. (Gulab Singh.)
Twentieth Century Readers. (Chambers.)
The Temple Literary Readers. (J. M. Dent & Sons.)
Royal Treasury of Story and Song. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
Indian Readers. (T. Nelson and Sons.)
Graded Readers. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
Indian Readers and New English Readers. (Christian Literature Society.)

Single texts may also be selected for the upper and middle classes of High Schools. Of these the following are recommended :—

Svarnalata, Scenes from Bengali Village Life. (Macmillan & Co.)
Narratives from Macaulay. (Macmillan & Co.)
The Boys' Odyssey. (Macmillan & Co.)
Episodes from Southey's Life of Nelson. (Macmillan & Co.)
Senior Prose Reader. Barrow. (Macmillan & Co.)
Junior Prose Reader. Barrow. (Macmillan & Co.)
Grimm's Fairy Tales. (Macmillan & Co.)
Folk Tales of Bengal. (Macmillan & Co.)
Children of the Dawn. (Macmillan & Co.)
Progress to Literature Series. (Macmillan & Co.)
Tales from Æsop, Grimm, Anderson and the Arabian Nights. (Macmillan & Co.)
Then and Now Stories. (Macmillan & Co.)
How and Why Stories. (Macmillan & Co.)
Here and There Stories. (Macmillan & Co.)
The Pandava Princes. (Macmillan & Co.)
A Persian Hero. (Macmillan & Co.)
The Wanderings of Rama. (Macmillan & Co.)
Hawthorne's Stories from a Wonder Book. (Macmillan & Co.)
Little People in Far-off Lands. (Macmillan & Co.)
Indian Fables from the Hitopadesh. (Macmillan & Co.)
Persian Fables from Anwar-i-Suhali. (Macmillan & Co.)
Eastern Fables and Folk Tales. (Macmillan & Co.)
Stories from History and Literature. (Macmillan & Co.)
Selections from Modern English Literature. (Macmillan & Co.)
Sentinel Hours (Prose sections). (Macmillan & Co.)
Deccan Nursery Tales. Kincaid.
Tales of the Punjab. Flora Annie Steele.
The Jungle Book. Rudyard Kipling.
Selections from Froude. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Selected Essays from English Literature. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Readings in Prose. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Selections from English Literature, I—IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Steps to Literature, I—VI. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
King Alfred Readers, IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Arnold's English Readers, IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Simple English Readings. Brindaban Dhar, B.A. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 4.
The Boyhood of Krishna, Grade II. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As 2.
The Child's First Course. A. C. Gupta, M.A. (B. M De, Santi Press.) As. 4.
Simple Lessons. P. N. Mahalanabis. (The author.) As. 4.
Arnold's Literary Reading Books (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Heroes of Rajasthan. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Builders of History. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Class Book of English Literature. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Callender's Life of Nelson. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Brassey's Voyage in the Sunbeam. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Stories of Greece and Rome. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Historical Tales from Shakespeare. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Stories from the Earthly Paradise. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Continuous Story Readers. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Indian Reading Books. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
English Reading Books for Indian Students. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Tales of Indian Chivalry. (Blackie & Son.)
Story of the Golden Fleece. (Blackie & Son.)
England and the English. (Blackie & Son.)
Europe and its Peoples. (Blackie & Son.)
Our Empire over Seas. (Blackie & Son.)
New Systematic Readers (senior books only). (Blackie & Son.)
Heroes and Heroic Deeds of the Great War. (Blackie & Son.)
Heroes of European Nations. (Blackie & Son.)
Main Stream of European History. (Blackie & Son.)
Tales of Henty. (Blackie & Son.)
A Book of Golden Deeds. (Blackie & Son.)
Indian Fairy Stories. (Blackie & Son.)
Herbert Strang's Library. (Oxford University Press.)
The Indian Heroes. Kincaid. (Oxford University Press.)
Stories retold for Indian Students. (Oxford University Press.)—

Ivanhoe.
The Cloister and the Hearth.
Gulliver's Travels.
Fort Amity.
King Arthur.
A Tale of Two Cities.
Hereward the Wake.
Last Days of Pompeii.
The Prisoner of Zenda.
Kenilworth.

Parables from Nature. (G. Bell & Sons.)
Deeds that Won the Empire. (G. Bell & Sons.)
Fights for the Flag. (G. Bell & Sons.)
Story of Hiawatha. (G. Bell & Sons.)
Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves. (W. & R. Chambers.)
Sindbad the Sailor. (W. & R. Chambers.)
Prince Cherry. (W. & R. Chambers.)
The Water Babies. (W. & R Chambers.)
Picture Children. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
Homer's Tale of Odysseus. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
A First Book of Literary Reading for higher classes. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
The Stories of Shakespeare's Plays. (K. & J. Cooper.)
The Popular Reader. (Ripon Depository.)
The Ruskin Nature Reader (senior). (J. M. Dent & Sons.)
Royal English Course for Indian Boys, 1st and 2nd books. N. Law (P. C. Bysack.)
A Second English Primer. K. P. Bannerjee.
First Book of Reading. P. C. Sircar.
Middle Reader, Parts I—III. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.)
A New English Reader. Moti Lal Chatterjee.
A New English Reader. N. K. Bhaduri.
The School Reader. Azizul Huq.
National English Reader. Lily Soward. (The National Publishing House.)
Instructive Reader. (A. K. Roy & Co.)
The Junior English Reader. Lily Soward.
The New Indian Reader, No. I. G. A. Lorimer. (S. C. Auddy & Co.)
Stories from Natural History. Wagner. (Macmillan & Co.)
Royal Primer Reader, No. IV. (Nelson & Sons.)
King Arthur. H. Malim. (Oxford University Press.)

Æsop's Fables. (Cassel & Co.)
Moral Lessons. (B. Banerjee & Co.)
Life and Light Readers. (Bhattacharjea & Son.)
Narratives from Macaulay. (Macmillan & Co.)
Homer's Tales of Odysseus. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
Lamb's Tales from Shakespeare. (Bell & Sons.)
The Third Term in Teaching English. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Tanglewood Tales. (Macmillan & Co.).
Adventures of Robinson Crusoe. (Macmillan & Co.)
The Lays of Ancient Rome. (Nelson & Sons.)
The Cloister and the Hearth. (Bell & Sons.)
A Legend of Montrose. (Bell & Sons.)
Nelson's Graded Readings. (Nelson & Sons.)
Rip Van Winkle and other Sketches. (Macmillan & Co.)
The Lances of Lynwood. (Chambers.)
The Water Babies. (Bell & Sons.)
The King of the Golden River. (Oxford University Press.)
The Golden Touch. (Oxford University Press.)
The Stories of Shakespeare's Plays. Dent. (School Book and Useful Literature Society.)

Scott's Tales of a Grandfather. (Macmillan & Co.)
The Popular Reader. P. N. Ghoshal. (N. C. Dutt.)
Gulliver's Travels. (Macmillan & Co.)
Lamb's Tales from Shakespeare. (Macmillan & Co.)
Froude's "Short Studies on Great Subjects," Selections. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Gray's Elegy. Dent. (School Book and Useful Literature Society.)
Goldsmith's Poems. Dent. (School Book and Useful Literature Society.)
Lamb's Tales from Shakespeare. Dent. (School Book and Useful Literature Society.)

Reformed Series of Readers, No. III. (Macmillan & Co.)
The A. L. Series of Story Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
A First Book of Literary Readings. J. W. Holme. (K. & J. Cooper.)
The King and the Rubies. (Macmillan & Co.)
Sindbad the Sailor. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)
Jack and the Beanstalk. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)
Norse Stories. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)
The Anderson Reader. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)
The Fortunes of Nigel. Sir W. Scott. Paul Hardy. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s.*
The Arabian Nights. M. Dorōthy Hardy. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s.*
The Story of Hiawatha. Alice B. Woodward. (G. Bell & Sons.) 9*d.*
Peter Pan for Little Folk. Daniel O'Connor. (G. Bell & Sons.) 9*d.*
The Home of the Lost Boys. Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.*
The Chimney Corner. Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 3*d.*
The Story Porch. Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.*
The Masterful Men. Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 8*d.*
King's Treasuries. Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s.*
Easy English Lessons. P. K. Sen. (Popular Library, Dacca.) As. 5.
The Cleverest Man in the World. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.

The Prince and the Magician. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As 4.

The Ocean Queen. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.
The Star Maidens. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.
The Mystery of the Palace. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son. Ltd.) As. 4.

The Maiden Knight. C. Sorabji. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.
The Eagle Brothers. C. Sorabji. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.

The Boy Who was Always Thirteen. C. Sorabji. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.

The State in India. J. Maclean. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1.

Easy Stories from Indian History. E. Marsden. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12.

Black's Literary Readers, Books 1—6. J. Finnemore. (Macmillan & Co.) 10*d*., 1*s*., 1*s*. 4*d*., 1*s*. 6*d*., 1*s*. 6*d*., 1*s*. 9*d*.

The Golden City (Tales of India Series). H. Malim. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.

Some Adventures of Hatem Tai, Grade V, No. 3. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.

Shorab Rustam, Grade 4, No. 3. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As 4-6.

The Wisdom of Sadi. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.

Short Tales Selected from Katha Sarit Sagar, Grade II, No. 3. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

Short Tales Selected from Gulzar-i-Dabistan, Grade 1, No. 3. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 2-6.

The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, No. 147. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*d*.

Little People in Far-off Land, No. F20. F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*d*.

Little People in Far-off Land, No. F19. (Isles of the Inland Sea.) F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*d*.

The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, Nos. 101, 102, 115, 116 and 135. F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co.) 1½*d*., 1½*d*., 2*d*., 2*d*., 3*d*..

The Star of India Nature Book. F. Luke. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 8.

Stories from Andersen retold from Andersen's Fairy Tales. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 10.

The Waits of Bremen retold from Grimm's Fairy Tales. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 10.

Fairy Tales for Little Folks, Books I and II (Cassells). (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 7 each.

Tales from Dickens (Harrap). J. W. Mospadden. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 9.

Adventures of Caliph Horoun al Rashid. Anne Manning. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 12.

Ivanhoe (Harrap). W. Scott. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 9.

Wonderful Voyages of Gulliver. E. L. Elias. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 12.

The Last of the Mohicans. J. F. Cooper (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 12.

First Year of the Great War. Richard Wilson. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 14.

Story of Buddha (Harrap). E. Holland. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) Re. 1-12.

The Children's Garland. C. Paterson. (Macmillan & Co.) 3*s*. nett.

Selections from La Morte D'Arthur of Malory. Edited by D. M. McMordie. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*.

The Wanderings of Rama. Edited by W. Gaudy. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*.

A Persian Hero from Shah Namah. Edited by W. Gaudy. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*.

Tales from Spenser. Edited by S. H. Mocbhose. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*. 3*d*.

Njal and Gunner—A Tale of Old Iceland. H. Malim. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*.

The Isle of Grammarye or Tales of Old Britain, Parts I and II. E. P. Roberts. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*. each.

Deccan Nursery Tales. C. A. Kincaid. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*s*. 6*d*.

Black's Sentinel Readers, I, III, IV, V and VI. F. E. Speight. (Macmillan & Co.) 10*d*., 1*s*. 4*d*., 1*s*. 6*d*., 1*s*. 6*d*., 1*s*. 9*d*.

Sacred Tales of India. D. N. Neogi. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s*. nett.

The Indian Story Book. Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 7*s*. 6*d*.

Black's Picture Lessons in English. Parts I-IV. W. Murrison. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*d*. each.

Matriculation English Course. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) 3*s*. 6*d*.

English Ideals. Hansen and Hart. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s*. 6*d*.

Argonauts. Charles Kingsley. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 9.

The Orient Pearls. Shovana Devi. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12.

Lord Kitchener: His Life and Work. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son.) Re. 1-2.

In Wild Marhatta Battle (A tale of the days of Shivajee). M. Macmillan. (Blackie & Son.) As. 12.

Gulliver's Travels. D. Swift. (Blackie & Son.) As. 12.

A Book of Old-Time Stories (Collected from the History of Sandford and Merton). Thomas Dey. (Blackie & Son.) As. 12.

The Adventures of Ulysses. Charles Lamb. (Blackie & Son.) As. 8.

Arabian Nights—Aladin, Sindbad and Ali Baba. (Blackie & Son) As. 15.

Mr. Pickwick's Travels. Charles Dickens. (Blackie & Son.) As. 8.

Fairy Stories from Erin's Isle. Marie Bayne. (Blackie & Son.) As. 6.

Fairy Tales and Legends of Burma. J. S. M. Ward. (Blackie & Son.) Re. 1-8.

English Prose Extracts for repetition. Blakeney. (Blackie & Son.) As. 12.

Back to Nursery Land. M. M. Stanford. (Blackie & Son.) As. 3.

Round the World in Eighty Days. J. Verne. (Blackie & Son.) As. 4.

Children of the New Forest. Capt. Marryat. (Blackie & Son.) As. 4.

Junior English Reader, Part I. P. Majumdar and J. A. Smith. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 4-6. (Elementary Reader.)

Methodical English Readers, Book 1. Æsop's Fables. M. Graham Brash. (The Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 8. (Elementary Reader.)

Tales from Wordsworth. Told by Hilda Skae. (The Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 9-6. (Supplementary Reader.)

Gulliver's Travels. Told by C. F. Hayward. (The Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 9-6. (Supplementary Reader.)

Tales of a Fairy Court. Andrew Lang. (The Indian School Supply Depot.) As. 9-6. (Supplementary Reader.)

The King of the Golden River. Told by John Ruskin. (The Indian School Supply Depot.) As. 9-6.

Our Sea Power: Its Story and its Meaning. H. W. Household. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.*

Kenilworth. Sir Walter Scott. Abridged and simplified by R. M. Spence. (Oxford University Press.) Re. 1. (Supplementary Reader.)

The Story of Lord Kitchener. A. O. Cooke. (Oxford University Press.) 8*d.* (Supplementary Reader.)

Easy Readings from English Literature. R. M. Datta. (Students' Library). Re. 1.

Younge's Book of Golden Deeds. Egerton Smith. (K. & J. Cooper.) Re. 1-4.

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Primer of Geography. (Ditto.)
Outlines of Geography. (Ditto.)
Manual of Geography. (Ditto.)
Africa—Rambler Travel Books. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 9.
Europe—Rambler Travel Books. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 9.
Asia—Rambler Travel Books. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 9.
Atlas of Practical Geography, Books I, II, III and VIII. T. W. F. Parkinson. (Indian School Supply Depot.) As. 8 each.
Asia in Pictures (Black's). H. C. Barnard. (Macmillan & Co.) 1s. 8d.
An Elementary Geography of the World (Black's). L. W. Lyde. (Macmillan & Co.) 1s. 4d.
A First Book of Commercial Geography. T. A. Smith. (Macmillan & Co.) 1s. 6d
High Roads of Geography—Introductory. (T. Nelson & Sons.) 10d.
The Pupils' Class Book of Geography—Asia. J. S. Lay. (Macmillan & Co.) 8d.
A Junior Geography of India, Burma and Ceylon. C. Morrison. (T. Nelson & Sons.) As. 12.
Junior Scientific Geography, Books 3 and 5. E. W. Heaton. (The Indian School Supply Depôt.) 1s. net, 10d net.
Nutan Bhuchitrabali. Syam Ch. Dutta. (Ashutosh Library, Dacca.) As. 10.
High Roads of Geography, Book VI. (T. Nelson & Sons.) 2s.

Mathematics.

For additional Mathematical literature teachers may also consult the Western Bengal List B.

For High School Classes.

(*i*) Arithmetic. Jadab Chandra Chakravarty, M.A. (Sanyal & Co.) Re. 1-12.
The Modern Matriculation Arithmetic, Part I. Rai Bahadur K. K. Banerji, M.A. (Ashutosh Dhar.) Re 1-12.
* Modern Arithmetic. S. P. Das, M.A. (Author.) Re. 1-10.
Arithmetic. R. G. Nath, M.A. (Ripon Library, Dacca.) Re 1-12.
* Modern Arithmetic, Parts I and II. Sydney Jones. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-12.
Arithmetic. G. W. Palmer. 3s. 6d.
Arithmetic for Schools. Lock and Turnbull. (Macmillan & Co.)
The Students' Arithmetic Baker and Bourne. (G. Bell & Sons.) 2s. 6d.
Arithmetic. N. J. Chignell and W. E. Patterson. (Oxford University Press.) 4s. 6d. (Recommended for the use of teachers in the upper classes of H. E. schools.)
Modern Arithmetic. R. Mitra, M.A., and U. L. Bakshi, B.A. (Atul Chandra Chakravarti.) Re. 1-4.
Modern Arithmetic. P. N. Kali. (Author.) Re. 1-8.
Matriculation Arithmetic for Additional Classes. K. P. Roy. (Author.) As. 5.
(*ii*) Algebra made Easy. K. P. Basu, M.A. (D. N. Sen.) Re. 1-12.
Algebra for Elementary Schools, stages I and II. Bourne and Baker. (G. Bell & Sons.) 6d. each.
New Algebra, Volume I. Barnard and Child. (Macmillan & Co.)
* A School Algebra, Parts I and II. H. S. Hall. (Macmillan & Co.) 2s. 6d.
Matriculation Algebra. J. C. Chakravarty, M.A. (Sanyal & Co.) Re. 1-12.
* The New Matriculation Algebra. S. C. Basu, B.A. (B. M. Datta, Calcutta.) Re. 1-12.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard of Upper classes of High Schools preparatory to the Matriculation stage

Matriculation Algebra. Chintaharan Roy, M.A., and Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta, M.A (Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta.) Re. 1-12.

Elementary Modern Algebra. R. C. Bridgett. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) 1*s.* 6*d.*

A First Course of Algebra. A. E. Layng. (Blackie & Son. Ltd.)

A Modern School Algebra, Parts I—III. A. C. L. Wilkinson. Edited by E. R. Watson. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 6 each part.

Algebra for Middle Schools in India. H. S. Hall. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-8.

Matriculation Algebra R. G. Nath. (K. P. Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) Rs. 2.

(*iii*) Elementary Modern Geometry, Books I and II. K. P. Basu, M.A. (D. N. Sen.) As. 10.

* A School Geometry, Parts I to V. Hall and Stevens. (Macmillan & Co.)

Elementary Geometry. Sir G. D. Banerjee. (S. K. Lahiri & Co.) Re. 1-4.

Elements of Modern Geometry. Rai Bahadur K. K. Banerjee (Roy & Co.) Re. 1-8.

*Plane Geometry for Matriculation Examination. R. G. Nath. (G. N. Haldar.) Re. 1-8.

Matriculation Geometry. K. P. Basu. (D. N. Sen.) Re. 1-10.

The Elements of Geometry in Theory and Practice, Part I. Pierpoint. (Longmans, Green & Co.) Re. 1-8.

The Students' Matriculation Geometry, Books I—VI. Sarada K. Ganguli, M.A. (Students' Library, Calcutta and Dacca.) Re. 1-12.

Matriculation Geometry. Indubhushan Brahmachari, M.A , and Chinta Haran Roy, M.A. (S. K. Lahiri & Co., Calcutta.)

Matriculation Geometry, Books I—III. Gauri Sankar De. (B. Banerjee & Co.) Re. 1-12.

Matriculation Geometry, Books I—IV. S. C. Basu. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) Re. 1-12.

The School Set of Mathematical Instruments. (Macmillan & Co.): 1*s.* (Recommended for use in schools.)

Ball's Mechanics. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Elementary Physics. H. E. H. Pratt. (Oxford University Press.) Re. 1-6. (Special text-bobok for high schools in which Physics is taught.)

* These books may be considered as representing the standard of Upper classes of High Schools preparatory to the Matriculation stage.

For Middle and Junior Classes.

Class VI—

*A School Geometry, Part I. (Bengali Edition.) Hall and Stevens. Macmillan & Co.) (For teachers only.)

Prathamik Jyamati. Kazi Imdadul Haque. (For teachers only.)

Classes IV—VI.

*Rudiments of Arithmetic. P. K. Sen, B.A. (Revati Mohan Das.) As. 10.

Arithmetic Primer. Suresh Chandra Datta and Indra Kumar Majumdar. (Victoria Library, Dacca.) As. 12.

Royal Arithmetic. Paresh Nath Basu, M.A. (The Author.) As. 12.

*A Junior School Arithmetic. A. C. Gupta, M.A. (Prafulla Kumar Das, B.A.) As 10.

Anglo-Bengali Arithmetic. S. P. Das, M.A. (The Author.) As. 10.

Elementary Arithmetic. A. Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc (Glas.) (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 10.

New Arithmetic. Prasanna Narayan Kali. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 12.

Beginner's Arithmetic. S. C. Dhar, M.Sc. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 12.

Simple Arithmetic. Jnanada Kishore Chaudhuri and Jogesh Chandra Chatterjee. (The Authors.) As. 12.

Boys' Modern Arithmetic. Nirod Chandra Sen Gupta, B.A. (Sisir Chandra Sen Gupta.) As. 12.

A Primer of Arithmetic. Radha Binode Pal, M.A. (Acharyya & Co) As. 12.

Child's Arithmetic. G. Dhar. (Ashutosh Dhar, Dacca.) As. 10.

Bell's New Practical Arithmetics 1st to 7th year, (Pupil's copies). W. J. Stainer. (G. Bell & Sons.) 3*d.* each.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard of Middle and Junior classes, but the M. E. Scholarship Examination will not be based exclusively on any single text.

Sisuganit. Surendranath Sen. (Brojendra Mohan Dutt.) As. 8.
Modern Arithmetic. D. P. Bhattacharyya. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 12.
Juvenile Arithmetic. B. C. Dutt and J. N. Roy. (Sitanath Roy.) As. 14.
Juvenile Arithmetic. K. B. Sen Gupta, B. SC. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, Mahim Sanatan Library, Dacca.) As. 12.
Standard Arithmetic. Rash Behari Basu. (Rajendra Kumar Roy, Banglabazar, Dacca.) As. 14.
Easy Arithmetic. Kishori Mohan Basu. (Upendra Kumar Chanda.) As. 12.
School Arithmetic. Naziruddin Ahmed, M.A., and Hariram Dhar, B.A. (Madhab Chandra Basak.) As. 12.
Arithmetic. Jogesh Chandra Ghosh, M.A. (Bhabatosh Mitra.) As. 12.
Elementary Arithmetic. P. C. Chakravarti. (The Author.) As. 12.
A New Typical Arithmetic for Junior Classes. R. M. Basak and R. K. Basak. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) Re. 1.
School Arithmetic. J. C. Sen. (The Author.) Re. 1.
Arithmetic Made Simple. B. Sen and N. Sen. (C. C. Sen, Nawabpur, Dacca.) As. 12.
Arithmetic. Anukul Chandra Sarkar. (Jogesh Chandra Roy, Nawabpur, Dacca.) Re. 1.
Bi-lingual Arithmetic. J. C. Chakravarti. (D. N. Bhattacharyya, Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 10.
Arithmetic Made Easy. R. S. Gupta and J. C. Majumdar. (Jitendra Mohan Dutt, Oriental Library, Calcutta.) As. 14.
Lessons in Arithmetic for Junior Classes. (Acherji & Co.) As. 12.
Middle Class Arithmetic. N. K. Bose. (N. C. Chakravarti, Bose's Bazar, Dacca.) As. 14.
Popular Arithmetic. B. N. Saha. (The Author.) As. 12.
Elements of Arithmetic. P. Basu. (Arabinda Ghosh.) As. 14.
A School Arithmetic. R. G. Nath. (P. K. Chakravarti.) As. 14.
Beginner's School Arithmetic. An Experienced Teacher. (Rajendra K. Roy, City Library, Calcutta.) Re. 1.
Anglo-Bengali Arithmetic. Chintaharan Roy. (Chakravarti, Chatterji & Co.) As. 12.

Classes II and III—

Saral Patiganit, Part I. Jadab Chandra Chakravarti, M.A. (Bhattacharyya & Son.) As. 4.
Sankshipta Shishuranjan Patiganit. Parts I and II. K. P. Basu, M.A. (D. N. Sen.) As. 5.
Ganit Sopan. Abinash Chandra Gupta, M.A. (Nityaranjan Sen, M.Sc.) As. 5.
School Patiganit. Bhuban Mohan Sen, B.A., and Hemanta Kumar Kayral, B.A. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 5.
*Saral Ganit, Part I. Jitendra Mohan Datta, M.Sc. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 6-6.
Ganit Bikash, Part I. Asutosh Bose, M.Sc., and Pulin Chandra Bose, M.A. (The Authors.) As. 6.
*Saral Shishu Patiganit, Parts II and III. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 2 and As. 3.
Shishu Patiganit. Upendra Nath Banerjee. (The Author.) As. 5-6.
Ganitankur. (Prasanna Kumar Sen, B.A. (Hariram Dhar, B.A.) As. 5.
Patiganit, Part I. Hara Kanta Basu, B.A. (Pyari Mohan De.) As. 6-6.
Ganit Kusum. Paresh Nath Basu, M.Sc. (The Author.) As. 7.
Nabya Ganit Shiksha. Jogesh Chandra Sen, B.A. (B. M. Datta, Students' Library, Calcutta.) As. 5.
Khokar Ank. A. C. Chakravarti and B. C. Dutta. (Kula Chandra Das.) As. 6-6.
Ganit Bijnan. P. N. Kali. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 5.
Shaishab Ganit. Lakshman Chandra Sen. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 5.
Sisupatiganit. R. K. Das, Bar.-at-law. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 6.
Nava Sankshipt Patiganit. Sreenath Bhattacharyya. (Debendranath Bhattacharyya.) As. 5.
Sisuganit. Surendranath Sen. (Brojendra Mohan Dutt.) As. 8.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard of Junior classes.

Shishu Patiganit. Rajani Kanta De. (Nagendra Kumar Roy.) As. 6.

Patiganit Shiksha. Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc. (Glas.). (P. Sen and Brothers.) As. 6.

Nutan Shuvankari. (Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc. (Glas.). (P. Sen and Brothers.) A. 1-6. (For supplementary use.)

Manasik Ganana. Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc. (Glas.). (P. Sen and Brothers.) A. 1. (For supplementary use.)

Saral Ganitshiksha. (Enlarged edition.) Mathuranath Guha. (City Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

Shishutosh Patiganit. Surendra M. Bhattacharyya. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Ganit Mukul. Arabinda Ghosh. (Paresnath Basu.) As 8.

Prathamik Ganit. Pramada Kumar Das. (Bhabatosh Sen.) As. 5.

Sahaj Ankashiksha. Mahim Chandra Pal. (Graduate, Friends & Co.) As. 8.

Nutan Ganit. Rashbihari Basu and Jnanada Kishore Choudhuri. (Jnanada Kishore Choudhuri.) As. 9.

Ganit Prabesh. Charu Chandra Guha. (The Author.) As. 6.

Ganit Path. Prasanna Kumar Guha. (Pran Kumar Guha.) As. 8.

Nimna Patiganit. Pareshnath Mahalanabis. (Madhab Ch. Basak.) As. 8.

Ganit Mukul. Indra Kumar Majumdar. (Sarat Ch. Datta and Sons.) As. 8.

Sisubenode Patiganit. Kedareswar Das Gupta and Gangagati Das. (Sarat Ch. Datta.) As. 8.

Pathsala Ganit. Har Kumar Basu. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

Sahaj Patiganit. Priyadaranjan Roy, M.A. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6. (During war, As. 8).

Saral Ganit. Jogesh Chandra Ghosh, M.A. (Bhabatosh Mitra.) As. 6.

Saral Manasanka. Bama Charan Das. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, Mahim Sanatan Library, Dacca.) As. 6. (For supplementary use.)

Ganitranjan (in 3 parts). Tara Pr. Gangopadhyaya. (Syam Ch. Datta, Santosh Library, Dacca.) As. 3, 8 and 5.

Saral Shishu Ganit. Jadab Chandra Chakravarti. (B. Banerjee.) As. 5.

Saral Shishu Ganit. Prafulla Kumar Guha. (Pran Kumar Guha.) As. 5.

Adarsha Shishu Patiganit. Hiralal Datta. (Sarat Chandra Datta and Sons.) As. 4.

Adarsha Dharapath O Saral Shuvankari. Sitanath Basak. (The Author.) As. 3-6. (For supplementary use.)

Nutan Shuvankari. Rajendra Kumar Guha. As 6. (For supplementary use.)

Lily Dharapath. Nibaran Ch. Das Gupta. (Hem Ch. Sen Gupta.) As. 2-6. (For supplementary use.)

Bengali Literature.

For Class X, see University Calendar.

[Under the heading "Bengali Literature" the books marked thus * may be taken to represent the standard required in High, Middle and Junior classes, and the standard demanded in scholarship examinations; but these will not be set exclusively on any single text]

For High School classes.

Class VIII—

Prabhat Chinta. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 12.

Supravat. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Prativa. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Mohini Kanta Gupta.) Re. 1.

*Pariksha. J. C. Chatterjee. (Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 12. (Bound in boards.)

Aitihasik Path. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Mohini Kanta Gupta.) As. 8.

Manab Charitra. Abinas Chandra Basu. (S. K. Banerjee & Sons.) As. 8. (For Girls' schools.)

Vishma Charit. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Mohini Kanta Gupta.) As. 8.

Sitar Banabas. Sivratan Mitra. (Satish Chandra Mitra.) As. 12.

Prabandha Ratna. Sivratan Mitra. (Atul Chandra Chakravarti.) As. 12.

Bharat Chitra (revised edition). Priya Darsan Halder. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 12.

Bangala Sahitya. Lalit Mohan Das Gupta, B.A. (P. C. Basu.) As. 10.

Soubhagya Sopan. Part II. Prasanna Chandra Das Gupta, B.A. (Hem Chandra Roy.) As. 10.

Banga Sahitya. Abinash Chandra Banerjee. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 12.

Adarsa Sahitya Sangraha. Pramatha Nath Sen. (Sen Brothers & Co.) As. 12.

Mahabharatiya Nitikaha, Part II. Rajendra Nath Kanjilal. (Gajendra Chandra Ghosh.) As. 12.

Matriculation Bangala Sahitya. (Revised edition.) Jatindra Lal Basu. (Pramatha Nath Ghosh.) As. 10.

Kavita Pustak. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 3.

Padya Path. Part III. Jadu Gopal Chatterjee. (Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta.) As. 6.

Sadvab Satak. Krishna Chandra Majumdar. (Kamini Kumar Guha, M.A.) As. 8.

Padya Sandarva. Rai Sahib Dinesh Chandra Son. (Atul Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

Nutan Padya Prakash, Part III. Nrisinha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 10.

Kavita Manjari. (Revised edition.) Jogendra Nath Gupta. (S. N. Das Gupta.) As. 4.

Sahitya Sandarva. Girish Chandra Chakravarti. (The Author.) As. 8.

Sahitya Prasanga. Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. (The Author.) Re. 1.

Aitihasik Path. Part I. Ram Pran Gupta. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh.) As. 12.

Vidyasagar's Sitar Banabas. Edited by Purna Chandra De, B.A. (Macmillan & Co.) As 12.

Chandrakana. Chandra Nath Basu. Edited by Haranath Basu. (Brajendra Mohan Datta.) Re. 1-4.

Vidyasagar's Sakuntala. Edited by Purna Chandra De, B.A. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 8.

Nava Jyoti. Srimanta Sarkar, B.A. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 12.

Rachana. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Mohini Kanta Gupta.) Re. 1.

Bangala Sahitya Parichay. Sastri Nalini Mohan Mukherjee. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 10.

Prabandha Path, Part III. Kshitish Chandra Neogi. (The Author.) As. 14.

Adarsha Padya Puspa Patra. Sasadhar Banerjee. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 9.

Classes VII and VIII—

Prakriti Prakash. Jogindra Chandra Chatterjee. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Sahitya. Sasi Bhusan Chakravarti. (Dinesh Chandra Datta.) As. 12

Bangala Sahitya. Paresh Chandra Mukherjee. (Pran Kumar Guha.) As. 12.

Prabandha Malya. Hem Chandra Biswas. (Graduate Friends & Co.) As. 12.

Sahitya Sangraha. Girish Chandra Chakravarti. (Prabhat Ch. Bose, Roy, Gupta & Co., Dacca.) As. 10.

Prabandha Mukul. Sibratan Mitra and Atul Chandra Chakravarti. (Ashutosh Dutt, Modern Publishing Co., Calcutta.) As. 12.

Haji Muhammad Mohsin. Jogendra Chandra Gupta. (Harshanath Datta, University Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Sahitya Ratna. Satish Chandra Sen Gupta. (Saroj Kumar Sen, Sen, Roy & Co., Calcutta.) As. 12.

Sahitya Ratnabali. Suroj Nath Mukherjee. (S. K. Lahiri & Co., Calcutta.) As. 11.

Rachana Manjari. (Sarat Kumar Lahiri, Calcutta.) As 8.

Kusumanjali. Basanta Kumar Chakravarti and Bankim Chandra Sidhantashastri. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 12.

Kabita Prakash, Part II. Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta and Narendra Nath Das. (S. C. Auddy & Co., Calcutta.) As. 10.

Bangala Kavita. Sarat Chandra Basu. (Rasik Lal Sarkar, Messrs. Sarkar & Co., Calcutta.) As. 8.

Class VII—

Sandarva Chandrika. Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. (Atul Chandra Chakravarti.) As. 10.

*Bibidha Prabandha, Part III. Rajani Kanta Gupta (Atul Chandra Chakravarti.) As. 8.

Charu Path, Part II. Akshay Kumar Datta. (Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta.) As. 8.

Niti Chayan. Rash Behari Basu, M.A. (Barada Kanta Majumdar.) As. 8.

Kamaniya Katha. Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 6.

Adarsha Prabandha. Rai Sahib Ratanmani Gupta. (Kali Prasanna Nath.) As. 6.

Sandarva Ratna. Jogesh Chandra Chakravarti. B. C. Basak.) As. 8.

Soubhagya Sopan, Part I. Prasanna Chandra Das Gupta, B.A. (Hem Chandra Roy.) As. 10.

Mahabharatiya Nitikatha, Part I. Rajendra Nath Kanjilal. (Gajendra Chandra Ghosh.) As. 12.

Chhatra Shiksha. Ram Pran Gupta. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh.) As. 8.

Nava Sahitya Prasanga. Nava Krishna Bhadury. (Sreemati Kumudini Bhaduri.) As. 10.

Kavita Pustak. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 3.

*Padya Path, Part II. Jadu Gopal Chatterjee. (Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta.) As. 4.

Padya Sandarva. Rai Sahib Dinesh Chandra Sen. (Atul Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

Punya Gatha. Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 2-6.

Niti Gatha, Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. (The Author.) As. 2.

Kavita Manjari (Revised Edition). Jogendra Nath Gupta. (S N. Das Gupta.) As. 4.

Nirbbasita Sita. Harish Chandra Mitra. (Nagendra Kumar Roy.) As. 6. (For Girls' schools.)

Kabita Kalap. Madan Mohan Mukherjee. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 4.

Prabandha Manjari. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta.) As. 12.

Dipaka. Kumudini Kanta Gangopadhyaya. (Nagendra Kumar Roy.) As. 8.

Jnananjali. Atul Chandra Sen. (The Author.) As. 9.

Chayan. Surendra Mohan Sen. (B. M. Datta, Students' Library, Calcutta.) As. 8.

Classes VI and VII—

Suprabhat. Devendra Kumar Chakravarti. (The Author.) As. 7.

Parijat. Bepin Behari Sarkar. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Sukabita. Taraprasanna Ganguli. (Syam Chandra Dutt, Santosh Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

Charu Kabita, Part II. Harish Ch. Mitra. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Kabita Kadamba, Part I. Madan Mohan Mitra. (Matilal Chakravarti.) As. 6.

Sahitya Bikash. Muhammad Nur Mian. (Pran Kumar Guha.) As. 6.

For Middle classes.

Class VI—

Sahitya Pustak, Part II, (Revised Edition). Mahamahopadhyaya Prasanna Chandra Vidyaratna. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Charu Prabandha. Lal Mohan Vidyanidhi. (Atul Library.) As. 8.

Prabandha Kusum. Ramdayal Chatterjee. (Kumudranjan Chatterjee.) As. 8.

Sahitya Prabandha. Upendra Ch. Mukherjee. (Bharat Ch. Sarkar.) As. 6.

Sandarva Sar. Hara Nath Ghosh. (Ambika Ch. Ghosh.) As. 6.

Upadesh Manjari. Anath Bandhu Moulik. (Atul Library.) As. 6.

Prabandha Parichay. Lakshmi Charan Das Gupta, B.A. (Roy, Gupta & Co.) As. 9.

Jnan Sopan. Jagadananda Roy. (The Author.) As. 6.

Prabandha Path Mahamahopadhyaya Madhab Chandra Tarkachudamani. (Gouranga Chandra Kabyatirtha.) As. 8.

Ratnabali. Manmatha Nath Ganguli, B.A. (Gopi Mohan Datta.) As. 8.

Prabandha Path, Part II. Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. (The Author.) As. 8.

Sahitya Koumudi. Raj Kumar Chakravarti. Devendra Nath Bhattacharyya.) As. 6.

Jnan Bikash. Atul Chandra Chakravarti. (The Author.) As. 8.

Prabandha Ratnabali. Kumar Suresh Ch. Singha and Sarat Chandra Dhar. (Shailendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 7.

Sandarva Sar. Sarajubala Datta. (Pyari Mohan Datta.) As. 6.

Sahitya Sopan. R. K. Das, Bar.-at-Law. (Hariram Dhar, B.A.) As. 8.

Shiksha Manjari, Part II. Purnananda Gupta. (Prabhat Chandra Bose.) As. 8.

Adarsha Sahitya. Surendrasasi Gupta. (Prabhat Chandra Bose.) As. 6.

Jnananjana, Part II. Ramani Ranjan Vidyabenode. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 6.

Sahitya Sandarva. Beni Madhab Datta. (Jagadish Ch. Ghosh.) As. 6.

Mangal Mala. Rasik Chandra Basu. (Hariram Dhar, B.A.) As. 8.

Kalyan Katha (Revised Edition). Rasik Chandra Basu. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 8.

Kabita Kalap. Madan Mohan Mukherjee. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 4.

Jhankar. Hem Chandra Gangopadhyaya. (Prafulla Kumar Chakravarty.) As. 9.

Prabandharatnamala. Sudakshina Dhar. (Hemendranath Ghosh.) As. 7.

Sahitya Mukur. Jajneswar Chatterjee. (Kunjalal Majumdar.) As. 8.

Sahitya Shiksha, Part II. Jogendra Nath Gupta. (H. N. Dutt, University Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Prabandha Puspanjali. Jamininath Banerjee and Rajendra Nath Vidyabhusan. (Ghosh and Company, Calcutta.) As. 7.

Sahitya Ratan. Dhirendra Lal Sen and Naba Kumar Datta. (Jotirmay Kaviratna.) As. 6.

Sahitya Chandrika. Maulvi Mafizuddin Bhuiya and Maulvi Abdus Siddiq. (Maulvi Abdus Samad.) As 8.

Kanak Path. Jagadananda Roy. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Bibidha Prabandha, Part II. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Mohini Kanta Gupta.) As .8.

Suprabandha. Taraprasanna Gangopadhyaya. (Syam Chandra Datta, Santosh Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Adarsha Chayan. Jibendra Mohan Dass Gupta. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

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Manihar. Ashutosh Dhar. (Author). As. 7.
Suniti. Jamini Kumar Roy Vidyabenode. (Haran Chandra De, Manindra Library, Mymensingh). As. 6.
Upadeshmala. Haranath Ghosh (Pramathanath Ghosh). As. 8.
Nitihar. Atul Chandra Chakravarti. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca). As. 6.
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*Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book I. Basu and Majid. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.

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Nutan Prathamic Path. (New Bengali Primer). Guru Bandhu Bhattacharyya. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6.

Saisab Sopan. Dhirendra Nath Basu. As. 3.

Lalit Path. Sarat Chandra Dhar. (Author.) As. 3.

Sishubodh, Part I. Jaladhar Sen. (B. Banerjee & Co. Calcutta.) As. 1-6.

Shishutosh, Part I. Sarat Kumar Roy. (Indian Press, Allahabad and Indian Publishing House, Calcutta.) As. 2-6.

Sahaj Path. Surabala Devi. (Satish Chandra Biswas, Dacca.) As. 3-6.

Shishu Katha. Jadunath Chakravarti. (Author.) As. 4.

Niti Manjari. Jatindra Lal Basu. (Pramatha Nath Ghosh.) As. 3.

Naba Hita Path. Raimohan Dutta. (Sarat Chandra Datta, Cotton Library, Dacca.) As. 2-6.

Balya Bandhu. Purna Chandra Chakravarti and A. Uddin. (Gopal Chandra Basak.) As. 3-6.

Saral Katha. Gopal Chandra Chakravarti. (Author.) As. 4.

Bengali Grammar.

Classes VII and VIII—

*Sahitya Prabesh Vyakaran. Mahamahopadhyaya P. C. Vidyaratna. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 14.

Sahityabodh Vyakaran. Matilal Chakravarti. (Atul Library, Dacca.) As. 12.

Bhasha Bijnan, Part I. Rajani Kanta Sarma Vedantabagish. (Nagendra Kumar Roy.) As. 12.

Bhasha Shiksha. Heramba Nath Tarkatirtha Byakarantirtha. (Prabhat Chandra Basu, Roy Gupta & Co.) As. 14.

Bangala Byakaran-o-Rachana. Kedareswar Gangopadhyaya. (Author.) As. 14.

Bhashaprabesh Byakaran. Hara Nath Ghosh. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh, Victoria Library, Dacca.) As. 13.

Saral Bhasha Prakash Bangla Byakaran. Madan Mohan Kabyyatirtha and Jagat Chandra Das. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca). As. 10.

Bhasha Sopan. Satish Chandra Ghosh. (Author.) As. 12.

For Middle and Junior Classes.

Classes IV—VI—

Chhatrabodha Bangala Vyakaran. Jagadish Ch. Ghosh. (P. C. Bose.) As. 8.

*Riju Vyakaran. Charu Chandra Kaviratna. (P. C. Basu.) A. 1-6.

Vyakaran Manjusha. Umesh Chandra Gupta. (Bhattacharyya & Son.) As. 10.

* Elementary Bengali Grammar. Srinath Kavyatirtha. (B. C. Basak.) A. 1.

Shishu Prabesh Vyakaran (revised and enlarged,) Mahamahopadhyaya Prasanna Ch. Vidyaratna. (Students' Library, Dacca). As. 4.

Sankshipta Sar Vyakaran. Harayath Ghose. (Victoria Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Ashubodh Vyakaran. Bepin Behari Ganguli. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 6.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard required in the various classes.

Saral Bangala Vyakaran. Nagendra Kumar Chanda, (Ramendra Kumar Chanda). As. 4.

Bhasha Siksha. Prasanna Kumar Guha. (Nagendra Kumar Roy.) As. 6.

Saral Vyakaran. Suryya Kumar Roy. (Kali Prasanna Nath). As. 4.

Bhasha Bikash Vyakaran. Haridhan Kavya Vyakarantirtha and Kalinath Kar. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons,) As. 5.

Shishu Vyakaran. Baikuntheswar Das Gupta. (Cotton Library.) As. 3.

Bangala Prabesh Vyakaran-o-Rachana. Jnanendra Chandra Basu. (Mohit Mohan Dhar.) As. 6.

Nutandharaner Pratham Shiksha Bangla Vyakaran. Banamali Nath. (Kali Prasanna Nath.) As. 3.

Balya Vyakaran. Amritananda Kabyabenode. (Roy, Gupta & Co.) As. 3.

Sukhabodh Bangla Vyakaran. Kalikrishna Gosvami. (Birchandra Roy.) As. 3.

Byakaran Sopan. Pyari Lal Chakravarti. (Bengal Library.) As. 3.

Saral Shishu Prabesh Vyakaran. (Nagendra Kumar Roy.) As. 3.

Shishutosh Vyakaran. Atul Chandra Chakravati. (Author.) A. 1-6.

Sishupathya Bangala Vyakaran. Rajendra K. Ghosh. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh). As. 3.

Charu Prabesh Vyakaran. Rajendra Mohan Datta. (Gopi Mohan Datta). As. 4.

Saral Bangala Vyakaran. Rajani Kanta Banerjee. (Ananta Chandra Banerjee.) As. 8.

Shishubodh Bangla Vyakaran. Atal Behari Gosvami. (Author.) As. 3.

Pratham Shiksha Bangla Vyakaran. Lakshmi Charan Das Gupta. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta.) As. 2-6.

Sukhapath Vyakaran. Harendra Kumar Sen Kavyatirtha. (Surendra Nath Das Gupta.) As. 2.

Nutan Bangla Vyakaran. Sudhangshu Mohan Mitra. (Bengal Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Shishupath Vyakaran. Sreenath Bhattacharyya. (Bipresvar Chakravarti). As. 4. (In stiff cover).

Sisupathya Bangla Vyakaran. S. M. Dutt. (Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 2.

Byakaranpath. P. N. Mahalanabis. (Author). As. 4.

Sukhabodh Bangala Vyakaran. Abhay Charan Chakravarti. (Graduate Friends & Co.) As. 7.

Saral Byakaran Shiksha. Kamakhya Charan Kabyatirtha. (Roy, Gupta & Co., Dacca.) As. 4.

Balakbodh Vyakaran. Matilal Chakravarti. (Author.) As. 6.

Saral Shishupath Vyakaran. Syam Charan Dutta. (Author.) As. 4.

Saral Shishuprabesh Vyakaran. Pran Kumar Guha. (Author.) As. 5.

Sukhapath Vyakaran. Tarakanta Vyakarantirtha. (Syama Kanta Bhattacharyya.) As. 6.

Sankshipta Shishubodh Byakaran. Sachindra Kumar Ghosh. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 2.

Byakaran Path. Jnanendra Chandra Bose. (Mohit Mohan Dhar.) As. 2.

Shishuranjan Byakaran, Part II. Barada Kanta Majumder. (Hariram Dhar, Popular Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Chheleder Byakaran. Hemada Kanta Choudhury. (Durgadayal Choudhury, Bengal Book Club, Calcutta.) A. 1-6.

Shishuranjan Vyakaran. Gopesh Chandra Bhattacharyya. (Jnanada Kishore Choudhury.) As. 5.

Shishutosh Byakaran. Jajneswar Chattopadhyaya. (Brajendra Mohan Datta, Students' Library, Calcutta and Dacca.) As. 4.

Adarsha Byakaran. Kali Charan Vidyabhusan. (Author.) As. 5.

Bhashabodh Byakaran. Gopal Chandra Chakravarti and Kali Sankar Karmakar. (Ashutosh Dhar, Ashutosh Library, Dacca). As. 7.

Sukhabodh Bangla Vyakaran. Jagadish Chandra Ghosh. (Jogesh Chandra Roy, Presidency Library, Dacca). As. 6.

Saral Bangala Vyakaran. Pandit Chandra Kishore Vidyanidhi. (Radhika Mohan Basak, Dacca Library.) As. 2-6.

Saral Ashutosh Vyakaran. Sasikumar Sen. (Author.) As. 4.

Saral Sisu Byakaran. Govinda Chandra Das Gupta. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, Mahim Sonaton Library. Dacca). As. 2.

Sankshipta Sisuranjan Byakaran. Bepin Behari Gangopadhyaya. (Ashutosh Dhar, Ashutosh Library, Dacca.)

Saral Shishupath Byakaran. Jamini Kumar Vidyabenode. (Author.) As. 4.

Chhatrapath Byakaran. Ambica Charan Ghosh. (Jatindra Nath Ghosh, Bengal Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

Byakaran Primer. Debendra Kumar Vidyaratna. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

Vernacular Composition.

Classes VII and VIII—

Rachana Chayan. Sukharanjan Roy. (Satish Chandra Sarkar. Sarkar Brothers. Dacca.) As. 10.

Rachana Manjari. Ashutosh Chanda. (Author.) As. 12.

Rachana Bikash. Pandit Kalinath Kar. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Rachana Prabesh Narendra Chandra Bose. (Pramatha Nath Ghosh Victoria Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Bangala Rachana Pustak. Sudhanshu Mohan Mitra. (Bengal Library, Dacca.) Re. 1.

Bangala Rachana (Bengali Composition.) Jagadish Chandra Ghosh and A. C. Ghosh. (Satish Chandra Ghosh.) As. 14.

Oriental classics.

For Senior classes, see University Calendar.

Class VIII—

Riju Prabandham. B. B. Goswami, M.A. (Kedarnath Basu.) As. 4.

*Sukha Patham. Devendra Kumar Bandopadhyaya, M.A. (Bhattacharyya & Son.) As. 4.

Bibidha Prabandham. Ram Kamal Vidyabhusan. (Ashutosh Library. As. 4.

Prabeshika Sopanam. Atul Chandra Bhattacharyya. (Jogendra Nath Mukherjee.) As. 6.

Suniti Saram. Devendra Kumar Vidyaratna. (Nagendra Kumar Roy.) As. 4.

Hitopadesha Saram. Barada Kumar Kabyatirtha. As. 5.

Sunity Akshoy Kumar Kabyatirtha. (B. B. Chakravarti.) As. 6.

Punya Prativa. Srish Chandra Roy Vidyabhusan and Haridhan Bhattacharyya Kabyavyakarantirtha (Jnanada Kishore Choudhuri.) As. 6.

Hitabani. Suresh Chandra Vidyanidhi. (Author.) As. 4.

Sukumar Patham. Kamini Kumar Sen. As. 4.

Siksha Mukulam, Part II. Jogendra Nath Tarkatirtha. (Author.) As. 8.

Charu Prabandham. Rukmini Ranjan Kabyatirtha and Naliniranjan Bhattacharyya. As. 5.

Niti Muktabali. Gopal Chandra Vidyabagis. (Author). As. 6.

*Prabandha Kusumanjali. Sasanka Mohan Kabyavyakarantirtha. (Author.) As. 5.

*Prabandha Manjari. Pramatha Nath Vidyabhusan. (Atul Chandra Chakravarti.) As. 5.

Ashubodham. Benoy Kumar Gangopadhyaya and Dhirendra Kumar Gangopadhyaya. (Ashutosh Dhar, Ashutosh Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

*Katha Kusumam. R. C. Kabyavyakaran Sankhya Vedantatirtha. (Amrita Lal Sen, Court House Road, Dacca.) As. 5.

Patha Manjari, Part II. Banamali Vedanta Tirtha and Pramada Charan Bandopaphyaya. (Sen, Roy & Co., Calcutta.) As. 6.

Niti Patham. Sarat Chandra Vidyaratna. (B. M. Dutta, Student's Library, Calcutta.) As. 6.

* This book may be considered as representing the standard required in this class

Sandarva Muktabali. Prabhat Chandra Kabyatirtha. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) As. 6.

Sanskrit Pathmala. Atul Chandra Ganguli. (Sarat Chandra Som, Calcutta.) As. 8.

Sanskrit Sahitya Sangraha. B. K. Das. (S. K. Lahiri and Company.) Re. 1.

Class VII—

Nabahitapatham. A. K. Vidyanidhi. (S. C. Chatterjee.) As. 5.

Sanskrit Sopanam. A. C. Kavyatirtha. (Bankim Ch. Sen, Gandaria, Dacca.) As. 3.

Sanskrit Prabesh. Sreenath Kabyatirtha. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

Prabeshika Sopanam. Sadat Ali Khan. (Rebati Mohan Das.) As. 3.

Sanskrit Koumudi. Banamali Chakravarti and Lakshmi Charan Mukhopadhyaya. (Adarsha Library, Barisal.) As. 3.

Sanskrit Shiksha. Sitanath Basak. (Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

*Suniti Sopanam. Barada Kumar Kabyatirtha. (Sarada Kumar Bhattacharyya.) As. 5.

Jnanankura (omitting pages 38—48). Rajani Kanta Kavyatirtha. (B. C. Basak.) As. 3.

Sanskrit Sandarva. Vidhushekhara Shastri. (Atul Chandra Chakravarti.) As. 6.

Sanskrit Pathmala, Part I. Upendranath Vidyabhusan. (Upendra Kumar Mitra.) As. 5. Also for class VIII.

Sanskrit Manjari. Kali Chandra Vidyabhusan. (Author.) As. 6.

Sanskrit Bodham. Jogendra Mohan Kabyaratna. (Surendra Chandra Bhattacharyya.) As. 6.

The New Sanskrit Primer. Jogeswar Ganguli. (Nagendra Kumar Roy.) As. 4. Also for class VIII.

Deva Bani. Surendra Mohan Bhattacharyya. (Mathura Mohan Chakravarti.) As. 4.

Suniti. Akshoy Kumar Kabyatirtha. (B. B. Chakravarti.) As. 6.

Sanskrit Shiksha, Part I. A. C. Shastri. (Kali Bhusan Das.) As. 6.

Sahitya Sopanam. Sarat Bala Rakshit. (Satish Chandra Rakshit.) As. 6.

Sanskrit Korakam. Gopal Chandra Sen. (Kali Prasanna Nath.) As. 6.

Ratna Manjari. A. C. Chakravarti. (Graduate Friends & Co.) As. 3.

Sanskrit Primer. Haralal Bandopadhyaya. (B. M. Datta, Students' Library, Dacca and Calcutta.) As. 3.

Saral Sanskrit Patham. Dinabandhu Majumder. (Jnanada Kishore Choudhury.) As. 5.

Saral Patham. Lalit Kumar Kabyatirtha Vidyaratna. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons, Cotton Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

Shiksha Mukulam, Part I. Jogendra Nath Tarkatirtha. (Author.) As. 6.

Saral Sanskrit Sopanam. Kousiki Ranjan Chakravarti. (Satyaranjan Chakravarti.) As. 6.

A Sanskrit Primer. Kishori Mohan Kabyatirtha. (K. C. Acharyya, Model Library, Mymensingh.) As. 4.

Sanskrit Chandrodaya. Bidhusekhar Bhattacharyya. (Nogendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Siksha Sopanam. Sarat Chandra Kabyatirtha. (Manindra Chandra Mukherjee.) As. 5.

Sanskrit Grammar, Composition and Translation.

Classes VII and VIII—

The Beginner's Sanskrit Grammar and Composition. Upendra Nath Vidyabhusan. (Upendra K. Mitra.) Re. 1.

*Easy Steps to Sanskrit Grammar (Sanskrit Vyakaraner Prabeshika.) Mahamahopadhyaya Prasanna Chandra Vidyaratna. (Gopi Mohan Datta.) As. 8.

* These books may be taken as indicating the standard required in their respective classes.

Vyakaran Prabeshika. Sudhangshu Mohan Mitra, B.A. (Jitendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 8.

An Introduction to Sanskrit Grammar. Ashutosh Sarkar, B.A., B.T. (S. A. Gunny.) As. 8.

Sanskrit Vyakaransar. Nava Chandra Nyayaratna. (The author.) As. 6.

Hints on the Study of Sanskrit. Nrisingharam Mukherjee. (Students' Library, Calcutta.) Re. 1.

Principles and Method of Sanskrit Composition and Translation. R. C. Kavyavyakaransankhyavedantatirtha. (Amritalal Sen.) As. 12.

Anushilanam. Sashibhusan Das Gupta. (D. L. Dutta.) As. 12.

*University Grammar.

Vidyasagar's Upakramanika. Gobinda Nath Guha, M.A. (The author.) As. 8.

Sanskrit Bodha. Rajani Kanta Kavyatirtha. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Sanskrit Vyakaran. Amritananda Kavyabinode. (Roy Gupta & Co.) As. 8.

Shahaje Sanskrita Shiksha. Banamali-Vedantatirtha. (Bhattacharyya & Son.) As. 9.

Byakaran Mayukha. Karuna Kanta Sen. (B. C. Basak.) As. 6.

Sanskrit Byakaran Dipika. Prabhat Chandra Kavyatirtha and Sasanka M. Kabya Vyakarantirtha. (Sasanka M. Kabya Vyakarantirtha.) As. 10.

Byakaran Prabesham. Atul Chandra Sen, M.A. (Brajendra Narayan De, School Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Vidyasagar's Sanskrit Vyakaraner Upakramanika. Purna Chandra De, B.A. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 8.

Vidyasagar's Upakramanika. (Upendra K. Mitra.) As. 8.

Sanskrit Probesh Byakaran. Madan Mohan Kabyatirtha Bidyanidhi. (The author.) As. 8.

Saral Siddhanta Koumudi. Jagat Bandhu Maitra. (The author.) As. 6.

Byakaran Sopanam. Sasi Bhusan Sankhya Byakarantirtha. (Ramesh Chandra Vishaktirtha.) As. 8.

Vidyasagar's Upakramanika. Haralal Banerjee. (Brojendra Mohan Datta, Students' Library, Calcutta.) As. 8.

Sanskrit Bhashashiksha Vyakaran. Kali Krishna Bhattacharyya. (Narayan Chandra Datta.) As. 12.

Dhatuviveka. Akhaya Kumar Vidyabenode. (S. K. Lahiri & Co.) As. 12.

Vidyasagar's Upakramanika. Bagalaranjan Das. (S. K. Lahiri & Co.) As 10.

A Manual of Sanskrit Translation. Pandit Nava Chandra Nyayaratna. (The author) As. 11.

Classes VII to IX—

Panini Prabesham. Sasi Bhusan Sankhya Kabyatirtha and Madan Mohan Kabyatirtha Sastri. (The authors.) Re. 1-2.

Sanskrit Vyakaran Sopana. Ramani Mohan Bhattacharyya. (Atul Chandra Chakravarti.) Re. 1-4.

Saral Sanskrit Vyakaran. Dina Bandhu Majumdar. (The author.) Re. 1.

A Panini Primer. Devendra Kumar Banerjee. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-4.

Class VIII—

Vidyasagar's Vyakaran Koumudi, Parts II & III. Purna Chandra De, B.A. (S. Banerjee, M.A.) Re. 1.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard required in the various classes.

Persian.

Class VIII—

*Farsi-ki-Dusri Kitab. (Anjuman-i-Hemayat-i-Islam, Lahore.)
Persian Reader, Part I. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The author.) As. 4.
Farsi-ki-Tisri Kitab. (Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore.) As. 6.
Anglo-Persian Word Book. Waheed Hossain. (Abdul Gani.) As. 10.
*The Anglo-Persian King Reader I. Samsul-Ulama Abu Nasr Muhammad Waheed. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.

Class VII—

*Farsi-ki-Pahili Kitab. (Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore.)
*The Anglo-Persian King Reader I. Samsul-Ulama Abu Nasr Muhammad Waheed. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.

Classes VII and VIII—

Nural Inti-khal. A. F. M. Nuruddin Shah. (Shah Muhammad Shamsuddin.) As. 12.
Hedayatul Talmiz. Maulvi A. J. Akhtaruddin Shahib. (A. F. Burhanuddin.) As. 8.

Persian Grammar.

Class VIII—

A Hand Book of Persian Grammar. M. Hossain. (B. C. Basak.) Re. 1.

Classes VII and VIII—

*Parsi Shiksha Sopan (Sullammal Talim). Abdul Wadud, B.A. (The author.) As. 6.
*Mafidul Qa Wayed. Ali Ahmad Khan. (The author.) Re. 1.
Persian Grammar. (Muhammad Kamil.)
Persian Grammar. M. A. Hakim. (A. F. M. Abdul Hakim). As. 10.

Arabic.

Class VIII—

*Arabic Reader, No. 1. Samsul-Ulama Abu Nasr Muhammad Waheed, (The Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 8.
Assahifatul-Ula (First Book of Arabic by the Direct Method). Maulvi Abdur Rahim. (Ujir Singh.) As. 3. (Approved for use in the upper classes of high schools.)

Class VII—

Arabic Primer. Abdul Latif.
Bakurat-ul-Adab. (The Arabic Primer.) Shams-ul-Ulama Abu Nasr Waheed. (The author.) As. 4.

Arabic Grammar and Translation.

Class VIII—

*Arabic Shikshak, Part II. Maulvi Rahimuddin. (The author.) As. 10
Arabic Shikshak, Part III (first half). Maulvi Rahimuddin. (The author.) Re. 1-2. (Approved as an alternative text-book for the top classes of high Enlish schools.)

Class VII—

*Arabic Shikshak, Part I. Maulvi Rahimuddin. (The author.) Re. 1.

Classes VII and VIII.

The Arabic Teacher. Maulvi Abul Basher Muhammad Osman Ghani (A. S. Ahmadur Rahman, Dacca.) As. 11.
Anglo-Arabic Grammar. Maulvi Abul Basher Muhammad Osman Ghani. (A. S. Ahmadur Rahman, Dacca). As. 12.
Anglo-Arabic Translation. Maulvi Abul Basher Muhammad Osman Ghani. (A. S. Ahmadur Rahman.) As. 7.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard required in the various classes.

Urdu.

(For Middle Classes.)

Class VI—

*(*i*) Urdu-ki-Dusri Kitab. (Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore.)

Chamanistan-e-Urdu. Hafiz Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The author.) As. 8.

Urdu-ki-Chauthi Kitab. (Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore.) As. 8.

Urdu Reader, I—VIII. Rai Sahib Gulab Singh & Sons. (Education Department, Punjab.)

Nakhlistan-i-Urdu. (M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed.) As. 6. (Also for Madrassahs.)

Muallemul Akhlaq. (M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed.) As. 4. (Also for Madrassahs.)

Urdu-ki-Dusri-Kitab. (M. Muhammad Ismail.) As. 2.

Urdu-ki-Tisri-Kitab. (M. Muhammad Ismail.) As. 2-9.

Dusri Reader for Education of Girls. (Committee for Female Education, Aligarh.) As. 3-6. (For Girls' Schools.)

Zamana Hal-ke-Deo Pari (Giants and Fairies of To-day). Maulvi Nazir Hossain. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.

Diniyat-ka-Tisri Risala. (Committee for Female Education, Aligarh.) As. 3-6. (For Girls' Schools.)

Diniyat-ka-Dusri Risala. (Committee for Female Education, Aligarh.) p. 9. (For Girls' Schools.)

Bachun-ka-Bagh Dusri Keari. Ramjidas Bhargava. (Central Book Depot, Allahabad.)

(*ii*) Urdu Naya Qaida, Part II. Lala Sheo Doyal. (Rai Sahib Munshi Gulab Singh.) As. 1-3.

Urdu-ki-Qawaid. Maulvi A. J. Akhtar Uddin. (A. F. Burhanuddin.) As. 5.

Class V—

(*i*) Talimi-i-Urdu. Waheed Hossain. (The author.) As. 2.

*Urdu-ki-Pahili Kitab. (Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore.)

Nakhlistan-i-Urdu. (M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed.) As. 6. (Also for Madrassahs.)

Urdu-ki-Pahili-Kitab. (Maulvi Muhammad Ismail.) A. 1.

Urdu-Primer. Maulvi Abid Ali Khan. (Muslim Store, Malda.) A. 1. (Approved as an alternative text-book for the infant classes of schools where Urdu is taught.)

Talime Urdu. Hazi Abdur Rahim and Sitanath Basak. (Albert Library, Dacca.) A. 1. (Approved for use by Muhammadan pupils in all grades of schools where Urdu is taught.)

Urdu-ki-Pahili-Reader. (Committee for Female Education, Aligarh.) As. 2-3. (For Girls' Schools.)

Diniyat-ka-Pahili Risala. (Committee for Female Education, Aligarh.) p. 6. (For Girls' Schools.)

Urdu Primer. E. Marsden & Khalifa Emaduddin. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 2.

Urdu Primer. Committee for Female Education, Aligarh. p. 9. (For Girls' Schools.)

Bachun-ka-Bagh, Pahili Keari. Ramjidas Bhargava. (Central Book Depot, Allahabad.

(*ii*) Urdu-ka-Quaida. Lala Rangbehari Lal. (Uttarchand Kapur & Sons, Lahore.) p. 9.

Urdu-ki-Qauaid. Maulvi A. J. Akhtaruddin. (A. F. Burhanuddin.) As. 5.

Urdu-ka-Naya-Quida, Part II. Lala Sheo Dayal. Rai Sahib Munshi Gulab Singh. As. 1-3.

Urdu-ka-Qaida. (Committee for Female Education, Aligarh.) p. 9. (For Girls' Schools.)

Urdu Grammar.

Classes V and VI—

*An Urdu Grammar for Beginners. M. Hossain. (Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

*These books may be considered as representing the standard required in the various classes.

Pali.

Class VIII—

(*i*) Gray's "First Pali Delectus." Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, Calcutta.

(*ii*) Tilbe's "Pali Grammar." Printed at the American Baptist Mission Press, Rangoon.

Classes VII and VIII—

Pali First Book of Reading. Nitipurna Barua. (The author.) As. 6.

Class VII—

(*i*) Gray's "First Pali Course." Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, Calcutta.

(*ii*) Navaraj Barua's "Pali Grammar" (Inflections only). (U. L. Barua.) As. 12.

Tibetan.

Tibetan Second Book. Tharchin. (The Scandinavian Alliance Mission in the Himalayas.) As 6. (Text-book for use in Schools in which Tibetan is the Vernacular.)

Miscellaneous.

Sura Sangit. Kedar Nath Chatterjee. As. 10. (Text-book for Normal Schools.)

Banga Bani. Sasanka Mohan Sen. (B. C. Basak.) Rs. 2. (Text-book for Normal Schools. Also suitable for use in College classes.)

EASTERN BENGAL.

BOOKS FOR VERNACULAR SCHOOLS.

Schools adopting the Eastern Bengal Vernacular curriculum will select their books from the following list. The text books considered suitable as setting the standard expected of each class are marked with an "asterisk." Books specially suitable for girls' schools are marked with a "dagger," and these indicate the standard required in the various classes of girls' vernacular schools. Appended are the books to be used in Middle English Schools for girls.

Bengali Literature.

Middle Vernacular Classes.

Class VII—

Prabhat Chinta. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. (Students' Library Dacca.) As. 12.

*Sandarva Chandrika. Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta, Kaviratna, M.A. (Atul Chandra Chakravarty, Dacca.) As. 10.

Charu Prabandha. Lalmohan Vidyanidhi. (Atul Ch. Chakravarti, Dacca.) As. 8.

Sahitya Prabandha. Upendra Ch. Mukherjee. (Bharat Ch. Sarkar.) As 6.

Sandarva Sar. Haranath Ghosh. (Ambika Charan Ghosh, Dacca.) As. 6.

* These books indicate the standard required in the various classes.

*Bibidha Prabandha, Part III. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Atul Ch. Chakravarti.) As. 8.

Ratnabali. Manmatha Nath Ganguli, B.A. (Gopi Mohan Datta.) As. 8.

Prabandha Path. Mahamahopadhaya Madhab Chandra Tarkachuramani. (Gouranga Chandra Kabyatirtha.) As. 8.

Prabandha Path, Part II. Khitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. (The author.) As. 8.

Shiksha Manjari, Part II. Purnananda Gupta. (Probhat Chandra Basu.) As. 8.

Sahitya Sandarva. Beni Madhab Datta. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh.) As. 6.

Kalyan Katha (revised edition). Rasik Chandra Basu. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 8.

*Kabita Pustak. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 3.

Kabita Sandarva. Haranath Ghosh. (The author.) As. 3.

†Sitar Banabas. Iswar Chandra Vidyasagar.

†Meghnadbadh Kabya (selected cantos II, IV and IX). (Students' Library, Dacca.)

Kabita Kalap. Madan Mohan Mukherjee. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 4.

Prabandha Ratnamala. Sudakshina Dhar. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 7.

Sahitya Mukur. Jajneswar Chatterjee. (Kunjalal Mazumdar.) As. 8.

Sahitya Siksha, Part II. Jogendra Nath Gupta. (H. N. Dutt, University Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Chandra Kana. Chandra Nath Basu. Edited by Haranath Basu. (Brojendra Mohan Datta.) Re. 1-4.

Class VI—

Charu Prabhanda. Lalmohan Vidyanidhi. (Atul Chandra Chakravarty, Dacca.) As. 8.

*Bibidha Prabandha, Part III. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Atul Chandra Chakravarty, Dacca.) As. 8.

Sahitya Prabandha. Upendra Ch. Mukherjee. (Bharat Ch. Sarkar.) As. 6.

Sandarva Sar. Haranath Ghosh. (Ambika Ch. Ghosh, Dacca.) As. 6.

Jnan Sopan. Jagadananda Roy. (The author.) As. 6.

Ratnabali. Manmatha Nath Ganguli, B.A. (Gopimohan Datta.) As. 8.

Prabandha Path. Mahamahopadhyaya Madhab Chandra Tarkachuramoni. (Gouranga Chandra Kabyatirtha.) As. 8.

Prabandha Path, Part II. Kshitish Ch. Neogi, M.A. (The author.) As. 8.

Kalyan Katha (revised edition). Rasik Chandra Basu. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 8.

†Kabita Pustak. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 3.

Kabita Sandarva. Haranath Ghosh. (The author.) As. 3.

†Sakuntala. U. C. Bose. (Cotton Library, Dacca.)

† Saral Sahitya. Kazi Imdadul Haque.

Jhankar. Hem Chandra Gangopadhyaya. (Prafulla Kumar Chakravarti.) As. 9.

Prabandha Ratnamala. Sudakshina Dhar. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 7.

Kabita Kalap. Madan Mohan Mukherjee. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 4.

Classes VI and VII—

Bengali Version of "The World at War." (Prithibibyapi Mahasamar.) J. Nelson Fraser. (Oxford University Press, Bombay. Agents, Messrs. S. C. Auddy & Co., Calcutta.) As. 8.

Classes V and VI—

Ratna Manjari. Guru Bandhu Bhattacharyya, B.A., B.T. (Nalini Kumar Dutt, Armanitola, Dacca.) As. 6.

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† These books indicate the standard required in the various classes of girls' schools.

Upper Primary Class.

Class V—

*Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book II. Basu and Majid. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6.

Niti Path. Pran Kumar Guha. (The author.) As. 4.

Kabita Kalap. Madan Mohan Mukherjee. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 4.

Charushiksha. Umesh Chandra De, B.A. (Cotton Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Niti Prabandha. Rasik Chandra Das. (Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

Niti Kabita. Pran Kumar Guha. (The author.) As. 2.

Puran Prasanga. Sreenath Chanda. (Bhattacharyya & Son.) As. 2-6.

Kabita Sandarva. Haranath Ghosh. (The author.) As. 3.

Padya Prabandha. Ambika Ch. Ghosh. (Jatindra Lal Basu, Dacca.) As. 2-6.

*Punya Gatha. Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. (Ashutosh Dhar, Patuatuli, Dacca.) As. 2-6.

Kavitamala (revised and corrected). Rasik Chandra Bose. (Hariram Dhar, B.A., Patuatuli, Dacca.) As. 2.

Niti Gatha. Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. (The author.) As. 2.

Kavita Koumudi, Part I. Harish Ch. Mitra (Nogendra K. Roy.) As. 1-6.

Padya Prakash, Parts I and II. Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 2 and As. 3-6.

†Sahitya Pustak, Part I. P. C. Bidyaratna. (Students' Library, Dacca.)

*Maktab Reader, Part II. Tafazzal Hossain.

†Nava Sandarva. A. K. Dutta Gupta.

†Sahitya Sopan, Part I. Zahiral Haque.

Padya Shiksha. Rasik Chandra Vidyanidhi Kabyaratna. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 3.

Classes IV and V—

Sukatha. Sushila Sundari Ghosh. (The Authoress.) As. 5.

Lower Primary Classes.

Class IV—

*Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book II. Basu and Majid. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6.

Niti Path. Pran Kumar Guha. (The author.) As. 4.

Niti Kabita. Pran Kumar Guha. (The author.) As. 2.

Charu Shiksha. Umesh Chandra De, B.A. (Cotton Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Niti Prabandha. Rasik Ch. Das. (Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

Sahitya Prakash. Syid Sarafat Ali. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As 5.

†Balika Benodini. Kali Bhusan Mukhopadhyaya. (Nripendra Chandra Roy.) As. 4. (For girls' schools only.)

†*Maktab Reader, Part II. Tafazzal Hossain.

Bichitra Sandarva. Jagadanand Roy. (Nogendra Kumar Roy.) As. 7.

Padya Shiksha. Rasik Chandra Vidyanidhi Kabyaratna. (B C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 3.

Class III—

*Bengali Lower Primary Reader, Book I. Basu and Majid. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.

†Nutan Nimna Path. Abinash Ch. Gupta, M.A., B.L. (The author.) As. 5.

† Cheleder Ramayan. U. K. Ray Chaudhuri. (The City Book Society.)

Sahitya Mukul. Maulvi Matloob Ahmed Khan Choudhuri. M.A. (Haranath Ghosh.) As. 5-6.

Adarsa Nimnapath. Kshitish Ch. Neogi, M.A. (The author.) As. 6.

Priya Path. Sarajubala Datta. (Hemendra Nath Datta, Wari, Dacca.) As. 5.

† Saral Nimna Path. Rai Sahib Dinesh Ch. Sen, B.A., and Nabin Ch. Basu, B.A. (Atul Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Pathmala. Abinash Ch. Gupta, M.A. (Jatindra Mohan Vyakarantirtha.) As. 3-6.

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Class III—

Sukha Sahitya. Anukul Chandra Sastri. (Amritananda Kabyabenode.) As. 4-6.

Suniti Path (revised edition). Suresh Chandra Ghosh, B.A. (The author.) As. 5.

Balya Sakha. Atul Chandra Sen, M.A. (Rajendra Narayan De, School Library, Dacca.) As. 4-6.

Naba Path. Rajendra Chandra Kushari. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, B.A.) As 4.

Shiksha Mukul. Haranath Ghosh. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 3.

Sukatha. Atri Kumar Nag and Kunja Behari Ganguli. (The authors.) As. 5-6.

Niti Mukul. Haridhan Kabyavakarantirtha and Kalinath Kar. (Jogesh Ch. Ghosh.) As. 4.

Jnanodoy. Atul Chandra Chakravarti. (The author.) As. 6.

†* Maktab Reader, Part I. Tafazzal Hossain.

Sahitya Kalika. Amritananda Kabyabenode. (Roy, Gupta & Co.) As. 5.

Sakha O Sathi. Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. (Ashutosh Dhar, Ashutosh Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

Sopan. Jogesh Chandra Chakravarti. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Bodha Bikash. Birendra Nath Sinha Choudhury. (Author.) As. 6.

Charu Katha. Charubala Datta. (Authoress.) As. 6.

Patha Manjari. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Atul Chandra Chakravarti and Mohini Kanta Gupta.) As. 6.

Parimal Sahitya. Jogesh Chandra Sen and Gopal Chandra Chakravarti. (Ashutosh Dhar, Ashutosh Library, Calcutta.) As. 6.

Pramode Path. Hariram Dhar. (Author.) As. 6.

Chheleder Sahitya. Bankim Chandra Siddhantoshastri. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Jnan Mala. Rabindra Nath Sen and Arabinda Sarkar. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Hita Shiksha. Benoy Bhusan Gangopadhyaya. (Ashutosh Dhar, Ashutosh Library, Calcutta.) As. 3-6.

Sahitya Renu. Sasi Bhusan Kaviratna. (S. L. Dutt.) As. 5.

Charu Sahitya. Altaf Ali. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

Sahitya Katha. Atul Chandra Mukherjee. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Jnan Manjari. Jatindra Nath Majumdar. (Acharyya & Co., Mymensingh and Dacca.) As. 6.

Sachitra Shishu Path. Sreemati Amirunnessa. (Abdus Samad.) As. 4-6.

Kanak Har. Subodh Chandra Das. (Author.) As. 6.

Kanak Mala. Rasik Chandra Bose. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh, Presidency Library, Dacca.) As. 4-6.

Jnan Mukul. Charu Chandra Guha. As. 7.

Niti Prabandha. Prakash Chandra Bose. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh, Presidency Library, Dacca.) As. 5-6.

Jnan Mukul. Digendra Kumar Chanda and Indra Mohan Dass. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Sahitya Manjari. Narendra Chandra Bose. (Satindra Nath Ghosh. Victoria Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

Parimal. Bhim Chandra Dutta. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

Saral Katha. Monoranjan Das Gupta. (Jnanada Kishore Choudhuri.) As. 6.

Bichitra Katha. Parts I and II. Guru Bandhu Bhattacharyya. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.

Saral Sahitya Sopan. Lakshman Chandra Sen. (Author.) As. 5.

Shiksha Sopan. Jatindra Lal Bose. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh, Victoria Library, Dacca.) As. 3.

Sahitya Prasuna. Bisweswar Das. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

Balika Shiksha (for girls). Jnan Chandra Banerjee. (Nripendra Chandra Roy.) As. 4.

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Class II—

*†Bengali Primer, II. Jaladhar Sen. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3

Saral Niti. P. K. Guha. (Pran K Guha.) As. 2.

Naba Sahitya Path, Part 1. Tasaduk Ahmed, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 2-6.

Amiya Path. Abinash Chandra Roy. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 2.

†Sishu Sahitya. (Amritananda Kabyabinode.)

Bangla Path, Part I. A lady. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 2.

Saral Sahitya. (Amritananda Kabyabinode.) As. 2-6.

Sishuranjan, Part I (revised edition). Padma Lochan Ghosh. (Nagendra K. Roy, Dacca.) As. 3.

Sahitya Path (revised edition). Khitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. (The author.) As. 2-6.

Balya Binode. (Hariram Dhar, B.A., Dacca.) As. 2.

Komal Katha. Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta, Kaviratna, M.A. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 2.

Amiya Katha. Hara Nath Ghosh. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh.) As 2-6.

Komal Path Kshitis Chandra Neogi, M.A. (The author.) As. 2.

Priya Path (revised edition). Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. (The author.) As. 2-3.

Saral Sishu Sahitya. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 1-9.

Balak Path, Part II. Rajendra K. Guha. (Radhaballav Basak.) As. 2-9.

Sishu Sakha. Pyari Mohan Dutt. (The author.) As. 2-3.

†*Maktab Primer. Tafazzal Hossain.

Parimal Path, Part I. Amar Ch. Dutta. (Bhattacharyya & Son.) As. 2.

Naba Balya Shiksha O Shikshak. Sarada Prasanna Sen. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 1-6.

Saral Balika Path. Kali Bhusan Mukherjee. (Nripendra Ch. Roy.) As. 5. (For Class II of Girls' Middle and Primery Schools.)

Bimal Path. Prativa Nag. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

Saral Sahitya. Jyoti Mohan Gupta (Chandra Kanta Chakravarty.) As. 4.

Jnan Mukul. Mrinalini Majumdar. (Acharyya & Co., Dacca and Mymensingh.) As. 3.

Shishu Pustak Susila Sundari Ghosh. (Authoress.) As. 3.

Sahaj Path. Surabala Devi. (Satish Chandra Biswas.) As. 3-6.

Sahitya Prasun. Bisweswar Das. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

Saral Katha. Gopal Chandra Chakravarti. (The author.) As. 4.

Kamal Path. Keshab Chandra Chatterjee. (Ramanath Basak.) As. 3-6.

Manimala. Jamini Kishore Roy and Hem Chandra Sen Gupta. (Mahimsanatan Library.) As. 3-6.

Saral Shishu Path. Kali Bhusan Mukherjee. (Nripendra Chandra Roy.) As. 5-6.

Balyabandhu. Purna Chandra Chakravarti and A. Uddin. (Gopal Chandra Basak.) As. 3-6.

Saral Katha. Rajani Chandra Dutt, Kabyaranjan. (Narendra Prasanna Guha). As. 3-6.

Niti Manjari. Jatindra Lal Basu. (Pramatha Nath Ghosh.) As. 3.

Naba Hita Path. Rai Mohan Datta. (Sarat Chandra Datta, Cotton Library, Dacca.) As. 2-6.

Sisupath. (Jadunath Chakravarti). As. 3.

Lalitpath. Sarat Chandra Dhar. (The author.) As. 3.

Saisab Sopan. Dhirendra Kumar Bose. As. 3.

Bidyarambha. Sitanath Basak. (The author.) As. 1-6.

Sisu Sopan. Muhammad Abdul Bari. (The author). As. 1-9.

Adhunic Balyashiksha. Susila Sundari Ghosh. (Syam Chandra Datta.) Santosh Library, Dacca.) As. 1-9.

Class I—

*†Analytic Reading Sheets, Parts I and II. (Students' Library, Dacca.) (For teachers only).

†Bengali Kindergarten. Alphabet Charts. (Hare Press.)

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† These books indicate the standard required in the various classes of girls' schools.

* Instruction for Maktab Teachers. (For teachers only.) Tafazzal Hossain.

Maktab Balyashiksha. (M. Abdur Rahim.) As. 1-6.

Basak's Reading sheets. Parts I and II. Sitanath Basak. As. 1-6.

Classes IV—VII.

† Elementary Bengali Grammar. S. N. Kabyatirtha. (For teachers only.)

History.

Classes VI and VII. (For teachers.)

* Bengali Model Lessons in the History of India. (Bharatbarsher Itihas Bisyayak Pathmala (for teachers only).* (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12.

* In addition to the above books the teachers will also use a book on the History of N.-E India. "Aitihasik Path," Part I, by Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A., or "North-Eastern India", by S. N. Bhadra, M.A., should be used.

Classes V to VII—

† Model Lessons in the History of India for Lower classes, Bengali edition. (For teachers only.) (Macmillan & Co.)

Class VI—

† Aitihasik Path, Part I. (For pupils.) Kazi Imdadul Haque. (The Students' Library, Dacca.)

Class VII—

† History of the British Empire. (For pupils.) Jagadish Ch. Ghosh, B.A. (P. C. Bose, Roy Gupta & Co., Dacca.)

Geography.

Classes II to V of boys' schools and III to V of girls' schools—(for teachers.)—

*† Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part I. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

Classes VI and VII—(for teachers.)—

*† Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part II. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2.

† Approved for girls' schools.

MATHEMATICS.

Geometry.

Classes VI and VII—

* A School Geometry, Part 1. (Bengali Edition.) Hall & Stevens. (For teachers only.)

Adhunik Jyamiti. P. C. Basak. (Amrita Lal Sen.) For teachers only.

Naba Jyamiti Bikash. Mohan Ch. Basak. (S. C. Basak.) (For teachers only.)

Prathamic Jyamiti. Kazi Imdadul Haque. (Abdul Ghanny.) (For teachers only.)

Adhunic Jyamiti. Gouri Sankar De. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 7 (For teachers only.)

Byabaharik Jyamiti Sopan. M. C. Bhattacharyya. (Pandit Lal Mohan Vidyanidhi.) As. 12. (For teachers only.)

* † These books indicate the standard required in boys' and girls' schools, respectively.

Arithmetic.

Classes V to VII—

*† Shishuranjan Patiganit, Parts III and IV. K. P. Basu, M.A. (D. N. Sen.) As. 10.

* Patiganit Sar. S. P. Das, M.A. (The author.) As 10.

Patiganit. Part II. Prasanna Narayan Kali. (Nagendra Narain Kali.) As. 11.

Classes III to V—

Sisu Ganit. Surendra Nath Sen. (Brojendra Mohan Dutt.) As. 8. *

Classes III and IV—

* Shankshipta Shishuranjan Patiganit, Parts I and II. K P. Basu, M.A. (D. N. Sen.) As. 5.

Ganit Span. A. C. Gupta, M.A., B.L. (Nityaranjan Sen, M. c.) As. 5.

* Adarsha Patiganit. R. G. Nath, M.A. (Ananda K. Nath, Comilla.) As. 6.

*-Nabya Ganit Benode. Sarada Prasanna Das, M.A. (The author.) As. 5.

Adarsha Ganit. Kedar Nath Mazumdar (The author.) As. 5.

Nava Sankshipta Patiganit. Sreenath Bhattacharyya. (Devendra Nath Bhattacharyya.) As. 5

School Patiganit. Bhuban Chandra Sen, B.A., and Hemanta Kumar Kayral, B.A. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh, Patuatuli, Dacca.) As. 5.

* Saral Ganit, Part I. Jitendra Mohan Datta, M.Sc. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 6-6.

* Ganit Bikash, Part I. Ashutosh Bose, M Sc. and Pulin Chandra Bose, M.A. (The authors.) As. 6.

Saishab Ganit. Lakshman Chandra Sen. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 5.

† Saral Patiganit, Part I. K. K. Banerjee. (Roy & Co., Calcutta.)

*† Saral Shishu Patiganit, Parts II and III. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 2 and As. 3.

Shishu Patiganit. Upendra Nath Banerjee. (The author.) As. 5-6.

Ganitankur. Prasanna Kumar Sen, B.A. (Hariram Dhar, B.A.) As. 5.

Patiganit, Part I. Hara Kanta Basu, B.A (Pyari Mohan De.) As. 6-6.

* Ganit Kusum. Paresh Nath Basu, M.Sc. (The author.) As. 7.

Nabya Ganit Shiksha. Jogesh Chandra Sen, B.A. (B M. Datta, Students' Library, Calcutta.) As. 5.

Khokar Auk. A. C. Chakrabarti and B. C. Datt. (Kula Chandra Das.) As. 6-6.

Ganit Bijnan. P. N. Kali. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 5.

Shishu Patiganit Rajani Kanta De. (Nogendra K. Roy.) As. 6.

Patiganit Shiksha. (Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc. (Glas.). (P. Sen and Brothers.) As. 6.

Nutan Shuvankari. Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc. (Glas.). (P. Sen and Brothers.) As. 1-6. (For supplementary use.)

Manasik Ganana. Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc. (Glas.). (P. Sen and Brothers.) A. 1. (For supplementary use.)

Sisupatiganit. R. K. Das, Bar.-at-law. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 6.

Pathsala Ganit. Har Kumar Basu. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

Sahaj Patiganit. Priyada Ranjan Roy, M.A. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6. (During war As. 8.)

Saral Ganit. Jogesh Chandra Ghosh, M.A. (Bhabatosh Mitra.) As. 6.

Saral Manasanka. Bama Charan Das. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, Mahim Sanatan Library, Patuatuli, Dacca.) As. 6. (For supplementary use.)

Saral Ganit Shiksha. (Enlarged edition.) Mathura Nath Guha. (City Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

Shishutosh Patiganit. Surendra Mohan Bhattacharyya. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Ganit Mukul. Arabinda Ghosh. (Paresh Nath Basu.) As. 8.

Prathamic Ganit. Pramada Kumar Das. (Bhabatosh Sen) As. 5.

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Samaj Ankashiksha. Mahim Chandra Pal. (Graduate, Friends & Co.) As. 8.

Nutan Ganit. Rash Behari Bose and Jnanada Kishore Choudhuri. (Jnanada Kishore Choudhury.) As. 9.

Ganit Prabesh. Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.) As. 6.

Ganit Path. Prasanna Kumar Guha. (Prankumar Guha.) As. 8.

Nimna Patiganit. Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. (Madhab Chandra Basak.)

Ganit Mukul. Indra Kumar Majumdar. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 8.

Shishu Benode Patiganit. Kedareswer Das Gupta and Gangagati Das. (Sarat Chandra Datta.) As. 8.

Ganit Ranjan (in 3 parts). Tara Prasanna Gangopadhyaya. (Syam Chandra Datta, Santosh Library, Dacca.) As. 3, 8 and 5.

Saral Shishu Ganit. Prafulla Kumar Guha. (Pran Kumar Guha.) As. 5.

Saral Shishu Ganit. Jadab Chandra Chakravarti. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 5.

Adarsha Dharapath O Saral Shuvankari. Sitanath Basak. (Author.) As. 3-6. (For supplementary use.)

Nutan Shuvankari. Rajendra Kumar Guha. As. 6. (For supplementary use.)

Lity Dharapath. Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta. (Hem Chandra Guha.) As. 2-6. (For supplementary use.)

Class II—

*† Patiganit Shiksha Pranali. Nagendra Nath Mazumdar. (For teachers only.)

* Saral Shishu Patiganit, Part 1. (Longmans, Green & Co.) (For teachers only.)

* Arithmetic in Urdu, Parts I—III (improved edition). P. Ghosh. Revised by A. S. Ghosh. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 4 each.

* Arithmetic in Urdu, Part IV (improved edition). P. Ghosh. Revised by A. S. Ghosh. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 3-6.

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Hand-writing.

For Primary Classes.

Classes II to V—

Lipi Shiksha, Parts I—III. (Biraj M. De, Santi Press, Dacca.) A. 1 each part. (Without any ruled lines.)

Adarsha Lipi, Parts I—III. Ashutosh Dhar. (The Author.) A. 1 each part.

Adarsha Lekha, Parts I—III (new edition—slip size.) Syam Chandra Datta. (The author.) A. 1 each part.

Hater Lekha, Parts I—III. Suniti Devi. (J. N. Banerji.) P. 9 each part.

Bangala Adarsha Likhan, Parts I—III. (B. C. Basak). A. 1 each part.

Adarsha Lipi, Parts I—III. (Upendra Kumar Roy.) As. 1-3 each part.

Adarsha Lipi, Parts I—III. Sitanath Roy. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Mahuttuli, Dacca.) As. 1-6 each part.

Hater Lekha, Nos. 1—7. W. S. Milne, I.C.S. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Class I—

Lipi Shiksha Chart, Nos. I and II. (Santi Press, Dacca.) As. 2-6. (To be pasted on thick cardboard.)

Bengali Kindergarten Alphabet Charts. (P. Mukhopadhyaya & Sons Calcutta.) Rs. 2. (Each school may purchase a copy.)

Drawing.

Classes VI and VII—

Chitrankan Pustak, Books Nos. 5 & 6. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 4 each part.

Adarsha Chitra, Part VI. Sita Nath Basak. (The author.) As. 2-6.

Class V—

Primary Tablet, Part VI. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part VI. Satyendra Kumar Datta. (The author.) As. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 5. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 2.

Prathamic Chitra Pustak, Part VI. Syam Chandra Datta. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 1-6.

Adarsha Chitra, Part V. Sita Nath Basak. (The author.) As. 2.

Class IV—

Primary Tablet, Part V. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part V. Satyendra Kumer Datta. (The author.) As. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 4. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 2.

Prathamic Chitra Pustak, Part V. Syam Chandra Datta. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 1-6.

Adarsha Chitra, Part IV. Sita Nath Basak. (The author.) As. 2.

Class III—

Primary Tablet, Part IV. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part IV. Satyendra Kumar Datta. (The author.) As. 1-6.

Prathamic Chitra Shiksha, No. 3. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 2.

Prathamic Chitra Pustak, Part IV. Syam Chandra Datta. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 1-6.

Adarsha Chitra, Part III. Sita Nath Basak. (The author.) As. 2.

Class II—

Primary Tablet, Part III. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part III. Satyendra Kumar Datta. (The author.) As. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 2. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son.) As. 2.

Prathamic Chitra Pustak, Part III. Syam Chandra Datta (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 1-6.

Adarsha Chitra, Part II. Sitanath Bosak. (Author.) As. 2.

Class I (2nd year)—

Primary Tablet, Part II. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part II. Satyendra Kumar Datta. (The author.) As. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 1. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 2.

Prathamic Chitra Pustak, Part II. Syam Chandra Datta. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 1-6.

Adarsha Chitra, Part IB. Sitanath Basak. (Author.) As. 2.

Class I (1st year)—

Primary Tablet, Part I. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6.

The Royal Drawing Copy Books, Part I. Satyendra Kumar Datta. (The author.) As. 1-6.

Prathamik Chitra Shiksha, No. 1A. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 2.

Prathamic Chitra Pustak, Part I. Syam Chandra Datta. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 1-6.

Adarsha Chitra, Part IA. Sitanath Basak. (Author.) As. 2.

Class II—

†Teachers' Manual of Drawing. Vol. I (For teachers only.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)

†Drawing Tablet No. I. (For pupils.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)

Classes III to VII—

†Teachers' Manual of Drawing, Vol. II. (For teachers only.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)

†Drawing Tablet No. II to VI. (For pupils.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)

Drill.

*†Departmental Drill Book. Revised by Dr. Gray. The (Education Department.) As. 8.

Books for Muhammadan Institutions.

For Muktabs—

Class IV—

†*Maktab Reader. Part II. Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) As. 2-3.

Class III—

†*Maktab Reader. Part I. Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) As. 1-9.

Class II—

†* Maktab Primer. Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) As. 1-6.

Class I—

†* Instructions for Maktab Teachers (for teachers only). Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) A. 1.

Maktab Balyashiksha. M. Abdur Rahim. As. 1-6.

URDU.

Ur-du-ka-Qaida. (Anjuman-i-Hemayati-i-Islam, Lahore.) P. 6. (For maktabs.)

For Middle Madrasahs—

How to teach Geography. K. M. Jalaluddin. (A. M. Zaman Brothers.) As. 5.

Manual of Geography on India. Undergraduate. (Kacker Brothers.) As. 2-6.

Urdu-ki-Tisri-kitab. (Anjuman-i-Hemayati-Islam, Lahore.)

Mifta Hussarf. (Kazi Muhammad Bashiruddin.) As. 2.

Muntakhabun Nesaih. Hazi Rahmatulla Badwi. (Quami Press, Cawnpore.)

URDU.

For Maktabs and Madrasahs—

Mazhar-i-Binish. Maulvi Mazharul Haque. (Qayyumi Press, Cawnpore.) P. 9.. (For infant classes of maktabs.)

Fawaidul-Am. Maulvi Basharatullah. As. 3. (For the lowest classes of maktabs and madrasahs.)

Urdu-ki-Pahili-Kitab. (Maulvi Muhammad Ismail.) A. 1 (For maktabs.)

Urdu-ki-Dusri-Kitab. (Maulvi Muhammad Ismail.) As. 2. (For muktabs.

* These books indicate the standard required in the various classes.

† These books indicate the standard required in the various classes of girl's schools.

Urdu-ki-Tisri-Kitab. (Maulvi Muhammad Ismail.) As. 2-9. (For madrasahs.)

Urdu-ki-Chouthi-Kitab. (Maulvi Muhammad Ismail.) As. 3. (For madrasahs.)

Urdu-ki-Panchai-Kitab. (Maulvi Muhammad Ismail.) As. 4. (For madrasahs.)

Tuzuk-i-Urdu. (Maulvi Muhammad Ismail.) (Newal Kishore Press. Lucknow.) As. 8. (For the top classes of madrasahs.)

Kumuk-i-Urdu. (Maulvi Muhammad Ismail.) (Newal Kissore Press, Lucknow.) As. 6. (For madrasahs.)

History.

Tarikh-e-Bangala (History of Bengal.) A. F. Bazlul Basit. (A. G. Hasanuddin.) As. 5. (For Junior Madrasahs.)

Geography.

Muktasar Geographia. M. Newazali. (Munshi Keramat Ali.) As. 6. (For Junior Madrasahs.)

Teachers' hand-books.

Classes I and II—

†Teachers' Hand-book on Nature Lessons, Part I. (Teachers' Hand-book of Correlated Lessons, Part I.) (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-8. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

Classes III to V—

Teachers' Hand-book on Nature Lessons, Part II (in two volumes). J. A. Taylor, M.A. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-4. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

†Teachers' Hand-book of Correlated Oral Lessons, Part II; for girls. (For teachers only.) (H. N. Dutt, Wari.)

Classes II to V—

† Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part I. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

Classes IV and V—

Teachers' Hand-book of Tenancies and Records-of-rights in Eastern Bengal. Rai Bahadur P. M. Basu. (The author.) As. 5.

Classes VI and VII—

†Teachers' Hand-book on Science Lessons. J. A. Taylor, M.A. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5. (Also for Normal Schools.)

† Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part II. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2.

† Teachers' Hand-book on Village Sanitation (Palligrame Swasthya Rakshya). K. C Banerjee. (The author.)

† Bangali Model Lessons in the History of India (Bharatbarsher Itihas Bisyayak Pathmala) [for teachers only.] (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12.

Hygiene.

Classes V and VI—

† Saral Sarir Palan. J. N. Mukherjee. (Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta.)

† For use also in girl's schools.

Sewing.

Classes I to VII—

Suchi Silpa. (For teachers.)

ENGLISH BOOKS FOR GIRLS' MIDDLE ENGLISH SCHOOLS.

English. Class III. First Steps in English. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The second Term in English. (Indian Scenes.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Third Term in English. (An Indian Tour.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

For Teachers. Class III. First Steps in Teaching English. (To accompany First Steps in English by the Direct Method.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Second Term in Teaching English. J. N. Fraser (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Third Term in Teaching English. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Class IV. The Fourth Term in English. (An English Tour.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Fifth Term in English. (An English Tour continued, 3rd edition.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Sixth Term in English. (Story and History from the East, 3rd edition, with illustrations.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

For Teachers. Class IV. The Fourth Term in Teaching English. (To accompany "The Fourth Term in English" by the Direct Method.) (An English Tour.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Fifth Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. (An English Tour to accompany "The Fifth Term in English" by the Direct Method.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Sixth Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. (To accompany "The Sixth Term in English" by the Direct Method.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Class V. Picture Composition, Book I. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son.)

Macmillan's Bengal Reader II.

Class VI. Picture Composition, Book II. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son.)

Macmillan's Bengal Reader, III.

Class VII. Picture Composition, Book III. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son.)

Macmillan's Bengal Reader, IV.

Geometry. Class VII. Inductive Geometry for Transition classes. H. A. Nesbitt.

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LIST A.

List of English and Vernacular Text-books approved for all classes of Government and Recognised Schools in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions of Bengal for the year 1919.

English Literature and Grammar.

For the books recommended by the University of Calcutta as indicating the standard of the Matriculation Examination in English Headmasters are referred to the University Calendar. It should be noted that these books are intended only to indicate the standard expected of pupils on the completion of the high school course. These books are not suitable for such junior classes as III and IV; and, if used, they should be confined to the last year of study.

For High School classes.

(1) For classes II, III and IV, the senior books of the following series :—

(*a*) New English Course for Indian Schools. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(*b*) New English Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
(*c*) Star of India Readers, Book V. (Blackie & Son.)

(*z*) For English texts suitable for additional and supplementary reading in classes II, III and IV, see list B. Care should be taken to select books that appeal to Indian boys; and some effort should be made to encourage their reading on historical lines, and to make them acquainted with current events. "England and India" (Longmans, Green & Co.) deals with the British Empire in the East, and explains the work done by the British Government in and for India. It is an advanced supplementary reader for senior pupils and teachers. For knowledge of the war a book like Nelson Fraser's "The World at War" (Oxford University Press) is of value.

(3) Poetry: for anthologies of verse—*see* List B.

(4) Grammar and Composition :—

Elementary Lessons in English composition. Nesfield (Macmillan & Co.)
The High School English Grammar. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.)
Jenning's English Grammar. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
English Composition for Indian High Schools. (Oxford University Press.)

For Middle classes (Standards V and VI).

(1) New English Course for Indian Schools, Books III and IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(2) Tipping's English Readers for Standards V and VI. (Macmillan & Co.)
(3) Star of India Readers, Books III and IV. (Blackie & Son.)
(4) New English Readers, III and IV.

Grammar and Composition :—

Junior School Grammar for India. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Middle School English Grammar. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.)

For Upper Primary classes (Standards III and IV).

(1) New English Course for Indian Schools: Primer Readers I and II.
(2) Tipping's English Readers for Standards III and IV.
(3) New English Readers, I and II.
(4) Star of India Readers, I and II. (Blackie & Son.)

Whenever it is found possible to introduce supplementary reading material in addition to the texts mentioned above, reference should be made to list B. At every stage the power of expression in simple English must be cultivated, along with correct pronunciation and articulation. Teachers will be assisted in this by the "Teachers' Book" in the Reformed series of Readers for India published by the Oxford University Press at As. 12. This series gives the simple principles of phonetics; and should be procured for school libraries and for teachers' use.

History.

1. For Class I: A selected Matriculation text as recommended by the University.

2. For Classes II, III and IV: A class-book of Indian History. Ramsbotham and Williams. (K. and J. Cooper).

3. England and India. (Longmans, Green & Co.) for general knowledge of the growth of the British Empire and of the work done by the Government of India.

4. For Supplementary Historical reading—*see* List B.

For Middle Classes (Standards V and VI).

*1. Bharatbarsher Itihas, Part II. Ishan Chandra Ghosh. (Sanskrit Press Depository.) As. 10.
*2 Bharatbarsher Itihas. Hara Prasad Sastri. (Hare Press.) As. 10.
3. Bharatbarsher Itihas for Standards V and VI. Hari Charan Mukherjee. (P. Chatterjee.) As. 4-6.
4. Balak Pathya Bharatbarsher Itihas, Part II. M. M. Bose. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 12.

Urdu.

1. History of India for Standards V and VI. E. Marsden. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6.

For Upper Primary Classes (Standards III and IV).

1. Bharatbarsher Itihas, Part I. Ishan Chandra Ghose. (Sanskrit Press Depository.) As. 8.
2. Bharatbarsher Itihas for Standards III and IV. Hari Charan Mukherjee. (P. Chatterjee.) As. 7.
*3. Prathamshiksha Bharatbarsher Itihas. Khagendranath Mitra. (City Book Society.) As. 8.
4. Shishubodh Bharater Itihas. Kali Prasanna Banerjee. (Students' Library.) As. 4.
5. Bharatbarsher Itihas, Part I (revised). Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 7.
6. Prathamshiksha Bharatbarsher Itihas (revised). Hara Prasad Shastri. (P. Mukhopadhyaya & Sons.) As. 8.
7. Chheleder Bharatbarsher Itihas (revised). Abhoy Charan Pal. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 5. (Price As. 6 for copy bound in cloth.)
8. Shishupathya Bharatbarsha (revised). Jaladhar Sen. (Gopal Chandra Roy.) As. 4.
9. Bengali History of India for Standards III and IV. E. Marsden. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6.
10. Bharatbarsher Itihas for Standards III and IV (revised). Tarak Chandra Roy. (Nalini Ranjan Banerjee.) As. 7.
*11. Bharatbarsher Saral Itihas (revised). Jogindra Nath Bose. (Anukul Chandra Ghosh.) As. 8.
12. Bharatbarsher Itihas, Part I. S. N. Bhattacharjya. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 8.
13. Sishuranjan Bharatbarsher Itihas. (S. C. Mitra, Students' Library.) As. 8.
14. Bharatbarsher Itihas, Standards III & IV. Bijoy Chandra Majumdar. (Sen Brothers.) As. 9.

Urdu.

1. History of India for Standards III and IV. E. Marsden (Macmillan & Co.) As. 8.

Geography.

1. Geographical Series for India. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

   Geography of the Indian Empire.
   The World in Outline with fuller treatment of India. Books I and II.

2. Regional Geography of the Indian Empire. (Blackie & Son.)
3. The Oxford Geographies. Herbertson. (Oxford University Press.)
4. The World and India. (Oxford University Press.)
5. Regional Geographies. Reynolds. (Macmillan & Co.)

For descriptive Geographies, teachers are referred to list B; and to the teachers' list for Geographical maps and apparatus.

*These books may be considered as representing the standard of Middle and Upper Primary Scholarship Examinations; but these examinations will not be based exclusively on any single text.

For Middle Classes (Standards V and VI).

1. Naba Bhugol Path, Part II (The New Geographical Reader, Part II). Revised. Sasi Bhusan Chatterjee. (B. L. Chakravarti.) As. 11.

2. Bhugol Reader for Standards V and VI (revised). Girish Chandra Basu. (The author.) As. 6.

*3. Bhuparichay with Supplement, Parts I and II (revised). Nepal Chandra Roy and Ajit Kumar Chakravarti. (The Indian Press. Allahabad.) As. 12.

4. Madhya Siksha Bhugol. D. P. Banerjee. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.)

Urdu.

5. Middle Vernacular Geography Reader. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.

For Upper Primary Classes (Standards III and IV).

1. Naba Bhugol Path. Part I. Sasi Bhusan Chatterjee. (B. L. Chakravarti.) As. 9-6.

*2. Prathamshiksha Bhubrittanta (Bengali Primary School Geography, revised edition). C. Morrison and I. C. Ghosh. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 8-6.

3. Bhugol Reader for Standards III and IV (revised). Girish Chandra Basu. (The author.) As. 5.

*4. Prathamshiksha Bhugol for Standards III and IV. Dwija Pada Banerjee and Ramesh Chandra Chakravarti. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 7-6.

5. Bhugol Siksha, Part I. S. N. Chatterjee. (B. Benerjee & Co.) As. 10.

6. Prathamic Bhugol. Upendra Chandra Guha. (Sitanath Vidyabenode.) As. 6-6.

Urdu.

6. Upper Primary Geographical Reader. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

Mathematics.

For books on Geometry, Algebra and Arithmetic teachers are referred to List B. The books marked with an asterisk indicate the standard of the various grades of instruction, but these need not be exclusively used.

Bengali Literature and Grammar.

For vernacular class readers and grammars teachers are referred to List B. The books marked with an asterisk indicate the standard required in the various classes, but these need not be exclusively used.

Indian Classics.

For books on Sanskrit, Persian, Arabic, and Urdu teachers are referred to List B. The books indicating the required standard have been marked.

Science Readers.

For Middle classes (Standards V and VI).

*1. Middle Science Reader. Armistead and Mahalanabis. (P. Mukhopadhyaya and Sons.) As. 8.

*2. Bijnan Reader for Standards V and VI. Girish Chandra Basu. (N. C. Dutta & Co.) As. 7.

*These books may considered as representing the standard of Middle and Upper Primary scholarship Examinations ; but these examinations will not be based exclusively on any single text

Urdu.

1. Middle Science Reader. Armistead and Mahalanabis. (P. Mukhopadhyaya & Sons.) As. 8.

For Upper Primary classes (Standards III and IV).

1. Primary Science Reader. Armistead and Mahalanabis. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 7.
*2. Bijnan Reader for Standards III and IV. Girish Chandra Basu. (N. C. Dutta & Co.) As. 4.
3. Saral Bijnan Path. Umapati Bajpeyi. (The Author.) As. 5-6.
*4. Bijnan Katha. Ramendra Sundar Trivedi. (Durgadas Trivedi.) As. 7.

Urdu.

1. Primary Science Reader. Armistead and Mahalanabis. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6-6.

Drill Books.

Departmental Drill Book. Revised by Dr. Gray. (The Education Department.) As. 8.
Drill Siksha. G. C. Karforma. As. 6.

Handwriting and Drawing.

High, Middle and Primary classes.

For the teaching of English penmanship, the following copy-books are recommended :—

Imperial Copy Books. (Specially adapted for Indian pupils.) (Macmillan & Co.)
2. Semi-upright Copy Books. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
3. Collins' new Graphic Copy Books. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)

For the teaching of Bengali penmanship the following are recommended :—

For Middle classes (Standards V and VI).

1. Patra O Dalil Shiksha Paddhati, Part III. Tulsidas Mukherjee. (Students' Library.) As. 2.
2. Likhan Pathan Parichaya, Part III. Bipin Bihari Basu. (P. Chatterjee.) As. 2.
3 Nutan Likhan Pranali, Part II. Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 2-6.
4 Adarsha Lipi, Part III. For Standards V and VI. Rakhal Chandra Bakshi. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 2.

For Upper Primary classes (Standards III and IV).

1. Patra O Dalil Shiksha Paddhati, Part II. Tulshi Das Mukherjee. (Students' Library.) As. 2.
2. Likhan Pathan Parichaya, Part II. Bipin Behari Basu. (P. Chatterjee.) As. 2.
3. Nutan Likhan Pranali, Part I. Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 2-6.
4. Adarsha Lipi, Part II, for Standards III and IV. Rakhal Chandra Bakshi. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 2.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard of Middle and Upper Primary Scholarship Examinations

For Primary classes (Standards I and II) [for Teachers].

1. Shishu Shiksha Likhan Pranali. Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 2.
2. Patra O Dalil Shiksha Paddhati. Part I (Revised). Tulshi Das Mukherjee. (Students' Library.) A. 1-6.

Infants [Teachers].

1. Likhan Pathan Parichaya, Part I. Bipin Bihari Basu. (P. Chatterjee.) As. 3.
2. Hastalipi O Barnajojana. Amrita Lal Sinha. (Fakir Chandra Roy.) A. 1.

For Infant classes and for L. P. and U. P. classes.

Hater Lekha, Nos. 1-7. W. S. Milne, I.C.S. (Longmans, Green & Co. (For pupils.)

Drawing.

Bengal Students' Drawing Books, First Book. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6.
Bengal Students' Drawing Books, Second Book. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6.
Bengal Students' Drawing Books, Third Book. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6.
Bengal Students' Drawing Books, Fourth Book. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6.
Bengal Drawing Books, Book I. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.
Bengal Drawing Books, Book II. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.
Bengal Drawing Books, Book III. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.
Bengal Drawing Books, Book IV. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

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LIST B.

Supplementary List of Text-books approved for use in Government and recognized schools in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions of Bengal for the year 1919. This list contains additional reading material in English, History and Geography. It also contains the Mathematical, Vernacular and Classical texts for all classes of High, Middle and Primary schools.

English Literature, Grammar and Composition.

Additional series of class readers are as follows,—

New Globe Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
King Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
New Senior Class Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)
The 'AL' New English Course. (Macmillan & Co.)

Senior Supplementary Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)

New Literary Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)

Lethbridge and Sircar's Readers. (Macmillan & Co.)

The Reformed Series of English Books for Indian Schools. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

British Empire Readers. (Longmans Green & Co.)

Palmerston Readers. (Blackie & Sons, Ltd.)

Newton Readers. (Blackie & Sons, Ltd.)

New Systematic English Readers. (Blackie & Sons, Ltd.)

Reformed Series of Readers for India with Teachers' Books. (Oxford University Press.)

The New Indian Readers. (Gulab Singh.)

Twentieth Century Readers. (Chambers.)

The Temple Literary Readers. (J. M. Dent & Sons.)

Royal Treasury of Story and Song. (T. Nelson & Sons.)

Indian Readers. (T. Nelson & Sons.)

Graded Readers. (T. Nelson & Sons.)

Indian Readers and New English Readers. (Christian Literature Society.)

Single texts may also be selected for the Upper and Middle classes of High Schools. Of these the following are recommended :—

Svarnalata, Scenes from Bengali Village Life. (Macmillan & Co.)

Narratives from Macaulay. (Macmillan & Co.)

The Boys' Odyssey. (Macmillan & Co.)

Episodes from Southey's Life of Nelson. (Macmillan & Co.)

Senior Prose Reader (Barrow). (Macmillan & Co.)

Junior Prose Reader (Barrow). (Macmillan & Co.)

Grimm's Fairy Tales. (Macmillan & Co.)

Folk Tales of Bengal. (Macmillan & Co.)

Children of the Dawn. (Macmillan & Co.)

Progress to Literature Series. (Macmillan & Co.)

Tales from AEsop, Grimm, Anderson and the Arabian Nights. (Macmillan & Co.)

Then and Now Stories. (Macmillan & Co.)

How and Why Stories. (Macmillan & Co.)

Here and There Stories. (Macmillan & Co.)

The Pandava Princes. (Macmillan & Co.)

A Persian Hero. (Macmillan & Co.)

The Wanderings of Rama. (Macmillan & Co.)

Hawthorne's Stories from a Wonder Book. (Macmillan & Co.)

Little People in Far-off Lands. (Macmillan & Co.)

Indian Fables from the Hitopadesh. (Macmillan & Co.)

Persian Fables from Anwar-i-Suhali. (Macmillan & Co.)

Eastern Fables and Folk Tales. (Macmillan & Co.)

Stories from History and Literature. (Macmillan & Co.)

Selections from Modern English Literature. (Macmillan & Co.)

Sentinel Hours (Prose sections). (Macmillan & Co.)
Deccan Nursery Tales. Kincaid.
Tales of the Punjab. Flora Annie Steele.
The Jungle Book. Rudyard Kipling.
Selections from Froude. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Selected Essays from English Literature (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Readings in Prose. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Selections from English Literature, I—IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Steps to Literature, I—VI. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
King Alfred Readers, IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Arnold's English Readers, IV. (Longmans Green & Co.)
Arnold's Literary Reading Books. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Heroes of Rajasthan. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Builders of History. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Class Book of English Literature. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Callender's Life of Nelson. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Brassey's Voyage in the Sunbeam. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Stories of Greece and Rome. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Historical Tales from Shakespeare. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Stories from the Earthly Paradise. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Continuous Story Readers. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Indian Reading Books. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
English Reading Books for Indian Students (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Tales of Indian Chivalry. (Blackie & Son.)
Story of the Golden Fleece. (Blackie & Son.)
England and the English. (Blackie & Son.)
Europe and its Peoples. (Blackie & Son.)
Our Empire over Seas. (Blackie & Son.)
New Systematic Readers (senior books only). (Blackie & Son.)
Heroes and Heroic Deeds of the Great War. (Blackie & Son.)
Heroes of European Nations. (Blackie & Son.)
Main Stream of European History. (Blackie & Son.)
Tales from Henty. (Blackie & Son.)
A Book of Golden Deeds. (Blackie & Son.)
Indian Fairy Stories. (Blackie & Son.)
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5. Sanskrit Kalika, Part I. S. N. Siromani. As. 1-6.
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7. Sankshipta Vyakaran Sudhakar. Shyama Ch. Kaviratna.
8. Niti Patham, Part I. Shyama Ch. Kaviratna. As. 2.
9. Niti Patham, Part II. Shyama Ch. Kaviratna. As. 2-6.
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11. Prabandha Prasunam, Part I. Uma Charan Banerji. As. 2.

12. Sanskrit Pada Manjari, Part I. Som Nath Mukharji. As. 2
13. Sukha Patham. D. K. Vidyaratna. As. 5.
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15. Hitha Patham (revised). J. C. Sastri. As 2.
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19. Niti Prabandham. Rakhal Das Vidyaratna.
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10. Kitab-un-Nan. Hafiz Abdur Rahman.
11. Tahji Nizami Naw Ijad. Madad Ali.
12. Geography of Bihar. Abul Hasnat Md. Abdool Ghafoor. As. 2.
13. Urdu Mensuration. A. E. Pierpoints. (Longmans Green & Co.) As 6.
14. Urdu Copy slips, Parts I—IV. Hafiz Jalal ud-deen Ahmad. 6 pies each part.
15. Piari Sahaili. Saiyed Rashidun Nabi. As. 8.
16. Agriculture Book, Part I. J. B. Fuller. (Indian Press, Allahabad). As. 2-6.
17. Geography ki Pahli Kitab. S. A. Hill. (Indian Press, Allahabad.) As. 3.
18. Geography ki Doosri Kitab. S. A. Hill. (Indian Press, Allahabad.) As. 4.
19. Geography ki Tisri Kitab. S. A. Hill. (Indian Press, Allahabad.) As. 8.
20. As-Hall-ul-Qawaid Farsi. Shahiduddin Ahmad. As. 6.
21. Hadiquatul Adab, Part I. Muhammad Yusuf. As. 5.
22. Hadiquatul Adab, Part II. Muhammad Yusuf. As. 6.
23. Turjuma-i-Amoz Muhammad Ashmatullah. (The Author.) As. 3.
24. Quwaid Urdu, Part I. Nirza Nisar Ali Beg. (Lala Ram Narain Lal.) As. 1-6.
25. Quwaid Urdu, Part II. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. (Lala Ram Narain Lal.) As. 2.
26. Quwaid Urdu, Part III. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. (Lala Ram Narain Lal.) As. 4.
27. Quwaid Urdu, Part IV. Muhammad Ashan. (Lala Ram Narain Lal.) As. 6.
28. Taisir-un-Nahn. Muhammad Muslim. As. 6.
29. Ba-Ilm-i-Tasrif. (Muhammad Ishaque.) As. 3.
30. Farsi-ki Pahli Kitab. Abu Muhammad Ibrahim. (Muhammad Ishaque.) As. 2. Text and Library Book.
31. Usule Arabi. Muhammad Amir. (Syedi Press, Patna.) As. 12. Text and Library Book.
32. Talim-ul-Hasan. Md. Ismatullah. (The Author). As. 8.

33. Miftah-ul-Sarf. Qazi Md. Bashiruddin Siddiqui. (The Author.) As. 2.

34. Al-Akhlaq. Saiyed Mohibbul Huq. (The Author.) As. 4.

35. Kholasatul Quwaid Farsi. Quazi Md. Basiruddin Siddiqui. (The Author). As. 2.

36. Elementary Arabic Grammar Abdul Latif. (The Author.) Re. 1.

37. Tafhimul Quwaid. Jalaluddin Ahmed. The Anwar-i-Ahmedi Press, Allahabad.) As. 3.

38. Bengali Arabic Grammar, Part II. Abdul Ghani. (The Author.) As. 12.

39. Gulsham-i-Akhlaq. Rahamat Ali. (The Author). As. 8. Also for Madrassas.

40. Fazaidul-Am. Muhammad Basharatulla. (Munshi Karim Baksh) As. 3. May be used as a text-book in Muktabs for rituals.

41. The Arabic Teacher. Abdul Basher Muhammad Osman Ghani. (The Author) As. 10.

42. The Noorul Mominin. A. M. Noorul Alam. (The Author.) Text-book for rituals of Islam in Muhammadan Schools.

43. Kilid-i-Urdu, an Urdu Primer. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) A. 1-6. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

44. Muallim-ul-Atfla, Urdu Reader, Part I. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 3. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

45. Guldasta-i-Akhlaq, Urdu Reader, Part II. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 4. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

46. Nakhlistan-i-Urdu, Urdu Reader, Part III. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 7. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

47. Chamanzar-i-Urdu, Urdu Reader, Part IV. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 8. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

48. Gulzar-i-Urdu, Urdu Reader, Part V. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 10. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

49. Qawaid Urdu, Part I. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. Revised by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 1-6. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

50. Qawaid Urdu, Part II. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. Revised by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 2. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

51. Qawaid Urdu, Part III. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. Revised by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 5-6. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

52. Qawaid Urdu. Part IV. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. Revised by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 6-6. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

53. A'ina-i-Ibrat. Khujasta Akhtar Banu Suhrawardiya Begum. Text-book for 3rd class of a High School

54. Aina-i-Akhlaq, Part I,, M. Shujaat Ali Khan. (The Author.) As. 6. Text-book for 4th Class of a High School.

55. Aina-i-Akhlaq, Part II. M. Sujat Ali Khan. (The Author.) As. 6. Text-book for 3rd class of a High School.

56. Dinat-ka-Pahal Risala. S. Abdulla. (The Author.) 6 pies. Text-book for girls.

57. Diniat-ka-Dosara Risala. S. Abdulla. (The Author. 9 pies. Text-book for girls.

58. Diniat-ka-Tisara Risala. S. Abdulla. (The Author.) As. 3-6. Text-book for girls.

59. Urdu Primer. S. Abdulla. (The Author.) 9 pies. Text-book for girls.

60. Urdu First Reader. S. Abdulla. (The Author). As. 2-3. Text-book for girls.

61. Anglo-Arabic Translation, Book I. Abul Basher Muhammad Osman Ghani. (A. S. Ahmadur Rahaman). As. 7

63. First Book of Arabic by the Direct Method (Assahifatul Ulah). Abdur Rahim. (Ujir Singh & Sons, Peshawar.) As. 3.

63. Matriculation Persian Grammar. (A. A. K. Muhammad.) The Noor Library. Re. 1-6.

64. Dastal-ul-Sarf. (M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed.) As. 2.

65. The Arabic Teacher. (A. B. Osman Ghani.) As. 11.

66. Nauraj Shiksha. (Shaik Abdur Rahman.) As. 1.

67. Salees Khaida. (Shakeel & Co.) As. 1-6.

68. Resala Zabandani. M. Abdur Rauf. As. 4.

69. Ganji-a-e-Danish, Part I. Muhammad Habibullah. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 2.

70. Ganji-a-e-Danish, Part II. Muhammad Habibullah. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

71. The New Persian Royal Reader, No. I. M. C. Arsewala. (Author.) As. 6.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the Junior and Senior "Muhammadan Education Fund Scholarships" of Rs. 90 per annum each are awarded to the following students :—

Two Junior Scholarships.

1. Abdul Jabbar. | 2. Safiulla.

Two Senior Scholarships.

1. Md. Moazzam Hossain. | 2. Arshadazzaman Khan.

The scholarships are tenable at the Dacca College for two years with effect from 1st June 1918.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 28th October 1918.*

NOTICE.

BOMBAY VETERINARY COLLEGE.

THE next session commences on 4th January 1919, and candidates wishing to join the College should submit their applications immediately.

An Entrance Examination for those who have not passed the School Final or Matriculation Examination will be held on the 4th January 1919 at the College.

All students have to undergo a physical examination at the College and only those of good physique are admitted.

Further particulars will be forwarded on application.

THE PRINCIPAL, Bombay Veterinary College.

PAREL, BOMBAY, *the 26th October 1918.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on the 21st day of December 1918, corresponding with the 6th of Paus 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and acres. B. K. Ch.	A. R. P.	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghoraani.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto.
3	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 0	0 0 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold.
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 8	0 1 24	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ..	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ..	0 10 15	0 1 12	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 16 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 2	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold.
18	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	2 0 15	0 2 28	Ditto ditto.
19	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ..	0 16 0	0 1 6	Ditto ditto.
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 22	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto	25	Do. ...	0 0 18	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 8	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold.
24	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 2	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 13 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest is to be sold.

Dacca, the 25th October 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate, at noon, 6th November 1918, corresponding with 20th Kartic 1325 B. S., Wednesday.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

Conditions of sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to the existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force ; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and thana.	Apportionate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	
3626	Ulashi, police-station Hanskhali ...	7·18	7 13 6	
3627	Hariakhi, police-station Chakdah ...	4·38	4 12 9	
3628	Goalpara, police-station Jibannagar ...	3·43	4 8 0	
3629	Depara, police-station Kotowali ...	2·37	3 4 3	
3630	Durgapur, police-station Krishnaganj ...	8·09	11 12 6	

Krishnagar, the 13th September 1918.

JATINDRA MOHAN SINHA. *for* Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 29th October 1918.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,26,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000 0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs. 2,99,61,715 12 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches „	2,43,73,641 12 10	5,43,35,357	9	8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		28,26,96,709	1	2
Bank Post Bills, etc.		10,14,815	12	8
Sundries		31,50,704	12	2
		38,37,97,587	3	8

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		6,48,64,141	0	0
Other authorized Investments		1,41,96,714	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities		11,12,03,148	12	7
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,82,92,968	12	0
Bills discounted and purchased		2,30,19,643	1	0
Balances with other Banks		65,70,579	4	7
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		28,17,042	7	8
Stamps		11,178	15	1
Sundries		18,16,450	15	11
		28,27 91,862	4	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 4,39,27,918 8 7			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs. 5,70,77,806 6 8	10,10,05,724	15	3
		38,37,97,587	3	8

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs; value Rs 3,77,175 0 0

† Do. do. do. „ 5,31,555 0 0

Rs. 9,08,730 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent.

Percentage 29·60.

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 31st October 1918.

H. FISHER, Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer

(2687—1)

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER SECTIONS 118 AND 119 OF CALCUTTA PORT ACT, III OF 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import Warehouse at the Jetties, will be sold by public auction if not removed on payment of all charges due within 10 days of this notification :—

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of Consignee.	Name of Steamer.
1918.	1918.	SHED No. II.				
June 15	June 3	F S C 022 or F S C D 22 in a diamond, 1.	1	Case steel butts (broken)	Order ...	SS. "City of York."
„ 15	„ 7	S B 96003 in a block, Madras ...	1	Case merchandise (broken).	Do. ...	Ditto.
July 14	„ 27	G M & Co, 967 ...	1	Ditto ...	Do. ...	SS. "Culna."
„ 14	„ 26	J W D Kantara, 106 Bangalore ...	1	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 14	„ 27	M I W 2509 in a block ...	1	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 14	„ 26	No mark	1	Bag groundnut (½ empty)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 14	„ 26	Ditto	1	Case merchandise (broken).	Do. ...	Ditto.
		Withdrawn from last four sales.				
Feb 4	Jan. 25	J B M / 001 in a diamond, A K on top, & Co below, 88 ...	1	Case children's cotton apparel, etc. (defective).	Order ...	SS. "City of Chester."
„ 20	Feb. 13	Various marks or nil ...	42	Bags rice (defective) ...	Do. ...	SS. "Tensho Maru."
Sept. 18	From Aug. 23 to Sept. 4.	T in a circle, T Y or nil ...	400	Pieces steel plates ...	Addressed ...	SS. "Santhia."
		T in a circle, white or nil ...	1,130	Bars angles ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Both ends painted green or nil	308	Bundles iron ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Ditto ...	72	Bars steel, round ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	M in a circle, or nil ...	52	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	— white or nil	121	Bars steel, angles ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	M in a circle	82	Bundles iron ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Green mark or nil ..	194	Bundles round bars ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	B N E in a diamond, or nil or white paint.	67	Pieces steel plates ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Red mark or nil ...	125	Bundles square bars ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Ditto ...	142	Bundles round bars ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Ditto ...	562	Bars iron ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	White or or no mark ...	52	Bundles square iron ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Ditto ...	35	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Blue or no mark ...	810	Bars iron ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of Consignee	Name of Steamer.
		SHED No. II—*concld.*				
1918.	1918.	*Withdrawn from last four sales*—concld.				
Sept. 18	From Aug. 23 to Sept. 4.	White stripe ...	352	Bundles iron ...	Addressed ...	SS. "Santhia."
„ 18	„	A B K in a diamond or nil ...	79	Bars iron ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Both ends yellow painted or nil.	542	Bundles iron ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Ditto ...	4,652	Bars iron ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	M in a circle or nil ...	51	Bundles iron ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Ditto ...	80	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Both ends yellow painted or nil	592	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	M in a circle or nil ...	2,853	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Both ends yellow painted or nil, both ends green painted or nil.	1,357	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	— white or nil ...	20	Bars steel ...	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	Ditto ...	64	Bars angle ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 18	„	T in a circle or nil ...	51	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
1918.	1918.	SHED No IV.				
June 14	May 5	No mark	...	A quantity of loose broken pieces fire-bricks.	Order ...	SS. "Clan Mcphee."
July 11	June 21	22-1 in a triangle, B C on top	1	Cask empty ...	Do. ...	SS. "Shinbu Maru."
„ 11	„ 26	J P M or nil	1	Keg red lead (broken) ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	No mark	7	Bags merchandise (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 22	Ditto	10	Packages merchandise (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	Ditto	1	Case merchandise (broken).	Do ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	Ditto	35	Kegs paint (defective)...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	Ditto	1	Crate merchandise (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	No mark or 22-1 in a triangle, B C on top.	2	Casks (broken and empty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	No mark	...	A quantity of loose wax	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	Ditto	...	A quantity of loose paper	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	Ditto	...	A quantity of loose stones.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	Ditto	...	A quantity of loose strawboards.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	Various marks or nil ...	2	Bundles tea shooks ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 26	No mark or I B P Rangoon ...	1	Bundle tea shooks (defective).		

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of Consignee.	Name of Steamer.
1918.	1918.	SHED No. IV—*concld.*				
July 11	June 26	No mark	19	Bundles round iron (not original).	Order ...	SS. "Shinpu Maru."
„ 11	„ 26	Ditto	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks	Do. ...	Ditto.
Aug 6	July 30	Lipton Ltd., N W T Co. ...	2	Cases empty ...	Do. ...	SS. "Balestrand."
		Withdrawn from last sale.				
May 24	May 14	J S / N in a heart, D on top ...	1	Keg paint (defective) ...	Order ...	SS. "Clan Mackinnon."
„ 24	„ 14	No mark	2	Kegs white paint (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 24	„ 14	Ditto	3	Kegs black paint (defective).	Do ...	Ditto
„ 24	„ 14	Ditto	1	Keg yellow paint (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 24	„ 14	Ditto	1	Keg empty ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 24	„ 14	S C W S	1	Cask chalk (defective)...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 24	„ 14	Ramsagar or nil	1	Cask pitch (broken) ...	Do. ...	Ditto. (H.G.)
„ 24	„ 15	No mark	1	Package merchandise (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
		Withdrawn from last two sales.				
May 13	May 2	5337 / BES in a diamond, C F on top, 495-6.	2	Cases filament lamps (defective).	Order ...	SS. "Herefordshire."
		Withdrawn from last four sales.				
Feb. 14	Feb. 7	Various marks or nil ...	10	Bags rice (defective) ...	Order ...	SS. "Benton Maru."
		Withdrawn from last eleven sales.				
1917.	1917.					
May 15	May 8	No mark	15	Pieces plates iron (rusty)	Order ...	SS. "Asahi Maru."
1918.	1918.	SHED No. V.				
July 5	June 11	H M in a diamond, J S on top, 93 or 19.	1	Case leather belting (broken).	Order ...	SS. "Clan Morrison."
„ 5	„ 17	No mark	3	Bags oilcake (defective)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 17	J V	1	Case merchandise (defective)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 17	No mark	17	Pieces iron pipes (bent and rusty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 17	Ditto	3	Bundles pipes (bent and rusty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 17	No mark or Ammunition Factory.	2	Pieces black sheets ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 15	No mark	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Do. ...	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of Consignee.	Name of Steamer.
1918.	1918.	SHED No. V—*contd.*				
July 5	June 17	No mark	7	Pieces plates iron (rusty).	Order ...	SS. "Clan Morrison."
„ 5	„ 17	Ditto	11	Bundles round iron (not original).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 17	Ditto	13	Pieces round bars ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 17	Ditto	12	Pieces flat iron (rusty)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 17	Ditto	1	Bundle flat iron (rusty)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 17	Ditto	...	A quantity of loose iron rod bars.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	July 2	Monghyr in a diamond, P T on top, C L below, 960, 1006.	2	Packages merchandise	Do. ...	SS. "Keishin Maru."
„ 8	June 20	R A S Co Bangalore, 106-110 ...	5	Cases merchandise ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 20	SM in a circle, Singapore below, 84.	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	July 2	No mark	1	Bag broken rice (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 2	Ditto	3	Pieces cotton piece-goods.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 2	Ditto	2	Pieces silk piece-goods	Do. ...	Ditto.
8	„ 2	Ditto	14	Pieces white undershirts	Do ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 2	Ditto	31	Pieces coloured undershirts.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	June 21	Ditto	...	A quantity of loose tea shooks.	Do. ...	Ditto
„ 8	„ 21	Ditto	...	A quantity of loose strawboards.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 29	Ditto	30	Kegs paint (broken and half empty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 29	≡ in a diamond, 04, 51 on top, MBK below.	57	Kegs paint (defective)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	July 2	No mark	7	Bundles round iron (bent and rusty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 2	Ditto	85	Bars round iron (bent and rusty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 2	Ditto	2	Bundles bars iron (bent and rusty)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 2	Ditto	3	Bars round iron (small) (bent and rusty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 2	Ditto	1	Piece bar iron ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 2	Ditto	...	A quantity of rod iron	Do. ...	Ditto.
		Withdrawn from last two sales.				
May 6	Apl. 29	C K or nil	1	Package cassia (defective).	Order ...	S.S. "Hwahwa."
„ 6	„ 30	No mark	1	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 6	„ 30	Ditto	1	Crate shovels (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Date of landing	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of Consignee.	Name of Steamer.
		SHED No. V—*concld.*				
1918.	1918.	*Withdrawn from last two sales —concld.*				
May 6	Apl. 30	No mark	3	Casks chemicals o-s (defective).	Order ...	SS. "Hwahwa" (W. G.)
„ 6	„ 30	Ditto	5	Bundles wire ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 6	„ 25	S in a diamond, T A on top, 787.	1	Case porcelain ware (broken).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 6	„ 30	O K K in an inverted triangle, S S below, or nil.	1	Cask claret ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
		Withdrawn from last three sales.				
Mar. 22	Mar. 9	359 in a triangle, M S S on top, 76.	1	Case glass buttons (defective).	Order ...	SS. "Ayaha Maru."
Apl. 13	Apl. 3	H A & Sons in a diamond or N A & Sons in a diamond.	1	Case salmon (defective)	Do. ...	SS. "Ceylon Maru."
1917.	1917.	*Withdrawn from last six sales.*				
Dec. 6	Nov. 27	$\frac{J\ B\ M}{002}$ in a diamond, J B on top, & Co below, 1.	1	Case ties and scarves (defective).	Order ...	SS. "Novara."
1918.	1918.	SHED No. VI.				
Aug. 10	July 16	No mark	1	Bag sugar (defective) ...	Order ...	SS. "Panama Maru."
„ 10	Aug. 7	Ditto	1	Bag sugar sweepings (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 9	July 29	D V Naik Bros.	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Do. ...	SS. "Tenryu Maru."
„ 9	„ 29	No mark	2	Packets whistles (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 9	„ 29	Ditto	1	Package empty phials (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 9	„ 25	Ditto	4	Packages wire or coil galvanized wire.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 9	„ 29	Ditto	...	A small quantity of tea chest fittings.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 9	„ 29	Ditto	...	A small quantity of wooden handles.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 9	„ 29	No mark or S F L D in a diamond.	1	Bundle square plates iron.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 9	„ 24	S C or nil	2	Bags betelnuts (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 9	„ 29	K in a septagon, 999 on top, O Z on sides.	5	Pieces spelter (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 9	„ 23	No mark	14	Kegs paint ...	Do. ...	Ditto (H. G.)
„ 9	„ 27	Ditto	1	Bar flat iron (bent and rusty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
		Withdrawn from last sale.				
June 20	June 6	Various marks or nil ...	37	Bags rice (defective) ...	Order ...	SS. "Azumasan Maru."
„ 20	„ 6	W Z in a diamond, S B on top, or nil.	5	Kegs paint (broken) ...	Do. ...	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of Consignee.	Name of Steamer.
		SHED No. VI—*contd.*				
1918.	1918.	*Withdrawn from last sale*—contd.				
June 20	June 12	D K B in a diamond or nil ...	3	Kegs paint (broken) ...	Order ...	SS. "Azumasan Maru."
„ 20	„ 12	No mark	27	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 20	„ 12	Ditto	...	A quantity of sweeping rice.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 20	„ 6	S B C in a diamond ...	1	Package tea shooks (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 20	„ 6	No mark	...	A small quantity of tea shooks.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 20	„ 10	═ in a diamond, 324 AL on top, M B K below.	1	Case safety matches (broken).	Do. ...	Ditto (H. G.)
„ 20	„ 12	No mark	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Do. ...	Ditto.
July 4	„ 24	A Y in a block	1	Package tin provisions (defective).	Do ...	SS. "Taisho Maru."
„ 4	„ 24	C 131 in a diamond, Klan below, 6 or X on side.	1	Case stationery (broken)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 24	E in a circle, Singapore below, 16 or X on side.	1	Case arbos soap (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 24	865 in a diamond, Madras below, 97 on side.	1	Case glass beads (broken)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 24	No mark	1	Bag betelnuts (torn and half empty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 22	7 in a diamond, M I on top, M R below, 1-10 on side.	10	Cases lead pencils (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	M T C in a diamond, or nil, 1153 or X on side.	1	Keg wire nails (broken)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	No mark	1	Case cotton pants and coats (defective)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	Ditto	1	Case panel pins (broken)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	Ditto	1	Package wire nails (broken).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	Ditto	1	Package lead (defective)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	Ditto	1	Bag sago (half empty)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	Ditto	1	Bag sago (nearly empty)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	Ditto	1	Bundle car or lace (cotton.)	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	Ditto	1	Bundle cotton thread ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 21	S in a diamond, A J on top, M H below, 16.	1	Case sample hats (broken).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	S Z K in a diamond, or nil ..	6	Kegs paint (broken) ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 20	No mark	10	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	Ditto	...	A small quantity of tea chest fittings	Do. ...	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of Consignee.	Name of Steamer.
		SHED No. VI—*concld.*				
		Withdrawn from last sale—concld.				
1918.	1918.					
July 4	June 26	P. S. A. C. 22	1	Package shooks (defective).	Order ...	SS. "Taisho Maru."
„ 4	„ 24	Red in a diamond, Ends below	3	Packages shooks (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 24	H C in a circle, Ends below ...	3	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 24	Tops on the side of a sun ...	1	Package shooks (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 24	Block on the side of a sun ...	1	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 24	H C in a circle, sides below ...	2	Packages shooks (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 4	„ 26	S Z K in a diamond, or nil below.	22	Kegs empty ...	Do. ...	Ditto. (H. G.).
„ 4	„ 26	Ditto ...	53	Kegs white zinc paint (broken).	Do. ...	Ditto. (H. G.).
„ 4	„ 21	S in a diamond, S D on top, or S in a diamond, S on top or nil below.	70	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto. (H. G.).
„ 4	„ 20	No mark	53	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto. (H. G.).
„ 4	„ 26	= in a diamond, M B K on top, 91 below.	1	Package rough sulphur (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto. (H. G.).
Apl. 11	Mar. 27	S M L in a diamond, D B below, 17.	1	Case soft paraffin (defective).	Do. ...	SS. "Warfield."
„ 11	„ 28	War store. Ammunition Factory, Dum Dum.	1	Bag broken corks (torn)	Do. ...	Ditto.
May 21	May 9	Messrs. M. B. Mirza & Co., 11	1	Case cotton hosiery shirts (defective.)	Do. ...	SS. "Tenryu Maru."
„ 21	„ 9	Sample in a diamond, Y Co on top.	1	Parcel mirrors (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
		SHED No. VII.				
		Withdrawn from last sale.				
1918.	1918.					
May 25	May 7	E & C 16 ...	1	Cask empty ...	Order ...	SS. "Cordillere."
„ 25	„ 8	F in a diamond, G A on top ...	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 25	„ 8	No mark ...	1	Cask empty ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 25	„ 8	P B, 1913	1	Case imitation silver Lametto (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 29	„ 16	No mark	1	Empty cement cask ...	Do. ...	SS. "Suki Maru."
„ 29	„ 16	Ditto	1	Bundle hoop iron ...	Do. ...	Ditto
„ 29	„ 16	Ditto	11	Kegs red lead (broken)	Do ...	Ditto.
„ 29	„ 16	Ditto	2	Kegs (broken and empty).	Do. ...	Ditto
„ 29	„ 16	S C D in a diamond, or nil ...	4	Kegs red lead (defective)	Do. ...	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of Consignee.	Name of Steamer.
		SHED No. VII—*concld.*				
		Withdrawn from last sale—concld.				
1918.	1918.					
May 29	May 16	S Z K in a diamond, or nil ...	1	Keg red lead (defective)	Order ...	SS. "Suki Maru."
„ 29	„ 13	S D C in a diamond, K on top, 233.	1	Package glass bottles (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 29	„ 16	Red in a sun	1	Package shooks (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
June 18	June 6	Jeyls Corporation or nil ...	1	Drum phenyle (leaky)...	Do. ...	SS. "Merkara" (H. G.)
1918.	1918.	SHED No. VIII.				
July 5	June 24	D N or nil	1	Bag groundnut (defective).	Order ...	SS. "Clan McLean."
„ 5	„ 24	No mark	1	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 24	Ditto	...	A small quantity of loose stones.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 5	„ 22	Ditto	3	Drums merchandise (broken).	Do. ...	Ditto. (H. G.)
„ 5	„ 24	Ditto	1	Coil wire rope (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 16	July 3	H & C Ltd Kulalumpur *via* Singapore.	1	Package merchandise (defective).	Do. ...	SS. "Dr. Pierre Benoit."
„ 16	„ 3	No mark	...	A quantity of loose tea shooks.	Do ...	Ditto.
„ 16	„ 2	Ditto	3	Cases merchandise (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 16	„ 3	Ditto	3	Kegs paint (broken) ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 16	„ 1	Ditto	4	Packages or bundles shooks (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
...	„ 2	Ditto	...	A quantity of loose rough sulphur.	Do. ...	Ditto. (H. G
		Withdrawn from last sale.				
Apl. 8	Mar. 27	≡ in a diamond, P 77 I on top, M B K below.	1	Keg red lead (broken)...	Order ...	SS. "Koan Maru."
„ 8	„ 27	Ditto ...	1	Keg empty ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 27	C H O in a diamond ...	2	Kegs empty ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 27	1708 in a diamond, M I on top, M R below.	1	Keg dry colour (half empty).	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 27	No mark	...	A quantity of loose strawboards.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 27	Ditto	1	Bundle wire ...	Do. ..	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 27	Ditto	2	Broken pieces spelters...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 27	Ditto	1	Keg dry red colour (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of Consignee.	Name of Steamer.
		SHED No. VIII—*concld.*				
		Withdrawn from last sale—concld.				
1918.	1918.					
Apl. 8	Mar. 27	Various marks or nil ...	54	Bundles tea shooks and fittings.	Order ...	SS. "Koan Maru."
„ 8	„ 27	B T 66 in a block	1	Keg red lead (broken) ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 8	„ 25	W Z in a diamond, S B on top	12	Kegs white zinc paint (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
		Withdrawn from last three sales.				
Apl. 11	Mar. 30	E & Co or nil	2	Packages brass rods (defective).	Order ...	SS. "Meiten Maru."
„ 11	„ 30	No mark	...	A quantity of loose strawboards.	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 30	Ditto	1	Bag whiting (torn) ...	Do. ...	Ditto.
„ 11	„ 30	Ditto	1	Package brass rods (defective).	Do. ...	Ditto.
1918.		*Unidentified goods of Jetties.*				
Aug. 10	...	No mark	18	Packets cotton undershirts.	.....	From No. 6 Shed.
„ 10	...	Ditto	1	Pair cotton cloths ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 22	...	Ditto	1	Bottle beer ..	.....	From Police.
„ 30	...	Ditto	...	A quantity zinc paint ...	.....	Ditto.
Sept. 7	...	Ditto	1	Piece undershirt ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 7	...	Ditto	3	Boxes matches ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 23	...	Ditto	1	Box needle ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 4	...	Ditto	2	Pieces joist (bent and rusty).	.....	From No 7 shed.
„ 4	...	Ditto	1	Piece angle-iron (bent and rusty).	.....	Ditto.
„ 4	...	Ditto	3	Pieces rail (bent) ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 4	...	Ditto	5	Pieces iron-pipe (rusty)	.....	Ditto.
„ 4	...	Ditto	1	Package iron (rusty) ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 4	...	Ditto	1	Boat helm ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 4	...	Ditto	1	Piece channel ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 4	...	Ditto	1	Piece tie rod ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 26	...	Ditto	29	Pieces planks (broken)	.....	From I. V. Wharves.
„ 26	...	Ditto	1	Bag oil-cake (torn) ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 26	...	Ditto	1	Bag salt (torn) ...	.....	Ditto.
„ 26	...	Ditto	2	Bags lime (torn) ...	.....	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Name of consignee.	Vessel's name.
		Unidentified goods of jetties —concld.				
		No mark	1	Case merchandise (broken).		
		Ditto	1	Ditto.		
		Ditto	1	Cask merchandise (broken)		
		Ditto	2	Kegs merchandise (broken).		
		Ditto	...	A quantity of cement sweeping.		
		Ditto	...	A quantity of tea shooks and fittings.		
		Ditto	...	A quantity of loose wire.		
		Ditto ...	...	A quantity of hardware.		
		Ditto	...	A quantity of nails.		
		Ditto	1	Bag merchandise (torn).		
		Ditto	...	A quantity of sundries.		

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 6th November 1918.

T. J. McCLOUGHIN, Traffic Manager.
(2689—1)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold, on Saturday, the 30th day of November 1918, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, in his sale-room in the Court-house, pursuant to the preliminary and final decrees made in Suit No. 473 of 1914 (wherein Ram Chandra Dutt is the plaintiff and Sreemutty Nursumba Deby and others are the defendants) and dated, respectively, the 24th day of January 1916 and the 21st day of May the undermentioned properties.

All that piece or parcel of land measuring 152 bighas, more or less, at Palta, being portion of holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42, Shaheban Bagicha, bearing tauzi No. 1070 of the registor of Calcutta of 24-Parganas in thana and registration sub-district Barrackpore, in the district of 24-Parganas, and paying an annual revenue of Rs. 309-3-5 to Government for the entire tauzi and situate in mauza Palta, and butted and bounded on the—

North.—Partly by holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42A, partly by the excluded portion of holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42, partly by Dhitara Road, partly by Palta Municipal Office premises and partly by Barrackpore Trunk Road.

East.—Partly by holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42A, Palta I, partly by Palta Municipal Office premises and partly by Barrackpore Trunk Road.

South.—Partly by holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42A., Palta I, partly by holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42A, Dhitara No. I, partly by holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42A and partly by the excluded portion of holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42.

West.—Partly by holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42A, Palta I, partly by holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42A, Dhitara I, partly by holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42A, partly by the excluded portion of holdings Nos. 6, 7, 42, partly by Dhitara Road and partly by Palta Municipal premises and delineated on a plan.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at the office of Babu Khagendra Nath Chatterjee, Attorney for the plaintiff above named, at No. 3, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

The plan may be inspected at the office of the Attorney above named and will be produced at the sale.

MAURICE REMFRY, Offg. Registrar.

Khagendra Nath Chatterjee, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, the 19th day of August 1918. (2635—1—2560)

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

(ORDER 5, RULES 1 AND 5.)

In the Court of the Munsif at Hathras, District Aligarh.

SUIT NO. 339 OF 1918.

Jiwan Lal *alias* Jiwan Ram, son of Tula Ram, and Babu Ram, son of Jiwan Ram, Goldsmiths of Hathras, plaintiffs, *versus* Munni Lal, son of Lokman Das, Bania Agrawal of Hathras, at present dwelling at Jalpaiguri care of Firm Jwala Prasad Durga Prasad, defendants.

To Munni Lal.

WHEREAS the aforesaid plaintiffs have instituted a suit against you for Rs. 126-9, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompained by some person able to answer all such questions on the 12th day of November 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim; and, as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce on that day all the witnesses upon whose evidence, and all the documents upon which, you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day beforementioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 24th day of October 1918.

[ILLEGIBLE], Munsarin,

(2680—1—2752)

Notice

IS hereby given that the Municipal Commissioners of Bankura will, at their meeting on the 25th November 1918, at 3 P.M., hold sales of the following plots of land at their office. The bidders shall have to deposit 25 per cent. of the bids immediately and the balance should be paid within fifteen days from the date of sale, failing which the bid will not be accepted and the earnest money forfeited.

The Municipal Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any bid. Detailed particulars regarding title of lands, area and other matters can be had from the Bankura Municipal Office during office hours :—

Plot 1.—Rent-free. Area about 1 bigha 15 cottahs 6 chitaks. Situated on the north of the first feeder road and between the Taldangra diversion road and the first feeder road bridge as per plan.

Plot 2.—Rent-free. Area about 1 bigha 15 cottahs 6 chitaks. Situated on the south of the first feeder road and between the Taldangra diversion road and the first feeder road bridge as per plan.

Plot 3.—Rent-free. Area about 8 cottahs 12 chitaks. Situated between the Taldangra diversion road, the railway fencing and on the north of Bengal-Nagpur Railway line as per plan.

Plot 4.—Rent-free. Area about 8 cottahs 12 chitaks. Situated between the Taldangra diversion road, the railway fencing and on the south of the road to railway station as per plan.

Plot 5.—Rent-free. Area about 19 cottahs 11 chitaks. The trapizoidal plot between the Taldangra diversion road, railway station road and the present Hindu School land and Nil Madhav Barik's land as per plan.

Plot 6.—Rent-free. Area about 4 cottahs 4½ chitaks. Situated between the diversion road and the proposed pathway adjoining Ramnath Mukerjee's land as per plan.

Plot 6A.—Rent-free. Area about 6 cottahs only. Situated between the Taldangra diversion road and the proposed pathway adjoining Justice Chatterjee's house and by the south of Municipal khas land as per plan.

Plot 7.—Rent-free. Area about 16 cottahs 8 chitaks. The rectangular plot by the side of the flour mills of Madan Gopal Marowari as per plan.

Plot 8.—Rent-free. Area about 3 bighas 9 cottahs 4½ chitaks. The abundant trenching ground in Kutchkutchia as per plan.

Plot 9.—The present Municipal Office building and land. Annual rent Rs. 2-2-2 payable to the Bankura Talukdar. (Possession of this plot will be delivered within a year and a half from date of sale.) Area about 5 cottahs 6¼ chitaks as per plan.

RASH BEHARI BANERJEE,

Chairman, Bankura Municipality.

Bankura, the 26th October 1918. (2683—3)

Notice.

WANTED at once by the District Board, 24-Parganas, some qualified Doctors for 3 months on pay of Rs. 40 and fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15 a month for malarial duty.

SASI SEKHAR BASU, Vice-Chairman.

Alipore, the 29th October 1918. (2682—2)

Notice.

WANTED 22 temporary Excise Sub-Inspectors at Rs. 50 each per month for not less than two months for the manufacture of *ganja*. One of the selected candidates will have to join on the 1st of December 1918, some on the 2nd of January 1919, and some on later dates. Some of the selected candidates will have to work for six months.

None need apply for the post who has not passed the Matriculation Examination or worked in the same capacity in previous years. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 22nd November 1918.

T. BHATTACHARYYA,
Superintendent of Excise, Naogaon.

Naogaon, the 2nd October 1918.

Board of Revenue, Bengal.

COURT OF WARDS, BENGAL.

WANTED a Manager for the six-annas Santosh Estate, in the district of Mymensigh, under the Court of Wards, on a monthly salary of Rs. 350. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th November 1918. None need apply who has no experience of Court of Wards or Zamindary work. The selected candidate will be required to join at once and will have to furnish security in cash or promissory notes, for Rs. 10,000.

F. D. ASCOLI,
Offg. Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal.

Darjeeling, the 14th October 1918. (2674—3)

Board of Revenue, Bengal.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, under sections 6 and 27 of the Court of Wards Act, IX (B. C.) of 1879, as amended to date, the Court of Wards of Bengal has declared Hemendra Nath Ray Chaudhury, the son of the late Babu Baikunta Nath Ray Chaudhury by adoption made by the late Rani Dinamani Chaudhurani, widow of the said Babu Baikunta Nath Ray Chaudhury of Santosh, in the district of Mymensingh to be a minor; and

Whereas, under sections 7 and 35 of the said Act, the said Court has assumed charge of the property of the said Hemendra Nath Ray Chaudhury.

Notice is hereby given under section 10A of the said Act that all creditors having claims against the said Hemendra Nath Ray Chaudhury or his immovable property are hereby required to submit the same in writing to the Court of Wards at the office of the Board of Revenue in Calcutta within six months from the date of publication of this notice.

Creditors are also hereby warned that claims not submitted as required by this notice are liable to be deemed to have been duly discharged.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,
F. D. ASCOLI, Offg. Secretary.

Darjeeling, the 14th October 1918. (2675—3)

NOTICE.

IT is notified, for general information, that the next ordinary examination of candidates for certificates of competency as Masters and Serangs of inland steam-vessels under Act I of 1917 will be held at the Port Office, Chittagong, on Monday, the 18th November 1918, at 10 A.M.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grades certificates must be made at the Port Office, Chittagong, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

A. E. MCKENNA, *for* Port Officer, Chittagong.

Chittagong, the 29th October 1918. (2684—1)

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

Repayment of 4 per cent. Municipal Debenture Loan of 1897-98.

THE 4 per cent. Municipal Debenture Loan of 1st February 1898 for Rs. 15,54,700 is repayable on the 1st February 1919, from which date all interest on it will cease. Holders of debentures of this loan should tender their debentures at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, at least two weeks before the due date of repayment with the following endorsement on the back of each debenture :—

"Received payment in full of all demands for principal and interest hereon."

Signature of Holder.

B. V. RAMIAH,
Acting Secy. to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office, the 1st November 1918.

(2691—1)

Notice.

UNDER the King of Oudh's Estate Validation Act (Act No. XII of 1917) the sum of Rs. 77,856 and the interest accrued since 1st January 1914, on a share amounting to Rs. 2,00,000 in a certain Government Promissory Note No. 018878 for Rs. 5,00,000, standing in the name of Malka Kishwar, will be available for distribution from the office of the Collector of the 24-Parganas and Superintendent of Political Pensions to those issues of Malka Kishwar who are descended from her son, the late Wajid Ali Shah, the late King of Oudh, and who are heirs under the Muhammadan Law. Persons entitled to a share in the distribution should apply to the undersigned before the 31st December 1918, in the form shown below :—

1. Name and address of the applicant
2. Relationship with the King of Oudh.
3. The fractional share in the whole amount claimed by the applicant, 1 being taken to represent the whole amount available for distribution.
4. A brief statement showing how the share claimed is arrived at under the Muhammadan law.

W. D. R. PRENTICE,
Collector of the 24-Parganas and
Superintendent of Political Pensions.

Alipore, the 1st October 1918.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 021567 for Rs 100, originally standing in the name of Jagabhai Dulabhbhai, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of Advertiser—Jagabhai Dulabhbhai.

Residence—32, Ezra Street.

(2681—3—2754)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 171383 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 10,000 originally standing in the name of Nistariney Dassee, the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of advertiser—Sarat Kumar Das.

Residence—11, Suri Lane, Calcutta.

Calcutta, the 11th October 1918. (2671—3—2562)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 282996 of the 3½ per cent loan of 1865 for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of Jnanendra Mohan Das, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person having been lost, notice is hereby given that the payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the public debt office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicate in favour of the proprietor; the public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

JNANENDRA MOHAN DAS.

Residence—Suapur (Dacca District).

Present address—Sylhet (Munsiff).

(2603—3—2753)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 3443, dated 10th October 1918, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities.

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's Name.
132352	1842-43	5,000	Bhupati Churn Dey.
107360	1900-1	1,000	
229635	1865	5,000	
233027	1865	1,000	
238401	1865	1,000	
231536	1865	1,000	
238402	1865	1,000	
229865	1865	1,000	

Name of the Proprietor—Bhupati Churn Dey.

Residence—80-1, Pathuriaghata Street, Calcutta.

(2685—1—2750)

Notice under section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913.

Bengal Tyre & Rubber Co., Ltd.

(In Liquidation).

A MEETING of the shareholders of the above Company will be held at 71-4, Bentinck Street, Calcutta, on Monday, the 24th November 1918, at 5 P.M., to pass the Liquidator's final account Presence of all shareholders is solicited.

Shareholders who have not yet received their dividend of anna one and pies three per rupee on the paid-up capital are requested to apply for and receive same at once.

P. C. CHATTERJEE, Liquidator,
Bengal Tyre & Rubber Co., Ltd.

Calcutta, the 22nd October 1918. (2678—1—2737)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act and in the matter of the Matigara Coal Company, Limited, in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, a general meeting of the Company will be held at the Liquidator's Office, No. 11, Radha Bazar Lane, Calcutta, on Tuesday, the 10th December 1918, at 3 P.M., for passing the final accounts.

A. COYNE, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 31st October 1918. (2686—1—2751)

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails.	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
United Kingdom and Allied Countries, Aden, East Africa, West Africa. Also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom.	Twice daily	8-0	8-30	8-0	...
America, Neutral Countries and Egypt ...	Twice daily	P.M. 6-15	P.M. 7-15	P.M. 5-30	P.M. 6-0
Ceylon	Daily ...	3-0	3-30	2-30	3-0
Australia and New Zealand	Nov. 7th ...	3-30	4-0	3-0	3-30
Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo-China, China, Japan, etc.	Tuesday ...	4-0	...	3-30	...
Burma	Nov. 9th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
Port Blair	Do. 20th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0

* The late fee is 4 annas for each registered and unregistered article to any place named above, except Aden, Burma, Ceylon and Port Blair, the late fee for which is ½ anna for unregistered articles and 2 annas for registered articles. Letters are accepted with late fee only on occasions when a direct mail is closed by the Calcutta G. P. O. for Foreign Countries.

Calcutta G. P. O., the 4th November 1918. J. FISHER-RODERICKS, Presidency Post Master.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF SANSKRIT MANUSCRIPTS.

PARTS I, II and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts, the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID, AND QUINOIDINE.

[Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.]

THESE articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona Alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Behar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public

purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the principal druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or pure Amorphous Alkaloid and Residual Alkaloid or Amorphous Cinchona Alkaloid which contains about 40 per cent. of pure Amorphous Alkaloid are for sale to Missionaries and Government institutions only. These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance, but private purchasers may use the V.-P. P. system AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1918 are as follows :—

Sulphate of Quinine.

For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs., but below 60 lbs., in one delivery	„ 29 „ „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 30 „ „

Sulphate of Cinchonidine.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 12 „ „

(Only small quantities available when in stock.)

Cinchona Febrifuge.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 6 „ „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „ „
Quinoidine in non Tablet form (when in stock) and Residual Alkaloids...	„ 4 „ „

Quinoidine Tablets (when in stock).

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	„ 7 „ „

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ½-lb., ¼-lb., 1-lb., and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ½ lb., ¼ lb., and 1 lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ½-lb., ¼-lb., and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 1-lb., 5-lb., and 10-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 1 lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1 lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.-P. Post. Price of postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by post. A scale of postage is given below :—

[For ½ and ¼-lb. 4 annas, 1 lb. 6 annas, 2 lbs. 10 annas, 3 lbs. 12 annas, 4 lbs. Re. 1, 5 lbs. Re. 1-4, and for 6 lbs. Re. 1-6.]

	Re.	A.
Quinoidine Tablet 1 lb., weg. 3 lbs., postage	0	10
Ditto 2 lbs., „ 6 „ „	1	0
Ditto 3 „ „ 9 „ „	1	3

Local Sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Monday.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 28th October 1918.*

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Middle Bank Light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 333 (first publication).—

Subject.—The Group Flashing White Light on Middle Bank will be replaced by a Flashing White Light on or about 15th November 1918.

Position.—Lat. 33° 38′ S., long. 137° 32′ E.

Details.—The Group Flashing White Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics:—

Character.—Flashing White Light, showing one flash every three seconds, thus:—

Flash,	Eclipse.
½ sec.	2½ secs.

Elevation.—43 feet.

Visibility.—Eleven miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Structure.—Former steel skeleton tower, painted white, surrounded by a pile framework.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, Southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2333.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 258. Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 30.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 19 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Shoalwater Point Light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 334 (first publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light off Shoalwater Point will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light on or about 30th November 1918.

Position.—South-eastward of point.
Lat. 33° 42′ S., long. 137° 14′ E.

Details.—The Flashing White Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics—

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing three flashes in quick succession every nine seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	6 secs.

Elevation.—40 feet.
Visibility.—11 miles.
Power.—1,500 candles.
Structure.—Former steel skeleton tower, painted red, with white lantern, surrounded by a pile framework.
Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.
Note.—No further notice will be given.
Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, Southern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2332.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 225. Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 27.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 20 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—INNER BARRIER ROUTE.

Heath Reef and Tih Tih Reef—Intended New Lights.

No. 335 (first publication).—

Subject.—The proposed New Group Flashing White Lights on Heath Reef and Tih Tih Reef will be exhibited as hereunder :—

(*a*) Heath Reef, on or about 15th October 1918.

(*b*) Tih Tih Reef on or about 15th November 1918.

Description of New Lights—

(*a*) *Heath Reef.*

Position.—Lat. 13° 28¼′ S., long. 143° 40½′ E.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing three flashes in quick succession every fifteen seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	11½ secs.

(*b*) *Tih Tih Reef.*

Position.—Lat. 13° 09′ S., long. 143° 37′ E.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing four flashes in quick succession every twenty seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	15 secs.

Remarks.—The lights will be unwatched.
The Fixed White Light on the Claremont Island Light-ship will be continued until further notice.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2921, Claremont Point to Cape Direction.
„ 3762, Hay Island to Bow Reef.
„ 2764, Coral Sea, Sheet 2.
„ 3088, Anchorages on the East Coast of Australia—Night Island Anchorage.
„ 2759a, Australia, Northern portion.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west Sheet.

Publications.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 412, 419.
List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 21 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Gabo Island Light—Intended alteration in Period.

No. 336 (first publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 334 of 1917.

Subject.—The period of the Group Flashing Light with white and red sectors on Gabo Island will be altered from nine seconds to fifteen seconds on or about 15th November, 1918.

Position.—Lat. 37° 34¼′ S., long. 149° 55¾′ E.

Character.—*Group Flashing*, with *white* and *red sectors*, showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *fifteen* seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	11½ secs.

Remarks.—The other details of the light remain unchanged.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1017, Gabo Island to Montagu Island.
„ 1211, Gabo Island to Port Jackson.
„ 3169, Port Phillip to Gabo Island.
„ 2759b, Australia, Southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, Western Sheet.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west Sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2508.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 546.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 22 of 1918.

The 21st October 1918.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER—APPROACHES TO THE WHANGPOO.

Quarantine Anchorage—Quarantine Upper Buoy to be discontinued.

No. 331 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 667 of 1918) that on or about 5th October 1918 the Quarantine Upper Buoy, marking the upper limit of the Quarantine Anchorage and the northern side of the channel, approaches to the Whangpoo, Yangtze River, will be permanently discontinued.

PERSIAN GULF.

Bandar Abbas—Wreck no longer exists; Buoy laid temporarily.

No. 332 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 87-M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former R. I. M. Notice No. 80-M. of 1918. (*This office No. 273 of 1918.*)

(*a*) Wreck, non-existence of—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles and 3 cables 138° (S 44° E. Mag.) from British Consulate Flag Staff in 22 feet L. W. O. S.

Details.—The wreck of the sunken dhow formerly situated in the above position does not exist and is to be expunged from the charts.

(*b*) Buoy laid temporarily—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles and 8 cables 133½° (S. 48½° E. Mag.) from British Consulate Flag Staff in 24 feet L. W. O. S.

Lat. 27° 9′ 46″ N.
Long. 56° 19′ 59″ E. } On chart No. 3599.

Description.—A mooring buoy painted red.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 3599, plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.
„ 2837a, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 202.

Authority.—The Senior Marine Transport Officer, Bandar Abbas, dated 26th September 1918.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Acting Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 14th October 1918.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST.

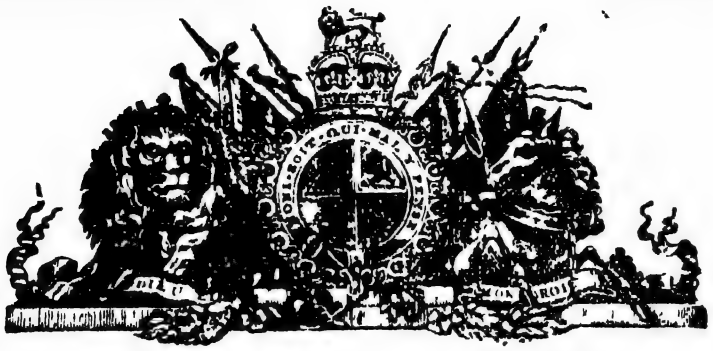
Reef reported.

No. 330 (third publication).—The Portmaster, Brisbane, has given Notice (No. 8 of 1918) that the Master of a steamship has reported the discovery of a submerged coral reef in lat. 24° 12′ S., long. 152° 47′ E., Lady Elliott Lighthouse, bearing N. 30° W. magnetic, distance 5½ miles. The reef extends over 200 ft. in a north and south direction, and has a depth of 30 ft. to 34 ft. over it at half flood neap tide.

Charts affected.—Nos. 345 and 2763; Australia Directory, Volume II.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

REGISTERED No. C207. No. 45 of 1918.



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SUPPLEMENT.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

[Non-Subscribers to the GAZETTE *may receive the* SUPPLEMENT *separately on payment of five rupees per annum if delivered in Calcutta, or seven rupees and eight annas if sent by post.]*

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MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR SEPTEMBER 1918.

I. **Character of the season.**—The rainfall during the month was defective in all the districts of North and West Bengal. In East Bengal, however the fall was somewhat in excess. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II.—**Progress of agricultural operations.**—Cutting, steeping and washing of jute were still in progress. The transplantation of winter paddy was nearly completed. Weeding was continuing. Harvesting of autumn paddy was practically over.

III. **State of standing crops.**—The condition of the standing jute crop in the flooded areas was precarious. Elsewhere it was fair. The condition of the winter paddy crop was fairly satisfactory.

IV. **Prospects and probable outturn.**—The prospects of winter rice are so far hopeful, but more rain was urgently wanted in many places.

V. **Damage to standing crops.**—Both paddy and jute were damaged by the floods in Eastern and Northern Bengal. The flood-water, however, completely subsided by the end of the month.

VI.—**Condition of agricultural stock.**—Condition of agricultural stock was fair. Cattle-disease was prevalent in Burdwan, Bankura, Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri, Darjeeling, Cooch Behar and Mymensingh. Some loss of cattle from flood was also reported from places.

VII. **Failure of pasturage and fodder.**—Fodder was reported as scanty in most of the flood-affected areas.

VIII. **Prices of food-grains.**—During the second fortnight of the month under review the prices of common rice rose in ten districts, fell in seven and remained stationary in the rest. The prices varied from eleven seers a rupee at Contai to seven seers a rupee at Darjeeling.

IX. **Condition of agricultural people.**—The condition of agricultural people was reported as fair.

N. GUPTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 31st October 1918.*

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during September 1918.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of September 1918.	Actual district rainfall for the month of September 1918.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	9·89	8·93	−0·96
	Calcutta ...	9·88	9·31	−0·57
	Nadia ...	7·73	3·84	−3·89
	Murshidabad ...	9·28	6·53	−2·75
	Jessore ...	8·55	6·79	−1·76
	Khulna ...	9·95	8·73	−1·22
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	8·44	6·54	−1·90
	Birbhum ...	9·51	4·88	−4·63
	Bankura ...	8·40	4·81	−3·59
	Midnapore ...	9·15	6·72	−2·43
	Hooghly ...	8·66	7·86	−0·80
	Howrah ...	8·68	6·63	−2·05
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	9·74	8·33	−1·41
	Dinajpur ...	11·47	11·03	−0·44
	Jalpaiguri ...	21·93	16·37	−5·56
	Darjeeling ...	17·55	18·90	+1·35
	Rangpur ...	13·14	8·23	−4·91
	Bogra ...	10·84	10·32	−0·52
	Pabna ...	8·19	6·52	−1·67
	Malda ...	8·87	9·07	+0·20
Dacca ...	Dacca ...	8·70	9·87	+1·17
	Mymensingh ...	12·26	13·30	+1·04
	Faridpur ...	7·11	8·38	+1·27
	Bakarganj ...	11·53	16·73	+5·20
Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	12·82	15·03	+2·21
	Tippera ...	9·84	11·83	+1·99
	Noakhali ...	14·52	19·62	+5·10
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	12·79	12·22	−0·57
	Cooch Behar ...	20·68	10·80	−9·88

RESOLUTION IN THE ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE PORT OFFICER'S DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA AND CHITTAGONG, FOR 1917-18.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

RESOLUTION No. 2633Mne.

CALCUTTA, THE 2ND NOVEMBER 1918

READ—

(1) Annual Report by the Port Officer, Calcutta, on his Department for the year 1917-18.

(2) Annual Report by the Port Officer, Chittagong, on his Department for the year 1917-18.

Port of Calcutta.

Bengal Pilot Service.—The number of Pilots including Leadsmen Apprentices in the cadre of the Bengal Pilot Service was 60. Two Pilots were permitted to proceed on active service : in all 13 Pilots and 4 Leadsmen Apprentices have proceeded on active service since the commencement of the war.

One Licensed Branch Pilot retired from service. He was the last of the Licensed Pilots.

As in the past year, the difficulty of the recruitment of Leadsmen Apprentices has continued, and although endeavours were made to obtain recruits from England or from the mercantile marine in the East, these endeavours proved unsuccessful. There were consequently no recruits during the year. This Government after a careful consideration of the circumstances have placed certain proposals before the Government of India with a view to overcome the deficiency of Leadsmen Apprentices in the Pilot Service at the present time : this scheme is still under consideration. Meanwhile, as a temporary measure, sanction was accorded to the appointment of outside candidates from the mercantile marine to the posts of junior officers of the two pilot vessels. This arrangement was made in order to enable the Leadsmen Apprentices to be relieved of their duties as junior officers of the pilot vessels, and to be placed on the running list so that they might study the conditions of the river Hughli. The earnings of Pilots and Leadsmen Apprentices were greatly affected as a result of the war, and as a compensatory measure, a bonus of 33 per cent. on their grade pay was granted to Leadsmen Apprentices with effect from 1st April 1917 for the period of the war and six months afterwards. The case of the Pilots was still under consideration during the year 1917-18 but after the close of the year a guaranteed minimum was fixed for each of the different grades of Pilots.

2. **Vessels piloted.**—The number of vessels piloted inwards was 899 with a gross tonnage of 3,441,569 and outwards 898 with a gross tonnage of 3,420,131, against 1,119 and 1,125 vessels with a gross tonnage of 4,513,255 and 4,549,737 respectively during the previous year. The number of vessels was above half the number of the year 1912-13. Vessels drawing over 21 feet piloted inwards and outwards were 299 and 544 against 304 and 738 vessels in the past year.

Only one inward-bound vessel was neaped for want of sufficient depth of water over the bars.

Three vessels were detained at the Sandheads for want of Pilots against five in 1916-17.

3. **Pilotage receipts.**—The receipts from pilotage fees amounted to Rs. 8,63,709 against Rs. 10,73,967 and Rs. 11,06,117 in the two previous years. The decrease in receipts is solely attributed to the war.

4. **Casualties to vessels.**—There were 12 cases of grounding against 18 in the preceding year. No damage resulted. In only two instances were the Pilots found to be guilty of error of judgment. There was one case of collision and in another case a vessel fouled the centre Saugor Flat Buoy, as against two collisions in the preceding year. In both cases damage resulted. In one of these two cases the Pilot was not held to blame.

Courts of Enquiry.—Three cases of casualties to vessels, viz., two affecting sea-going vessels and one affecting an inland steam vessel, were referred to special Courts of Enquiry.

Examinations.—Out of a total number of 69 candidates, 28 successfully passed the examinations for the grant of Colonial and Home-trade certificates of competency as Master, Mate, Engineer or Engine-driver of a sea-going vessel, and 94 out of 413 candidates passed the examinations for the grant of certificates of competency as Master, Serang or Engine-driver of inland steam-vessels.

There were 229 candidates for certificates of competency as 2nd class Master, Serang or Engine-driver of an inland steam-vessel plying in Mesopotamian waters, of whom 113 passed.

6. Captain D. F. Vines, R.I.M., held the office of the Port Officer and Shipping Master throughout the year except for the period of two months' war leave from 19th September to 18th November 1917, when Commander G. H. S. LaTouche, R.I.M., Deputy Port Officer and Senior Deputy Shipping Master, carried on these duties in addition to his own. Except for the periods from 10th August to 8th September 1917 and from the 28th January to 26th February 1918 when he was on war leave, Commander G. H. S. LaTouche, R.I.M., was Deputy Port Officer and Senior Deputy Shipping Master. Mr. S. H. Reaks, Senior Master Pilot, remained Assistant Port Officer and Deputy Shipping Master throughout the year.

Engineer Commander C. F. Laslett, R.I.M., Engineer Lieutenant Commander E. S. Borner, R.I.M., and Mr. G. F. Silley continued as First, Second and Third Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor, Calcutta, respectively during the year.

The thanks of Government are due to Captain Vines for his efficient administration of the Department and to the other officers of the Port Officer's Department for their co-operation during another year of strenuous work. The members of the Pilot service on duty during the year again co-operated freely and heartily in all measures necessitated by the war.

Port of Chittagong.

Arrival and departure of vessels.—Vessels numbering 600 (inclusive of 437 inland steamers) with a gross tonnage of 312,851 entered and 602 vessels (inclusive of 439 inland steamer) with a gross tonnage of 313,068 left the port as against 774 vessels (including 547 inland steamers) and 776 vessels (including 547 inland steamers) representing a gross tonnage of 529,517 and 525,423 respectively in the previous year.

2. **Casualties to vessels.**—There were 2 cases of accidents to vessels. In one case a brig sank and in another a cargo boat was totally lost.

3. **Examinations.**—Candidates for certificates of competency as Serang, 1st or 2nd class Engine-driver of an inland steam-vessel numbered 72, of whom 33 passed.

There was no R. I. M. officer in charge of the Port and Shipping Office, Chittagong, during the year. Mr. W. W. Nind, Collector of Customs, Chittagong, carried on the duties of the Port Officer and Shipping Master in addition to his own duties.

Engineer Lieutenant G. Hull, R.I.M., held the office of Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor, Chittagong, throughout the year.

The thanks of Government are due to Mr. W. W. Nind, Collector of Customs, for his efficient administration of the Department during the year.

By order of the Governor in Council,

F. A. A. COWLEY,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 31st October 1918.

Summary.—During the week light showers fell in a few places. More rain is urgently wanted throughout the province. Winter rice is reported to be withering in some districts. In the northern and western Bengal the prospects of the crop are generally unfavourable. Elsewhere the prospects are fair. Fields are being prepared for spring crops. Sowings are being impeded for want of rain. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 2·6 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	0·19	$7\frac{9}{16}$	8	Rain is urgently wanted for agricultural operations. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Harvesting of sugarcane has commenced in Basirhat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	8	8	
	Barrackpore	Nil	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{7}{8}$	
	Barasat ...	Nil	$9\frac{7}{16}$	$9\frac{7}{16}$	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	9	$9\frac{1}{8}$	
2	NADIA ...	Nil	$6\frac{3}{8}$	$7\frac{1}{4}$	Prospects of standing crops are not favourable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is being retarded for want of rain Washing of jute is nearly finished.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	9	9	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
3	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	8	Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable. *Aman* paddy has been badly affected for want of rain.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Jangipur ...	0·92	$8\frac{1}{2}$	8	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8	9	
4	JESSORE ...	0·13	8	10	Weather seasonable. Rain is badly wanted for the growth of *aman* paddy and cultivation of *rabi* crops.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	11	12	
	Magura ...	Nil	$11\frac{3}{4}$	$11\frac{3}{4}$	
	Narail ...	Nil	10	(*n*)	
	Bangaon ...	0·08	$7\frac{7}{8}$	$8\frac{1}{8}$	
5	KHULNA ...	Nil	$9\frac{9}{16}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$	Condition and prospects of *aman* paddy are favourable; but rain is urgently wanted.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	$8\frac{1}{2}$	9	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	9	9	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather condition of crops etc.
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	7	Weather bright. Winter rice throughout the district is suffering for want of rain. Sowing of *rabi* is being retarded for want of moisture. Cattle disease is reported from Kaksa and Ondal.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7	7¾	
	Katwa ...	Nil	7	8½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	6½	7½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7	7	Weather hot. Sowing of *rabi* crops is retarded for want of rain.
	Rampurhat	0·50	7½	8	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	7½	6½	Drought continues to damage winter paddy and is hampering sowing of *rabi* crops
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	6½	7½	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	8 1/16	7¼	Standing crops are suffering for want of rain. Washing of jute is going on. Prospects are good. Sowing of mustard and rape continues.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	6¾	7½	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Contai ...	0·18	8	9	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8	8	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are favourable. Rain is badly wanted
	Serampore ...	Nil	6	6	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8¼	7¾	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7½	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute are nearly over. *Aman* paddy is suffering for want of rain.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	7	7½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA)	0·03	7	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are poor for want of rain. Fodder is insufficient in some areas.
	Naogaon ...	1·50	8	8	
	Nator ...	Nil	8	8	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	8¾	8¾	Rain is badly wanted for winter paddy. Condition and prospects of the standing crops are not good.
	Thakurgaon	(*n*)	(*n*)	10	
	Balurghat ...	0·10	8	8 1/16 †12	
14	JALPAIGURI	1·88	8	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fields are being prepared for *rabi* crops.
	Alipur ...	0·30	7½	7½	

(*n*) Not reported. † New *aus*.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	DARJEELING	0·40	7½	6½	Prospects of winter rice are favourable. Potatoes and cardamom are being harvested. *Marua* is doing well.
	Kurseong ...	0·59	6⅔	5⅔	
	Siliguri ...	1·70	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	0·15	7	8	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of potatoes and mustard has commenced. Rain is urgently wanted for *aman* paddy. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Nilphamari	0·51	8	8½	
	Kurigram ...	0·10	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7	8	
17	BOGRA ...	0 10	8	7	Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. More rain is urgently wanted for winter paddy which is withering in places. Prospects of standing crops are poor.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	8½	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops is impeded by want of rain and winter paddy is also suffering.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	8	8	
19	MALDA ...	0·09	8	8	Winter paddy is suffering for want of rain. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Transplantation of tobacco seedlings and sowing of mustard seeds have commenced. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Cattle-disease is reported from interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops continue. Fields are being cultivated for spring oil seeds. Prospects are fair; but rain is wanted for transplanted paddy.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8¾	8¾	
	Narayanganj	Nil	(*n*)	(*n*)	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	8¼	10¼	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	6 3/16	6 3/16	Rain is wanted. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	0·59	7¼	7¼	
	Tangail ...	Nil	8⅝	9	
	Netrokona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishoreganj	Nil	8	7¼	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	8	8½	Weather is favourable to crops. Early variety of *aman* paddy is being harvested.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8¾	8¾	
	Madaripur ..	Nil	8½	8½	
	Gopalganj*...	Nil	9	9	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	8	7½	Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Patuakhali	Nil	7¾	8	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7¾	7½	
25	Chittagong	0·78	8	8	Weather fair. Prospects of standing crops are fair. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	9	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	8	8	Ploughing for and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	8	8	
27	Noakhali ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ...	Nil	11⅛	11	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Nil	10	10	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of cotton crops continues; outturn is good.

* The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.
(*n*) Not reported.

J. K. Biswas,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 3rd November 1918.*

Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1918.

Marts.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.*	Corresponding return of 1913.*
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	2 6 0	2 7 0	2 2 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 12 0	2 1 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	3 10 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	2 12 0	4 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	4 2 0	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 14 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	.....	.....

(a) No sale.

* Figures not available.

Marts.	PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 8 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 10 0	3 4 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	.....	2 8 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	2 10 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 14 0	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	3 3 0	3 6 0	3 8 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0

(a) No sale.

Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1918.

Marts.	RICE (BEST QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 14 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	7 12 0
Chatia Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	5 4 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	5 12 0	5 2 6
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0
Chittagong	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 8 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. .	.....	...
Dacca	6 12 0	6 8 0	5 10 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	6 2 0	6 12 0 to 7 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 12 0	8 0 0	8 8 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 8 0	7 4 0	7 10 0	7 12 0	8 8 0

Marts.	RICE (COMMON QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	6 2 0	7 4 0	6 4 0	6 2 0
Chatia Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	4 12 0	5 0 0	3 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 11 0 to 5 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 0 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	4 10 0	5 0 0
Chittagong	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	4 6 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 6 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 12 0 to 6 4 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	5 4 0	5 10 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	7 4 0

Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1918.

Marts.	WHEAT.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	4 5 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	4 8 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	(a)	(a)	6 4 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 8 0	8 8 0	5 12 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0	5 12 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 0 0	4 10 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	4 0 0	.....	4 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 8 0

(a) Not in stock.

MARTS.	KALAI DAL.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.*	Corresponding return of 1913.*
	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	9 0 0	9 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	8 8 0	7 8 0	4 8 0	5 10 0	6 8 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 8 0 to 11 0 0	8 8 0	5 12 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	.....	.....

* Figures not available.

Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of October 1918.

Marts.	GRAM.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	4 8 0	3 8 0
Chetla Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	5 8 0	5 4 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	4 10 0	5 2 0	3 0 0 to 3 12 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 8 0 to 7 0 0	5 8 0 to 7 0 0	4 8 0	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	4 12 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	.....	.....

Marts.	ARHAR DAL.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	51	52	53	54	55	56	57
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	6 12 0	6 12 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	5 6 0	4 12 0
Chetla Hat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	7 4 0	6 10 6	4 7 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	4 12 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 0 0	7 8 0 to 8 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	6 12 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 4 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	7 12 0	8 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	6 6 0	5 4 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	7 0 0	8 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	8 11 0	6 12 0	5 5 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	4 8 0

Wholesale price-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1918.

MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	5 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	10 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	32 0 0
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	7 0 0	10 0 0	10 8 0	5 8 0	11 0 0	9 8 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	25 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 8 0	8 8 0	4 8 0	10 8 0 to 11 12 0	9 8 0 to 11 0 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	10 0 0	50 0 0	50 0 0	40 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	8 8 0	8 8 0	5 0 0	10 4 0	10 0 0	8 4 0	11 0 0	11 8 0	11 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 10 0	8 8 0	8 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	7 8 0	7 0 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....

MARTS.	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	12 0 0	12 0 0	5 0 0	72 0 0	72 0 0	65 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Burdwan ...	.....(a)	.....	9 0 0	68 0 0	70 0 0	55 0 0	40 0 0	Per maund. 41 0 0	40 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Midnapore ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	75 0 0	70 0 0	58 0 0	225 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100 225 0 0	200 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	to 80 0 0 70 0 0	to 75 0 0 69 0 0	to 62 0 0 54 0 0	200 0 0	Uncleaned piece per 100. 200 0 0	275 0 0
Chandpur ...	9 0 0 to 12 0 0	8 4 0 to 12 0 0	4 0 0 to 5 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	68 0 0	73 0 0	56 0 0	.....	.....	...
Narayanganj ...	10 0 0 to 13 4 0	10 0 0 to 13 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 7 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Mymensingh ...	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Madaripur ...	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	8 4 0 to 11 12 0	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	90 0 0	87 0 0	62 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Rangpur ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	60 0 0	60 0 0	58 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	3 0 0

(a) Not in stock.

Wholesale prices-current of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1918.

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	35 0 0	35 0 0	24 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 10 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0(d)
Cheta Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	25 0 0 to 35 0 0	20 0 0 to 30 0 0	14 0 0	3 4 0	4 2 0	3 11 0	4 1 9	4 1 9	3 1 6(a)
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 24 0 0	3 0 0 to 24 0 0	3 0 0 to 20 0 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 14 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 0 0(a)
Chittagong ...	29 0 0	30 0 0	17 0 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	6 0 0†	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	4 4 0	4 8 0	5 4 0*	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 2 0(a)
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	24 0 0	32 0 0	18 12 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	5 0 0	3 3 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	22 0 0	14 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 4 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Mosque mark. | * Panga. | † Crushed. | (d) 4 Imperial gallons.

Marts.	Mustard Oil.			Firewood.			Coal (Bengal).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	25 0 0	25 0 0	15 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Cheta Hat ...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 11 0
Burdwan ...	25 8 0	25 8 0	16 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 6	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 6	0 8 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 13 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 3 3	0 2 10	0 2 6
Midnapore ...	28 0 0 to 30 0 0	26 0 0 to 28 0 0	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	30 0 0	29 0 0	16 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	29 0 0	33 0 0	19 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	28 0 0	28 0 0	16 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	30 0 0	24 0 0	19 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

DACCA,
The 31st October 1918.

N. GUPTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1918.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	District and Mart	Common Rice — Average. Present return.	Common Rice — Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice — Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice — Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice — Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		24-PARGANAS.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat ...	7 2	7 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	4 9	5 5	8 0	5 6	5 6	8 0	9 2	7 2	10 10*
	2	Magra Hat ...	8 0	8 8	9 7	9 6	9 5	10 0	...	...	8 0	5 5	5 5	7 4	10 0	10 0	8 8
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	6 13	6 13	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 6	4 6	8 0	5 14	5 14	6 8	10 0	10 0	8 6
		NADIA.															
	4	Gouri	7 8	7 9	8 10	8 0	8 6	9 8	3 8	5 5	6 10	5 5	5 13	7 4	10 10	10 10	13 8*
	5	Ranaghat	7 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8	10 0	5 4	6 5	6 6	5 4	6 0	6 4	9 0	10 8	10 8
		MURSHIDABAD.															
	6	Berhampur ...	8 8	8 4	10 8	8 12	8 8	10 12	3 4	3 4	7 0	6 8	6 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	13 0*
	7	Kandi ...	9 12	10 0	11 8	10 0	10 8	12 0	4 0	...	5 4	6 8	7 0	8 0	10 0	11 0	8 0
	8	Jangipur ...	8 8	8 8	10 8	9 0	10 10	11 8	...	...	6 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	12 0
		JESSORE															
	9	Sadar	10 0	10 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	10 0	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	10 0	12 0	8 0
	10	Bangaon ...	8 0	8 1	8 0	10 0	10 0	9 6	4 0	4 0	5 5	5 5	5 5	7 2	9 6	9 8	8 4
		KHULNA.															
	11	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 12	9 0	9 0	6 8	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 6	6 8	9 0	9 0	8 0
	12	Bagerhat ...	7 0	7 0	...	9 0	9 0	...	5 4	8 0	...	5 4	5 8	...	9 0	11 0	..
		BURDWAN.															
	13	Sadar	8 8	8 0	9 8	9 0	8 4	12 0	4 12	5 4	9 0	5 5	6 0	9 8	9 0	8 14	9 0
	14	Kalna	9 0	8 0	9 12	8 7	8 7	10 4	4 0	4 0	6 12	5 0	5 0	6 0	10 0	11 0	13 0*
		BIRBHUM															
	15	Suri	7 8	8 0	11 8	8 8	9 0	12 0	4 8	5 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 8	9 0	9 0	10 0
	16	Rampur Hat	8 0	8 12	10 8	8 8	9 6	11 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
		BANKURA.															
	17	Sadar	7 0	8 8	10 12	7 8	8 12	14 0	3 8	4 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	10 8	11 0	8 0
	18	Vishnupur	8 0	10 0	11 0	9 8	10 8	14 0	5 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	7 8	9 0	9 4	9 0
		MIDNAPORE															
Burdwan.	19	Sadar	8 1	9 6	9 11	8 6	9 11	10 6	4 0	4 0	7 0	4 0	4 0	8 0 / 10 / 8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
	20	Contai	10 0	11 0	12 0	11 0	12 0	13 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	8 8	9 0	10 8	8 8
		HOOGHLY.															
	21	Sadar	7 8	8 12	8 0	8 8	7 8	9 8	4 8	4 0	8 0	6 0	5 8	7 0	9 0	10 0	8 0
	22	Arambagh	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 4	4 0	4 0	5 8	5 0	5 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 0
		HOWRAH															
	23	Sadar . ..	7 8	7 8	8 4	8 0	8 4	9 12	4 4	4 8	8 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	24	Ulubaria	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	7 8	4 8	5 0	8 0	9 8	10 0	8 0
		RAJSHAHI.															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 2	6 15	8 4	8 4	7 14	8 10	4 0	4 14	6 0	5 4	5 4	6 12	9 12	9 12	6 12
	26	Nator	7 8	7 8	7 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 14	7 14	6 8	8 0	8 0	9 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	8 6	7 13	8 6	9 0	8 6	9 0	5 6	5 6	6 0	5 6	6 0	8 6	8 0	8 0	8 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	7 8	9 0	8 0	8 8	10 0	9 0	5 6	6 0	9 0	4 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8

* Karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1918—*concld.*

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	29	Sadar	6 0	6 12	7 12	7 0	8 0	8 8	4 0	5 8	5 4	4 0	5 0	5 4	6 8	7 0	8 0
	30	Siliguri	8 8	9 0	7 0	9 0	10 0	9 0	5 0	8 0	7 0	5 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	9 0
	32	Nilphamari	8 8	8 0	7 0	9 0	8 8	8 0	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 8
	33	Bogra—Sadar	5 8	5 11	7 0	8 4	8 4	9 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 6	4 14	6 0	9 5	9 8	8 4
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	9 0	9 8	7 2	9 12	10 0	8 0	6 0	9 8	6 8	5 8	5 4	7 0	8 0	8 0	9 0
	35	Sirajganj	7 8	6 0	7 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	6 8	7 4	7 8	6 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	11 4
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	8 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 8	10 0	5 0	4 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	7 0	8 0	9 0	7 0
	37	Balia—Nawabganj	8 8	9 8	10 0	8 12	10 0	10 8	4 8	5 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
Dacca.		Dacca.															
	38	Sadar	6 4	6 6	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 8	4 0	4 0	5 4	5 0	4 8	6 12	9 8	8 0	6 8
	39	Munshir Hat	8 0	8 8	...	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	...
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	6 10	6 10	7 11	6 10	6 10	8 8	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 4	5 4	6 0	8 0	8 0	9 8
	41	Netrakona	8 0	7 0	7 9	8 8	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 0	7 4	8 0	8 0	8 0
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	8 0	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 0	8 8	5 0	5 0	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
	43	Rajbari	8 0	8 0	9 10	8 12	8 12	10 0	5 10	5 10	8 0	4 13	4 13	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	7 10	8 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	9 0	5 5	8 0	10 0	5 13	5 5	7 4	8 0	9 2	10 4
	45	Pirojpur	8 0	8 0	7 4	...	...	7 4	...	...	7 0	8 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	7 11	7 10	7 6	7 14	7 14	7 8	5 0	5 4	5 8	4 10	4 10	6 8	8 12	8 8	6 8
	47	Chandpur	8 0	8 11	7 12	8 12	8 4	8 8	5 0	8 8	8 0	7 2	7 2	6 8	9 1	9 1	6 8
		Noakhali.															
Chittagong.	48	Kalitara Hat	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	9 0	9 0	6 8*
	49	Feni Hat	9 0	7 8	8 8	11 0	9 0	11 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	..	...	...	9 2	9 2	6 10
		Chittagong															
	50	Sadar	8 0	8 0	9 8	8 8	9 0	10 8	5 0	6 0	7 0	5 8	5 8	6 8	10 0	10 0	6 8
	51	Cox Bazar	8 8	8 8	10 0	...	...	10 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	6 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	9 0	9 0	6 8

* Crushed.

N. GUPTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA,
The 31st October 1918.

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 2nd November 1918.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs	A.	P.
Rice—												
Balam, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	10½	0	3	0
Patnai, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	12	0	0	2	4½	0	2	9
„ medium ...	5	14	0	6	8	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
Nagra, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	10	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	12	0	6	6	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Dudhkalma ...	6	0	0	6	8	0	0	2	0	0	2	3
Rangoon Boiled ...	.....			.....			....			.....		
Kajla	4	8	0	5	0	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
Wheat, Dudhia	7	12	0	.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali	7	0	0	.....			.....			.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	5	8	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ dal	6	8	0	7	0	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
Mung , (Hari)	11	8	0	12	0	0	0	5	0	0	6	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	9	8	0	10	0	0	0	4	6	0	5	0
Arhar „	6	12	0	8	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Masur „ (split)	4	4	0	5	4	0	0	2	3	0	4	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	6	8	0	7	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0
Kalai „	8	8	0	9	8	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Salt	3	8	0	3	8	6	0	1	9	.....		
Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	12	0	.....			0	5	0	0	5	6
Gur, Bheli	.....			.....			0	4	6	0	5	0
„ Bhursut	8	12	0	.....			0	4	0	.....		
Milk	9	0	0	11	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil	25	0	0	27	0	0	0	10	0	0	12	0
Flour (country)	9	10	0	11	0	0	0	4	6	0	5	3
Atta No. 3	6	0	0	.....			0	3	0	0	5	3
„ „ 2½	6	4	0	.....								
„ „ B	10	10	0	.....								
Suji	11	2	0	11	8	0	0	4	6	0	5	6
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	79	0	0	80	0	0	2	4	0	... ..		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	68	0	0	70	0	0	2	2	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	65	0	0	66	0	0	2	0	0	.....		
Maize	4	12	0	5	0	0	.....			.....		
Potato	6	12	0	7	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
Patal	.....			.....			0	5	0	0	6	0
Brinjal	2	0	0	2	4	0	0	1	6	0	2	0
Onion	4	6	0	5	12	0	0	2	0	.....		
Fish, Rahu	18	0	0	20	0	0	0	8	0	0	12	0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	4	0

N.B—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets :—

Wholesale—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar

S. C. RAY,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd November 1918.*

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Sangor Island	0·27	0·10	0·50	0·06	2·23	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	1·72	0·34	0·44	0·42	0·02	...	...	...	...
		Diamond Harbour ...	0·45	0·50	0·77	0·32	0·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·10	1·42	0·33	...	..	...	...	...	...
		Budge-Budge	...	0·16	0·20	0·14	1·56	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·14	2·91	0·06	0·15	0·06	0·15	...	...	...	...
		Canning Town	...	0·40	0·50	0·12	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·88	0·05	1·59	0·08	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipore ...	0·03	0·30	0·18	0·18	0·43	...	0·01	...	...	...	0·14	3·48	..	0·36	0·51	0·02	...	....	...	...
		Barrackpore	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	0·17	...	1·10	0·95	0·30	...	1·00	0·30	...	...	...	...
		Dum-Dum ...	0·40	0·30	0·05	...	0·45	0·05	...	...	0·25	...	0 40	0·35	...	0·32	...	1 60	...	...	...	...
		Barasat* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Basirhat* ...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·48	0·30	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nadia ...	Ranaghat ...	0·86	0·12	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	2·43	...	0·05	0·21	0·08	...	...	...	...
		Krishnagar ...	0·14	0·29	0·17	0·02	0·13	0·32	0·81	0·51	...	...	...	0·85	...	...	0·06	0·73	...	...	...	...
		Chuadanga ...	0·25	...	0·86	0·01	0·16	...	1·72	0·58	...	...	...	0·80	...	0·40	0·13	0·40	...	...	...	...
		Meherpur ...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haringhata ...	0·26	...	0·12	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...
	Murshida-bad.	Kandi ...	1·12	0·12	0·10	0·39	0·39	0·78	0·30	0·10	1·05	...	...	0·36	...	...	...	0·41	...	...	...	...
		Berhampore ...	0·46	...	0·02	...	0 11	3·50	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·93	0·45	0·08	...	...	...	...
		Lalbagh ...	...	0·20	...	...	0·46	3·81	0·82	0·23	0·73	0·03	0·19	0·05	0·53	0·03	2·04	0 45	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	3·30	1·50	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·26	0·43	...	...	...	...	...
		Jangipur ...	...	0·32	...	...	0·03	2·32	0·50	0·11	0·08	...	0·25	0·15	1·05	0·45	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola ...	...	...	...	0·15	2·50	0·85	...	0·65	...	...	...	0·46	...	0 65	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Akriganj ...	0·16	...	...	...	0·06	0·64	...	0·42	...	0·08	0·14	...	0·34	0·09	0·80	0·20	...	...	...	...
		Patkabari ...	0·04	...	...	...	3·41	1·38	0·20	...	...	...	0·09	0·43	0·63	1·81	0·30	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumkal ...	...	...	...	0·02	0·83	2·18	0·48	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·06	0·61	0·22	0·21	...	...	...	...
		Kaliyanganj ...	0·45	0·03	0·33	...	...	1·26	...	...	1·10	...	...	0·10	...	...	1·29	0·77	...	...	...	...
	Jessore ...	Narail ...	0·29	0·21	...	0·38	0·08	...	0·51	0·70	1·10	...	0·34	1·20	0·48	..	0 13	0·40	...	...	...	...
		Jessore ...	0·61	...	...	...	0·23	...	0·16	1·06	...	...	1·06	1·30	...	0·55	0·82	0·40	...	...	...	...
		Jhenida ...	0·03	...	...	0·21	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	0·53	0·03	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	0·02	...
		Magura ...	0·50	0·15	...	0·15	...	0·02	0·12	0·65	...	...	0·38	1·01	0·38	...	...	2 50	...	...	...	0·53
		Rangaon ...	0·33	0·13	0·12	...	0·20	...	...	0·39	...	0·03	0·43	0·48	...	0·30	0·33	0·03	...	...	...	0·20
	Khulna ...	Satkhira ...	0·13	...	0·20	...	...	...	..	0·36	0·40	...	...	1·79	0·14	0·47	0·48	0·56	...	...	...	0·46
		Bagerhat ...	0·50	...	...	0·35	0·60	0·19	0·54	0·40	0·10	...	0·58	2·60	0·11	0·60	0·06	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna ...	...	...	0·14	0·16	0·55	0· 0	0 18	0·10	0·23	0·03	0·13	2·20	0·06	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaligunj ...	0·07	0·03	0·13	0·10	0·18	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	2·24	0·06	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·15
		Nakipur* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumuria ...	0·07	0·21	0·04	0·12	...	...	0·06	2·11	0·22	0·05	0·02	2·03	0·09	0 14	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·61
		Rampal ...	0·66	0·07	0·05	0·30	...	0·10	0·10	0·08	0·08	0·15	1·25	1·03	0·02	0·50	...	0·02	...	...	...	...
		Kaluroa ...	0·05	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	2·04	0·22	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Paikgachha ...	0·33	0·02	0·04	0·08	0·04	...	0·35	0·31	0·02	...	0·66	1·19	0·01	0·05	0·52	...	...	...	...	1·35
		Mollahat ...	0·09	0·63	0·17	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	2·17	4·98	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Moreiganj ...	0·13	1·17	0·10	0·15	0·29	0·43	0·80	1·29	0·61	0·54	1·82	2·50	0·27	2·32	...	0·45	0·13	...	...	...
		Tala ...	0·24	...	0·20	0·16	0·05	...	0·67	0·50	0·19	...	...	3·55	0·08	1·90	...	...	...	0·12	0·51	...
BURDWAN	Burdwan..	Kalna ...	0·10	0·15	0·12	0·10	0·12	...	0·10	0·12	...	0·12	1·40	...	...	...	0·50	0·20	...	...	...	...
		Burdwan ...	0·70	0·13	0·35	0·46	0·10	0·80	0·47	0·09	0·02	...	0·77	0·65	...	0·05	2·40	0·01	...	...	...	...
		Katwa ...	0·77	0·19	0·39	0·91	0·63	1·22	0·18	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	0·11	0·53	...	...	...	...
		Asansol ...	0·39	0·19	...	0·06	0·50	0·56	0·61	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	1·46	0·17	0·02	...	...	...	0·61
		Maukar ...	0·15	...	0·08	0·11	0·14	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·55	0·15	0·13	...	...	...	...
		Mangalkot ...	0·80	1·00	0·40	0·40	0·20	0·30	...	0·20	...	0·30	...	...	0·20	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Boyna ...	0·12	0·18	0·35	0·35	1·60	1·66	0·80	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Monteswar ...	0·20	0·30	0·50	0·50	1·35	1·00	0·15	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Birbhum...	Suri ...	0·15	1·05	0·20	...	0·90	0·80	0·85	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·70	0·10	0·15	0·33	...	...	...	...
		Hetampur ...	...	...	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampur Hat ...	0·10	0·10	0·10	0·20	0·10	0·70	1·20	0·20	...	0·10	...	0·80	1·05	2·90	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur ...	0·15	0·40	0·07	0·05	0·30	0·25	0·45	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·18	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Murarai ...	0·55	0·15	0·15	0·05	0·10	0·40	0·45	...	...	...	0·70	0·10	2·10	0·40	0·50	...	...	...	...	...
		Labpur ...	0·08	1·00	...	0·21	0·71	0·43	0·04	0·50	...	...	0·30	0·30	0·55	0·10	0·56	0·58	...	...	...	...
	Bankura ...	Bankura ...	0	0·57	0·12	0·08	0·40	0·35	0·10	0·40	...	...	1·00	0·04	0·30	0·14	0	0·52	...	...	...	...
		Vishnupur ...	0·12	0·22	0·30	1·35	0·23	0·27	...	...	...	...	0·95	0·10	...	0·78	0·28	0·88	...	...	...	...
		Mallara ...	0·30	0·28	0·29	0·23	0·35	0·56	0·30	0·01	...	...	0·01	...	0·04	1·08	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Khatra ...	0·18	...	0·43	0·22	0·78	0·41	0·17	0·83	...	...	...	...	0·88	0·04	0·35	...	...	...	...	0·06
		Indas ...	2·06	0·80	0·19	0·02	0·29	0·31	0·26	0·09	...	...	...	2·49	...	0·02	0·35	0·94	...	...	...	...
		Kotalpur ...	1·29	0·95	0·30	0·18	0·50	0·28	0·36	0·03	...	...	...	0·19	...	0·39	0·17	0·71	...	...	...	...
		Onda* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gangajalghati	...	0·39	0·12	0·28	0·15	0·72	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·22	...	1·15	0·90	...	...	...	...	...
		Raipur ...	0·07	0·72	...	1·55	2·20	0·45	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·96	...	...	...	...	0·20
		Sonamukhi ...	...	0·08	0·10	1·23	0·07	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·45	3·55	0·70	...	...	...	...	...
		Taldangra	0·18	0·37	...	0·22	0·37	0·07	0·30	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	0·21
		Sarenga ...	...	0·76	0·17	0·20	1·93	1·09	0·75	...	...	0·04	0·02	0·07	...	...	0·37	...	...	...	...	...
		Indpur ...	0·03	...	...	0·04	0·30	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...
		Arhra ...	0·39	0·06	...	0·40	0·65	0·03	0·03	...	...	...	1·50	...	0·20	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barjora* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·02	0·33	...	...	...	...
		Simlapal ...	0·75	0·77	...	0·30	1·02	0·04	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mejia* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Midnapore	Contai ...	...	0·45	0·60	0·17	0·69	...	...	0·43	...	...	0·22	1·86	0·06	0·06	0·55	1·83	...	...	...	...
		Tamluk ...	0·27	0·51	0·49	0·27	1·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·25	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore ...	0·53	0·07	0·45	0·04	2·12	0·13	0·61	0·02	...	0·50	0·15	0·17	...	...	4·50	0·67	...	...	...	...
		Ghatal* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·70	0·10	1·75	0 58	...	...	...	...	...
		Kukrahati ...	...	0·18	0·56	...	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amlagora* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panskura ...	0·80	0·80	0·40	0·02	0·10	0·83	0·62	...	...	0·10	...	0·41	..	0·08	0·25	...	...	...	...	...
		Dantan ...	...	0·10	0·80	0·25	1·32	...	...	...	...	...	1·65	0·60	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·10	...	...
		Chandrakona*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pachet ...	...	0·50	0·58	0·49	0·90	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	1·62	...	...	...	0·28	...	0·45	...	...
		Bhagwanpur ...	0·07	0·05	0·03	0·18	1·18	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	0·72	1·12	...	...	0 58	...	...	...	...
		Kultikri ...	0·80	...	...	1·21	0·34	0·24	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nayabasan ...	...	1·10	...	0·30	1·46	...	1·14	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Silda(Belpahari)	0·60	0·03	...	1·55	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	0·15	0·62	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandri* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Goaltore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Salboni* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Naraingarh ...	0·19	0·29	0·32	0·14	0·31	0·19	0·12	0·28	0·21	0·19	0·11	...	...	0·25	0·39	2·56	...	...	...	...
		Ramnagar ...	0·59	0·34	...	1·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·58	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohanpur ...	...	0·74	0·26	0·70	...	...	0·16	...	...	0·40	1·50	0·05	0·15	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Henria* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jenka (*Khajuri*)	0·06	...	0·02	0·40	1·55	...	...	0·61	...	...	...	0·95	0·06	0·75	0·17	0·35	...	...	...	...
		Nandigram ...	0·13	...	0·15	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·70	2·10	3·50	0·05	0 85	...	...	...	...
		Moyna ...	0·05	0·06	0·12	0·48	0·04	...	0·62	...	...	0·38	1·47	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pingla ...	2·02	0·16	0·13	0·11	1·80	0·07	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·51
		Narajole ...	3·55	0·82	0·34	0·07	1·83	0·81	3·84	...	0·98	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1918.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th September 1918.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 30th September 1918.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	10	13·5	6·76	11·02	2·23	44·16	50·47	Saugor Island	24-Parganas	PRESIDENCY.
...	...	...	...	...	1·67	3·14	0·74	...	0·15	12	13·5	12·44	10·52	3·14	51·09	50·16	Diamond Harbour.		
...	...	...	...	...	1·85	3·47	0·30	0·10	...	12	13·8	11·27	10·81	3·47	47·23	48·71	Budge-Budge.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·73	3·70	0·20	...	...	8	12·9	10·34	10·05	3·70	49·63	46·77	Canning Town.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·93	1·60	0·59	0·25	0·39	14	13·2	9·31	9·38	3·48	43·31	46·94	Alipore.		
0·93	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	1·13	...	0·03	9	11·4	6·77	8·79	1·40	53·66	49·85	Barrackpore.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·59	0·95	0·92	0·09	...	11	13·4	6·72	9·48	1·60	42·79	48·10	Dum-Dum.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13·1	...	9·28	...	...	42·79	Baraset.		
...	...	...	...	19·2	...	1·22	...	...	1·50	8	11·2	7·81	6·77	2·48	54·99	48·68	Basirhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·38	0·10	0·15	...	9	10·8	4·99	8·41	2·43	45·73	40 30	Ranaghat ...	Nadia ...	
...	...	...	...	...	0·51	...	0·54	0·03	0·36	12	10·8	4·76	7·99	0·85	41·95	39·26	Krishnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	9	11·5	5·04	8·71	1·72	40·26	40·74	Chuadanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	1	11·2	0·88	8·16	0·70	37·36	40 28	Meherpur.		
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(a) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN.	Hooghly	Serampore ...	1·3	0·37	0·16	...	0·36	0·11	...	...	0·14	...	0·09	0·48	0·03	0·54	0·49	1·26	...	...	...	...
		Hooghly ...	0·20	0·25	0·05	0·10	0 45	0·33	...	...	1·12	0·05	0·45	0·75	0·08	...	1·10	0·87	...	...	...	...
		Arambagh ...	1·20	0·37	0·11	...	0·10	0·31	1·07	...	...	...	0·03	1·43	...	...	0·73	0·04	...	...	...	...
	Howrah	Howrah ...	0·60	0·59	...	0 33	0·24	...	0·10	...	...	...	1·00	2·97	0·11	0·17	0·96	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohesreka ...	0·29	0·55	0·12	0.39	0·45	0·06	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·82	0·03	...	0·52	0·16	...	...	...	...
		Uluberia ...	0·06	...	0·04	0·06	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·60	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amta ...	1·38	...	0·12	...	0 40	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	0·07	0·05	0·25	...	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI.	Bogra ...	Bogra ...	0 28	0·12	...	0·02	0·04	2·53	0·88	0·40	...	...	...	0·03	0·17	1·13	0·33	...	...	...	...	...
		Natur ...	...	...	0·21	0·17	...	...	...	0·43	...	0·21	0·54	2·35	0·06	4·38	0·76	0·46	...	...	...	0·60
		Naugaon* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bilmaria ...	...	...	...	...	0·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	1·13	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manda ...	...	...	...	0·03	0·61	0·27	2·97	2·79	...	...	...	1·01	1·10	0·35	0·04	0·53	...	...	...	...
		Mahadebpur...	...	...	...	0·84	...	3 77	1·61	...	...	...	2·81	0·56	1·21	...	0·06	0·52	...	...	...	...
		Tanor ...	...	...	...	0·10	0·07	1·60	1·50	0·95	0·33	...	...	1·20	0·50	0·80	0·05	0·33	...	...	...	...
		Chaugram‡ ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·90	0·65	0·15	0·60	0·30	...	...	...	0·15
	Dinajpur	Nitipur ...	...	...	...	0·25	0·35	1·65	...	...	...	...	0·20	3·30	1·10	0·90	2·00	0·45	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj*...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gangarampur	...	...	...	...	0·61	0·19	2·47	0·93	...	...	...	3·65	1·09	0·41	0·92	1·03	...	...	...	...
		Churamon ...	0·43	...	...	...	1·25	1·30	1·25	0·96	...	...	...	0·13	1·90	0·42	0·14	1·20	...	...	...	...
		Raiganj* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dalipur ...	0·23	0·41	...	0·04	0·33	0·38	3·20	0·90	...	...	...	1·70	1·33	0·80	0·36	0·65	0·15	...	...	...
		Balurghat ...	...	...	...	4·52	...	0·33	5·68	2·12	...	...	0·15	0·63	0·75	0·15	1·62	0·29	...	...	...	...
		Thakurgaon...	...	...	4·37	...	0·10	0·05	0 35	0·79	0·19	...	0·06	0·46	1·44	0·69	0·06	0·59	0·23	...	...	...
		Setabganj ...	...	...	0·50	0·40	0·65	0·60	0·96	3·33	...	...	1·56	...	4·10	1·15	0·72	0·50	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj ...	...	...	...	...	2·05	0·24	1·27	0·15	...	...	0·03	0·68	2·25	4·34	...	0·46	0·64	...	...	0 02
		Atwari ...	...	...	2·90	...	..	0·62	...	...	...	...	0·29	2·05	0·59	..	0·14	1·40	...	...	...	...
		Birganj ...	1·52	...	...	...	0·32	0·30	0·45	0·89	1·11	...	1·38	1·49	0·77	5·30	...	2·32	...	...	...	...
		Parbatipur ...	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·15	0·18	0·33	...	...	0·22	1·36	1·00	0·80	0·06	1·35	...	...	...	0·26
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri ...	0·04	0·03	2·34	0·05	...	0·57	0·57	0·38	0·12	0·83	1·61	0·03	0·63	0·98	...	1·25	2·67	0·02	0·92	0·04
		Alipur Duars ...	0·15	...	...	...	1·33	...	0·19	0·09	0·24	...	0·81	...	0·48	0·51	0·80	0·74	...	1·04	0·74	...
		Falakata* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Debiganj ...	...	1·62	0·31	1·61	0·15	0·34	0·33	0·10	...	0·81	1·55	0 70	0·74	0·73	1·06	0·29	..	1·20	...	0·04
		Bhadatpur (*Nagrakata*).	1·20	...	...	...	1·84	1·08	1·83	0·81	0·35	0·22	0·68	0·01	1·56	0·43	0·48	0·91	2 80	0·60	1·01	1·79
		Buxa ...	0·25	...	0·08	...	0·45	0·40	0·50	2·65	1·60	2·83	0·67	...	0·60	...	...	3·96	0·62	2·15	1·28	1·13
		Kalchini ...	...	...	0·09	0·65	1·50	0·06	...	0·58	0·02	...	0·43	...	0·72	0·85	0·11	2·08	2·96	3·50	1·96	1·08
		Kumargram ...	...	...	...	0·82	0·31	...	1·32	0·72	0·14	...	...	...	0·21	0·10	...	1·60	1·30	4·02	1·28	0·04
	Darjeeling	Siliguri ...	0·08	0·74	...	3·10	0·10	0·40	0·30	0·20	0·30	0·25	0·30	...	4·35	0·80	0·30	0·75	1·15	0·69	2·78	0·15
		Darjeeling ...	...	0·32	0·06	0·38	0·28	1·51	2·30	0·47	0·22	0·18	0·16	0·24	4·66	0·44	1·32	0·26	0·31	1·12	0·49	0·05
		Kalimpong ...	...	0 55	...	1·06	0·03	1·05	1·68	0·39	0·16	0·52	0·06	0·06	2·80	0·50	0·05	1·58	0·27	1·40	0·56	0·05
		Mungpoo ...	...	1·96	...	0·94	0·20	1·77	3·02	0·57	...	2·27	0·14	0·05	6·24	0·62	0·01	1·54	0·26	1·44	1·82	0·04
		Kurseong ...	2·44	1·04	0·42	1 11	2·27	0·78	1·94	0·65	1·24	0·12	0 24	0·65	7·54	0·32	0·45	0·26	0·11	4·76	2·23	0·11
		Pedong ...	0·01	...	...	1·80	0·67	1·02	1·03	0·72	0·67	0·66	0·22	0·37	2·57	0·72	0·10	0·92	0·72	0·49	0·11	0·06
	Rangpur	Bhawanigunj (*Gobandha*).	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·25	1·40	...	0·29	...	1·40	0·29	1·38	0·37	0·47	1·40	0·55	...	...	0·30
		Rangpur ...	..	...	...	0·11	...	0 18	0·98	0·23	0·02	...	0·09	0·64	0·58	0·75	0·58	0·07	0·02	...	...	0·26
		Pirganj ...	..	...	...	...	0·70	1·03	...	...	...	...	3·29	...	...	0·38	...	0·87	0·77	0·61	...	...
		Kurigaon ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	0·56	...	...	...	1·35	0·55	0·44	1·20	0·40	0·84	0·40	...	...	0·25
		Gobindganj ...	...	...	...	...	1·30	0·40	...	0·11	2·38	1·40	1·10	0·36	...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nagdogra (*Silphamari*).	...	...	...	...	0·79	...	...	0·59	0·21	...	0·19	0·56	1·01	3·08	0·31	1·35	2·11	...	...	...
		Ulipur ...	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·30	1·05	0·35	0·05	...	1·02	0·16	0·70	0·77	...	0·15	0·43	...	...	0·12
		dundergunj ...	...	...	...	...	...	2·32	2·44	0·22	0·08	...	0·48	0 60	0·62	1·22	0·19	0·83	1·06	...	...	0·30
		Saidpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...										
	Bogra	Sherpur ...	...	...	..	...	0·42	0·95	0·21	0·80	...	...	2·75	1·58	0 87	1·85	0·25	1·66	0·26	...	...	...
		Nowkhilla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	3·25	5·00	...	...	1·85	0·30	...	...	...	...
		Bogra ...	0·04	...	...	...	0·39	0·02	0·67	1·05	...	...	0·73	1·05	1·11	1·08	2·24	1·03	0·58	...	...	...
		Pauchbibi ...	...	...	...	...	1·50	0 35	0·21	2·35	...	0·23	0·24	0·61	0·58	0·62	0·16	0·11	...		...	0·20
		Khetlal* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pabna	Shahzadpur ...	...	...	...	...	0 87	...	1·40	0·71	...	2·34	2·38	0·40	0·38	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...
		Pabna ...	0·09	0·03	...	0·40	0·19	0·15	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·05	1·80	0·30	1·25	0·23	...	...	...	...
		Sirajganj ...	...	...	...	...	2·37	...	0·78	0·75	0·05	...	2·91	1·95	0·50	0·01	...	0·88	0·19	...	...	...
		Sara ...	...	...	...	...	0·55	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	1·65	0·09	0·15	0·08	0·07	...	...	...	...
	Malda	Malda ...	...	...	...	...	0·06	4·05	0 80	1·35	...	...	...	0·22	1·96	0·83	0·15	0·18	...	...	...	...
		Chanchal ...	...	0·43	...	0·07	0·65	2·21	0·71	0·45	...	...	...	0·27	1·26	0·16	0·11	0·04	...	...	...	...
		Gazol ...	...	...	...	...	...	2·20	0·85	2·50	...	...	...	0·50	2·50	0·38	2·65	...	...	...	...	...
		Sibganj ...	...	...	...	...	0·15	1·90	...	0·25	0·83	...	...	0·10	1·35	1·14	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gomastapur ...	...	...	...	0·61	0·33	0·84	1·49	0·25	...	...	...	0·25	3·25	0·30	0·84	0·36	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 93	...	...	...	2·10	1·50	1·57	1·69	...	...	...	...	...	...
DACCA.	Dacca ..	Munshiganj ...	...	...	...	0·04	0·12	0·14	0·57	1·64	0·75	...	0·67	1·40	0 92	0·36	0·18	0·19	...	...	...	...
		Dacca ...	...	...	...	0·01	1·76	0·06	0·19	0·26	0·08	0·85	0·20	1·70	0·60	0·30	0·08	0·20	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj ...	0·73	0·03	...	...	1·96	1·34	0·25	0·07	1·38	...	0·25	1 80	0·73	0·24	...	...	...	1·50	...	...
		Narayanganj ...	0·01	...	...	0·09	0·12	0·17	0·66	2·61	1·18	0·08	0·23	0·69	1·41	0·81	0·24	0·07	0·05	...	...	...
		Narsingdi ...	0·04	...	...	...	0·19	0·14	0·07	1·14	0·06	0·56	1·06	0 23	0·21	0·03	0·81	0·55	0·04	0·42	...	...
		Manikganj ...	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	0·31	...	0·11	0·27	0·10	1·58	0·10	...	0·34	0·66	...	...	...	0·35
		Joydebpur ..	0·08	...	...	...	0·17	0·18	0·52	...	0·70	1·10	0·58	0·98	0·69	0·42	0·04	2·20	...	...	...	0·07
		Kapasia ...	1·20	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·20	...	0·16	...	0·04	1·00	2·35	...	0·32	2·00	1·00	1·15	...	...
	Mymensingh	Kishorganj ...	3·11	0·61	...	...	...	0·17	0·62	2·06	0·25	0·43	0·06	0·90	...	0·18	..	0·85	...	0·25	0·13	...
		Atia (Tangail).	...	...	...	...	1·20	0·31	...	...	0·06	...	2·10	1·70	0·38	...	...	0·25	0·35	...	...	...
		Sarisabari ...	0·50	...	...	0·45	...	0·10	1·25	...	...	...	1·75	1·20	1·49	0·40	0·10	0·45	2·50	...	...	...
		Mymensingh ...	...	0·01	...	...	0·27	0·14	0·15	2·45	0·14	0·09	2·25	0·29	0·22	0·40	0·81	0·14	1·22	0·51	...	...
		Jamalpur ...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	0·54	1·65	...	...	1·45	0·05	0·55	2·32	0·60	0·90	0·61	...	...	0·39
		Netrakona ...	0·04	0·03	0·04	...	0·30	2·61	0·17	2·42	0·13	0·08	1·72	0·56	0·68	0·58	0·94	0·25	0·72	1·17	0·02	0·04
		Pingna* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Durgapur ...	...	...	...	2·00	2·50	0·45	2·75	0·75	...	1·50	1·70	1·15	1·40	0·70	1·70	1·80	...	...	...	...
		Sherpur* (Town)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dewanganj ...	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·85	1·07	0·80	0·37	...	1·08	0·27	3·02	0·71	1·55	0·37	...	...	...	0·28
		Nalitabari ...	...	..	0·38	...	...	1·80	...	1·21	1·35	...	0·77	0·55	...	...	...	1·08	2·10	...	...	...

* Return not received. † The Rain gauge was under water from 28th to 29th due to high flood.
‡ The station was under flood water, consequently no rainfall could be recorded from 1st to 11th.

BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1918—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 31st Sept. 1918.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 30th Sept. 1918.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.
...	...	...	...	...	0·16	1·42	0·44	0·18	...	14	11·9	7·89	9·06	1·43	30·66	43·08	Serampore ...	Hooghly	BURDWAN.
...	...	...	...	...	0·30	3·05	0·30	...	0·30	14	12·0	10·10	8·17	3·05	47·32	39·51	Hooghly.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·70	0·02	...	8	13·1	6·10	8·74	1·43	46·75	48·56	Arambagh.		
1·15	0·07	...	...	...	0·33	0·97	0·66	...	0·18	15	12·5	10·42	8·96	3·97	40·70	43·52	Howrah ...	Howrah	
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·76	0·28	0·18	..	11	11·7	4·66	8·39	0·83	44·83	46·14	Mohesreka		
...	...	...	...	...	0·82	0·82	0·50	...	...	6	11·9	6·10	8·41	2·60	38·12	42·49	Uluberia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·03	0·46	0·08	0·27	9	11·4	5·34	8·45	1·78	45·40	43·67	Amta.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·84	...	...	9	12·1	7·83	9·92	1·84	55·18	41·73	Boalia ...	Rajshahi	RAJSHAHI.
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	10	12·2	7·26	10·55	3·25	59·48	45·49	Nator.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·2	...	10·69	...	...	44·94	Naugaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·26	...	0·30	...	6	15·7	4·27	9·72	1·26	52·23	41·39	Bilmaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	8	10·4	14·72	9·77	7·97	57·66	42·98	Manda.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·42	...	...	...	8	11·3	11·81	10·80	3·77	52·65	46·21	Mahadebpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·75	...	11	10·3	8·58	6·73	1·60	48·06	36·99	Tanor.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	(n)	3·75	(n)	1·90	...	(n)	Chaugram.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	10·9	9·40	9·60	2·30	54·00	43·62	Nithpur ...	Dinajpur	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·4	...	11·78	...	...	57·89	Nawabganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	11·5	11·30	10·46	3·65	83·55	52·72	Gangarampur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·36	...	11	11·6	10·54	11·30	1·90	67·24	49·38	Churamon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·4	...	10·87	...	...	52·03	Raiganj.		
0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	13	12·6	10·27	12·07	3·30	91·09	53·96	Dinajpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	11·1	16·24	10·18	6·66	86·32	47·11	Balurghat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	13	11·5	11·22	14·21	4·27	88·25	57·92	Thakurgaon.		
...	...	0·49	0·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	11·7	11·64	11·89	4·10	85·21	56·37	Setabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	13·2	8·97	12·58	2·23	76·68	60·26	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·81	...	8	14·0	8·90	13·78	2·90	...	83·73	Atwari.		
0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	13	13·0	16·48	10·47	5·30	94·78	57·13	Birganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	11·9	6·48	10·77	1·35	83·99	54·51	Parbatipur.		
0·09	...	...	0·25	0·17	...	...	...	...	0·99	15	15·4	13·30	22·09	2·34	114·21	101·67	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri	
3·35	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	15	13·1	13·41	23·44	3·33	134·31	110·55	Alipur Duars.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13·3	...	17·38	...	...	90·12	Falakata.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·95	...	16	12·9	12·37	14·42	1·62	102·04	68·48	Debiganj.		
0·42	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	..	0·80	19	18·2	18·89	24·49	2·80	116·95	120·34	Bhagatpur (*Nagrakata*).		
0·65	1·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·65	3·55	18	20·0	25·41	30·93	3·95	154·99	164·69	Buxa.		
0·57	1·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·65	15	15·6	18·12	19·73	3·50	120·66	114·13	Kalchini.		
0·62	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·98	14	(n)	13·86	24·03	4·02	126·61	125·78	Kumargram.		
0·24	0·34	...	0·10	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·60	20	15·8	15·19	20·60	4·35	120·27	78·00	Siliguri ..	Darjeeling	
0·05	...	0·02	..	0·06	0·41	0·09	0·15	0·38	0·06	20	17·0	15·87	17·94	4·66	107·82	73·26	Darjeeling.		
...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·53	0·09	13	13·1	14·45	11·97	2·80	76·54	53·21	Kalimpong.		
0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·18	16	15·5	22·00	17·12	6·24	117·42	72·96	Mongpoo.		
0·12	...	0·04	...	0·02	0·05	...	...	0·34	0·18	22	19·9	20·25	23·81	7·34	149·06	99·03	Kurseong.		
0·10	0·01	...	0·02	0·22	...	...	0·23	0·29	...	21	19·3	13·63	14·19	2·37	93·27	57·35	Pedong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	12	10·9	8·60	13·21	1·40	73·28	40·49	Bhawaniganj (*Gaibandha*).	Rangpur	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	13·4	6·49	12·81	0·96	68·80	47·45	Rangpur.		
...	...	...	...	0·61	...	...	...	0·80	...	9	11·2	9·96	12·42	3·49	105·88	42·11	Pirganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	13·0	6·25	14·29	1·85	73·12	51·68	Kurigaon		
...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	11·2	8·19	13·11	2·38	93·19	39·91	Gobindganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	...	11	13·8	10·75	14·42	3·03	86·36	51·22	Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	12	11·7	5·35	13·77	1·05	80·55	45·48	Ulipur.		
0·58	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	13	11·9	11·17	12·71	2·44	78·46	42·40	Sunderganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·5	...	11·51	...	...	41·91	Saidpur.		
...	...	...	0·09	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	11	12·1	11·70	10·20	2·75	69·40	34·29	Sherpur ..	Bogra ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	11·7	11·00	10·74	5·00	77·55	36·77	Nowkhilla.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	...	...	...	11	12·9	10·41	10·97	2·34	75·60	38·18	Bogra.		
...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	11·7	8·16	11·38	3·35	69·25	35·78	Panchbibi.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	(n)	8·50	6·69	2·38	45·05	28·10	Shahzadpur ...	Pabna ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·01	...	...	7	11·5	4·20	9·24	1·50	34·42	31·51	Pabna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	8	11·7	10·58	9·24	2·91	68·83	32·98	Sirajganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	(n)	3·79	7·80	1·68	31·70	30·87	Sara.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	9	11·2	9·24	10·00	4·05	73·04	31·05	Malda .	Malda ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	10·7	6·86	9·86	2·21	55·16	35·28	Chanchal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	11·3	12·88	10·26	3·65	80·11	32·90	Gazol.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·70	...	...	..	8	11·8	8·42	9·38	1·70	47·35	30·51	Sibganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10·6	8·05	6·84	3·25		28·54	Gomastapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	11·7	9·98	6·88	2·92	60·38	28·83	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	1·32	...	13	12·6	8·80	10·56	1·64	73·20	38·65	Munshiganj ...	Dacca ...	DACCA.
...	...	...	..	...	0·01	1·25	0·05	1·21	...	12	11·7	8·93	9·15	1·76	55·61	35·72	Dacca.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·34	2·04	0·17	13	(n)	13·88	5·66	3·04	77·61	35·56	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·49	0·02	1·17	...	12	11·9	10·80	9·64	2·61	70·02	37·32	Narayanganj.		
0·10	0·13	...	...	...	...	0·95	...	6·40	0·07	15	(n)	13·70	6·01	6·40	72·85	35·33	Narsingdi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	0·30	0·22	0·57	14	10·7	5·90	8·23	1·58	53·13	31·27	Manikganj.		
...	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·64	...	0·83	0·21	12	13·5	9·31	9·71	2·20	67·35	36·94	Joydebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·06	0·50	..	12	(n)	8·32	8·66	2·00	56·72	33·03	Kapasia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	3·76	2·00	15	13·9	14·63	12·64	3·76	92·94	45·19	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·15	...	8	10·1	6·68	8·58	2·10	46·20	31·53	Atia (*Tangail*)		
...	...	..	...	...	...	0·10	0·19	0·05	...	13	(n)	10·63	6·10	2·50	63·91	33·80	Sarishabari.		
...	0·14	...	...	...	0·91	0·78	1·02	2·77	0·08	18	15·3	16·90	14·11	3·45	55·87	49·32	Mymensingh		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	0·07	...	9	15·3	9·34	13·80	2·32	61·41	41·82	Jamalpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	0·68	6·05	0·32	17	15·5	19·87	15·01	6·05	85·48	58·58	Netrakona.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8·0	...	6·68	...	...	26·60	Pingna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·65	1·75	...	...	14	14·0	21·60	19·46	2·75	164·79	76·61	Durgapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12·6	...	13·18	...	...	46·45	Sherpur (*Town*)		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	10·0	10·42	11·52	3·03	68·36	41·61	Dewanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	9	12·6	9·69	14·65	2·20	92·99	56·76	Nalitabari.		

(n) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN

Division	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Dacca—concluded.	Faridpur...	Madaripur ...	0·52	0·12	0·05	0·19	1·03	0·22	0·13	0·38	0·06	0·24	0·64	0·82	0·09	0·22	0·13	0·54	...	...	...	...
		Faridpur ...	0 54	0·50	...	0 05	3·04	0 25	0·62	0·15	0·68	0·01	1·22	2 34	0·02	0·18	0·38	0·94	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari ...	1 20	0·45	...	0·67	0·44	...	0·48	0·45	...	...	0·30	3·56	0·09	...	0·41	0·50	...	...	...	0·23
		(Goalundo),																				
		Harikaspur ...	0·03	0·05	0·03	0·11	0·58	0·01	0·02	0·18	0·09	0·02	0·10	1·33	0·01	0·13	0·28	(·91	...	...	...	...
		Takirhat ...	0·33	0·51	0·04	0 01	0·03	0·04	0·60	0·11	0·07	0·24	0·20	0·72	0·29	0·64	0 02	0·40	0·02	0·01	...	...
		Bhanga ...	0·12	...	0·55	0·40	0·77	0·30	0·28	0·65	0·21	1·15	0·50	0·15	0·03	0·12	0·07	...	...	...	...	...
		Pangsa ...	...	0·13	0·11	0·28	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	0·35	1·50	0·11	0·09	0·02	...	...	...	...	...
		Balliakandi ...	0·35	1·18	...	0·14	0·24	0·01	0·12	0·49	0· 9	0·01	0·28	4·86	0 02	0·17	0·49	...	0·62	...	...	...
		Dhusua ...	0·19	..	...	...	0·43	0·07	...	0·71	0 49	...	1·03	4·10	0·20	0·21	...	...	...	...	0·33	...
		Palong ...	...	0·10	0 05	0·15	1·35	0·15	...	...	2 35	...	1·74	...	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali ...	0 22	0·73	0·11	0·79	0·84	0·33	0·35	0·30	3·10	0·21	1·90	0·94	0·10	1·86	0·04	0·11	0·04	...	0·55	...
		Barguna ...	0·26	0·08	0·39	0·78	0·17	0·25	3·20	0·79	...	1·17	2·12	...	0·84	1·05	0·11	0·12	0·10	...	...	...
		Pirozpur ...	0·15	0·01	...	0·06	0·55	0·62	(·61	1·65	0·16	1 41	0·34	3·54	0·30	1·03	0·31	...	...	...	...	...
		Barisal ...	0·04	0·39	0·21	0·21	0·92	1·90	0·06	2·41	0 56	0·07	0·12	1·15	0·04	0·89	...	0 08	0·10	...	...	...
		Gaurnadi ...	0·14	0·05	...	1·15	0·18	0·25	0·08	1·08	0·02	0·74	1·35	0·48	0·25	0·45	...	...	0 15	...	...	...
		Bhola ...	0·21	0·08	0·16	0·05	0·33	2·00	1·03	0·90	0·05	0·54	0·93	0·98	0·36	2·05	0 60	...	0·06	...	0·04	...
		Daulatkhan ...	...	0·20	...	0·10	0·12	0·38	0·05	0·15	0 26	0·18	0·33	1·65	0·40	0·20	0 62	0·12	0·22	...	0·15	...
		Bauphal ...	0·91	0·18	1·09	1·90	...	...	0·57	0·27	0·80	1·54	1·41	0·65	1·10	1·19	...	0·37	0·04	0·47	...	...
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar ...	...	0·09	...	0·12	0·47	1·22	0·22	0·13	0·12	0·09	0·08	3·31	0·36	0·01	1·22	0·22	0··2	0·52	...	...
		Chittagong ...	0·04	...	0·46	0·05	0·07	0·06	0·67	0·02	...	0·05	0·11	0·17	...	...	...	0·14	1·62	0·37	...	...
		Katubdia ...	...	...	...	...	0·44	1·39	0·06	0·15	0·08	...	0·60	0 90	0·20	...	0·11	0·20	...	...	...	...
		Satkania ...	...	1·50	...	0·38	1·44	0·14	..	...	0·40	0·60	1·26	0·22	...	...	0·75	0·07	0·10	...	...	...
		Kodala ...		1·82	0·08	0 20	0·47	0·75	0·09	0·19	1·31	0·49	0·20	...	...	...	0 14	1·62	2·20	1·07	...	0·24
		Mirsarai ...	0·74	...	...	...	0·80	1·07	0·43	...	0·42	0·25	0·36	2·80	0·10	0·72	2·14	0·38	0·27	0·10	...	...
	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	0·17	0·81	0·05	...	0·10	0·82	...	...	...	...	1·15	0·51	0·76	...	0 99	0·38	0·23	0·37	...	...
		Chandpur ...	0·07	...	0·04	...	0·38	2·46	0·53	0·70	4·12	0·45	0·26	0·87	0·46	0·45	0·40	0·13	0·10	...	...	...
		Brahmanbaria	0·17	0·46	...	...	0·04	0·78	...	..	...	0·04	0·11	0·46	...	...	0 08	0·47	1·31	0·05	...	0·05
		Ramchandrapur	1·00	...	...	1·03	1·40	...	...	0·30	...	0 32	1·28	0·55	...	0·37	1·10	1·65	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·25	1·48	...	...	0·38	0·62	2·78	2·23	...	...	0·88
		Daudkandi ...	0·22	...	...	2·05	...	0 85	0·18	1·32	...	..	0·55	2·15	0·55	0·25	1·20	0·55	0·21	0·25	...	...
		Kasba^ ...	0·43	0·43	0·82	0 84	0·74	...	0·05	0·13	0·90	0·10	0·15	0·12	0·30	...	0·42	0·40	...	...	...	...
		Laksam ...	0·35	0·05	...	...	0·45	0·30	0·12	...	0 05	0·07	0·78	1·39	0·95	0·40	0·70	0·34	0·35	...	0·84	...
	Noakhali...	Noakhali ...	...	...	0·12	...	1·30	1·13	0·45	0 74	0·90	0·04	2·75	2·45	1·40	0·05	0·16	0·46	...	...	1·95	...
		Feni ...	1·12	0·04	0·54	...	0·96	0·45	1·65	...	0·95	0·12	0·18	0·96	0·60	0·92	0·62	1·10	1·22	...	1·36	...
		Hatiahpur ...	...	...	...	...	3·85	1·65	...	...	1·74	...	0·40	0·84	1·35	1·04	2·45	0·46	0·28	0·43	...	...
		Ramgan) ...	...	...	...	0·85	2 20	0·50	...	1·95	...	1·56	0·85	1·65	2·00	1·20	...	0·20	...	2·10	...	...
		Chhagalnaiya	0·49	0·39	0·55	...	0·20	0·95	1·10	0·10	...	...	0·15	0·40	0·17	...	0·30	0·75	0·35	0·30	...	...
		Hajiya ...	0·10	0·11	...	0·59	1·08	0·91	0·96	0·04	0·13	2·30	0·85	0·24	0·76	1 67	0·82	0·0	...	1·85	0·18	0···
		Lakhmipur*...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	3·20	0·17	2·40	0·06	0·82	0·15	1·83	...	0·62	0·96	0·52	...	0·32	0·26	0·58	0·11	2·60	0·94	...	...
		Baaderban ...	0·21	0·04	0·20	0·02	0·06	0·54	0·49	...	0·04	0·09	0·43	0·30	0·75	...	...	0·17	0·31	1·90	0·04	...
		Barkal ...	0·50	0·60	1·52	0·61	0 33	0·54	0·86	...	0·33	0·14	1·60	0·88	0·04	0·16	0·86	0·10	2·07	0·60	0·12	...
		Mahalcheri ...	0·16	1·29	0·06	0·02	0·19	1·08	...	0·05	0·30	0·27	0·10	0·41	...	1·23	1·68	2·32	0·35	0·23	...	...
		Lama ...	...	...	0·05	...	0·13	1·72	0·77	0·36	0·23	...	0·39	0·25	0·26	...	0·90	0·21	0·84	1·64	0···	...
		Rajbarh ...	0·15	0·52	...	0·33	0·41	0·40	...	...	0·86	0·21	0·05	1·16	0·62	...	1·17	0·44	0·75	...	...	...
	Hill Tippera.	Atartain ...	0·55	0·01	0·04	0·21	0·32	0·18	...	0·35	0·07	0·54	0·07	...	0·21	0·32	0·04	0·51	0·91	0·01	...	...
Cooch Behar.	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·15	...	...	...	...	0·45	1·60	0·72	0·95		2·94	...	0·59	0·42
		Cooch Behar...	0·19	...	1·08	0·08	0·59	0·04	0 19	0·07	...	...	...	0·24	0·80	0·09	0·23	0·35	1·82	0·67	1·16	0·12
		Mekliganj ...	0 28	...	0·09	0·08	0·84	0·54	0·48	0·65	0·37	...	0·07	0·22	1·41	0·06	0·87	2 90	2·19	...	2·38	...
		Mathabhanga ...	...	...	1·26	0·50	0 84	0·58	0·48	0·06	0·24	0·05	0·02	0·08	1·41	0·37	0·03	1·56	1·26	0·67	1·89	0·04
		Fulbari ...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·42	0·44	0·07	1·65	0·50	0·79	2·39	0·09	0 43	0 07

* Return not received.

DACCA,
The 30th October 1918.

BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1918—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th September 1918.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 30th September 1918.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·08	0·04	2·02	0·05	14	11·3	7·49	8·33	2·01	52·18	38·85	Madaripur ...	Faridpur	Dacca—*concld.*
...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·40	0·85	0·32	...	14	12·1	9·52	9·24	2·24	60·97	35·06	Faridpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	0·01	12	10·7	8·82	8·07	3·56	54·88	31·42	Rajbari (Goalundo).		
...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·33	1·35	0·17	...	12	(*n*)	5·85	6·34	1·35	59·75	33·86	Haridaspur.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·60	0·72	1·42	...	13	(*n*)	7·06	7·37	1·42	50·30	40·64	Taki bhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	1·01	0·72	...	15	(*n*)	7·95	6·29	1·15	46·18	39·61	Bhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	(*n*)	2·64	5·39	1·50	44·78	33·37	Pangsa.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·69	0·39	...	...	13	(*n*)	10·09	6·15	4·86	51·58	34·30	Balakandi		
...	...	...	...	...	...	3·03	...	...	0·89	11	(*n*)	11·68	7·38	4·10	45·94	33·01	Bhuona.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·20	...	5·40	...	10	(*n*)	12·94	6·37	5·40	70·95	45·05	Pasang.		
...	...	...	...	0·30	0·13	3·70	2·08	0·83	0·98	22	14·9	19·76	13 40	3·10	108·76	56·75	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj	
...	...	...	0·18	0·02	0·49	4·69	0·09	...	...	17	14·0	17·80	11·79	4·69	100·87	55 06	Barguna.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·34	1·86	0·28	1·15	16	15·6	13·46	10·32	2·54	57·23	41·61	Pirozpur.		
...	...		0·20	0·04	0·06	3·39	2·67	0·79	0·15	16	14·8	16·45	11·16	3·39	69·51	43·70	Barisal.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·30	0·65	5·00	...	15	12·2	11·87	8·76	5·00	52·58	36 39	Gournadi.		
...	...	...	...	0·16	...	1·67	5·20	1·00	1·00	17	14·9	19 33	11·55	5·20	80 24	47·65	Bhola.		
...	...	...	...	0·85	...	2·07	3·60	0·30	1·15	20	14·3	19·80	12·38	3·60	89·87	53·77	Daulatkhan.		
...	...	...	...	0·15	3·38	5·75	0·55	0·38	...	19	13·5	22·40	13·93	5·75	101·03	46·89	Bauphal.		
...	...	0·85	...	0·36	0·02	8·91	2·75	1·33	1·82	18	14·8	24 64	14·58	8·91	168·22	83 10	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong	Chittagong.
...	0·04	0·02	...	0·02	...	0·31	0·07	1·81	1·43	10	13·7	6 90	12·52	1 63	93·89	57 99	Chittagong.		
...	...	0·23	.../	0·70	0·68	5·20	0·80	3·99	2·47	15	13·7	17·92	11·96	5·20	130·79	63·64	Ku ubdia.		
...	0·20	...	0·18	...	...	0·08	0·41	0·40	...	15	14·2	9 03	11·24	1·50	112·19	55 04	Satkania.		
...	...	...	0·13	..	0·25	0·11	0·75	0·96	...	18	16·3	13·16	11·22	2·20	97·16	49·26	Kodom.		
0·11	...	...	0·49	[0·78	2·18	0·05	2·35	2·00	0·30	21	15·7	18·51	15·40	3·60	103·51	63 73	Mirsarai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·37	3·51	0·70	14	13·3	11·06	10·53	3·51	67·10	44·23	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·51	0·14	3·57	...	16	13·7	15 85	10·39	4·12	65·98	40 22	Chandpur.		
0·75	...	...	...	...	...	0·37	0·10	1·77	1·06	12	13·0	7·99	10·19	1·77	54·79	37·39	Brahmanbaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	2·74	0·21	...	13	9·9	13·45	9·16	2·73	93·77	38·41	Ramchandrapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·93	1·05	1·80	...	16	13·1	12·70	10·63	2·78	50·88	38 78	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	...	0·16	...	...	0·03	...	2·60	0·10	16	10·1	13·57	8·00	2·60	69·23	35 53	Daudkandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	2·14	...	15	11·3	8·26	8·95	2·14	60·30	36 37	Kasba.		
0·38	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·60	0·73	3·87	0·06	17	12·0	13·05	10·86	3·87	71·95	45 96	Laksam.		
...	...	...	...	0·12	...	1·65	0·80	3·54	1·42	17	15·7	21·43	16·48	3·54	85·84	64·53	Noakhali ...	Noakhali.	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	0·04	0·12	1·30	0·09	2·65	3·27	19	15·0	20·45	13·97	3·27	89·73	61·43	Feni.		
...	...	...	...	0·28	...	2·35	0·12	3·53	0·51	16	15·9	18·34	17·01	3·53	...	65·18	Hatiahpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	2·53	1·10	2·68	...	...	14	13·4	21·96	11·31	2·68	89·39	44·76	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	3·40	0·27	3·60	1·85	18	14·6	15·45	13·11	3·60	85·57	57·70	Chhagalnaiya.		
...	...	...	0·53	...	4 05	1·56	0·73	0·52	...	22	15 9	20 38	16·16	4·05	99·19	66·28	Hatiya.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14·3	...	13 63	...	...	54·13	Lakhnipur.		
...	...	...	...	0·45	...	1·15	...	0·78	0·35	19	15·8	17·02	11·69	3·40	103·16	48·37	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	...	0·16	...	0·03	...	0·48	0·40	0·21	0·25	15	17·4	5·53	12·34	1·00	98·14	54·31	Bandarban.		
...	...	...	...	1·97	...	1·07	0·35	0·12	0·18	22	17·6	15·53	14·34	3·07	92·04	55·39	Barkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	1 02	...	0·56	0·40	...	16	(*n*)	11·14	(*n*)	2·32	96·52	(*n*)	Mahalcheri.		
0·05	0·65	0·39	...	0·25	...	1·76	0 65	0·40	0·10	20	(*n*)	13·44	(*n*)	1·76	114·44	(*n*)	Lama.		
0·15	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	1·98	0·62	...	16	(*n*)	10 67	(*n*)	1 98	72·19	(*n*)	Rumgarh.		
...	...	...	...	...	0 34	0·16	1·68	0·43	...	14	13·4	7·25	9·42	1·68	53·01	37·03	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera	
0·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	10	13·9	9·54	19·42	2·94	84·92	64·53	Dhubata ...	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar.
0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	1·09	0·67	16	15·3	9·99	28·72	1·32	122·59	85·59	Cooch Behar.		
0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	14	14·0	14 29	17·29	2·90	108·27	65·23	Mekliganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	13	14 6	11·34	19·61	1·89	94·93	73·40	Mathabhanga.		
0·36	...	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	0·76	...	12	15·8	8·96	23·89	2·39	113·37	78·98	Phulbari.		

(*n*) Not ascertained

N. GUPTA,

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal, with a population

Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births Registered.		Deaths		
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan ...	20,527	15,394	35,921	35	...	7	...	...
	2	Raniganj ...	8,417	7,080	15,497	15	...	...	...	...
	3	Asansol ...	12,486	9,433	21,919	39	...	...	...	...
Bankura ...	4	Bankura ...	12,156	11,297	23,453	37	...	...	...	...
	5	Vishnupur ...	10,025	10,453	20,478	42	...	...	...	...
	6	Sonamukhi ...	6,254	7,021	13,275	26	1	...	...	...
Midnapore ...	7	Midnapore ...	17,577	15,163	32,740	44	...	...	...	...
	8	Ghatal ...	6,216	5,848	12 064	7	...	1	...	...
Hooghly ...	9	Hooghly and Chinsura.	15,817	13,099	28,916	41	...	2	...	...
	10	Serampore ...	19,639	12,439	32,078	43	3	1	1	...
	11	Rishra Konnagore ...	10,724	6,792	17,516	20	...	1	...	...
	12	Baidyabati ...	...	...	16,131	24	1	...	1	...
	13	Bhadreswar ...	...	...	13,441	7	...	1	...	...
	14	Champdani ...	...	...	15,297	8	...	1	...	...
Howrah ...	15	Howrah ...	114,829	64,560	179,389	302	19	10	1	...
	16	Bally ...	14,217	8,177	22,394	31	...	1	...	...
24-Parganas	17	Cossipore-Chitpur ...	30,793	17,385	48,178	72	4	7	...	...
	18	Maniktala ...	31,735	22,032	53,767	58	9	3	...	...
	19	South Suburban ...	17,683	13,850	31,533	44	...	8	1	...
	20	Tollygunge ...	11,183	7,250	18,433	31	...	...	...	...
	21	Garden Reach ...	27,665	17,630	45,295	84	3	...	...	...
	22	Budge-Budge ...	11,529	6,453	17,982	8	...	4	...	...
	23	Baranagore ...	14,982	10,913	25,895	31	1	9	...	...
	24	Kamarhati ...	11,243	6,772	18,015	22	...	2	...	...
	25	Rajpur ...	5,762	5,845	11,607	13	...	...	...	...
	26	South Dum-Dum ...	7,760	5,114	12,874	9	...	2	1	...
	27	Barrackpore ...	11,357	6,944	18,301	10	...	...	...	...
	28	Panihati ...	6,339	4,779	11,118	17	...	2	...	...
	29	North Barrackpore...	9,780	6,340	16,120	9	...	2	...	...
	30	Titaghar ...	31,225	13,946	45,171	60	8	...	...	...
	31	Garulia ...	7,876	3,704	11,580	5	...	...	...	...
	32	Naihati ...	11,685	6,534	18,219	15	1	...	...	...
	33	Bhatpara ...	34,739	15,675	50,414	51	...	...	1	...
	34	Basirhat ...	9,517	8,814	18,331	27	1	...	...	...
	35	Baduria ...	7,058	6,622	13,680	16	...	...	...	...
Calcutta ...	36	Calcutta ...	607,674	288,393	896,067	1,317	83	44	21	1
Nadia ...	37	Krishnagar ...	11,767	11,708	23 475	17	1	...	...	...
	38	Nadia or Nabadwip	5,821	6,659	12,480	12	2	...	...	...
	39	Santipur ...	12,186	14,517	26,703	33	1	...	...	...

of 10,000 and over, for the month of August 1918.

REGISTERED.

Fever.	Dysentery and diarrhœa.	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Other causes.	Total all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns.
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
56	11	10	3	14	69	32	101	36	24	60	1	Burdwan.
12	3	3	1	14	17	16	33	28	22	50	2	Raniganj.
10	6	4	...	25	28	17	45	14	20	34	3	Asansol.
20	12	2	1	20	37	18	55	19	27	46	4	Baukura.
27	15	3	2	7	31	23	54	18	22	40	5	Vishnupur.
22	3	2	1	7	17	18	35	8	7	15	6	Sonamukhi.
26	2	9	2	14	28	25	53	28	23	51	7	Midnapore.
25	1	1	1	1	16	14	30	6	11	17	8	Ghatal.
37	17	9	1	14	45	35	80	25	29	54	9	Hooghly and Chinsura.
19	12	8	2	17	32	28	60	31	27	58	10	Serampore.
15	1	3	...	2	14	8	22	20	16	36	11	Rishra Konnagore.
31	10	3	2	3	29	21	50	...	...	...	12	Baidyabati.
11	2	2	1	2	12	7	19	...	...	...	13	Bhadreswar.
10	...	1	...	2	7	7	14	...	...	...	14	Champdani.
120	37	90	9	91	186	172	358	178	161	339	15	Howrah.
13	3	1	...	3	11	10	21	12	14	26	16	Bally.
33	9	22	2	22	52	43	95	50	44	94	17	Cossipore-Chitpur.
25	11	47	...	53	70	69	139	58	66	124	18	Maniktala.
25	4	...	1	5	25	19	44	18	21	39	19	South Suburban.
24	4	1	...	...	20	9	29	15	15	30	20	Tollygunge.
31	13	8	...	32	52	32	84	40	32	72	21	Garden Reach.
15	9	5	...	1	26	8	34	20	6	26	22	Budge-Budge.
12	20	6	1	11	31	28	59	27	24	51	23	Baranagore.
8	7	...	...	3	14	6	20	20	13	33	24	Kumarhati.
11	...	1	...	...	8	4	12	5	5	10	25	Rajpur.
7	2	2	...	2	9	7	16	13	9	22	26	South Dum-Dum.
9	4	1	...	...	8	6	14	7	1	8	27	Barrackpore.
8	1	7	2	3	11	12	23	4	6	10	28	Panihati.
7	2	6	...	2	13	6	19	15	18	33	29	North Barrackpore.
84	1	1	...	8	57	37	94	31	19	50	30	Titaghar.
5	...	1	...	1	4	3	7	8	6	14	31	Garulia.
6	2	2	...	6	10	6	16	13	10	23	32	Naihati
12	4	5	2	11	20	15	35	29	17	46	33	Bhatpara.
24	...	2	...	7	16	17	33	7	10	17	34	Basirhat.
11	1	5	...	1	6	12	18	3	6	9	35	Baduria.
303	246	482	31	822	1,133	817	1,950	885	725	1,610	36	Calcutta.
15	1	9	1	4	21	9	30	15	8	23	37	Krishnagar.
18	4	1	...	3	9	17	26	14	12	26	38	Nadia or Nabadwip.
38	7	9	1	13	33	33	66	32	16	48	39	Santipur.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal, with a population

Districts.	No.	Towns.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED		DEATHS		
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.
Murshidabad	40	Berhampore ...	14,302	11,841	26,143	28	1	...	...	...
	41	Murshidabad ...	6,259	6,410	12,669	24	...	...	...	...
	42	Ajimganj ...	6,725	5,602	12,327	11	...	...	...	...
	43	Kandi ...	6,212	6,426	12,638	11	...	...	...	...
	44	Jangipur ...	5,493	5,915	11,408	22	...	...	...	...
Khulna ...	45	Khulna ...	7,983	5,013	12,996	19	...	1	...	...
	46	Satkhira ...	5,802	5,100	10,902	7	1	...	...	...
Rajshahi ...	47	Rampur-Boalia ...	13,057	10,349	23,406	35	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur ...	48	Dinajpur ...	9,648	6,297	15,945	15	..	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri ...	49	Jalpaiguri ...	7,547	4,218	11,765	19	1	...	...	...
Darjeeling ...	50	Darjeeling ...	11,631	7,374	19,005	15	...	...	...	...
Rangpur ...	51	Rangpur ...	10,509	5,920	16,429	25	...	...	...	...
Pabna ...	52	Pabna ...	10,056	9,218	19,274	8	...	...	...	...
	53	Sirajganj ...	13,236	11,541	24,777	5	...	...	...	...
Malda ...	54	English Bazar ...	7,697	6,625	14,322	12	...	...	...	...
	55	Nawabganj ...	11,122	12,200	23,322	18	...	...	...	...
Dacca ...	56	Dacca ...	63,091	45,460	108,551	250	10	2	...	...
	57	Narayanganj ...	18,738	9,138	27,876	48	1	...	...	...
Mymensingh	58	Mymensingh ...	13,462	6,391	19,853	29	...	...	...	...
	59	Netrokona ...	8,018	5,722	13,740	10	...	...	...	...
	60	Jamalpur ...	11,728	9,381	21,109	53	...	...	...	...
	61	Sherpur ...	8,516	7,075	15,591	36	...	...	...	...
	62	Kishoreganj ...	9,508	8,518	18,026	67	3	7	...	...
	63	Bajitpur ...	5,447	5,386	10,833	8	...	...	...	...
	64	Tangail ...	8,493	7,869	16,362	19	1	...	...	...
Faridpur ...	65	Faridpur ...	8,017	5,114	13,131	12	...	...	...	...
	66	Madaripur ...	10,549	8,524	19,073	32	...	...	...	...
Bakarganj ...	67	Barisal ...	15,488	6,985	22,473	16	...	...	...	...
	68	Pirojpur ...	6,523	5,473	11,996	22	...	...	...	...
Chittagong ...	69	Chittagong ...	18,779	9,987	28,766	63	1	2	...	...
Tippera ...	70	Comilla ...	13,706	8,986	22,692	45	...	...	...	...
	71	Brahmanbaria ...	11,671	10,624	22,295	47	...	...	...	...
	72	Chandpur ...	9,062	3,655	12,717	17	...	...	...	...
		Total of month ...	...	...	2,618,159	3,719	157	120	27	1

REMARKS—

1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by Municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Taken as a of cases and in a few instances are obviously incomplete.
2. The vital statistics of Municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been excluded from this statement and incor-
3. The birth and death ratios per 1,000 per annum have been omitted from this statement according to the Government of India, Educa-

CALCUTTA,
The 29th October 1918.

of 10,000 and over, for the month of August 1918—concld.

REGISTERED.

Fever.	Dysentery and diarrhœa.	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Other causes.	Total all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns.
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
28	4	4	1	10	30	17	47	20	16	36	40	Berhampore.
29	2	1	...	1	14	19	33	17	25	42	41	Murshidabad.
26	2	1	...	5	19	15	34	12	10	22	42	Ajimganj.
11	1	1	1	4	8	10	18	18	16	34	43	Kandi.
19	2	...	...	...	10	11	21	5	4	9	44	Jangipur.
16	2	1	2	2	18	6	24	6	5	11	45	Khulna.
7	...	5	...	2	7	7	14	2	3	5	46	Satkhira.
23	6	...	...	13	21	21	42	18	13	31	47	Rampur-Boalia.
18	3	6	...	2	17	12	29	18	15	33	48	Dinajpur.
6	5	5	...	13	23	6	29	14	11	25	49	Jalpaiguri.
9	3	15	...	17	25	19	44	12	9	21	50	Darjeeling
8	2	6	3	3	15	7	22	15	10	25	51	Rangpur.
11	1	...	...	1	8	5	13	6	6	12	52	Pabna.
12	...	1	...	2	12	3	15	11	3	14	53	Sirajganj.
16	4	5	2	6	17	16	33	11	11	22	54	English Bazar
29	1	1	...	5	21	15	36	18	8	26	55	Nawabganj.
116	15	7	6	107	158	95	253	89	82	171	56	Dacca.
19	5	6	1	15	30	16	46	22	15	37	57	Narayanganj.
32	1	5	2	13	36	17	53	4	...	4	58	Mymensingh.
6	...	...	...	1	4	3	7	5	3	8	59	Netrokona
36	1	1	1	12	27	24	51	21	25	46	60	Jamalpur.
10	...	...	...	14	11	13	24	10	9	19	61	Sherpur.
16	1	2	3	6	15	20	35	15	13	28	62	Kishoreganj.
7	2	...	1	4	5	9	14	4	2	6	63	Bajitpur.
20	...	...	...	2	13	9	22	8	7	15	64	Tangail.
27	2	...	...	...	24	5	29	1	3	4	65	Faridpur.
17	1	1	1	7	15	12	27	12	9	21	66	Madaripur.
22	...	2	...	4	21	7	28	2	2	4	67	Barisal.
10	1	...	...	5	10	6	16	5	3	8	68	Pirojpur.
28	4	1	...	21	29	27	56	20	17	37	69	Chittagong.
6	3	...	...	4	10	3	13	12	7	19	70	Comilla.
20	3	3	...	14	25	15	40	17	16	33	71	Brahmanbaria.
8	1	...	1	5	6	9	15	10	6	16	72	Chandpur.
1,851	565	854	92	1,566	2,931	2,145	5,076					

whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion

porated in the returns for districts.—*Vide* Bengal Government, Municipal Department, Order No. 118San., dated the 8th February 1918.
tion Department, Order No. 98, dated the 28th March 1918.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of the Districts, excluding Towns of Bengal, with a population

Divisions.	No.	Districts.	Population under Registration according to Census of 1911.			Births Registered.		Deaths		
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered	Cholera	Small-pox.	Plague.
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan ...	728,894	736,140	1,465,034	2,350	20	65	8	...
	2	Birbhum ...	463,838	471,635	935,473	1,748	37	214	...	...
	3	Bankura ...	534,150	547,314	1,081,464	2,063	2	36	1	...
	4	Midnapore ...	1,386,921	1,389,476	2,776,397	4,092	119	102	8	...
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	481,989	484,729	966,718	1,232	...	30	2	...
	6	Howrah ...	369,595	372,124	741,719	1,103	7	14	7	...
Presidency ...	7	24-Parganas ...	1,005,789	941,802	1,947,591	3,608	26	25	22	...
	8	Nadia	782,806	772,382	1,555,188	2,193	76	1	3	...
	9	Murshidabad ...	639,301	657,788	1,297,089	2,059	106	57	...	...
	10	Jessore ...	901,092	857,172	1,758,264	1,910	114	11	3	...
	11	Khulna ...	695,794	647,074	1,342,868	2,374	119	7	...	...
Rajshahi ...	12	Rajshahi ...	742,149	715,032	1,457,181	1,894	149	13	3	...
	13	Dinajpur ...	880,228	791,690	1,671,918	2,239	83	16	45	...
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	482,681	408,214	890,895	1,808	121	265	3	...
	15	Darjeeling ...	130,463	116,082	246,545	688	52	...	...	...
	16	Rangpur	1,244,208	1,124,693	2,368,901	3,498	267	70	38	...
	17	Bogra	502,526	481,041	983,567	1,453	57	...	2	...
	18	Pabna	700,299	684,236	1,384,535	1,467	112	...	23	...
	19	Malda	479,728	486,787	966,515	1,167	...	...	10	...
Dacca ...	20	Dacca	1,395,861	1,428,114	2,823,975	4,039	270	1	5	...
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,274,431	2,136,477	4,410,908	6,027	411	31	7	...
	22	Faridpur ...	1,056,393	1,033,317	2,089,710	2,491	159	13	8	...
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,222,824	1,171,618	2,394,442	3 722	114	17	1	...
Chittagong ...	24	Chittagong ...	704,058	775,609	1,479,667	3,895	303	529	...	...
	25	Noakhali ...	645,898	656,192	1,302,090	2,231	181	283	2	...
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,163,792	2,372,434	3,219	271	18	22	...
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.								Not under
Total of month for Bengal ...			21,660,558	21,050,530	42,711,088	64,570	3,176	1,818	218	...

Remarks.—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the to the actual.
2. The vital statistics of Municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been included in this statement with
3. Figures for the corresponding month of previous year not being available, have not been shown in this statement.
4. Divisional totals and the birth and death ratios per 1,000 per annum have been omitted from this statement according

CALCUTTA,

The 29th October 1918.

2, 000 and over, for the month of August 1918.

REGISTERED.

Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Other causes.	Total all causes. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Male.	Female.	Total.	Number.	Districts.
3,053	58	32	53	474	2,090	1,653	3,743	...	...	...	1	Burdwan.
1,823	12	3	28	256	1 215	1,121	2,336	...	...	...	2	Birbhum.
1,655	44	5	39	499	1,270	1,009	2,279	1,298	1,201	2,499	3	Bankura.
3,690	87	22	112	641	2,549	2,113	4,662	...	...	...	4	Midnapore.
1,891	127	31	76	278	1,329	1,106	2,435	...	...	...	5	Hooghly and Serampore.
553	183	54	51	230	622	470	1,092	592	502	1,094	6	Howrah.
2,562	74	70	149	484	1,922	1,464	3,386	...	...	...	7	24-Parganas.
3,705	7	26	109	324	2,364	1,811	4,175	...	...	...	8	Nadia.
2,891	9	2	74	424	1,850	1,607	3,457	...	...	...	9	Murshidabad.
2,795	15	14	116	264	1,901	1,317	3,218	...	...	...	10	Jessore.
1,883	19	4	98	589	1 394	1,206	2,600	...	...	...	11	Khulna.
3,582	2	6	88	223	2,306	1,611	3,917	...	...	...	12	Rajshahi.
2,732	1	1	87	91	1,683	1,290	2,973	2,061	1,820	3,881	13	Dinajpur.
2,272	119	31	35	220	1,653	1,292	2,945	1,176	1,062	2,238	14	Jalpaiguri.
671	83	6	8	152	467	453	920	...	...	...	15	Darjeeling.
3,847	5	...	105	99	2,459	1,705	4,164	2,418	2,060	4,478	16	Rangpur.
1,486	8	7	83	114	952	748	1,700	...	...	...	17	Bogra.
2,383	2	2	60	93	1,598	965	2,563	1,035	928	1,963	18	Pabna.
1,711	...	1	45	176	1,119	824	1,943	...	...	...	19	Malda
3,220	73	20	111	748	2,445	1,733	4,178	1,888	1,482	3,370	20	Dacca.
5,498	64	35	121	887	3,693	2,950	6,643	...	...	...	21	Mymensingh
2,504	31	11	108	469	1,800	1,339	3,139	1,372	1,164	2,536	22	Faridpur
2,063	12	1	127	1,005	1,830	1,396	3,226	...	...	...	23	Bakarganj.
3,741	39	1	78	140	2,209	2,319	4,528	...	...	...	24	Chittagong.
2,152	28	4	83	340	1,553	1,339	2,892	...	...	...	25	Noakhali.
3,135	50	4	131	520	2,220	1,660	3,880	1,589	1,442	3,031	26	Tippera.
registration.											27	Chittagong Hill Tracts
67,498	1,152	393	2,175	9,740	46,493	36,501	82,994	...	...	...		

Civil Surgeons. Taken as a whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate those of the respective districts as per Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, Order No 118San., dated the 8th February 1918 to the Government of India, Education Department, Order No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPART

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the August 1918, and the highest reading of each gauge over

RIVER GANGES.

Date	Mirzapur. Zero of gauge 206·22 ft.		Benares. Zero of gauge 196·60 ft.		Buxar. Zero of gauge 167·55 ft.		Dinapore. Zero of gauge 134·23 ft.		Monghyr. Zero of gauge 101·83 ft.(a)	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad 86.	From Allahabad 134.	From Mirzapur 48.	From Benares 90.		From Benares 177.	From Buxar 87.	From Benares 287.	From Dinapore 110.
	Highest gauge reading.	2nd September 1916. 285·97.	2nd September 1916. 244·30.		3rd and 4th September 1916. 202·30.		8th September 1901 and 4th August 1917 169·73.		8th September 1901. 129·60.	
	Lowest gauge reading.	28th June 1897. 187·30.	1st May 1877. 182·80.		10th to 14th May 1914. 160·80.		20th April 1912 135·13.		29th April to 6th May 1914. 98·00.	
	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1st ...	...	8·89	215·11	5·25	202·05	7·33	174·88	17·80	152·03	11 47	113·30
2nd ...	...	8·89	215·11	5·05	201·88	7·25	174·80	17·30	151·53	11·27	113·10
3rd ...	...	9·10	215·32	5·67	202·47	7·30	175·05	17·40	151·63	10·87	112·70
4th ...	...	9·52	215·74	5·67	202·47	7·58	175·13	18·00	152·23	11·17	113·00
5th ...	...	10·02	216·24	5·75	202·55	7·58	175·13	18·40	152·63	11·57	113·40
6th ...	...	10·27	216·49	6·82	203·62	7·67	175·22	19·40	153·63	12·07	113·90
7th ...	...	9·85	216·07	6·85	203·63	9·75	177·30	21·00	155·23	13·17	115 00
8th ...	...	9·94	216·16	6·67	203·43	12·17	179·72	22·00	156·23	14·17	116·00
9th ...	...	10·60	216·82	6·75	203·55	11·42	178·97	22·70	156·93	15·17	117·00
10th ...	...	11·60	217·82	7·75	204·55	10·75	178·30	22 70	156·93	15·67	117·50
11th ...	...	12·27	218·49	9·08	205·88	10·42	177·97	23·00	157·23	15·87	117·70
12th ...	...	12·44	218 66	9·50	206·30	10·83	178·38	23·50	157·73	15·87	117·70
13th ...	...	12·52	218·74	9·58	206·38	11·50	179·05	24·00	158·23	16·07	117·90
14th ...	...	12·44	218·66	9·50	206·30	11·33	178·88	24·70	158·93	16·47	118·30
15th ...	...	12·02	218·24	9·42	206·22	11·00	178·55	25·00	159·24	16·87	118·70
16th ...	...	12·06	218·28	9·45	206·05	10·75	178·30	25·00	159·23	16·97	118·80
17th ...	...	13·14	219 36	9·50	206·30	10·58	178·13	24 60	158 83	16·67	118·50
18th ...	...	14·23	220·45	11·00	207 80	11·00	178·55	24·30	158·43	16·27	118·10
19th ...	...	13·48	219·70	11·17	207·97	11·92	179·47	24·30	158·43	15·87	117·70
20th ...	...	13·23	219·45	10·92	207·72	12·25	179 80	24·30	158·53	15·87	117·70
21st ...	...	13·52	219·74	10·92	207·72	12·25	179·80	24·10	158·33	15·87	117·70
22nd ...	...	13·77	219·99	11·42	208·13	12·75	180·30	24·30	158·53	15·87	117·70
23rd ...	...	14·44	220·66	12·00	208 80	13·67	18 ·22	25·10	159·33	16·27	118·10
24th ...	...	15·46	224·68	14 17	210·97	15·42	182·97	26·60	160·83	17·17	119·00
25th ...	...	19·69	225·91	16·75	213·55	16·42	182·97	28·00	162·23	18·37	120·20
26th ...	...	22·60	226·82	18·50	215·30	19·25	185·80	28·50	162·73	19·87	121·70
27th ...	...	24·02	230·24	21·25	218 05	21·42	188·97	29·30	163·43	20·47	122·30
28th ...	...	24·52	230·74	21·92	218·72	22·50	190·05	29·30	163·43	21·17	123·00
29th ...	...	26·02	232·24	23·33	220·13	23·50	191·05	29·30	163·43	21·17	123·00
30th ...	...	25·73	231·95	22·75	220·55	24·00	191·53	28 60	162·83	20·87	122·70
31st ...	...	25 48	231·70	23·17	219·97	24·50	192·05	28·00	162·23	20·47	122 30

* New gauge fixed at Rajmahal from 1st June 1910 in place of the gauge at Sahebganj. The zero of gauge at Rajmahal is 56·46 ft February 1916 to 15th June 1918. From 16th June 1918 the zero is 54·81 ft. above M.S.-L.

† To compare the reduced levels shown in these monthly printed statements before and after the 1st June 1903, 5·78 ft. should be

(a) A new gauge fixed at Monghyr on 16th July 1914

(b) From 1st November 1915 the zero of gauge is 2·43 ft. above M. S.-L. Previous to that the zero was at M. S.-L. dating back 15th

(c) From the 25th January 1916, the zero of gauge at Berhampore is 30·99 ft. above M. S.-L.

(d) From the 25th October 1916 a temporary wooden gauge with its zero at 49·00 ft. above M. S.-L. was erected at Rampur-Boalia

The 31st October 1918.

MENT—BENGAL.

rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi and Brahmaputra for the month of M. S.-L. as well as the lowest gauge-reading since 1876.

						River Bhagirathi.		River Jalangi.		River Brahmaputra.	
Rajmahal.* Zero of gauge 54·81 ft.		Rampur-Boalia. Zero of gauge is at mean sea level (d).		Goalundo. Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.		Berhampore. Zero of gauge 30·99 ft.(c)		Swarupganj. Zero of gauge is at mean sea level (b).		Gauhati. Zero of gauge 148·76 ft.	
From Benares 407.	From Monghyr 120.	From Benares 471.	From Rajmahal 64.	From Benares 591.	From Rampur Boalia 120.						
15th August 1913. 88·46.		26th August 1879. 69·25.		28th August 1906 and 14th September 1915. 25·75.†		14th August 1890. 64·70.		25th September 1900. 35·03.		24th August 1906. 181·11.	
2nd May 1910. 54·62.		23rd April 1886. 37·63.		28th March 1910. 2·25.		19th to 24th April 1917. 22·60.		28th March 1916. 3·13.		9th February 1888. 143·46.	
Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
18·55	73·36	51·90	51·90	22·30	22·30	12·01	43·00	14·67	14·67	34·80	173·56
18·40	73·21	51·80	51·80	22·00	22·00	11·81	42·80	14·22	14·22	34·80	173·56
18·20	73·01	51·80	51·80	21·80	21·80	11·41	42·40	13·84	13·84	34·80	173·56
17·90	72·71	51·80	51·80	21·40	21·40	11·16	42·15	13·57	13·57	34·70	173·46
17·90	73·71	51·20	51·20	21·20	21·20	10·91	41·90	13·38	13·38	34·90	176·66
18·15	72·96	51·15	51·15	21·30	21·30	10·66	41·65	13·42	13·42	34·50	173·26
18·50	73·81	51·80	51·80	21·30	21·30	11·81	42·80	13·74	13·74	34·80	173·56
19·70	74·51	51·90	51·90	21·20	21·20	12·51	43·50	14·71	14·71	35·80	174·56
20·47	75·28	52·75	52·75	21·80	21·80	13·81	44·80	16·24	16·24	36·70	175·46
21·45	76·26	53·70	53·70	21·40	21·40	14·81	45·80	17·81	17·81	37·80	176·56
22·10	76·91	54·40	54·40	21·70	21·70	17·11	48·10	19·52	19·52	37·90	176·66
22·25	77·06	54·80	54·80	22·00	22·00	18·11	49·10	21·45	21·45	38·20	176·96
22·40	77·21	55·00	55·00	22·10	22·10	18·81	49·80	23·10	23·10	39·00	177·76
22·45	77·26	55·10	55·10	22·30	22·30	19·41	50·40	24·05	24·05	38·90	177·66
22·50	77·31	55·10	55·10	22·30	22·30	19·51	50·50	24·46	24·46	38·80	177·56
22·60	77·41	55·40	55·40	22·90	22·90	19·61	50·60	24·75	24·75	38·60	177·36
22·70	77·51	55·45	55·45	23·00	23·00	19·71	50·70	24·89	24·89	38·60	177·36
22·55	77·36	55·50	55·50	23·10	23·10	19·71	50·70	24·81	24·81	38·50	177·26
22·40	77·21	55·30	55·30	23·10	23·10	19·61	50·60	24·71	24·71	38·30	177·06
22·00	76·81	55·05	55·05	23·10	23·10	19·21	50·20	24·43	24·43	38·20	176·96
21·95	76·76	54·90	54·90	23·10	23·10	19·01	50·00	24·43	24·43	38·00	176·76
22·05	76·86	54·90	54·90	23·10	23·10	19·01	50·00	23·83	23·83	37·50	176·26
22·00	76·81	54·90	54·90	23·20	23·20	19·21	50·20	25·24	25·24	36·70	175·46
22·60	77·41	55·40	55·40	23·50	23·50	20·41	51·40	25·90	25·90	36·60	175·36
22·55	76·36	56·20	56·20	23·60	23·60	22·21	53·20	26·86	26·86	36·70	175·46
24·90	79·71	57·40	57·40	23·90	23·90	22·21	53·20	28·00	28·00	37·00	175·76
25·80	80·61	58·80	58·80	24·00	24·00	25·41	56·40	29·06	29·06	37·00	175·76
26·50	81·31	59·65	59·65	24·70	24·70	26·41	57·40	29·70	29·70	38·10	176·86
26·71	81·52	60·00	60·00	24·90	24·90	26·86	57·85	30·30	30·30	37·10	175·86
26·80	81·61	60·20	60·20	25·00	25·00	26·96	57·95	30·39	30·39	36·90	175·66
26·65	81·46	60·10	60·10	25·10	25·10	26·76	57·75	30·95	30·95	36·40	175·16

above M. S.-L. up to 26th October 1915 and 60·00 ft. above M. S.-L. from 27th October 1915, and again 56·46 ft. above M. S.-L. from 10th

deducted from the former or added to the latter (*vide* Bengal Government letter No. 1088T —I., dated the 12th October 1909).

July 1897. The zero of gauge is again at M. S.-L. from 1st April 1918.

in place of the permanent gauge washed away. The zero of gauge is at M. S.-L. from 26th June 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1918-19.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of July 1918 (*Revised.*)

Circle.	District	Canal.	Estimated full discharge	Average discharge in month	Discharge utilised	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED: Long-term leases	Season leases: Kharif.	Rabi	Sugarcane	Hot-weather.	Total	Grand Total	Rainfall, 1918-19: During month.	Rainfall, 1918-19: Up to end of month.	Rainfall, 1917-18: During month	Rainfall, 1917-18: Up to end of month	Remarks.
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore — Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	592	568	62,737	65,193	63,848	2,430	...	...	...	2,430	66,278	10·33	34·03	7·00	35·10	
	Howrah — Howrah	Panchkura	522	52	52	5,456	115	7,068	...	...	...	...	...	7,068	10·58	32·67	15·82	51·77	
		Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7·97	36·52	9·34	38·92	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	68,193	65,308	70,916	2,430	...	...	...	2,430	73,346	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year	...	...	...	...	...	72,494	4,552	...	...	...	4,552	77,046	...	...	...	...	

Area leased for irrigation up to end of August 1918.

			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore — Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	790	618	67,449	69,742	63,848	4,829	...	...	...	4,829	68,677	10·89	44·92	6·45	41·55	
	Howrah — Howrah	Panchkura	522	28	27	6,451	115	7,068	50	...	...	...	50	7,118	9·72	42·39	10·24	62·71	
		Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10·79	47·31	14·48	48·40	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	73,900	69,857	70,916	4,879	...	...	...	4,879	75,795	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	72,646	9,244	...	...	...	9,244	81,890	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly	Eden Canal	1,000	185	155	16,970	23,712	19,063	23	...	12	...	35	19,098	19·67	51·83	5·58	34·99	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year	...	...	...	...	...	24,046	...	56	5	...	61	24,107	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	90,870	93,569	89,979	4,902	...	12	...	4,914	94,893	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	96,692	9,244	56	5	...	9,305	105,997	...	...	...	...	

CALCUTTA,
The 31st October 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 26th October 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1918.					
20th Oct.	7 A.M.	18·5	13·5	18·1	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
21st ,,	7 ,,	13·4	13·4	17·7	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
22nd ,,	7 ,,	13·4	13·4	17·4	
23rd ,,	7 ,,	13·4	13·4	17·1	
24th ,,	7 ,,	13·4	13·4	16·7	Its reduced level is 22·41.
25th ,,	7 ,,	13·2	13·2	16·3	
26th ,,	7 ,,	12·9	12·9	16·0	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	24·4 on 9th August 1917.
Ditto ...	Lowest ,, ...	4·3 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest ,, ...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto ,, ...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto ,, ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto ,, ...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	Lowest ,, ...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	2·42 on 18th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1908.

FARIDPUR,
The 27th October 1918.

M. L. MOITRA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 26th October 1918.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B. M.	Remarks.
1918.						
20th Oct.	8 A.M.	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	49·92	43·60	56·50	B. M. on College step 63·42.
21st ,,	8 ,,		49·82	43·50	56·20	
22nd ,,	8 ,,		49·72	43·40	55·80	
23rd ,,	8 ,,		49·52	43·20	55·50	
24th ,,	8 ,,		49·32	43·00	55·20	
25th ,,	8 ,,		49·12	42·80	54·90	
26th ,,	8 ,,		48·82	42·50	54·50	

		Value according to old gauge.	Value according to new value of B. M.= 63·42.
The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	66·50 on 12th August 1917 ...	60·18
Ditto ...	Lowest ,, ...	40·15 on 19th-20th April 1917 ...	33·83
Record	Highest ,, ...	69·25 on 26th August 1879 ...	62·93
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	69·08 on 9th September 1885 ...	62·76
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	68·30 on 25th August 1906 ...	61·98
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	68·21 on 26th August 1890 ...	61·89
Do.	Lowest ,, ...	37·68 on 25th April 1884 ...	31·81
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	38·18 on 14th-15th April 1888 ...	31·81
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897 ...	32·70
Do.	Ditto ,, ...	39·26 on 6th-7th May 1908 ...	32·96

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 26th October 1918.

S. C. MUKHERJI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 26th October 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 8 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1918.							
20th Oct.	59·8	...	...	...	...	59·65	
21st "	59·5	8-35 A.M.	60·2	...	...	59·48	
22nd "	59·3	...	...	...	...	59·2	
23rd "	59·15	...	...	...	...	59·0	
24th "	58·9	...	...	...	...	58·85	
25th "	58·55	...	...	...	...	58·6	
26th "	58·3	...	...	...	...	58·4	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·5	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	...	67·86	
20th August	1910	...	69·86	
1st "	1911	...	68·46	
18th "	1912	...	67·16	
31st "	1915	...	69·7	
18th "	1916	...	68·1	
12th "	1917	...	67·1	
23rd February	1907	...	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th "	1908	...	51·06	
12th March	1912	...	51·06	
6th "	1914	...	50·6	
22nd February	1915	...	50·3	
15th "	1916	...	50·6	
3rd March	1917	...	51·0	

DACCA,
The 28th October 1918.

J. K. BHATTACHARYYA,
for *Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.*

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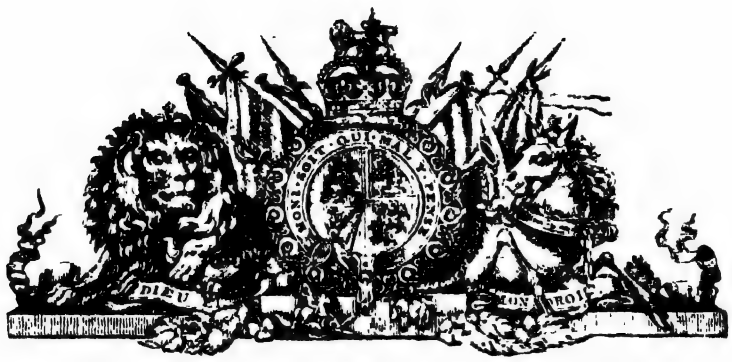

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EXTRAORDINARY.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1918.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No 5060Com.—The 7th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 3 of the articles of Commerce Ordinance, 1914 (IX of 1914), read with the Emergency Legislation Continuance Act, 1915 (I of 1915), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that all owners (as defined in the said Ordinance) of rice, husked or unhusked, within the Presidency of Bengal who have in their possession or control any rice in excess of fifty maunds, shall, not later than the 21st November, make a return giving the particulars required in the annexed form of the stocks in their possession or control on the 20th November 1918, and shall submit the same :—

(1) in the case of persons residing within the limits of Calcutta as defined in the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), and within the area bounded on the east by the river Hooghly and on the west by the Grand Trunk Road in the town of Howrah, to the Director of Civil Supplies, Bengal, and

(2) in the case of persons residing in other parts of the Presidency to the Subdivisional Officer (including the Sadar Subdivisional Officer) of the area within which they reside.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Form of Return of Rice prescribed under section 3 (*1*) of Ordinance No. IX of 1914.

Name of firm or person submitting return ——

Address——

Stocks of Rice held on the 20th November 1918.

	Number of maunds.		Place in which stored.
	Local rice.	Burma rice.	
Husked ...			
Unhusked ...			

Information is also required as to the stocks of rice, husked or unhusked, which on the average of the three preceding years would normally have been held on the above date.

This return must be submitted to the Subdivisional Officer on the 21st November 1918.

Signature of the Owner or his Agent.

Date of return ——

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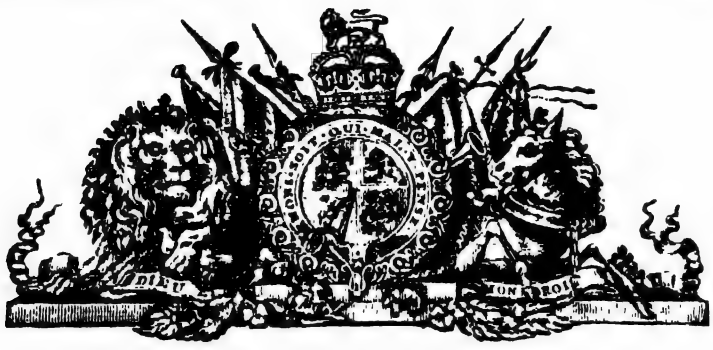

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 6070A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5969A.—The 7th November 1918.—Mr. B. A. Hollow, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is appointed to have charge of the Sirajganj subdivision of the Pabna district.

Jalpaiguri.
Pabna.

No. 5971A.—The 7th November 1918.—Babu Satish Chandra Upadhyaya, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Jalpaiguri district.

Midnapore.
Jalpaiguri.

POLICE.—*No. 5979A.—The 8th November 1918.*—Mr. P. S. Quarry, Superintendent of Police, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Bogra.

Bogra.

No. 5981A.—The 8th November 1918.—Mr. G. C. Sturgis, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is appointed to have charge of the police work of the Sirajganj subdivision of the district of Pabna, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Superintendent of Police, Bogra.

Bogra.
Pabna.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5948A.—The 7th November 1918.*—The following acting appointments are sanctioned in the grades of Magistrates and Collectors :—

To act in the first grade.

Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., with effect from the 9th July 1918.
„ M. C. McAlpin, I.C.S., with effect from the 9th September 1918.
„ J. A. L. Swan, I.C.S., with effect from the 9th October 1918.
„ W. D. R. Prentice, I.C.S., with effect from the 15th September 1918.
„ F. A. Sachse, I.C.S., from the 26th September 1918 to the 8th October 1918, inclusive.
Mr. W. S. Hopkyns, I.C.S., from the 29th September 1918 to the 8th October 1918, inclusive.
Rai Jogendra Kumar Ghosh Bahadur, from the 1st October 1918 to the 8th October 1918, inclusive.

To act in the second grade.

Mr. A. K. Jameson, I.C.S., with effect from the 16th July 1918.
„ Srigopal Bhattacharji, on privilege leave, from the 3rd August 1918 to the 21st August 1918, inclusive.
Mr. Suresh Chandra Sen, with effect from the 3rd August 1918.
„ J. C. French, I.C.S., with effect from the 14th August 1918.
Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Mumin, with effect from the 1st October 1918.
Mr. E. M. Mannooch, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st September 1918.
„ F. D. Ascoli, I.C.S., with effect from the 9th September 1918.
„ A. Cassells, I.C.S., from the 15th September 1918 to the 8th October 1918, inclusive.
Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., from the 18th September 1918 to the 8th October 1918, inclusive.
Mr. W. H. Thompson, I.C.S., from the 26th September 1918 to the 8th October 1918, inclusive.
Mr. A. G. R. Henderson, I.C.S., from the 29th September 1918 to the 8th October 1918, inclusive.

CONFIRMATION.

POLICE.—*No. 2645A.D.—The 30th October 1918.*—Mr. A. E. Hayward, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, fourth grade, is confirmed in that grade with effect from the 16th May 1918, *vice* Babu Tripura Charan Mukharji, retired.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 5934A.—The 7th November 1918.*—Babu Radhika Lal De, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bakarganj, is allowed leave for nineteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th November 1918.

Bakarganj.

POLICE.—*No. 5945A.—The 7th November 1918.*—Mr. G. W. Dixon, Superintendent of Police in the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, was on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October 1918 to the 26th October 1918, inclusive.

Calcutta.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8266For.—The 8th November 1918.—The following revised rules, relating to the recruitment of the Provincial Forest Service in Bengal, are published for general information, in supersession of rules 1 (*b*) and 2 of the rules published under Notification No. 12182For., dated the 24th December 1914.

Rules for the recruitment of candidates for the Provincial Forest Service in Bengal.

1. Appointments to the Provincial Forest Service shall be made—

(*b*) by the selection for direct appointment of candidates who must successfully pass through the Provincial Forest Service Course at the Forest Research Institute, Dehra Dun, and thereafter render not less than two years' satisfactory service as Probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests before being confirmed.

2. The pay of Probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests will be Rs. 150 per mensem for the first two years; and thereafter until they are appointed to vacancies in the sanctioned cadre of the Provincial Forest Service, pay not exceeding Rs. 200 per mensem may be given at the discretion of the Local Government.

Certificate of approval.

No. 8257L.R.—The 8th November 1918.—With reference to rule 7 of the rules issued by the Government of India with their Resolution No. 7552—7581-121, dated the 15th September 1913, for regulating the grant by Local Governments of licenses to prospect for minerals and the grant of mining leases in British India, it is hereby certified that the Eastern Mining Company, Limited, of Calcutta, is approved by the Government of Bengal as a fit and proper person to whom such licenses or leases can be granted in the Presidency of Bengal.

2. Under rule 8 of the aforesaid rules this certificate will expire at midnight on the 31st of December 1919.

Jessore, Faridpur.

No. 8363L.R.—The 11th November 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned Settlement Kanungos are appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore, as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur, which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights :—

1. Babu Akhil Chandra Das.
2. „ Harendra Nath Mukharji.
3. „ Jogesh Chandra Guha.
4. „ Kumudini Nath Ray.
5. „ Pramada Kumar Basu.
6. „ Rajendra Nath Chatarji.
7. „ Bir Chandra Mukharji.
8. Maulvi Ghulam Akbar.

24-Parganas.

No. 8272L.A.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·3016 of an acre, and bounded as described below which was included in the area notified

for acquisition under Declaration No. 2410L.A., dated the 5th March 1918, published at pages 374-75, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem, and required by Government for the improvement of Tolly's Nala, in the village of Narayanpur, pargana Khaspur, zilla 24-Parganas—

North—By the lands of Panchanan Chakravarti and others and Nagendra Nath Sarkar,

East, South and West—By Government land.

Noakhali. *No. 8368L.A.—The 11th November 1918.*—Babu Surendra Nath Basu, Deputy Collector and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in the Sadar subdivision.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Nadia. *No. 8275L.A.—The 9th November 1918.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the mortuary at Chuadanga, in the village of Buzrukgargaria, pargana Shahauzial, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·115 acre, bounded on the—

North—By Parameswar Sarkar's land,

East—By Darika Nath Das' land,

South—Partly by the drain of the Chuadanga Damurhuda road and partly by the lands of Manick Mandal, Bhadu Mandal and Gaffur Mandal, and

West—By the lands of Manick Mandal, Bhadu Mandal and Gaffur Mandal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Buzrukgargaria.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas. *No. 8280L.A.—The 9th November 1918.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bhatpara Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the recreation ground for the boys of the Middle English School at Bhatpara, in the village of Bhatpara, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·17 acre, bounded on the—

North—By the kutcha drain,

East—By Boloram Sarcar's lane,

South—By the pucca drain of Boloram Sarcar's Ghat Road,

West—By the Middle English School compound,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bhatpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Commissioners of the Bhatpara Municipality.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8300L.A.—The 11th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Pabna for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road in village Bantail, tauzi Nos. 16 and 5032 of Mymensingh Collectorate, pargana Atia, district Pabna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·157 of an acre, bounded on the—

Pabna.

North—By the lands of Kailash Chandra Shaha, Dipchand Mistry, Sricharan Shaha and Bholanath Mistry,

East—By Kaijuri Sonatoni Sambhudia track,

South—By a ditch and lands of Sricharan Shaha, Lalit Chandra Ray and Kailash Chandra Shaha,

West—By the old village road.

is required within the aforesaid village of Bantail,

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Sirajganj.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8303L.A.—The 11th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Nalchiti, Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a reserved tank at Nalchiti, in the village of Mallikpur, pargana Shahazadpur, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·85 of an acre, bounded on the—

Bakarganj.

North—By Settlement Plots Nos. 286 and 284,

East—By Settlement Plots Nos. 287 and 248,

South—By Settlement Plot No. 256,

West—By Settlement Plot No. 284,

is required within the aforesaid village of Mallikpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bakarganj.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8306L.A.—The 11th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Baranagore Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for opening up a passage in South Baranagore joining two other passages leading to the Victoria Road, in the village of Baranagore, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·0087 of an acre, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the land of Khitish Chandra Chakrabarty,

East and West—By the Municipal passage,

South—By the lands of Kali Charan Das, Satya Ch. Shaw, Panchubala Dasi and Ashutosh Shaw,

is required within the aforesaid village of Baranagore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Baranagore.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8309L.A.—The 11th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Jessore Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road (Road Sastitola), in the village of Chanchra, pargana Emadpur, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 0·758 of an acre, bounded on the—

Jessore.

BLOCK A.

North—By the lands of Shama Charan Buna, Tarak Nath Basu, Raj Kumar Ghose and Makhan Lal Ray,
East—By the Municipal drain and land of Raj Kumar Ghose,
South—By the lands of Makhan Lal Ray, Raj Kumar Ghose and Anna Sardarni,
West—By the Bunapara road,

BLOCK B.

North and South—By the land of Rasik Lal Bairagi,
East—By the Station road,
West—By the Municipal drain,

are required within the aforesaid village of Chanchra.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8283Regn.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Shamsuddin Ahmed to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Pirgacha and Kaunia, in the district of Rangpur.

Rangpur.

No. 8284Regn.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Shamsuddin Ahmed to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Pirgacha and Kaunia, in the district of Rangpur.

Rangpur.

No. 8294Regn.—The 9th November 1918.—Babu Sachis Chandra Chatarji, District Sub-Registrar, Khulna, is granted combined leave for the period from the 15th August to the 2nd December 1918, both days inclusive, viz., privilege leave for two months and three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the same Regulations.

Khulna.

This cancels Notification No. 6381Regn., dated the 5th August 1918.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Under section 20 of Calcutta Survey Act, I of 1887.

To

All Owners, Managers, and Agents of lands in the "Town of Howrah" lying within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, from Wards Nos. 1 to 15 Circle Nos. 1 to 11.

WHEREAS a survey has been made, and boundaries demarcated, of all municipal holdings situated in the above area within the Howrah Municipality. You are hereby informed that the maps and records are open to inspection. You are, therefore, requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within sixty days of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps and records can be inspected at any time at the Municipal Office, Howrah, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., on any day excepting holidays and Sundays.

O. E. C. JUDD,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1385Edn.—The 11th November 1918.—Mr. Percy Brown, Principal of the Government School of Art, Calcutta, is allowed furlough for one month and fifteen days, under article 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 132T.—Edn., dated the 4th May 1918. **Calcutta.**

No. 1390Edn.—The 11th November 1918.—Babu Paresh Nath Sen, Professor, Bethune College, Calcutta, acted as Principal of that College and in the Indian Educational Service from the 30th July to the 4th August 1918, *vice* Miss A. L. Janau, resigned. **Calcutta.**

No. 1038San.—The 11th November 1918.—Mr. Sukhendra Nath Ghosh B.A., B.Sc. (Glasgow), M. R. San. I. (London), a temporary Engineer, Public Works Department, is appointed to act as Assistant Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, *vice* Mr. A. G. Maflin, on deputation, or until further orders.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6071A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5936A.—The 7th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Jessore, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and **Jessore.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Narail Bench in the said district.

Babu Satish Chandra Banarji.
„ Kiran Chandra Sen.
„ Jogneswar Basu.

No. 6001A.—The 8th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Binod Bihari Ghosh the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Ghatal subdivision of the said district,

Midnapore.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Ghatal Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 6032A.—The 11th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Saiyid Abul Fattah the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Rangpur, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Rangpur.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 6050A.—The 11th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Abdus Samad the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Rangpur, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Rangpur.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Kurigaon Bench in the said district.

No. 6052A.—The 11th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. E. A. Wernicke the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Darjeeling, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and

Darjeeling.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district.

POWERS.

No. 5938A.—The 7th November 1918.—Maulvi Ali Reza, Deputy Magistrate, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Midnapore.

No. 5940A.—The 7th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. Basanta Kumar Mukharji, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Midnapore, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

Midnapore.

No. 6028A.—The 11th November 1918.—Babu Satyendra Nath Dutt, Deputy Magistrate, Dinajpur, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Dinajpur.

No. 6040A.—The 11th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Adiluzzaman Khan, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Rajshahi, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

Rajshahi.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 4070J.—The 11th November 1918.—Babu Upendra Nath Biswas, Munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Dinajpur and *ex-officio* Subordinate Judge of Jalpaiguri.

Dinajpur.

No. 4072J.—The 11th November 1918.—Babu Hem Chandra Basu, No. I Munsif, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Hooghly, *vice* Mr. Kedar Nath Chaudhuri, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 4074J.—The 11th November 1918.—Babu Nalini Mohan Banarji, Munsif, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, *vice* Mr. Rajendra Nath Ray, or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 4076J.—The 11th November 1918.—Babu Banamali Sen, Munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 4078J.—The 11th November 1918.—In supersession of the orders contained in Government Notification No. 3951J., dated the 5th November 1918, Babu Hari Pada Banarji, Munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Bakarganj.

Bakarganj.

No. 4080J.—The 11th November 1918.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, No. II, Munsif of Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

Mymensingh. Hooghly.

No. 4083J.—The 11th November 1918.—Babu Jitendra Nath Chatarji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Netrakona.

Mymensingh.

E. B. H. PANTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 11th November 1918.

No. 106.—Babu Trailokya Nath Mazumdar, Sub-Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Circular and Eastern Canals to the Cossye Division.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 11th November 1918.

No. 107.—Babu Jatindra Nath Roy, Sub-Engineer, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Engineer, Provincial Service, for the period he holds charge of the Kurseong Subdivison of the Darjeeling Division.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

[Third publication.]

The 28th October 1918.

No. 106Marine.—The following bye-law, which has been framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, under section 126 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890 (Bengal Act III of 1890), in addition to the bye-laws published under Bengal Government Notification No. 39Marine, dated the 22nd May 1893, is published for general information.

2. It will be taken into consideration on the expiry of a month after its first publication in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and the Governor in Council will consider any suggestions or observations which may be made by any person within that period.

Bye-law.

No. 16A.—No flush-decked country boat or cargo dinghee shall be allowed to enter the Dock for the loading or unloading of cargo.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 7th November 1918.

No. 104.—Babu Khirode Chandra Das, temporary Overseer, Nadia Rivers Division, is appointed Overseer, first grade, permanent, with effect from the 1st July 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 7th November 1918.

No. 105.—Babu Dhirendra Nath Ray, Temporary Overseer, Bakarganj Division, is appointed Overseer, second grade, permanent, with effect from the 6th July 1918.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

NOTICE

To Electrical Engineers, Contractors, Insurance Companies, etc.

IN view of the desirability of securing some measure of uniformity in the execution of electrical work connected with buildings, the attention of Electrical Contractors, Licensees, Insurance Companies and the public is drawn to the recent publication by the Government of India of a model *General Specification for Electrical Works in Government Buildings.*

Copies of this publication (price two annas) can be obtained on application from the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, Calcutta.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6072A.

No. 5942A.—The 7th November 1918.—Babu Haridas Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd October 1918.

Birbhum.

No. 5983A.—The 8th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Amulya Krishna Datta, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Birbhum, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

Tippera.

No. 5985A.—The 8th November 1918.—Babu Sushil Chandra Datta, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bramanbaria, Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Burdwan.
Midnapore.

No. 5993A.—The 8th November 1918.—Babu Suresh Chandra Nandi Sub-Deputy Collector, Kalna, Burdwan, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district.

Noakhali.
Burdwan Divn.

No. 5995A.—The 8th November 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Ali Ahmad, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is transferred to the Burdwan Division. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 6030A.—The 11th November 1918.—In modification of the orders, dated the 7th October 1918, Maulvi Ali Asghar, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for two months, viz., privilege leave for one month and eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th September 1918, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

Bogra.

No. 6035A.—The 11th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Upendra Mohan Basu, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Bogra, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

No. 6042A.—The 11th November 1918.—Maulvi Abu Muhammad Ubaidur Rashid, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bongaon, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Jessore.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 425.—The 8th November 1918.—Maulvi Nizamuddin Ahmad, Probationer of Jalpaiguri, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Mainaguri, in the same district, with effect from the 21st October 1918, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Kali Kumar Ain, or until further orders.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 426.—The 8th November 1918.—Maulvi Shaikh Yusuf Ali, Sub-Registrar of Rajganj, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Goalundo, in the district of Faridpur, with effect from the 21st October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nibaran Chandra Sen, or until further orders.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

No. 427.—The 8th November 1918.—Babu Jamini Kanta Bakshi, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Midnapore, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Mahisadal, in the same district, with effect from the 21st October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jyotish Chandra Sil, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 428.—The 8th November 1918.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Mukharji, Probationer of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Salkhiya, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Bakarganj.
Jessore.

No. 429.—The 8th November 1918.—Babu Baroda Kanta Sen Gupta, Sub-Registrar of Gopalpur, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for four weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 339, dated the 7th September 1918.

Mymensingh.

No. 430.—The 8th November 1918.—Babu Rai Mohan Mazumdar, Probationer of Faridpur, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Morrelganj, in the district of Khulna, with effect from the 21st October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Haripada Sen, or until further orders.

Faridpur.
Khulna.

No. 431.—The 8th November 1918.—Babu Jitendra Kumar Banarji, Probationer of Dacca, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Monohardi, in the same district, with effect from the 21st October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Tarak Nath Ray, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 432.—The 8th November 1918.—Maulvi Abdul Mannan Chaudhuri, Probationer of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Tazumuddin, in the same district, with effect from the 26th October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Siddique Ahmad, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 433.—The 8th November 1918.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Chaudhuri, Head Clerk of Sadar Registration Office, at Faridpur, acted as Sub-Registrar of Baliakandi, in the same district, from the 22nd October 1918 to 25th October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdur Razzak.

Faridpur.

No. 434.—The 8th November 1918.—Babu Girindra Prasanna Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Mutiganj, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Boserhat, in the same district, with effect from the 22nd October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. V. G. Andrews, or until further orders.

Noakhali.

No. 435.—The 8th November 1918.—Maulvi Mahbubar Rahman, Probationer of Chittagong, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Mutiganj, in the district of Noakhali, with effect from the 21st October 1918, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Girindra Prasanna Mazumdar, or until further orders.

Chittagong. Noakhali.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 15727, dated Calcutta, the 9th November 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Kedar Nath Das, C.I.E., M.D., Teacher of Midwifery, Campbell Medical School, Calcutta, is granted furlough for six months, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the nine months combined leave granted to him in Notification No. 963-D., dated the 22nd June 1918.

W. H. B. ROBINSON, I.M.S.,
Surgeon-Genl. with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

I AUTHORISE Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghosh, Deputy Collector, to draw bills on other treasuries from the forenoon of the 6th November 1918.

A. CASSELLS, *Collector.*

RAJSHAHI, *the 6th November 1918.*

MAULVI SYED EZHAR HASSAN has been placed in charge of the Bankura Treasury from the afternoon of 9th November 1918 and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

J. VAS, *Collector.*

BANKURA *the 9th November 1918.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1918 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Second day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

F. W. CARTER,
Sheriff.

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৮ সাল, তারিখ ২৫শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে ইহা দ্বারা বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৮ সালের ২রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

এফ, ডব্লিউ, কার্টার,
শরিফ

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD POST OFFICE, MANBHUM.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

AN examination for first class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held on the 17th, 18th and 19th February 1919. An examination for second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency will be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th February 1919. Both examinations will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, " these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office " The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad Post Office, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 17th January 1919.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India.
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 30th October 1918.*

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 35For.—The 2nd November 1918.—On return from the privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 25For., dated the 10th September 1918, Babu Priya Nath Sarkar, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, is posted to the charge of the Muraghat Range, Jalpaiguri Division, with headquarters at Gairkata, with effect from the afternoon of the 22nd October 1918.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 36For.—The 2nd November 1918.—On relief by Babu Priya Nath Sarkar, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, Babu Debendra Nath Datta, Probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, Muraghat Range, Jalpaiguri Division, is transferred to the Buxa Division with headquarters at Rajabhatkhawa.

Jalpaiguri. Buxa.

No. 37For.—The 2nd November 1918.—Mr. J. R. P. Gent, Deputy Conservator of Forests, attached to the Kurseong Division, is transferred to the Buxa Division for special duty with headquarters at Rajabhatkhawa.

Kurseong. Buxa.

H. A. FARRINGTON,

Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

CUSTOM HOUSE NOTICE.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 63 of the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878, as amended by Act IV of 1914, the undersigned hereby directs that when applying for port clearance the Master or Agents of any steamship, which is not a British steamship, shall produce at the Custom House a license from the Agent or the Deputy Agent in the East for the Shipping Controller in the United Kingdom, specifying the terms and conditions upon which the said steamship may engage in the carriage of goods to or from any port in India.

A. E. MCKENNA, *Collector of Customs.*

CUSTOM HOUSE, CHITTAGONG, *the 5th November 1918.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI NAUSHER ALI KHAN YUSUFJI, Sub-Deputy Collector, transferred to this Division, is posted to the Tamluk Subdivision of the district of Midnapore.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CAMP CONTAI, *the 5th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4197J—Babu Kul Bahadur Prodhan, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rajshahi Division, is posted to the Siliguri subdivision of the Darjeeling district.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 6th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 184R.G.—This office Notification No. 128R.G., dated the 3rd September 1918, granting privilege leave for 36 days, with effect from the 2nd Septembe 1918, or any subsequent date, to Kazi Muhammad Mahiuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector, Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is cancelled.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 6th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4198J.—Babu Aswini Kumar Maitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Siliguri, district Darjeeling, is posted temporarily to the Balurghat subdivision of the Dinajpur district.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 6th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4193J.—Maulvi Abdul Karim, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is posted to the Naogaon subdivision of the Rajshahi district.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 6th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power vested in me by Government Order No. 168A.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, I appoint Babu Nabo Gopal Bose and Babu Bhudeb Banarji to be non-official visitors of the Arambagh Subsidiary Jail in the district of Hooghly for a period of two years.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CAMP CONTAI, *the 2nd November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU PHANI BHUSAN CHAKRABATTI, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Tamluk subdivision, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th November 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI SAIYID ALI AHMAD, Sub-Deputy Collector, transferred to this Division, is posted to the Kalna subdivision in the district of Burdwan.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 10th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 190R.G.—Babu Sudhir Kumar Sen Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Diamond Harbour Subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

ERRATUM.

No. 48L.S.-G.—In paragraph 3 of this office Notification No. 47L.S.-G., dated the 25th October 1918, published at pages 1533-34, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th October 1918, *for* "Maulvi Ghulam Mahomed" *read* "Maulvi Ghulam Ahmed."

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2851M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the general election of the Municipal Commissioners of the Kurseong Municipality, held on the 22nd June 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as Commissioners of the said Municipality :—

Babu Joy Narayan Pradhan.
Mr. Robert Baron Addis.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 41M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the Kushtia Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the general election of Commissioners held on the 3rd October 1918 :—

No. of Ward.	Name.
I	Maulvi Rajab Ali Khan Choudhuri.
	Munshi Bahadur Biswas.
II	Babu Gouri Sankar Agarwala.
	„ Baroda Kanta Saha.
III	„ Prafulla Chandra Roy.
	„ Tarapada Mazumdar.
IV	Munshi Khodadad Khan.
	Babu Gokul Chandra Mandal, L.M.S.
V	„ Bireswar Chatarji.
	„ Birendra Nath Mitter.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2894M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that a bye-election will be held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, on Monday, the 16th December 1918, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner for Ward No. II of the Darjeeling Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Dr. Bepin Behary Sarkar, deceased.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the 8th March 1919 has been fixed for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the Bally Municipality. in the district of Howrah.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CAMP, CONTAI, *the 3rd November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the 14th December 1918 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. I of the Chandrakona Municipality in the place of Pandit Bharat Ramanuj Das Mahanta, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CAMP, CONTAI, *the 4th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4342J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 23 of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, 1915, Babu Nibaran Chandra Sen Gupta is appointed to be a member of the Managing Committee of the Charitable Dispensary at Jhalakati, in the district of Bakarganj, *vice* Babu Mukunda Lal Paul, L.M.S, deceased.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 7th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 47M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 22nd February 1919, is fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in place of those, who, having been elected at the last general election of Commissioners held on the 12th February 1916, will complete their term of office under section 21 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 46M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 22nd February 1919, is fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in place of those who having been elected at the last general election of Commissioners, will complete their term of office under section 21 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 45M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 1st March 1919, is fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in place of those who, having been elected at the last general election of Commissioners held on the 28th February 1916, or subsequently thereto in place of the Commissioners so elected, will complete their term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 44M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 29th March 1919, is fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in place of those, who having been elected at the last general elections of Commissioners held on the 9th October 1915 and 25th March 1916, will complete their term of office under section 21 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 43M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 29th March 1919, is fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the North Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in place of those, who having been elected at the last general election of Commissioners held on the 25th March 1916, or subsequently thereto in place of the Commissioners so elected, will complete their term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the last general election held on the 5th October 1918, the following gentlemen were duly elected Commissioners of the Kotrung Municipality in the district of Hooghly:—

Ward No. I	...	1.	Babu Abinash Chandra Paul.
		2.	„ Surendra Nath Biswas.
		3.	„ Sambhu Nath Chatterjee.
„ „ II	...	1.	Babu Charu Chandra Mukherjee.
		2.	„ Jitendra Nath Kumar.
		3.	„ Jitendra Lal Some.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, in the bye-election held on the 23rd October 1918, in Ward No. III of the Baidyabati Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, Babu Naiendra Nath Mukerjee was duly elected a Commissioner in the place of Babu Benoy Nath Mukherjee, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CAMP, BANKURA, *the 7th November 1918.*

ERRATUM.

No. 42M.—In this office Notification No. 35M., dated the 12th September 1918, published at page 1349, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th September 1918, *read* the names of elected Commissioners of Ward No. II, Jemo, of the Kandi Municipality as "Nil Kamal Trivedi" and "Sibendu Narayan Roy" *for* "Nil Kanta Trivedi" and "Sibendra Narain Ray", respectively.

P. N. MUKHARJEE,

Personal Assistant, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 50L.S.G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Murshidabad by the Local Boards mentioned against their names :—

Name of Local Board by which elected.	Name of member elected.
Sadar ...	1. Babu Ramani Mohan Sen.
	2. „ Siddartha Krishna Mazumdar.
	3. Maulvi Mahammad Abdus Samad, B.L.
	4. Babu Kulada Prasad Ray.
	5. The Hon'ble Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandi, K.C.I.E.
	6. Maulvi Ekram-ul-Huq, B.L.
Kandi	1. Babu Bidhu Bhusan Singha.
	2. Maulvi Haji Khondkar Muhammad Mohsen.
Jangipur	1. Babu Jnanendra Narain Chaudhuri.
	2. Munshi Muhammad Bogdad Biswas.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4289J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Union Committee at Joydebpur in the Sadar subdivision (North) of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Jogendra Nath Banerjee.
2. „ Fani Bhusan Banerjee.
3. Munshi Mazibuddin Dhali.
4. Babu Giriza Kishore Chowdhury.
5. „ Aswini Kumar Datta.
6. Munshi Amiruddin Bhuian.

Under section 41 of the said Act the undersigned hereby appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the said Union Committee :—

1. Babu Dwaraka Nath Das.
2. „ Prasanna Kumar Datta.
3. Munshi Emdad Hussain Bhuian.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 2nd November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4328J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Union Committees noted below in the Munshiganj Subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

MIRKADIM.

1. Babu Upendra Chandra Pal.
2. „ Benode Lal Pal.
3. Munshi Abdul Majid.

ABDULLAPUR.

1. Babu Rajendra Chandra Mandal.
2. „ Rash Mohan Pal.
3. „ Sadhu Charan Gope.

BAJRAJOGINI.

1. Babu Adi Nath Chakrabartty.
2. „ Lalit Mohan Datta.
3. „ Paresh Chandra Acharjee.
4. „ Aswini Kumar Kunda.
5. „ Lal Mohan Chatterji.
6. „ Ram Moni Datta.

DHIPUR.

1. Babu Harendra Kumar Ghose.
2. „ Nishi Kanta Ghatak.
3. Munshi Shamsher Ali Bepari.
4. „ Sultan Kaviraj.
5. Babu Ganesh Chandra Das.
6. „ Bhupendra Chandra Chakrabortty.

HASHARA.

1. Babu Rashik Chandra Some.
2. „ Jogesh Chandra Sen.
3. „ Man Mohan Pal.
4. „ Rajendra Chandra Gope.

BAHERAK.

1. Babu Asutosh Chatterjee.
2. „ Hem Chandra Sen.
3. „ Rajendra Chandra Bandopadhya.

2. Under section 40 of the said Act the undersigned hereby appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committees noted below in the said subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

MIRKADIM.

1. Babu Rajani Mohan Poddar.
2. „ Radha Charan Modak.
3. „ Debendra Nath Banerjee.

ABDULLAPUR.

1. Babu Mati Lal Chakrabortty.
2. „ Nibaran Chandra Mitra.
3. Yeasin Munshi.

KALMA.

1. Babu Bhupati Chandra Das Gupta.
2. „ Braja Benode Pal Chaudhury.
3. „ Kamini Mohan Das Gupta.
4. Munshi Sujatali Ahmed.
5. Babu Pramatha Nath Das Gupta.
6. „ Upendra Chandra Bose.

SEKHERNAGAR.

1. Babu Satish Chandra Datta.
2. „ Kailash Chandra De.
3. „ Jagadish Chandra De.
4. „ Suresh Chandra Bose.
5. „ Hiranya Mohan Roy.
6. „ Dakhina Ranjan Roy.

RASUNIA.

1. Babu Romesh Chandra Chakrabortty.
2. „ Prosanna Kumar Datta.
3. „ Phani Bhusan Datta.
4. „ Dina Bandhu Gope.
5. „ Lakshmi Kanta Datta Kabiraj.
6. „ Syam Lal Roy.

HALDIA.

1. Babu Radha Benode Saha.
2. „ Amar Chand Mitra.
3. Munshi Sherajal Hoque.
4. Babu Hare Krishna Saha.
5. „ Nanda Lal Kundu.
6. „ Rajeswar Das.

SREENAGAR,

1. Babu Manmatha Kumar Bose.
2. „ Debendra Nath Guha.
3. „ Basanta Kumar Kar.
4. „ Jogesh Chandra Bose.
5. „ Loke Nath Acherji.
6. Munshi Najimaddi.

SYAMSIDHI.

1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Ghose.
2. „ Rakhal Chandra Barori.

3. Babu Heramba Lal Ghose.
4. Mahammedali Munshi.
5. Amiruddi Bepari.
6. Babu Jajneswar Thakurta.

SOLAGHAR.

1. Babu Bilas Chandra Chakrabortty.
2. „ Umesh Chandra Ghose.
3. Gendu Meah, *alias*, Hamidullah.
4. Babu Satindra Kumar Ghose.
5. „ Tarakeswar Chakrabortty.
6. „ Jamini Kanta Chakrabortty.

HASHARA.

1. Babu Mohendra Kumar Banerjee.
2. „ Dagu Ram Saha.

BIRTARA.

1. Babu Uma Kanta Ghose.
2. Ajijaddi Ahmed Khan.
3. Babu Radha Madhab Bhaumik.
4. „ Ananta Kumar Ganguly.
5. „ Jnanendra Chandra Bose.
6. „ Mahendra Kumar Ghose.

BHAGYAKUL.

1. Babu Annada Charan Chakrabortty.
2. „ Ram Kumar Gope.
3. Munshi Elahi Baksha.
4. „ Hujat Ali Khan.
5. Babu Bisveswar Gope.
6. „ Tarini Chandra Saha.

HASAIL.

1. Babu Aditya Chandra Chakrabortty of Hashail.
2. Manaraddi Munshi.
3. Babu Baroda Kanta Sircar.
4. Maulvi Abdul Gafur.
5. Babu Mukunda Pal.
6. „ Sarada Prosad Chakrabortty.

CHAR SHILAI.

1. Munshi Nazimaddi Sircar.
2. Mahammad Mukshud Ali.
3. Munshi Hamid Ali.
4. Ramjan Ali Sircar.
5. Abbas Ali Munshi.
6 Munshi Solaiman Sircar.

BAHERAK.

1. Babu Kumudini Kanta Chakrabortty.
2. „ Chandra Kumar Bidyalankar.
3. „ Jatindra Kumar Bhramachari.

3. Under section 41 of the said Act the undersigned hereby also appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committee noted below in the said sub-division of the Dacca district :—

MIRKADIM.

1. Babu Rai Mohan Das Poddar.
2. „ Janaki Nath Pal.
3. Munshi Ahmed Dalal.

ABDULLAPUR.

1. Babu Harendra Chandra Banerjee.
2. „ Jatindra Mohan De.
3. „ Aswini Kumar Biswas.

BAJRAJOGINI.

1. Rai Romesh Chandra Guha Bahadur.
2. Babu Ambika Charan Ghose.
3. Munshi Abdus Sattar.

KALMA.

1. Babu Durga Prosanna Maulik.
2. Munshi Tobarak Ali Bhuian.
3. Babu Benodeswar Das Gupta.

DHIPUR.

1. Babu Debendra Kumar Bose.
2. „ Brajakanta Chakrabortty.
3. „ Girish Chandra Bhowal.

SHEKHERNAGAR.

1. Munshi Ekramaddi Hyder.
2. Babu Krishna Kumar Barari.
3. Munshi Mahinddin.

RASUNIA.

1. The Sub-Registrar of Serajdikhan, *ex-officio*.
2. Babu Bhuban Mohan Mandal.
3. Munshi Mir Muhammedali.

HALDIA.

1. Babu Lalit Mohan Chatterjee.
2. „ Upendra Lal Sircar.
3. „ Hemanta Lal Saha.

SREENAGAR.

1. The Sub-Registrar of Sreenagar, *ex-officio*.
2. Babu Bankim Chandra Guha Mustafi.
3. „ Mahendra Kumar Ghose.

SYAMSHIDHI.

1. Babu Kashi Chandra Guha.
2. „ Nishi Kanta Mitra.
3. „ Nagendra Mohan Mukhopadhya.

SOLAGHAR.

1 Babu Akshoy Kumar Bose Choudhury.
2. Kafiluddi Kazi.
3. Babu Kishori Mohan Saha.

HASHARA.

1. Nazir Munshi.
2. Babu Radha Benode Ghose.
3. Rahimaddi Munshi.

BIRTARA.

1 Munshi Abdul Jabbar Bhuian.
2. Babu Mati Lal Chanda.
3. ,, Syamakanta Guha.

BHAGYAKUL.

1. Babu Debendra Nath Thakur.
2. ,, Rash Behari Rudra
3. ,, Hari Mohan Pal.

HASHAIL.

1. Babu Aditya Chandra Chakabortty of Dakhin Mandra.
2. ,, Kali Kumar Das.
3. ,, Krishna Kumar Chakrabortty.

CHAR SHILAI.

1. Ahmed Ali Munshi.
2. Ibrahim Munshi.
3 Babu Jaladhar Bairagi.

BAHEREK.

1. Babu Kali Kumar Banerji.
2 ,, Radha Nath Karmakar.
3. Jamiruddin Munshi.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 6th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4300J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Union Committees, noted against their names in the Sadar (South) Subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1.	Babu Bharat Chandra Sarkar	...	Kalatia.
2.	,, Girish Chandra Das	...	
3.	Munshi Amjas Sarkar	...	
4.	Babu Bidya Bhusan Chakrabartti	...	
5.	,, Rakhal Chandra Saha	...	
6.	,, Indra Mohan Saha	...	
1.	Babu Annada Prosad Choudhury	...	Subhadya.
2.	,, Bidhu Bhusan Saha	...	
3.	Munshi Abdul Latif	...	
4.	,, Gol Bux	...	
5.	,, Wahed Bux	..	
6.	,, Abdul Hannan	...	
1.	Babu Srinath Ghosh	...	Teghoria.
2.	,, Bomkesh Mazumdar	...	
3.	,, Purna Chandra Saha	...	
4.	,, Kali Nath Chakrabartti	...	

2. Under section 40 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Teghoria Union Committee, in the said subdivision of the Dacca district :—

1. Babu Jamini Kumar Bose. | 2. Babu Rai Mohan Saha.

3. Under section 41 of the said Act, I appoint also the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committees, noted against their names, in the said subdivision of the Dacca district :—

1.	Maulvi Muhammad Ishaque Choudhury ...	Kalatia.
2.	Munshi Abdul Jabbar Bepari ...	
3	„ Baki Bepari ...	
1.	Babu Hara Nath Ghosh ...	Subhadya.
2.	„ Nripati Ranjan Roy ...	
3.	Munshi Ibrahim Choudhury ...	
1.	Babu Chandra Kumar Chakrabartti ...	Teghoria.
2.	„ Pramath Kumar Bose ...	
3.	Munshi Newaz Mollah ...	

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 5th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4306J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Fatulla Union Committee, in the Narainganj Subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Manindra Chandra Das.
2. „ Subhankar Das.
3. „ Dayamoy Das.
4. Misirali Mir.
5. Tufani Prodhan.
6. Abdul Gafur Mian.

Under section 41 of the said Act the undersigned hereby appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the said Union Committee :—

1. Babu Rajendra Kumar Datta.
2. „ Heramba Chandra Ghose.
3. Munshi Ekhlak Buksh.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 5th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4297J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nayabari Union Committee in the Sadar (South) Subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Babu Birendra Kumar Dutta Munshi.
2. „ Jatindra Kumar Dutta Munshi.
3. Munshi Abdul Majid Bhuya.
4. Babu Indu Bhusan Chakrabortty.
5. „ Sailendra Kumar Bhadra.
6. „ Trailokya Nath Sircar.

2. Under section 41 of the said Act the undersigned hereby appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the said Union Committee :—

1. Munshi Saharali.
2. Babu Dhirendra Nath Bose.
3. Munshi Muhammad Eaku Rauddin.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 5th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 49L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 43 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, Babu Rakhal Das Bose has been duly elected to be a member representing Ward No. II of the Subharara Union Committee within thana Narail, in the Narail, subdivision of the district of Jessore, in place of Babu Satish Chandra Bose, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 51L.S.-G.—In exercise of the power conferred on me by section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended by section 4 (*2*) of Act V of 1908, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Murshidabad District Board :—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Murshidabad ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Superintendent of Police, Murshidabad ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. The Subdivisional Officer, Sadar ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. The Subdivisional Officer, Kandi ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
5. The Subdivisional Officer, Jangipur ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
6. Mr. C. Westmacott.
7. Maulvi Hazi Imajuddin.
8. „ Syyud Abbas Hossain.
9. „ Syyed Sakhaot Hossain.
10. Rai Baikuntha Nath Sen Bahadur.
11. Raja Bhupendra Narain Sinha Bahadur, B.A.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4158J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of the Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the eight Charitable Dispensaries named below, in the district of Dinajpur :—

(*1*) *Patiram Dispensary.*

1. Babu Krishna Lal Ghosh (No. I).
2. „ Jatindra Nath Das.
3. „ Suresh Chandra Moitra.
4. „ Rajani Kanta Ganguli.
5. Babu Krishna Hari Das Mahanta.
6. „ Krishna Lal Ghosh (No. II.)

(*2*) *Gangarampur Dispensary.*

1. Babu Jogesh Chandra Banerjee.
2. The Officer in charge of Gangarampur police-station.
3. The Sub-Inspector of Schools, Gangarampur Circle.
4. The Sub-Postmaster, Gangarampur.
5. The District Board Overseer, Gangarampur.
6. Babu Benimadhab Koar.

(3) Patnitala Dispensary.

1. The District Board Sub-Overseer, Patnitala.
2. The Officer in charge of Patnitala police-station.
3. The Head Master, Najipur M. E. School.
4. The Head Pandit, Najipur M. E. School.
5. Babu Jagneswar Kundu.
6. „ Lal Bihari Das.
7. „ Panchanan Shah.
8. „ Dinabandhu Ghosh.
9. Munshi Mafizuddin Sardar.
10. „ Nasiruddin Sardar.

(4) Porsha Dispensary.

1. Babu Jaga Lal Prasad Bhagat.
2. „ Radha Prasad Bhagat.
3. „ Shibsahay Bhagat.
4. „ Shital Bhagat.
5. „ Ramdhari Ram.
6. Munshi Abdul Gaffur Shah Chowdhury.
7. The Sub-Postmaster, Nithpur.
8. The Officer in charge of Porsha police-station.
9. Mahammad Ibrahim Shah Chowdhury.
10. Munshi Abdul Wahed Shah Chowdhuri.

(5) Phulbari Dispensary.

1. Babu Paresh Chandra Chaudhuri.
2. „ Behari Lal Roy.
3. „ Nrisingha Chandra Das.
4. „ Panchanan Pal.
5. Babu Sita Kanta Mukherjee.
6. The Officer in charge of Phulbari police-station.
7. The Sub-Registrar, Phulbari.
8. Syed Abdul Latif.
9. Munshi Chhananuddin Ahmed.

(6) Thakurgaon Dispensary.

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Thakurgaon.
2. The Munsiff, Thakurgaon.
3. The Subdivisional Medical Officer, Thakurgaon.
4. The Head Master, Thakurgaon H. E. School.
5. Babu Banka Behari Sarkar.
6. Babu Girindra Chandra Chaudhuri.
7. „ Babu Gojendra Narayan Chakravarti.
8. „ Hem Chandra Roy.
9. Munshi Ali Mahomed.
10. Maulvi Saifuddin Ahmed.

(7) Pirganj Dispensary.

1. Babu Durgadas Mukherjee.
2. The Sub-Registrar, Pirganj.
3. The Officer in charge of Pirganj police-station.
4. The Head Master, Pirganj M. E. School.
5. Babu Lachmi Narayan Jha.
6. Babu Nibaran Chandra Chakravarti.
7. Munshi Sariuddin Mahomed Sarkar.
8. „ Mahbud Bux Sarkar.
9. „ Majiruddin Sarkar.

(8) Raniganj Dispensary.

1. Babu Brajendra Kumar Ghosh.
2. The Naib of Raniganj Kutchery.
3. Babu Paresh Nath Ghosh.
4. Munshi Babardi Sarkar.
5. „ Amiruddin Sarkar.
6. „ Salimuddin Sarkar.
7. „ Sabaruddin Sarkar.
8. „ Kefayetulla Jamadar.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 5th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 48M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 15th February 1919, is fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the Taki Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in place of those, who having been elected at the last general election of Commissioners held on the 12th February 1916, or subsequently thereto, in place of the Commissioners so elected, will complete their term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 526P.W.—It is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I order the establishment, under section 6 (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, of the following temporary ferries, in the district of Rangpur :—

(1) Bamunikunda	...	Over the break at the 6th mile of the District Board Road No. 7 across the river Manash in thana Pirgacha in the Sadar subdivision.
(2) Chandanpat	...	Over the break at the 8th mile of the District Board Road No. 28 across a low bheel land in thana Kotwali in the Sadar subdivision.
(3) Korotoya	...	Over the break at the 9th mile of the District Board Road No. 37 across the river Korotoya in thana Govindaganj in the Gaibandha subdivision.
(4) Khalsi	...	Over the break at the 10th mile of the District Board Road No. 87 in thana Govindaganj in the Gaibandha subdivision.
(5) Gularjan	...	Over the break at the 3rd mile of the District Board Road No. 87 in thana Govindaganj in the Gaibandha subdivision.
(6) Madanerpara	...	Over the breaks at the 2nd and 3rd miles of the District Board Road No. 69 in thana Palashbari in the Gaibandha subdivision.
(7) Gholdaha	...	Over the break at the 4th mile of the District Board Road No. 69 in thana Palashbari in the Gaibandha subdivision.
(8) Nalamaridara	...	Over the break at the 6th mile of the Local Board Road No. 51 across the Nalamaridara in thana Kurigram in the Kurigram subdivision.
(9) Ferry over the Girai Bund.		Over the bund at the 42nd mile of the District Board Road No. 10 across the Girai river in thana Nageswari in Kurigram subdivision.

2. In exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, I also direct, under section 35 of the same Act, that the above-mentioned ferries shall be managed by the District Board of Rangpur and that all the proceeds of the said ferries and all the fines levied and the compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund with effect from the date of this notification.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 7th November 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13108.—The 8th November 1918.—In modification of my previous orders as contained :—

(1) in Notification No. 9557, dated the 23rd July 1918, so far as it relates to the appointment of Babu Nishikanta Mukherjee, Auditor of Co-operative Societies, as liquidator of the Boramara Gramya Dharma Bhandar, in the district of Pabna, I appoint Maulvi Akbar Husain Ahmad, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, instead, as liquidator for the said society.

(2) in Notification No. 9559, dated the 23rd July 1918, so far as it relates to the appointment of Babu Nishikanta Mukherjee, Auditor of Co-operative Societies, as liquidator of the Aminpur Gramya Dharma Bhandar, in the district of Pabna, I appoint Maulvi Akbar Husain Ahmad, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, instead, as liquidator for the said society.

(3) in Notification No. 9561, dated the 23rd July 1918, so far as it relates to the appointment of Babu Nishikanta Mukherjee, Auditor of Co-operative Societies, as liquidator of the Bharenga Co-operative Weavers' Society, in the district of Pabna, I appoint Maulvi Akbar Husain Ahmad, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, instead, as liquidator for the said society.

(4) in Notification No. 9563, dated the 23rd July 1918, so far as it relates to the appointment of Babu Nishikanta Mukherjee, Auditor of Co-operative Societies, as liquidator of the Char Boalia Gramya Dharma Bhandar, in the district of Pabna, I appoint Maulvi Akbar Husain Ahmad, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, instead, as liquidator for the said society.

(5) in Notification No. 9731, dated the 26th July 1918, so far as it relates to the appointment of Babu Nishikanta Mukherjee, Auditor of Co-operative Societies, as liquidator of the Bagmara Gramya Dharma Bhandar, in the district of Pabna, I appoint Maulvi Akbar Husain Ahmad, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, instead, as liquidator for the said society.

(6) in Notification No. 5593, dated the 16th April 1918, so far as it relates to the appointment of Babu Nishikanta Mukherjee, Auditor of Co-operative Societies, as liquidator of the Pengua Gramya Dharma Bhandar, in the district of Pabna, I appoint Maulvi Akbar Husain Ahmad, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, instead, as liquidator for the said society.

(7) in Notification No. 3, dated the 8th June 1918, so far as it relates to the appointment of Babu Nishikanta Mukherjee, Auditor of Co-operative Societies, as liquidator of the Nalkhola Gramya Dharma Bhandar, in the district of Pabna, I appoint Maulvi Akbar Husain Ahmad, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, instead, as liquidator for the said society.

J. T. DONOVAN,

Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

Statement showing the quantity of Salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 31st day of October 1918, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 31st October 1918.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 16th to the 31st October 1918, inclusive.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	251,574	23,485	275,059	17,542	52,185	8,000	37,542
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	380	...	380	...	...	...	2,750
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	470,392	...	470,392	14,188	217,778	7,500	131,634
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	240,143	...	240,143	15,380	16,334	...	61,024
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	51,288	...	51,288	...	...	...	33 916
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	6,376	...	6,376	...	...	...	1,600
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,020,153	23,485	1,043,638	47,110	286,297	15,500	268 466

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	7,108
Abandoned and destroyed	Nil.

In transit—

Liverpool and other Panga salt	7,000

S. C. SATYAWADI,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 7th November 1918.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 9th November 1918, is republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

COMMERCE—WAR.

Simla, the 9th November 1918.

No. 12195.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2043, dated the 27th April 1918, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

Additions.

American Hospital Supply Co., Harbin.
Barrant, C. E., Harbin.
China Film Syndicate, Harbin.
China-French Tobacco Co., Mukden.
Chung Fu Pharmacy, Limited, Hankow.
Conner, T. C., Harbin.
Cooper, L. D., Harbin.
Davis, Malcolm, Harbin.
Electric Light Works, Mukden, Changchun.
Eskaline, Carl J., Harbin.
Fitzsimmons, A. E., Harbin.
Gensburger, Henri, Shanghai.
Gensburger, Victor, Shanghai.
Hager, A. R., Shanghai.
Hoffman, John D., Harbin.
International Correspondence Schools (China Agency), Shanghai.
Jarrot, George, Harbin.
Karim Baksh, H. K. B., Shanghai.
Lee, J. M. and Co., Hankow.
Lefkowitz, Joseph, Harbin.
Manchurian Development Co., Harbin.

Mission of Seventh Day Adventists, Mukden.
Moukden Club, Mukden.
O'Brien Trading Co., Harbin.
Pacific Orient Co. (Berelson, J. B.,), Tientsin.
Peck, A. P., Dr. (Early and Moor), Tientsin.
Petit, Marshall Co., Harbin.
Russo-Asiatic Fur Company, Inc., Mukden.
Technical Supply Co., Shanghai.
Th Culty, So Kuan Yin Ssu Huttung, Peking.
Tuck, Charles H., Harbin.
Wagman, N., Mukden.
Wulfsohn, Max, Mukden.
Young Men's Christian Association, Mukden, Kirin.

Alterations.

Huber, E. and Co., Shanghai,
should read
Huber, E. and Co., Shanghai and Tientsin.
Moysey, H. J. (A.B. Sveirska Kullager Fabriken),
should read
Mosey, H. J. (A. B. Svenska Kullager Fabriken.
Sennet Freres, Shanghai,
should read
Sennet Freres, Shanghai and Peking.
Sveirska Kullager Fabriken, A. B. (Moysey, H. J.,),
should read
Svenska Kullager Fabriken, A. B. (Moysey, H. J.,).
Tobacco Products Corporation, Shanghai,
should read
Tobacco Products Corporation, Shanghai, Mukden.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 9th November 1918, is republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 8th November 1918.

REWARDS.

No. 2652.—The following are the particulars of the acts of gallantry for which admissions to the Indian Order of Merit were sanctioned in the Fourth Supplement, dated 26th May 1917, to the *London Gazette* of 25th May 1917, republished in Army Department Notification No. 273, dated 9th February 1918.

Admitted to the 2nd class of the Order.

Jemadar Wazir Singh, Cavalry.

On the 11th April 1917, he was one of a party under a British officer sent forward to cut the wire to make a passage for the cavalry. Coming suddenly under machine gun fire 22 of the party of 55 were hit and the officer fell mortally wounded. Jemadar Wazir Singh helped to carry him behind a railway embankment 500 yards in the rear. He then took out 4 men and brought in two wounded men under shell and machine gun fire.

Subadar Jan Gul, Punjabis.

For conspicuous gallantry on the 27th September 1916. By his courageous example he led his men across the open up to 300 yards from the enemy's position, maintained them there for three hours and successfully withdrew. Throughout this time the enemy's fire was very heavy. This Indian officer had with him 20 rifles, and desired to lead a charge, but this was considered inadvisable owing to the enemy's superiority in numbers.

No. 4799, Naik Punna Khan, Pathans.

For conspicuous gallantry on the 27th September 1916 when he maintained his machine gun for three hours under heavy frontal machine gun and

rifle fire 300 yards from the enemy's position. During this time the enemy brought up another machine gun on his right flank in order to enfilade our lines, but Punna Khan silenced this machine gun every time it opened fire until he was wounded.

No. 596, Sepoy Munsib Dar Baluchis.

For conspicuous gallantry on the 7th December 1916 as No. 1 of his gun. He was continuously at his gun under heavy artillery and machine gun fire. He had no cover. His fire kept down the fire of two hostile machine guns being employed against the redoubt on his left. He was dangerously wounded next day, and has since died of his wounds.

No. 2238, Sepoy Sadda Singh, Jind Imperial Service Infantry.

For conspicuous gallantry on the 9th October 1916. The regiment having occupied some of the enemy's trenches, it became necessary to halt. In order to carry out a further advance, it was necessary to proceed along a communication trench which was enfiladed. In this trench, which was subject to a hot fire from the fort, were lying a number of killed, whose bodies impeded the advance. Sepoy Sadda Singh assisted by No. 1492, Sepoy Khiwan Singh, proceeded forward under fire and removed the corpses which were blocking the way.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

OFFICE OF THE BRITISH REMOUNT TRAINING DEPOT, BANGALORE.

The 4th November 1918.

The following list of absentees is published :—

Joined the British Remount Training Depôt, Bangalore, on the 28th June 1918, from the 1103rd Battery, R. F. A., Trimulgherry, and deserted on the 1st September 1918.

No. 21453. Indian Driver Rajah Singh.
Father's name, Latchman Singh.
Caste, Hindu, Rajput.
Village Bikanoo.
Thana Trimulgherry.
District Trimulgherry.
Enrolled at Trimulgherry on the 8th March 1918.
Age on enrolment, 25 years.
Height 5 feet 4 inches.
Chest measurement, 32 inches.
Identification marks on body—Large mole just above the back of the bone of the right elbow joint, mole on the top of right shoulder joint.

Joined the British Remount Training Depôt, Bangalore, on the 8th September 1918, from Royal Artillery Depôt, Trimulgherry, and deserted on the 9th September 1918.

No. 22078. Indian Driver Picha Konar.
Father's name, Chitambara Konar.
Caste, Hindu, Tamil, Shepherd.
Village Suthamali, thana Suthamali, tehsil Tinnevelly, district Tinnevelly.
Enrolled at Ambasamudram on 30th April 1918.
Age on enlistment, 22 years.
Height 5 feet 6½ inches.
Chest measurement, 32½-36 inches.
Identification marks on body—A mole in front of the middle of right upper arm, a mole 3½ inches above the pit of the stomach in middle line. A—between the left shoulder blade and middle line on back.

Joined the British Remount Training Depôt, Bangalore, on the 8th September 1918, from the Royal Artillery Depôt, Trimulgherry, and deserted on the 18th October 1918.

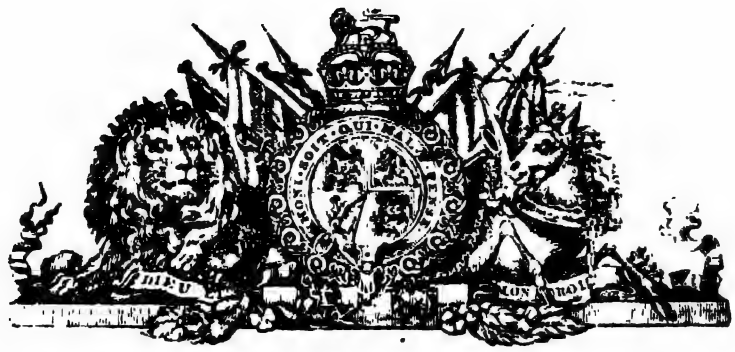
No. 45048. Indian Driver Ram Pershad.
Father's name, Ganne.

Caste, Hindu, Badhai.
Village Patna, thana Notha, tehsil Damoh, district Damoh.
Nearest telegraph office, Ghatora.
Nearest post-office, Bandakpur.
Enrolled at Jubbulpore on 15th March 1918.
Age on enlistment, 20 years.
Height 5 feet 5¼ inches.
Chest measurement, 32-34 inches.
Identification marks on body—Scar on right calf, scar above left ankle.

Joined the British Remount Training Depôt, Bangalore, on the 8th September 1918, from the Royal Artillery Depôt, Trimulgherry, and deserted on the 18th October 1918.

No. 21979. Indian Driver Hendry.
Father's name, Scott.
Caste, Christian.
Village Bhusradiguda, tehsil Hyderabad, district Hyderabad.
Nearest telegraph office, Secunderabad.
Nearest post office, Secunderabad.
Enrolled at Trimulgherry on the 12th March 1918.
Age on enlistment, 33 years.
Chest measurement, 34-37 inches.
Height 5 feet 8 inches.
Identification marks on body—Liner scar 1 inch long just above the right eyebrow, mole behind the right ear.

V. H. SECKER, *Captain*, for *Lieut.-Colonel*,
Commandant, British Remount Training Depôt, Bangalore.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

24-Parganas.

No. 2576M.—The 8th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Gobardanga Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend to the said Municipality all the provisions of Part VI of that Act, except sections 252, 253, 275 and 276.

Howrah.

No. 2587M.—The 8th November 1918.—The Governor in Council is pleased to declare his intention, in exercise of the power conferred by section 640 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), to extend to the town of Howrah the following proviso to rule 50 of Schedule XVII of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, subject to the modification therein, which is shown in antique type :—

"Provided that nothing contained in this rule shall authorise any addition to a building which would make it higher than any building which, **at the date of this notification,** is standing in the same place."

II. Any objection to such extension on the part of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Howrah or any inhabitant thereof should be submitted in writing, through the District Magistrate, Howrah, to the undersigned before the 15th December 1918.

Dacca.

No. 2610M.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Narainganj Municipality in the district of Dacca :—

Mr. H. M. Shircore.	Mr. R. J. Smith.
„ A. L. Godden.	„ L. V. N. Meares.

Hooghly.

No. 2614M.—The 9th November 1918.—The following draft of rules which, in exercise of the power conferred by section 290 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council proposes to make and subject to which the Commissioners of the Uttarpara Municipality may allow communication-pipes to be laid down from the service-pipes of the Commissioners for the purpose of leading water to premises for domestic purposes only are published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft rules will be taken into consideration on the 20th December 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Rules.

So long as the Commissioners deem it practicable and consistent with the maintenance of an efficient water-supply, they may allow any owner or occupier of a holding paying a water-rate imposed under the provisions of Part VII of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, on the annual value of such holding, when such annual value is not less than Rs. 50, to lay down communication-pipes from the service-pipes of the Commissioners for the purpose of leading water to such holding for domestic purposes only, subject to the following rules and conditions:—

1. The owner or occupier of any holding requiring water to be laid on to such holding for domestic purposes, or requiring any addition or alteration to an existing water-supply, must apply for the same on a printed form to be supplied, free of cost, at the municipal office.

2. A fee of Rs. 100 must be paid to the Commissioners by such owner or occupier for each connection to a municipal main supply-pipe or a common communication-pipe laid in accordance with rule 3 before any work is commenced, such fee to be in addition to all other costs and charges imposed under these rules.

3. Except as provided below, each holding must have a separate connection to the municipal main supply-pipe, and extensions from the communication-pipe of one holding to another holding shall not be permitted:

Provided that with the consent of the Commissioners in meeting connections to two or more holdings may be permitted from a common communication-pipe. Any such communication-pipe must be laid in a street or common passage and a stop-cock and meter as provided for in rule 7 must be fixed on the connection to each holding;

Provided also that no holding shall have more than one separate connection, but if in any case the Commissioners are satisfied that an adequate supply to any holding cannot be given through a single connection, they may sanction a second connection thereto.

4. The owner or occupier of the holding in respect of which the connection is required must pay the entire cost of the connection, including the supply and fixing of the fittings referred to in rule 7, and must also pay the cost of such alterations in, or repairs to, roads, drains, sewers, gas or water-mains or pipes, and the cost of such other works as may be necessitated by, or result from, the work of making such connection.

5. The owner or occupier of the holding to which a connection has been given must, at any time, on receipt of notice to do so from the Commissioners, pay the entire cost of any repairs or alterations to the connection or any part thereof that the Commissioners may consider necessary to put it into a satisfactory condition or which may be necessitated by any change in the municipal water-works or system of distribution or by the defective condition of the connection or any part thereof or by any other cause whatever.

6. (*1*) The works required under rules 4 and 5 may, at the option of the Commissioners, either be carried out by the Commissioners themselves at the expense of the owner or occupier of the holding in respect of which the works are required, or may be carried out by a person or firm employed by such owner or occupier and approved by the Commissioners.

(*2*) No work shall be carried out under sub-rule (*1*), except under the supervision of a municipal officer.

7. A holding connection shall comprise the following parts or fittings:—

(*a*) a brass or gun-metal ferrule inserted in the main supply-pipe;
(*b*) a galvanized iron communication-pipe from the ferrule to the meter;
(*c*) a stop-cock and its surface-box;
(*d*) a meter;
(*e*) service-pipes from the stop-cock to the taps; and
(*f*) taps.

8. (*1*) All the fittings referred to in rule 7 shall be exact duplicates of standard samples kept in the office of the Commissioners, and approved by them in meeting.

(*2*) All fittings shall be inspected and tested and stamped by an officer of the municipality before being fixed.

(*3*) If any owner or occupier shall desire to adopt any fitting of a pattern different from the standard patterns, he must present such fitting for the approval of the Chairman, and any fittings so presented may, if considered satisfactory by the Chairman, be stamped and passed.

9. The holding connection, when fitted in position, must be capable of standing a pressure of 60 feet, and no water shall be supplied until it has stood such a test applied by the Commissioners.

10. The size of the ferrule and the diameter of the communication-pipe referred to in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of rule 7, and the number of taps shall be fixed in accordance with the annual valuation of the holdings as follows:—

Annual value of holding.			Size of ferrule.	Diameter of communication-pipe.	Number of taps.
	Rs.	Rs.	Inch.	Inch.	
From	50 to	99	$\frac{3}{16}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1
„	100 „	299	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	2
„	300 „	599	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	3
„	600 „	1,199	$\frac{3}{8}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	4
„	1,200 „	2,999	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	5
„	3,000 „	4,999	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	6
„	5,000 upwards		$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	6 or more at the discretion of the Commissioners.

Note.—In exceptional circumstances as in the case of boarding-houses, hospitals, etc, the Commissioners in a meeting may sanction a bigger size of ferrule and connection-pipe and a larger number of taps.

11. (*1*) On every communication-pipe a brass or gun-metal stop-cock having the same water-way as such pipe shall be placed as near as practicable to the point where that pipe enters the holding to be supplied.

(*2*) The stop-cock shall be built in a brick chamber provided with a cast-iron surface cover-box so designed that it can be locked, and the key of this box shall remain under the control of the Chairman.

(*3*) The stop-cock shall be capable of adjustment so that the supply to the holding may be regulated thereby.

12. (*1*) The meter shall be placed as near to the stop-cock as possible and in a position where it can be conveniently examined.

(*2*) The meter must be fixed in a brick chamber covered over with a cast-iron surface-box of approved pattern.

13. Neither the stop-cock nor the meter must be placed in any private premises.

14. The Commissioners shall depute an authorized person to read every meter not less than once a quarter, and shall give notice to the occupier at least twenty-four hours before the reading is recorded.

15. (*1*) Every owner or occupier of any holding, in respect of which a connection has been made under these rules, shall be entitled to a supply of—

(*a*) 750 gallons of water per quarter for each four annas, and
(*b*) a further proportionate number of gallons per quarter for every additional fraction of four annas,

paid by him quarterly as water-rate in respect of such holding

(2) For all water in excess of the amount allowed under sub-rule (1) such owner or occupier shall be charged quarterly as follows :—

	Annas per 1,000 gallons
(a) For any excess quantity of water not exceeding one-half of the amount of the allowance prescribed in sub-rule (1)	4 as.
(b) For any excess quantity of water exceeding one-half of the amount of the allowance prescribed in sub-rule (1), but not exceeding that amount ...	8 as.
(c) For any excess quantity of water exceeding the amount of the allowance prescribed in sub-rule (1), but not exceeding twice that amount ...	12 as.
(d) For any excess quantity of water exceeding twice the amount of the allowance prescribed in sub-rule (1)	Re. 1.

16. The Commissioners may cut off the connection between any water-works of the municipality and any holding to which water is supplied from such works, or may turn off such supply, in any of the following cases, namely :—

(a) if the holding is unoccupied ;

(b) if the occupier refuses to admit any officer duly empowered in that behalf into the holding for the purpose of making any examination or inspection authorized under this Act, or under any by-law or rule framed under this Act, or prevents such officer from making such examination or inspection ;

(c) if the owner or occupier of the holding touches or interferes with his meter in any way except with the permission of the Chairman, or wilfully or negligently injures or damages it ;

(d) if the owner or occupier of the holding wilfully or negligently permits waste of water in such volume as will, in the opinion of the Chairman, endanger the water-supply in the neighbourhood ;

(e) if the owner or occupier of the holding shall refuse or neglect to pay any of the fees or charges imposed in accordance with these rules for a space of fourteen days after he has been served with a notice of demand for the same ;

(f) if the owner or occupier of the holding constructs or fixes any cisterns, tanks, reservoirs, taps, pipes or any other works in connection with the water-supply not authorized by these rules ;

(g) if the pipes, taps, ball-cocks, cisterns, or any other parts of the connection are, in the opinion of the Commissioners, in a leaking condition or a state of disrepair :

Provided that such disconnection or turning off of water-supply shall not relieve any person from any liabilities which he may have incurred under these rules.

In the circumstances contemplated in clause (d) an officer authorized by the Commissioners in this behalf by a general order shall have the power to turn off the supply for a period not exceeding eight hours on his previously recording his reason in writing.

17. Every tap shall be of the same size as the pipe to which it is attached and shall be of brass and of the pattern known as "Screw-down." Every tap shall be at least 3 feet above the surface of the ground beneath.

18. No cistern, tank or reservoir of any description which is intended to be supplied with water from the municipal water-works shall be permitted to any holding except with the sanction of the Commissioners in meeting, and such sanction shall distinctly specify the dimensions and capacity of the cistern, tank or reservoir allowed. The inlet to every such cistern, tank or reservoir must be controlled by an efficient ball-cock so that the discharge thereinto is completely stopped when the cistern, tank or reservoir is full. Any taps fed from such cistern, tank or reservoir must be included in the number of taps allowed under rule 10.

19. No connection shall be permitted to any holding unless and until the owner or occupier makes effective provision to the satisfaction of the Commissioners for draining all waste water away.

Rangpur.

No. 2580L.S.-G.—The 8th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to add the name of the district of Rangpur to the list included in the third schedule of the Act.

Birbhum.

No. 2612L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Murarai, in the district of Birbhum, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union with numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Birbhum ...	Gorsha ...	9	Ghorsa	... 17	North—	
			Kashita	... 16	District Sonthal Parganas.	
			Chitara	... 19	District Murshidabad.	
			Tilurani	... 20		
			Bandhaipur	... 21	South—	
			Dalima	... 22	Nandigram	... 73
			Lakshminarayanpur	... 24	Gopalanandagram	... 69
			Pera	... 26	Samairpur	... 67
			Srinibashpur	... 29	Makoa	... 37
			Bhabanipur	... 31		
			Rajanpur	... 25	East—	
			Bhatra	... 34	Amdaul	... 78
			Abdullapara	... 36	Koolapur	... 75
			Jagannathpur	... 70	Pil-Saranda	... 23
			Rajarampur	... 18		
			Arazi Bhabanipur	... 27	West—	
			Arazi Ghorsa	... 28	Amua	... 14
			Islampur	... 30	Rajugram	... 32
			Arulmat	... 71	Bhadrakali	... 33
			Dhawa Kashila	... 15	Chandrapara	... 9
			Arazi Gopalanandagram	... 35	Mahimuchi	... 8
			Tekopara	... 68		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Gorsha Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rajshahi.

No. 2618L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Godagari Union, in the district of Rajshahi, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rajshahi.

No. 2619L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Godagari Union, in the district of Rajshahi, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rajshahi.

No. 2616 L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Godagari, in the district of Rajshahi, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.	
Rajshahi ...	Godagari	9	Samashpur	...	67	North—	
			Daoriapara	...	68		
			Takdari Mallikpur	...	69	Basudebpur	... 20
			Nityanandapur	...	204	Bil Samashpur	... 23
			Ramchandrapur	...	205	Salia	... 66
			Kismat Maldopur	...	206	Naligram	... 65
			Mohanpur Arazi	...	206		
					508		
			Ramnagar	...	207		
			Laskarhati	...	208		
			Dumkuli	...	209	East—	
			Kabutarpara	...	210	Ganapatipur	... 70
			Gopalpur	...	211	Dafarpur	... 72
			Abhaya	...	212	Kalipur	... 203
			Paharpur Namajgaon	...	213	Madhaipur Kismat	... 244
			Purushottampur	...	214	Ratahari	... 245
			Abhaya Arazi	...	215	Herampur	... 246
			Jagadishpur	...	216	Bazidpur	... 247
			Rajarampur	...	217	Kodarsaoli	... 280
			Paldebpur	...	218	Bhaspur	... 279
			Gangbari	...	219	Jadu Baskarpur	... 278
			Faridpur	...	220	Chak Tilidas	... 282
			Sibpur	...	221	Kismat Motabbhagi	... 284
			Sultanganj Saraibari	...	222		
			Jehanabad	...	223		
					509		
			Maharajpur	...	223		
			Jot Goshaindas Arazi	...	224	South—	
			Madhopur Kharibana	...	225	Durgapur	... 285
			Sarangpur	...	226	Jot Jagu	... 286
			Shyampur	...	227	Chachar	... 274
			Santoshpur	...	228	Srikrishnapur	... 287
			Ditto	...	229	Achua	... 292
			Madhopur	...	230	Raianpur	... 273
			Santoshpur	...	231	Madarpur	... 269
			Chak Hangsanarayanpur Arazi	...	232		
			Chak Hangsanarayanpur		233		
			Bashistapur	...	234		
			Sarmangala	...	235		
			Jot Raghu	...	236	West—	
			Debpur	...	237	Malda District, River Padma.	
			Golapnagar	...	238		
			Mohanpur Arazi	...	238		
					510		
			Sonadighi	...	239		
			Ghaneshyampur	...	240		
			Mohanpur	...	241		
			Paramanandapur	...	242		
			Kismat Roshandighi	...	243		
			Amtali	...	248		
			Jot Phaltu	...	249		
			Daulatkhana	...	250		
			Parbatpur	...	251		
			Bijra	...	252		
			Purapara	...	253		
			Ramnagar	...	254		
			Sibpur	...	255		
			Fazilpur	...	256		
			Sibpur Arazi	...	257		
			Baruipara	...	258		
			Jot Goshaindas	...	259		
			Bhagabantapur	...	260		
			Srimantapur	...	261		
			Godagari	...	262		
			Arazi Baruipara	...	263		

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rajshahi ...	Godagari	9	Rajarampur Buzurug ... 264 Baruipara Kaila ... 265 Godagari ... 266 Do. or Kuthipur ... 267 Baruipara ... 268 Maiha Salbari ... 270 Jabanpur ... 271 Bhimpur ... 272 Aruzpur ... 275 Niamatpur Wali ... 276 Merairara ... 277 Maiha Salbari Arazi ... 288 Do. do. ... 289	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Godagari Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Jessore.

No. 2620L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of he Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Narail, in the district of Jessore, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Jessore ...	Baghutia-Bebhagdi.	9	Buna Ramnagar ... 110 Panchuria ... 111 Madhaipur ... 112 Bebhagdi ... 113 Baghutia ... 114 Banipur ... 115 Bhatpara Abhayanagar ... 116 Singari ... 117 Jakhola ... 118 Arazi-Maricha ... 122 Maricha ... 124 Bhugilhat ... 125 Bhabanipur ... 126	North— Sankarpasha ... 109 Kodla ... 119 Barni ... 120 Rundia ... 121 East— Madhurganti ... 123 Chakai ... 127 Basuari ... 244 Subharara ... 245 South— The Bhairab river. West— The Bhairab river Sankarpasha ... 109

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Baghutia-Bebhagdi Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Jessore.

No. 2622L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Baghutia-Bebhagdi Union, in the district of Jessore, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Jessore.

No. 2623L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Baghutia-Bebhagdi Union, in the district of Jessore, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2624L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Gaibanda, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Name of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Shahapara	7	Sonaidanga	..	288	North—		
			Ballamjhar	...	304	Narukola Khamar	...	302
			Madyapara	..	305	Ballamjhar Khamar	...	301
			Najar Mahammadpur	...	306	Kumudpur Madhyam	...	303
			Jot Ramsaran	...	307	Kajal Dhap	...	335
			Islampur	...	308	Durgapur	...	338
			Madhupur	...	309	Chapadaha	...	339
			Chak Rajaji	...	310			
			Mahanandapur Chhota	...	313	East—		
			Shahapara	...	317	Balua	...	340
			Kumarpur	...	318	Chak Mamrajpur	...	342
			Tengarjani	...	319	Gobindapur Gaibanda	...	344
			Bahadurpur	...	320			
			Tengarjani Khamar	...	321	South—		
			Jot Dokori Singh	...	322	Thana Gobindaganj		
			Taluk Kamalakanta	...	323			
			Dhanghora	...	324	West—		
			Dhanghora	...	325	Pirgachha	...	316
			Raghunathpur Khamar	...	326	Chak Niogi	...	315
			Chak Raghunathpur	...	327	Kismat Nayansuk	...	314
			Jinasar	...	328	Kalimari	...	312
			Jot Bochansingh	...	329	Konchpara	...	311
			Kishordaha	...	330	Pirgachha Khamar	...	285
			Jot Kalisankar	...	331	Lakshmipur Patal	...	287
			Raghunathpur	..	332	Kubirpara	...	286
			Kholabari	...	333	Bishnupur	...	275
			Kumudpur Chhota	...	334	Thana Sadullapur.		
			Narayanpur	...	341	Gayeshpur Chhota	...	289
						Badlagari	...	291

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that two of the members of the said Shahapara Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and five of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2626L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Gaibanda, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ..	Kamarjani	9	Kamarjani ... 356 Kamarjani Khamar ... 357 Chithalia Baje ... 358 Gopalpur ... 359 Chak Anándaram ... 360 Sidhai ... 361 Hasdhara ... 362 Batikamari ... 363	North— Thana Sundarganj. East— Konai River. South— Pachighat ... 386 Par Diara ... 385 Kondalpara ... 384 Kharjani ... 383 West— Nungola ... 365 Kirtaniapara ... 364 Karaibari ... 355 Goghat ... 354

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Kamarjani Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2627L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Gaibanda, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Naldanga	7	Srirampore ... 1 Arazi Rasulpur ... 2 Maduarpara ... 219 Naldanga ... 220 Dashilia ... 221 Dashilia Khamar ... 222 Kismat Hamid ... 223 Pratap ... 249	North— Thana Sundarganj. Ramjiban ... 224 East— Bekatari ... 229 Hatia ... 244 Haldia ... 245 Haldia Bisho ... 248 South— Hat Bamni Karim ... 251 Kismat Damodarpur ... 250 Bhangamura Bamanpara 218 Rasulpur ... 3 West— Thana Mitapokhar.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that two of the members of the said Naldanga Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and five of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2628L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Gaibanda, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Kismat Damodarpur.	7	Jamudanga Bandhamura...	214	North—	
			Jamudanga Khamar ...	215	Srirampur ...	1
			Maruadaha ...	216	Maduarpara ...	219
			Dashelia Kismat ...	217	Pratap ...	249
			Bhangamura Bamanpara...	218		
			Kismat Damodarpur ...	250	East—	
			Kismat Kheju ...	252	Hat Bamni Karim ...	251
			Barabari ...	253	Nurpur or Dhananjay ...	254
					Lakshmipur ...	267
					South—	
					Bagchhi Kismat ...	268
					Hamidpur ...	211
					West—	
					Daudpur ...	212
					Chak Daria ...	213
					Chak Sonaipur ...	11
					Mahishbandi ...	10
					Rasulpur ...	3
					Arazi Rasulpur ...	2

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that two of the members of the said Kismat Damodarpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and five of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2634L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Shahapara Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2635L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Shahapara Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund consitituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2636L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Kamarjani Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

No. 2629L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Gaibanda, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Rangpur.

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Bangram	7	Chak Tiagachha	... 207	North—	
			Hiali	... 265	Taraf Bajit	... 210
			Sabeknagar	... 269	Hamidpur	... 211
			Bangram	... 270	Bagchhi Kismat	... 268
			Patnasa Buzurg	.. 271	Lakshmipur	... 267
			Patnasa Khurd	... 272	Ali Mahmud	... 266
			Sherpur	... 273		
			Yusufpur	... 274	East—	
			Gayeshpur Chhota	... 289	Kuptala	... 264
			Chak Haribalapur	... 290	Durgapur	... 338
			Badlagari	... 291	Gayeshpur Bara	... 337
			Islampur or Islamabad	... 292	Chak Gayeshpur	... 336
			Sonatala	... 293	Kumudpur Bara	... 297
			Jayanpur	... 294	Manduar Taluk	... 298
			Sonaipur	... 295	Kumudpur Madhyam	... 300
			Manduar	... 296	Ballamjhar Khamar	... 301
			Haribalapur	... 299	Ballamjhar	... 304
					Sanaidanga	... 288
					South—	
					Kubirpara	... 286
					Bishnupur	... 275
					West—	
					Ruhia Khurd	... 209
					Bhabanipur	... 208
					Tiagachha	... 206
					Maheshpur	... 204
					Durgapur	... 203

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that two of the members of the said Bangram Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and five of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2637L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Kamarjani Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2638L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Naldanga Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2639L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Naldanga Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2630L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Gaibanda, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their number in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Sodpur (Kaliganj).	9	Sodpur ... 376 Chhattarkandi ... 379 Rasulpur ... 380 Gauripur ... 381 Natidanga ... 382 Rahamatpur ... 391 Konchkhali ... 392 Haradanga ... 393 Ujjalerdanga ... 394 Debarpatal ... 395 Guptamani ... 396 Chhattarkandi ... 397 Jorabari ... 398 Chikirpatal ... 418	North— Phalia Ghop ... 377 Raydasbari ... 378 Kharjani ... 383 Par Diara ... 385 East— Kismat Dholi ... 387 Pukhariabari ... 390 Manikor ... 421 Helencha ... 420 South— Kabilpur ... 416 Kalasona ... 417 Uria ... 399 West— Kajipara or Kanchipara 400 Bhasarpara ... 375

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Sodpur (Kaligunj) Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2631L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Gaibanda, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Phulchhari	7	Golna ... 409 Kautukgachha ... 410 Bhajandanga ... 431 Khatiamara ... 432 Kalupara .. 433 Phulchhari Baje ... 434 Phulchhari ... 435	North— Katlamari ... 407 Baruikhali ... 411 Jiadanga ... 413 Ratanpur ... 414 Chandansur ... 430 East— Konai river. Brahmaputra river. South— Kholabari ... 436 Parul ... 437 Pipalia ... 438 West— Gajaria ... 408

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that two of the members of the said Phulchhari Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and five of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2632L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Gobindganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Saghatia...	9	Saghatia ... ... 898 Hasialkandi ... ... 899 Jogipara ... ... 900 Kachua ... ... 901 Banshatu ... ... 903 Gobinda ... ... 906 Sathatia ... ... 907 Koalikandi ... 908 Bhagarchao ... ... 909 Sengua ... ... 910 Burapatol ... ... 911 Hatbari 912	North— Thana Gaibanda. East— Thana Gaibanda South— Kanupara ... 913 Chinipatol ... 918 Pabantari (part) ... 919 West— Jharabarsa ... 897 Jadutari ... 895 Anantapur ... 895 Dhamaruha Khama ... 890 Putimari ... 902 Dhamaruha ... 889 Saguna ... 904 Bharatkhali ... 905 Ula ... 811

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Saghatia Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2633L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Sundarganj, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Dahaband	7	Hurabhaia Khan Gird ... 58 Arazi Gopal Charan ... 59 Dahaband ... 60 Gopal Charan ... 61 Dahaband ... 62 Jurmanadi ... 63 Huratara Khan Gird ... 64 Ranjit Laskar tauk ... 65 Huriram Laskar ... 66 Jhania ... 77	North— Nachni Upanchauki ... 48 Chatia Mirganj ... 57 East— Tarapur ... 55 Ramodakua ... 68 Dhunaitari ... 67 Bailka Nawabganj ... 76 South— Paran ... 78 Thana Gaibandha. West— Bashati ... 31 Fatehkhan ... 32 Baidyanath ... 33 Taluk Sonaray ... 47

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that two of the members of the said Dahaband Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and five of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2640L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Bangram Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2641L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Bangram Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2642L.S.-G—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Sodpur (Kaliganj) Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2643L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Sodpur (Kaliganj) Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2644L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Phulchhari Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2645L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council in pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Phulchhari Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2646L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Saghatia Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

Rangpur.

No. 2647L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Saghatia Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2648L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Dahaband Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 2649L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Dahaband Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Faridpur.

No. 2650L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Gopalganj Union, in the district of Faridpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Faridpur.

No. 2651L.S.-G.—The 9th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Gopalganj Union, in the district of Faridpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Midnapore.

No. 2655L.S.-G.—The 12th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to re-appoint the District Magistrate of Midnapore to be Chairman of the District Board of Midnapore.

Birbhum.

No. 2657L.S.-G.—The 12th November 1918.—The following draft of an order, which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 2nd January 1919, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Maureswar, in the district of Birbhum, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Birbhum ...	Kundala ...	9	Kundala Mohanpur ...	194	North—	
			Chandrahat ...	195	Mauzas—	
			Nauagaon ...	196	Chandinagar ...	170
			Panchberia ...	189	Mahammad Jamapur ...	171
			Jamura ...	197	Chak Bara ...	172
			Andur ..	193	Ditto ...	173
			Banur ...	204	Diara ...	169
			Laitikha ...	203	Hurki Sabek ...	198
			Khurd Dihi ...	202	Hurki Dari ...	199
			Mahalash ...	215	Rautara Birbhum ...	201
			Kushma ...	183	Rautara Bipra ...	218
			Itahat ...	184	Rautara Gop ...	217
			Akulpur ...	187	Patanpara ...	216
			Gumna ...	185	Mirpur ...	226
			Akulpur ...	188	Chak Madhupur ...	227
			Bbarghati ...	205	Kalkapur ...	229
			Akla ...	206	Maureshwar ...	291
			Bandha ...	214	Kumarhati ...	225
			Narayanghati ...	211		
			Makrai ...	230	South—	
			Nima ...	209	River Moor.	
			Grambhara ...	248		
			Baluti ...	251	East—	
			Ghordaha ...	252	Mauzas—	
			Hatin ...	254	Bardi ...	284
			Rajhat ...	255	Arazi Gangda ...	231
			Arazi Sakherpur or Kushalpur ...	174	Madhaipur ...	232
			Itahat ...	175	Chak Bahara ...	233
			Arazi Hiranandabati ...	176	Arazi Madhaipur ...	234
			Chakpur ...	177	Bhabanipur ...	235
			Arazi Baria ...	178	Arazi Harishpur ...	236
			Mahadinagar ...	179	Gangda ...	237
			Chandinagar ...	180	Batashpur ...	238
			Arazi Panchberia	181, 182	Madhaipur ...	247
			Panchberia ...	186	Chak Bahara ...	249
			Arazi Akulpur	190, 191, 192	Aminpur ...	250
			Chak Chadni ...	207	Itaro ...	245
			Arazi Ghordaha ...	208	Gargara ...	257
			Hatinagar ...	210		
			Ballabh ...	212	West—	
			Arazi Patanpur ...	213	Thana Suri.	
			Arazi Katasur ...	228		
			Baran Buzurg ...	253		
			Arazi Nima ...	256		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Kundala Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee having previously given notice of their intention to revise the general line of buildings on either side of the public street known as Ballygunge Circular Road at No. 55, in Ward No. 21, and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, made an order under section 350 (*4*) of Act, III (B.C.) of 1899 on the 21st day of October 1918, revising the said line in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 5th day of September 1918 (in supersession of the line defined by the General Committee on the 15th day of July 1910.)

C. F. PAYNE. *Chairman of the Corporation.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 8th November 1918.*

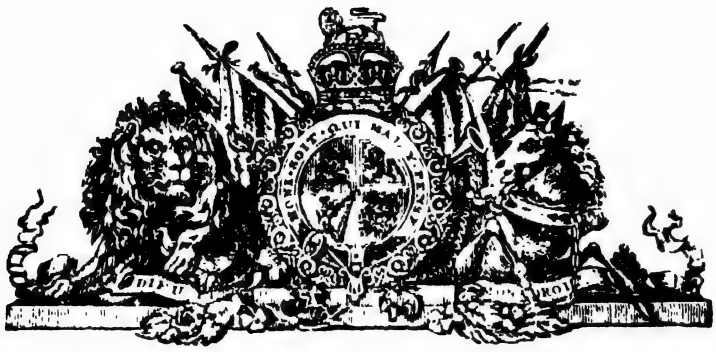
CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee having previously given notice of their intention to revise the general line of buildings on either side of the public street known as Ripon Street, in Ward No. 15, and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, made an order under section 350 (*4*) of Act. III (B.C.) of 1899 on the 31st day of October 1918, revising the said line in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 5th day of September 1918 (in supersession of the line defined by the General Committee on the 4th day of November 1910).

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman of the Corporation.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 7th November 1918.*



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified for general information that a Special Islamic Matriculation Examination for the students who have completed the Senior Madrasa Course sanctioned under Government Resolution No. 450T.G., dated the 31st July 1914, will be held at Dacca on Monday, the 21st April 1919, and the following days. The examination will be conducted in accordance with the rules given below.

2. Candidates from recognized Madrasas should submit their applications for permission to appear at the examination, through the heads of their institutions, together with the examination fee of Rs. 15 to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education by the 28th February 1919.

3. Applications from male private candidates for permission to appear at the examination should be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction by the 15th January 1919.

4. Applications from female candidates for permission to appear at the examination should be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction by the 31st January 1919.

5. Male private candidates and female candidates should not send their examination fees until permission is granted to them to appear at the examination.

6. Forms of application may be obtained from the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

Regulations for the Special Islamic Matriculation Examination.

1. The examination shall be held once a year at Dacca on the dates to be notified by the Director of Public Instruction in the official Gazette.

2. Ordinarily, only students who have studied for at least one school year in a Madrasa or other school approved for the purpose by the Director of Public Instruction shall be admitted to the examination. Females and other private candidates who can satisfy the Director of Public Instruction that they have been under satisfactory tuition and discipline for at least one year prior to the examination may also, for special reasons, be admitted to the examination on permission being obtained from the Director of Public Instruction.

3. No one shall be admitted to the examination unless he shall have completed the age of 16 years on the first day of the month in which the examination commences.

4. Every candidate for the examination will have to produce satisfactory certificates, (1) of good character, (2) of diligent and regular study, (3) of having passed the periodical tests (if at school), and (4) of probability of passing.

5. Every candidate for the examination must send his application in the form prescribed by the Education Department, and must pay an examination fee of Rs. 15.

6. The examination shall be conducted by means of printed papers. The number of papers to be set, the number of marks to be allotted to each paper, and the duration of the examination shall be as shown below :—

					Marks.
1st day ...	English	Paper I	... 3 hours	...	100
	English	„ II	... 3 „	...	100
2nd day ...	Arithmetic and Geometry	„ I	... 3 „	...	100
	Indian History ...	„ I	... 2 „	...	70
	Vernacular ...	„ I	... 1 „	..	30
3rd day ...	Arabic—Language ...	„ I	... 3 „	...	100
	Arabic—Literature ...	„ II	... 3 „	...	100
4th day ...	Kalam	„ I	... 2 „	...	70
	Fiqh	„ I	... 2 „	...	70
	Logic	„ I	... 2 „	...	60
		10 papers.			800

7. In order to pass the examination a candidate must obtain 30 per cent. of the maximum number of marks in each subject and 33 per cent. of the total in the aggregate.

8. Candidates who obtain 60 per cent. of the total number of marks in the aggregate shall be placed in the first division, and those who obtain 40 per cent. shall be placed in the second division.

9. Until the Dacca University is in a position to make its own regulations all other matters connected with the examination shall be regulated by the Director of Public Instruction.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction
for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATA.

1. In the list of candidates who passed the Preliminary Examination in Law, held in August 1918, in the Second Division, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918,—

for

"Amir Ahmed Choudhry ... University Law College.
Chattopadhyay, Muralidhan, I ... Ditto."

read

"Amin Ahmed Choudhry ... University Law College.
Chattopadhyay, Muralidhar, I ... Ditto."

2. In the list of candidates who passed the Intermediate Examination in Law, held in August 1918, in the Second Division, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918,—

for

"Bhattacharyya, Gauriprasad ... Dacca Law College."

read

"Bhattacharyya, Guruprasad ... Dacca Law College."

3. (*a*) In the list of candidates who passed the Final Examination in Law, held in August 1918, in the First Division, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th October 1918,—

for

"Serial No.	Order of merit.		
12	10	Mukhopadhyay, Jitendramohan	... University Law College."

read

"Serial No.	Order of merit.		
12	10	Mukhopadhyay, Jatindramohan	... University Law College

(*b*) In the list of candidates who passed the Final Examination in Law, held in August 1918 in the Second Division, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th October 1918,—

for

"Dattachaudhuri, Bhupendrachandra ... Dacca Law College.
Gangopadhyay, Manindranath ... University Law College."

read

"Debchaudhuri, Bhupendrachandra ... Dacca Law College.
Gangopadhyay, Munindranath ... University Law College."

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 8th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

PLEADERS' SURVEY CLASSES, 1919.

1. Classes for the training of Pleaders in Surveying will be opened in January and February 1919 in connection with the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, the Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipur, the Dacca

School of Engineering, and the Survey School at Cuttack, provided sufficient candidates register their names at each centre.

2. The course will last for six weeks and will consist of practical work combined with class instruction. The routine and hours of attendance will be settled by the heads of the institutions, who will also decide the exact locality in which the classes will be held and the date of the opening.

3. Pleaders must make their own arrangements for attending this course. No tents or other residential accommodation will be provided.

4. Credit for attendance at these classes will not be given unless the pleader has been present for 80 per cent. of the working days and for the full working hours of each day.

5. Any candidate who desires to undergo the course of training must apply to the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than 30th November. His application must be endorsed by the District Judge. It should state the centre which the candidate wishes to join, *i.e.*, Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, and should be accompanied by a remittance receipt from the local treasury certifying that the fee of Rs. 100 has been paid into the treasury to the credit of the Engineering College.

6. The Secretary will allot candidates to the centres, consulting their wishes as far as possible, giving not more than 34 and not less than 8 to a centre. He will then inform the heads of the institutions of the names and addresses of the candidates registered at their centre, and they will inform the candidates as to the locality and the date of opening.

7. The following is the syllabus of instruction. No definite text-books are prescribed :—

(*a*) Practical work—

Chain surveying, prismatic compass surveying, plane tabling and levelling.

(*b*) Class work—

Use of mathematical instruments.		Variation of compass.
Construction of scales	...	Preparation of field books from maps.
Mensuration of areas	...	Elementary principle of levelling.
Plotting ...	...	Plotting of level sections.

Candidates who obtain the required percentage of attendance at this course of instruction are qualified to appear at the Practical Examination held in 1920, 1921 and 1922.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,

and Secy. to the Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 5th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF PLEADERS IN SURVEYING.

(*See* Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909.)

(*Modified in Government Notification No. 320J.D., dated 16th July 1914.*)

1. The next examination will be held in February 1919 and will be conducted at the following centres (provided that not less than five names be registered at each centre) :—Sibpur and Dacca, in Bengal, and Bankipur and Cuttack, in Bihar and Orissa.

2. Each examination is complete in itself. A candidate will be required to pass by every test and will not be exempted from any test on the ground that he has previously satisfied the examiner in it.

3. Candidates practising in the Courts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions will be required to present themselves at Sibpur, in Orissa at Cuttack, in Patna, Tirhoot, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions at Bankipur, and in Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions at Dacca.

4. In the event of more than 20 or less than 5 names being registered for examination at any one centre, the Secretary may direct the candidates to present themselves at any other centre

5. No candidate will be admitted to the examination unless he has been enrolled as a Pleader and

(*i*) has obtained credit for attendance at the special course of instruction at Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, in 1915, 1916, 1917 or 1918, and has not previously appeared at the examination more than twice, or

(*ii*) has been registered for admission to the Intermediate Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University, or

(*iii*) has passed the Sub-Overseer Examination, or

(*iv*) has obtained the Surveyor's certificate of one of the Government Survey Schools, or

(*v*) has been specially exempted from the operation of this rule by the Board controlling the examination.

6. Candidates wishing to appear at the examination will apply upon the prescribed registration form, obtain the necessary countersignature of the District Judge in whose Court he is enrolled, and forward the same so as to reach the Secretary of the Examination Board at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than the 11th January 1919. The form may be had from the Principal, Civil Engineering College.

7. Each application must be accompanied by a receipt from the local treasury certifying to the receipt of the examination fee of Rs. 50, *which fee will in no case be returned.*

8. The exact date of the examination and the proposed programme will be published in the Calcutta, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam Gazettes.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,
and Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 5th November 1918.*

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1918.

PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab-Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on the 21st day of December 1918, corresponding with the 6th of Paus 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND ACRES. B. K. Ch.	A. R. P.	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghoraasal.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto.
3	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 0	0 0 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 2	0 1 24	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 19 15	0 1 13	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 2	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold.
18	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	2 0 15	0 2 26	Ditto ditto.
19	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 18 0	0 1 5	Ditto ditto.
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 33	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 0 18	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 2	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold.
24	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 2	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest is to be sold.

Dacca, the 25th October 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th December 1918, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1918, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Raozan, Patiya, Town, Satkania Kismat Ambica Babait, Taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 5 6	Whole ...	.....	Sm. Bama Sundari Lala, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	231 4 0	.....
401	Thana Fatickcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Raozan, Patiya, Town, Kismat Balaram Sarcar, Babait Taraf Sonaullah Khan.	1,043 6 0	.....	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar and others.	.....	189 13 0	.....
490	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town, Fatickcheri, Taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 6 annas will be sold, excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 with an extent of interest 8-0-12½ krantis and Jama Rs. 1,336-14-6 and unpaid share No 3 with an extent of interest 1-11-7½ krantis and jama of Rs. 299-2-7.	Himaagshu Bimal Rai and Ramesh Chandra Rai and others.	922 6 6	.....	248 15 0
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Raozan, Town, Taraf Inas Alup.	2,365 15 8	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 10 annas will be sold excluding the paid up share No 1 with an extent of interest 5-4 pies and jama Rs. 75 10-10.	Sm. Mahamaya Ramdhan Chaudhuri and others.	1,508 8 10	.....	190 1 9
1242	Thana Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, according to recent survey Anwara Taraf, Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Abdul Raup Khan, Sm. Bia Bibi.	.....	206 15 0	.....
1279	Thana Satkania, according to recent survey Banskhali and Patiya Taraf Joy Ram Chowdhury.	1,416 5 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 share No. 1 with an extent of interest 8 annas belonging to Sarada Kripa Lala will be sold excluding the paid up residue share and jama Rs. 708-2-9	Sarada Kripa Lala, on behalf of Sri Sri Raghu Nath Chakra.	708 2 9	.....	210 3 9
1582	Thana Raozan, out-post Rangania, Taraf Kame Fernandes.	1,640 5 3	Whole ...	.....	Ram Govinda Bahadur, Sasti Charan Bahadur.	.....	481 15 0	.....
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, Taraf Mahammad Ali, Rustum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act IX of 1859 residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding unpaid share No. 1 with an interest 4 annas and Jama Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta and others; Upendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	3,612 6 8	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1, with an extent of interest 4 annas belonging to Krishna Chandra Gupta will be sold excluding the unpaid residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas and jama Rs. 3,612 6-8 pies.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	288 8 2
1885	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Taraf Mahammad Rafi Khansama.	926 14 0	Whole ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	282 6 4	.....

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3084	Thana Raozan, Hathhari, Patiya Town and Patickcheri, taraf Sib Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 2 2	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 with an extent of interest 3-4-19 krantis belonging to Pratap Chandra Rai will be sold excluding unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5 with an extent of interest 2-10-1⅓ with jama Rs. 520-4-8 pies and paid up shares 1, 3 6-17 and residue share with an extent of interest 9-9-4⅔ krantis and jama Rs. 1,793-11-8.	Kamal Kumar Rai ...	628 1 10	...	186 7 5
33500	Thana Satkania, mauza Padua Kaimi Taluk Krishna Chandra Gupta, Daroga, c-o Ram Mohan Gupta of Padua.	1,627 3 0	Whole ...	.....	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, manager on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta, managar, on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	.....	264 2 0	.....

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1918.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 5th November 1918.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,26,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000 0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs. 3,82,89,626 15 0			
Ditto ditto at Branches ...	„ 2,03,32,297 8 0	5,86,21,924	7	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		28,70,85,959	2	2
Bank Post Bills, etc		7,74,309	13	11
Sundries		30,77,705	7	6
		88,71,59,898	14	7

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	6,28,79,186	0	0
Other authorized Investments	1,41,96,714	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	11,11,84,717	1	3
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	5,81,29,458	5	8
Bills discounted and purchased	2,21,74,702	12	9
Balances with other Banks	48,61,340	7	9
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	28,18,362	4	4
Stamps	11,915	2	0
Sundries	21,12,369	6	9
	27,83,18,755	8	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 3,91,86,451 12 7			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 6,96,54,691 9 11	10,88,41,143	6	6
	88,71,59,898	14	7

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs; value Rs 3,77,175 0 0

† Do. do. do. „ 5,31,570 0 0

Rs. 9,08,745 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 6 per cent.

Percentage 31·58.

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 7th November 1918.

H. FISHER,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer

(2696—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON.

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st October 1918.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—				
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.
Balance of 15th October 1918	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,83,01,800	1,42,05,300	62,55,000	19,55,500
ADD—						
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	7,700	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,83,09,500	1,42,05,300	62,55,000	19,55,500
DEDUCT—						
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	.....	46,900	.....	45,200	.....
Balance on 31st October 1918	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,82,62,600	1,42,05,300	62,09,800	19,55,500

Particulars.	4 PER CENT.—		INDIAN WAR LOAN—			SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN—	Grand Total.
	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1922.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.	
Balance of 15th October 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	9,50,000	7,44,04,700
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,700
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	9,50,000	7,44,12,400
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	92,100
Balance on 31st October 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	9,50,000	7,43,20,300

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st August 1918—Enfaced from India, 13,422 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 13,036 lakhs.
,, 10th September ,, 15th September ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ,, ...
,, 16th ,, ,, 30th ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 7 lakhs; ,, ,, ,, ...
,, 1st October ,, 15th October ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ,, ...
,, 16th ,, ,, 31st ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ... ,, ,, ,, 1 lakh;
13,429 lakhs. 13,037 lakhs.

T. A. VOICE,
Superintendent.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 8th November 1918.

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 23rd day of November 1918, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the order of the said Court made in Suit No. 442 of 1916 (wherein Kanai Lall Sen is the plaintiff and Abinash Chandra Dutt and others are the defendants), and dated the 23rd April 1918, the undermentioned property.

Lot No. I.—All that piece or parcel of land containing by estimation 3 cottahs 1 chitak and 40 square feet, more or less, being premises No. 129-1, Collins Street, and being holdingNo. 127 in Block No. XIV, in the Southern Division of the town of Calcutta, paying an annual revenue of As. 13-3 to the Collector of Calcutta, and bounded on the north and east by No. 16, Wellesley Street, on the south by No. 129, Collins Street, and on the west by No. 130-1, Collins Street.

Lot No. II.—All that one-storied house together with the land thereunto belonging containing by estimation 2 cottahs 1 chitak 33 square feet, more or less, situate, lying and being premises No. 24, Taltolla Lane, in the Southern Division of Calcutta, comprised in Block No. IX, holding No. 175, the annual revenue payable in respect of the said entire holding being Re. 1-0-11, and bounded on the north by Taltolla Lane, on the south by No. 25, Taltolla Lane, on the east by No. 23, Taltolla Lane, and on the west by No. 26, Taltolla Lane.

Lot No. III.—All that the busti land containing by estimation 3 cottahs 3 chitaks and 44 square feet and being No. 25, Taltolla Lane, in the Southern Division of Calcutta, comprised in Block No. IX, holding No. 175, and bounded on the north partly by Taltolla Lane, and partly by Nos. 23 and 24, Taltolla Lane, on the east partly by No. 28 and partly by No. 27, Taltolla Lane, on the south partly by No. 28 and partly by No. 29, Taltolla Lane, and on the west partly by No. 7, Munshi Ullulla Lane, and partly by Nos. 23 and 24, Taltolla Lane.

Lot No. IV.—All that a piece or parcel of rent-free land containing by estimation 1 bigha 2 cottahs and 40 square feet, being No. 1, Gorachand Lane, in Karaya, holding No. 256, Division 4, Subdivision A, in Dihi Pachannogram, Sub-Registry Sealdah, in the district of 24-Parganas, and bounded on the north by No. 4, Jannagar Road, on the south by No. 3, Kimber Street, on the east by Gorachand Lane and on the west by No. 2, Gorachand Lane.

Lot No. V.—All that a piece or parcel of rent-free land containing by estimation 9 cottahs 8 chitaks and 40 square feet, being No. 13, Gopi Lane, in Entally, holding No. 105, Division 4, Subdivision B, in Dihi Panchannogram, Sub-Registry Sealdah, in the district of 24-Parganas, and bounded on the north by No. 12-1, South Road, Entally, on the south by Gopi Lane, on the east by Nos. 16 and 17, South Road, Entally, and on the west by No. 12, Gopi Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar in the Court-house or at the office of Babu Nalin Chandra Gupta, Attorney for the plaintiff, at No. 11, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

MAURICE REMFRY, Offg. Registrar.

N. C. Gupta, Plaintiff's Attorney, 11, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, the 14th August 1918.

(2694—1—2763)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Birbhum.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 200 OF 1917.

Nilratan Adhikari and others *versus* (1) Minors Nirod Mohan Ghosh, (2) Khirod Mohan Ghosh, by guardian mother Bhupendrabala Dasi of Panchthupi.

Short description of the properties :—

1. Eight annas share of lot taraf Bhagabatipur, bearing tauzi No. 338 of the Murshidabad Collectorate. Revenue payable for the entire 16 annas being Rs. 3,233-10-3 (Thana Khargram.)

2. Eight annas share of lot taraf Madhupur, bearing tauzi No. No. 361 of the Murshidabad Collectorate. Revenue payable for the entire 16 annas being Rs. 1,851-0-8. (Thana Nawada.)

3. Eight annas share of lot Janardanpur, bearing tauzi No. 651 of the Murshidabad Collectorate, and which eight annas is entered in the name of the minor judgment-debtors in separate account No. $\frac{2}{1}$ of the said Collectorate. Revenue payable for the entire 16 annas being Rs. 44-14-5. (Thana Borua.)

4. Eight annas share of lot Nima Bahadurpur, bearing tauzi No. 215 of the Murshidabad Collectorate, and which eight annas is entered in the name of the minor judgment-debtors in separate account No. $\frac{2}{1}$ of the said Collectorate. Revenue payable for the entire 16 annas being Rs. 30-14-11. (Thana Barada.)

5. Eight annas share of lot Damdama, bearing tauzi No. 23 of the Birbhum Collectotate. Revenue payable for the entire 16 annas being Rs. 1,970-15. (Thana Suri.)

6. Eight annas share of lot Madanpur, bearing tauzi No. 24 of the Birbhum Collectorate. Revenue payable for the entire 16 annas being Rs. 2,820-14. (Thana Bolpur.)

7. Eight annas share of lot Sona Bharui, being tauzi No. 459 of the Murshidabad Collectorate, and which eight annas is entered in the name of the minor judgment-debtors in separate account No. $\frac{2}{1}$ of the said Collectorate. Revenue payable for the entire 16 annas being Rs 36-12-8. (Thana Barma).

8. Eight annas share of lot Hatia, bearing tauzi No. 216 of the Birbhum Collectorate. Revenue payable for the entire 16 annas being Rs. 190-8. (Thana Mouraswar.)

9. Eight annas share of lot Tilutia, bearing tauzi Nos. 1105 and 1106 of the Birbhum Collectorate. Revenue payable for the entire 16 annas of the said two tauzis being Rs. 70-1-10 and Rs. 68-4-9, respectively. (Thana Sakalipur).

N. C. CHATTERJEE, Sub-Judge.

Suri, the 6th November 1918. (2695—1)

Notice

IS hereby given that the Municipal Commissioners of Bankura will, at their meeting on the 25th November 1918, at 3 P.M., hold sales of the following plots of land at their office. The bidders shall have to deposit 25 per cent of the bids immediately and the balance should be paid within fifteen days from the date of sale, failing which the bid will not be accepted and the earnest money forfeited.

The Municipal Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any bid. Detailed particulars regarding title of lands, area and other matters can be had from the Bankura Municipal Office during office hours :—

Plot 1.—Rent-free Area about 1 bigha 15 cottahs 6 chitaks. Situated on the north of the first feeder road and between the Taldangra diversion road and the first feeder road bridge as per plan.

Plot 2.—Rent-free. Area about 1 bigha 15 cottahs 6 chitaks. Situated on the south of the first feeder road and between the Taldangra diversion road and the first feeder road bridge as per plan.

Plot 3.—Rent-free. Area about 8 cottahs 12 chitaks. Situated between the Taldangra diversion road, the railway fencing and on the north of Bengal-Nagpur Railway line as per plan.

Plot 4.—Rent-free. Area about 8 cottahs 12 chitaks. Situated between the Taldangra diversion road, the railway fencing and on the south of the road to railway station as per plan.

Plot 5.—Rent-free. Area about 19 cottahs 11 chitaks. The trapizoidal plot between the Taldangra diversion road, railway station road and the present Hindu School land and Nil Madhav Barik's land as per plan.

Plot 6.—Rent-free. Area about 4 cottahs 4½ chitaks. Situated between the diversion road and the proposed pathway adjoining Ramnath Mukerjee's land as per plan.

Plot 6A.—Rent-free. Area about 6 cottahs only. Situated between the Taldangra diversion road and the proposed pathway adjoining Justice Chatterjee's house and by the south of Municipal khas land as per plan.

Plot 7.—Rent-free. Area about 16 cottahs 8 chitaks. The rectangular plot by the side of the flour mills of Madan Gopal Marowari as per plan.

Plot 8.—Rent-free. Area about 3 bighas 9 cottahs 4½ chitaks. The abundant trenching ground in Kutchkutchia as per plan.

Plot 9.—The present Municipal Office building and land. Annual rent Rs. 2-2-2 payable to the Bankura Talukdar. (Possession of this plot will be delivered within a year and a half from date of sale.) Area about 5 cottahs 6¼ chitaks as per plan.

RASH BEHARI BANERJEE,
Chairman, Bankura Municipality.

Bankura, the 26th October 1918. (2688—3)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (i) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 216 OF 1916.

In the matter of Horendra Nath Chatterjee, of 76-3, Rusa Road, North, Bhowanipur, *ex-parte*.

TAKE notice that the above named insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 18th day of November 1918, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 5th day of November 1918.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2699—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 13 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 40 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Samiuddin, son of Md. Badal, of Khuruskhul, police-station Anwara, has applied to this Court, by a petition dated the 13th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907; this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 21st day of November 1918, for the hearing of the aforesaid petition, and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 6th November 1918. (2704—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 69-72 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to petitions filed on 1st July 1918 by Ainuddi, Serajuddi, Rahimuddi and Joynal, sons of late Saritulla of Bidyamudi, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavits and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated the 6th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2700—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE 298 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Arfin Bepari, son of late Alimuddi Bepari of Mohisherchar, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 14th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 6th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2701—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 299, 300 and 301 of 1918.

TAKE notice that Ebrahim Molla, Soiman Molla and Maniruddi Molla, sons of late Bahaddi Molla, of Mohisherchar, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 18th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 6th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2702—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 45 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Adhor Chandra De, son of late Kalipodo De, of Munkur, thana Bagnan, district Hooghly, was on the 6th September 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 22nd November 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 2nd October 1918. (2620—1—2761)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 20 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th July 1918, filed by Shyama Charan Bishwas, son of late Ram Jiban Bishwas, village Dhanyakuria, thana Basirhat, district 24-Parganas, debtor, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this the 30th day of September 1918.

H. P. DUVAL, District Judge.

(2646—1—2759)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore, 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 22 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 15th August 1918, filed by Hira Lal Hari, son of late Sastibar Hari, village Taki, thana Hasnabad, district 24-Parganas, debtor, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this the 30th day of September 1918.

H. P. DUVAL, District Judge.

(2647—1—2760)

WANTED a thoroughly competent Engineer with a high standard of mechanical and technical qualifications to hold charge of the Power Station, Centrifuges, Gas Plant, Water-supply, Miscellaneous Machinery and Apparatus, etc., at the Imperial Bacteriological Laboratory, Muktesar, Naini Tal district, United Provinces. The post is permanent and pensionable and of the status of a gazetted officer. The pay attached to it is Rs. 400—10—550 a month with rent-free accommodation. The selected candidate will be required to sign an agreement to serve for two years from date of confirmation subject to six months notice in the event of his service not proving satisfactory.

Applications stating age, qualifications and previous experience (with copies of testimonials which will not be returned) should reach the undersigned not later than the 30th November 1918. None but really capable, hard working, steady and strictly sober men possessing a high standard of qualifications need apply.

J. MACKENNA,
Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India.

Dated Pusa, the 7th November 1918.

WANTED temporarily a first class M. Sc. in Chemistry, preferably with some experience in teaching, for the post of a Demonstrator in the Chemical Laboratory, Presidency College, on Rs. 200 a month (Provincial Educational Service). The selected candidate will have to join at once. Apply to the Principal.

J. R. BARROW, Offg. Principal,
Presidency College.

Calcutta, the 7th November 1918.

Notice.

WANTED a Store Muharrir on Rs. 25 *plus* 30 per cent' as local allowance per month for the office of the District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Public Works Department. Candidates must be qualified Sub-Overseers in the Public Works Department having experience in office and outdoor works. Applications in candidates' own handwriting with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th December 1918.

G. A. BELL, District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Public Works Department.

Rangamati, the 1st November 1918. (2723—4)

Notice.

WANTED at once by the District Board, 24-Parganas, some qualified Doctors for 3 months on pay of Rs. 40 and fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15 a month for malarial duty.

SASI SEKHAR BASU, Vice-Chairman.

Alipore, the 29th October 1918. (2682—2)

Notice.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next ordinary examination of candidates for certificate of competency as Engineers and Engine-drivers of Inland Steam and Motor Vessels, under Act I of 1917, will be held at Chittagong on Monday, the 2nd December 1918.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Port Office, Chittagong, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

A. E. MCKENNA, *for* Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 8th November 1918. (2724—1)

Notice.

THE powers conferred by the Directors on Messrs. R. E. Bell and F. R. Powell, officers of the Bank of Bengal, empowering them to endorse and transfer Promissory Notes, Receipts, Debentures, Certificates and Documents of title to goods as notified in the *Gazette of India* of the 25th May 1918 are determined as from this date.

By order of the Directors,
N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 7th November 1918.

(2698—1)

Notice.

UNDER the King of Oudh's Estate Validation Act (Act No. XII of 1917) the sum of Rs. 77,856 and the interest accrued since 1st January 1914, on a share amounting to Rs. 2,00,000 in a certain Government Promissory Note No. 018878 for Rs. 5,00,000, standing in the name of Malka Kishwar, will be available for distribution from the office of the Collector of the 24-Parganas and Superintendent of Political Pensions to those issues of Malka Kishwar who are descended from her son, the late Wajid Ali Shah, the late King of Oudh, and who are heirs under the Muhammadan Law. Persons entitled to a share in the distribution should apply to the undersigned before the 31st December 1918, in the form shown below :—

1. Name and address of the applicant
2. Relationship with the King of Oudh.
3. The fractional share in the whole amount claimed by the applicant, 1 being taken to represent the whole amount available for distribution.
4. A brief statement showing how the share claimed is arrived at under the Muhammadan law.

W. D. R. PRENTICE,
Collector of the 24-Parganas and
Superintendent of Political Pensions.

Alipore, the 1st October 1918.

Treasure Trove.

UNDER section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, 1878, notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of August 1918, a treasure consisting of the articles mentioned below and valued at Rs. 13-11-3 was found when removing the silt in the Periakinar belonging to the municipality, in the Periakinathu street, Virudupatti, Ramnad district. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear before the Collector of Ramnad either personally or by an agent duly authorized by law on the 3rd March 1919 at his office at Madura at 12 noon in order that the matter may be inquired into and determined according to law :—

	Description of the treasure.	Approximate value. Rs.	A.	P.
1.	One gold ring set with ten rubies	10	0	0
2.	One gold bead	0	12	0
3.	One gold screw	0	8	0
4.	One plain gold bead ...	0	12	0
5.	Small gold ring	0	8	0
6.	One silver ring worn on the second toe of the leg.	0	8	0
7.	Two silver rings worn on the second toe of the leg.	0	4	0
8.	One toe ornament in the shape of a fish.	0	2	0
9.	Silver button (one)	0	2	0
10.	One pearl	0	0	3
11.	Brass toe ornaments, seven ...			
12.	Brass rings, five	0	1	0
13.	Brass ear ornaments, five ...			
14.	Broken ankle rings, one ...			
15.	Copper coins	0	2	0
	Total ...	13	11	3

A. F. G. MOSCARDI, Collector.

Ramnad Collector's Office, 12th October 1918.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified, under section 6 of Act VI of 1878, that the undermentioned treasure-trove was found on or about 28th August 1918, by one Muniyammal in the compound wall of the backyard of her house, in the village of Podavur in the Conjeeveram Taluk of the Chingleput district :—

Description	Value.
	Rs.
Six broken pieces of gold rings ...	15

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Chingleput, Saidapet, at his office on Monday, the 21st April 1919, when their claims will be enquired into and determined according to law.

J. F. BRYANT, Collector.

Saidapet, the 29th October 1918.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries. Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 021567 for Rs 100, originally standing in the name of Jagabhai Dulabhbhai, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of Advertiser—Jagabhai Dulabhbhai.

Residence—32, Ezra Street.

(2681—3—2754)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 282996 of the 3½ per cent loan of 1865 for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of Jnanendra Mohan Das, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person having been lost, notice is hereby given that the payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the public debt office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicate in favour of the proprietor ; the public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

JNANENDRA MOHAN DAS.

Residence—Suapur (Dacca District).

Present address—Sylhet (Munsiff).

(2603—3—2753)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 126490 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1842-43 for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of Rakashakali Debi, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the advertiser—Srimati Sarojbasini Debi.

Residence—53, Puddopukur Road, Bhowanipur, Calcutta.

(2697—3—2762)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Union Assurance Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Union Assurance Co., Ld., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved

KRIPANATH DUTT,
Offg. Registrar of Companies
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th November 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Delhi Insurance Co., Ld.

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Offg. Registrar of Companies,
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In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, VII of 1913, and in the matter of The Arcadia Tea Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Arcadia Tea Company, Ld., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 4th November 1918.*

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE—FARISIAN BANK.

Shab Jenáb and Shab Sahabak—Extension to northward.

No. 337 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 988 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Shab Jenab, lat. 19° 55′ N., long. 39° 56½′ E.
Details.—The shoals known as Shab Jenáb and Shab Sahabak have been found to extend further to the northward than charted, the former for a distance of about 3 miles and the latter for a distance of about 1½ miles. The charts are to be amended accordingly.
Caution.—See note in sailing directions with regard to the positions of the reefs westward of Abulát Island.
Charts affected.—No 8c Red Sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red Sea.
Publication.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 337.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4435-18.*)

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 338 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 990 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 866 of 1918 (*This office No. 302 of 1918*); hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished :
Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir); Penang approaches.
All lights in the Persian Gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

2. Certain Ports closed by night:

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6.0 a.m., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise. Vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part V., 1918, No. 2201.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4605-18.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Gebua Tenga to Pulo Katang Katang—Existence of Rocks.

No. 339 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1003 of 1918), are republished:—

	Position.			Depth.	
(1)	Lat. 1° 33′ 30″ S.,	long. 100° 29′ 06″ E.	–	10 fathoms	(rock).
(2)	„ 1° 34′ 36″ S.,	„ 100° 27′ 24″ E.	–	6 „	(coral).
(3)	„ 1° 41′ 42″ S.,	„ 100° 32′ 48″ E.	–	4 „	„
(4)	„ 1° 43′ 06″ S.,	„ 100° 33′ 30″ E.	–	7 „	(rock).
(5)	„ 1° 45′ 48″ S.,	„ 100° 31′ 36″ E.	–	2 „	(coral).
(6)	„ 1° 49′ 48″ S.,	„ 100° 33′ 36″ E.	–	2 „	„

Charts affected.—No. 709, Ujong Masang to Ujong Indrapura.
„ 2760, Acheh Head to Chingkuk Bay.
„ 2761, Chingkuk Bay to Strait of Sunda.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 389.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 955 of 1918. (*H. 4330-18.*)

CELEBES, WEST COAST—MAKASSAR STRAIT.

Mampya Road—Alterations in Beaconage and Buoyage.

No. 340 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1005 of 1918), are republished:—

1. Alterations in beaconage:

(*a*) Beacon established:

Position.—On outer end of reef on western side of entrance, and at a distance of 2 miles 7¼ cables, 147° (*S. 35° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.
Tanjong Mampya, lat. 3° 27′ S., long. 119° 17′ E.

Description.—An iron beacon surmounted by a black truncated cone.

(*b*) Alteration in position of beacon:

New position.—On outer end of reef on eastern side of entrance about three-quarters of a cable north-westward from former position, and at a distance of 3 miles 2⅛ cables, 139° (*S. 43° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Description.—An iron beacon surmounted by a white ball.

2. Alerations in buoyage :

(*a*) Buoys established :

(1) *Position*.—Marking the shoal south-westward of Lantora village, and at a distance of 2 miles 5½ cables, 93° (*S. 89° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Description.—A black can buoy.

(2) *Position*.—Marking the reef south-eastward of Lantora village, and at a distance of 3 miles 9½° (*S. 88° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Description.—A white conical buoy.

(*b*) Buoy withdrawn :

Details.—The white conical buoy, formerly situated on the eastern side of the entrance at a distance of about 2 cables westward from the beacon described in 1 (*b*), has been withdrawn.

Variation.—2° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3209, Plan of Mampya Road.
„ 2637, South part of the Strait of Makassar.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 401, 402.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 682 of 1918. (*H. 3020-18.*)

CELEBES, SOUTH COAST.

Gulf of Boni—Existence of Reef.

No. 341 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1044 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.— { Northern edge—Lat. 3° 51′ 07″ S., long. 121° 01′ 00″ E.
Southern edge—Lat. 3° 52′ 22″ S., long. 121° 00′ 48″ E.
Western edge—Lat. 3° 51′ 30″ S., long. 120° 59′ 40″ E.

Description.—This reef, which dries, is semi-circular in shape, with an opening at its eastern side between the northern and southern positions given above.

Remarks.—Tamboli reef has been found to be connected with the 4½-fathom reef situated at a distance of about 2 miles southward from it.

Charts affected.—No. 3616, Tamori Gulf to Salayar Strait.
„ 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago—Sheet 3.
„ 941*b*, Eastern Archipelago—Sheet 2.
„ 1263, China Sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 466.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 958 of 1918. (*H. 4295-18.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Ombi Islands.

Ombi Major—Reef northward of.

No. 342 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1051 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Eastern end of reef, lat. 1° 20′ 00″ S., long. 127° 48′ 45″ E.
Description.—From the above position the reef extends in a westerly direction for a distance of about 6 miles. On the reef are two small sandy islets covered with trees.

Remarks.—The reef is to be indicated on the charts by a danger line and the area between this reef and the shore is to be marked "*Foul.*"

Charts affected.—No. 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago—sheet III.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
„ 1263, China Sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 77.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 576 of 1918. (*H. 2802-18.*)

CHINA SEA AND PACIFIC OCEAN.

Traffic Regulations, Extinction of Lights, and Discontinuance or Withdrawal of Aids to Navigation.

No. 343 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1054 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1018 of 1918; hereby cancelled.

I. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

MANILA BAY.

The South Channel into Manila Bay is closed to traffic and is protected by mines; this channel extends from Caballo Island on the north to Restinga Point on the south.

The North Channel between Corregidor Island and the shore of Bataan province to the northward is closed to inward bound traffic from sunset to sunrise, except to certain vessels engaged in public service. Vessels are, however, permitted to leave Manila Bay by the North Channel without restriction as to time.

Obedience to the above regulations will be enforced by vessels of the United States Navy and by the shore batteries.

Failure to comply with any of the above regulations may result in the destruction of the offending vessels.

SÚBIC BAY.

Súbic Bay is closed to traffic; any unauthorised vessel attempting to enter the port does so at her peril.

II. HONGKONG.

Cape Collinson light is extinguished.

_____| |_____, _____| |_____, Green Island light is normally extinguished, but will be exhibited when the local Typhoon signals are hoisted, and will be shown until the signals are hauled down.

III. SWATAU.

The following Regulations have been made by the Local Military Authorities at Swatau with reference to the existence of mines in the approaches to that port, and are now in force :—

1. Vessels are forbidden to proceed by the channel northward of Sugar Loaf lighthouse.
2. All vessels, including men-of-war, must enter and leave the port by the channel to the southward of Sugar Loaf lighthouse.
3. All vessels, including men-of-war, when entering and leaving, must, when at a distance of 3 miles from Sugar Loaf lighthouse, slow down to a speed not exceeding 6 knots.
4. Vessels leaving or approaching Sugar Loaf lighthouse may not anchor within a distance of 4 miles outside and 2 miles inside thereof, nor throw overboard heavy articles, to do so being dangerous.

5. A guardboat will be stationed by the authorities, which, in case of changes in the minefield, will approach and guide incoming and outgoing steamers.
6. All incoming and outgoing men-of-war and armed steamers should give 24 hours' notice of their expected arrival or departure to the Swatau police.
7. If vessels, including men-of-war, disregard the above rules and thereby incur risks, the local authorities will not accept responsibility.
8. The time for leaving and entering the port is fixed for the hours between 6 A.M. and 6 P.M.

IV. RUSSIAN MARITIME PROVINCE.

All lights are liable to be extinguished and aids to navigation discontinued or withdrawn on the coasts of the Russian Maritime Province.

V. SANDWICH ISLANDS, HONOLULU.

All lights in Honolulu harbour are extinguished, and the harbour is closed by night.

VI. SOCIETY ISLANDS, TAHITI.

Leading lights for Papiete Pass are extinguished.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 1508, 1525.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. U.S.A. Hyd. Office and Petrograd Notices of 1917. Hongkong Government Gazette and Shanghai Special Notice. (*H. 4960-18.*)

PORT OF ADEN—INNER HARBOUR APPROACH.

Traffic Regulations.

No. 344 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 88M. of 1918), are republished :—

The following Channel Control Signals are exhibited from the Port Signal Station as follows :—

By day.—One Red Flag at mast head ... } denoting Channel blocked.
By night.—Two Red Lights vertical ... }

These signals are hoisted when a ship inside the Inner Harbour has unmoored and is proceeding to sea.

Publications.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 6th edition, 1909, after line 21, page 407.
List of Lighthouses and Light-vessels in India, etc., 37th Issue, 1918.

Authority.—Port Officer, Aden (No. 1055, dated 21st September 1918).

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Emu Bay Light—Intended alteration in Position and Characteristics.

No. 345 (first publication).—

Subject.—The Occulting White Light on the Old Breakwater will be replaced by a Flashing White Light with Red Sector on the New Breakwater, on or about 14th October 1918.

Position.—On the parapet of the New Breakwater, 25 feet from the seaward end, and approximately 750 feet E. N. E. from the position of the existing Occulting White Light.

Lat. 41° 03′ S., long. 145° 57′ E. approx.

Details.—The new light will have the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—*Flashing White Light* with *Red Sector*, showing *one* flash every *three* seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse.
⅓ sec.	2⅔ secs.

Sectors.—*Red* from 111° (S. 78° E. Mag.) through South to 201° (S. 12° W. Mag.). *White* from 201° (S. 12° W. Mag.) through West and North to 21° (N. 12° E. Mag.). Obscured elsewhere.

Elevation.—39 feet.

Visibility.—*White*, 10 miles. *Red*, 5 miles.

Power.—*White*, 300 candles. *Red*, 100 candles.

Structure.—Former steel framework tower, painted white. Height, 30 feet.

Remarks —The light will be unwatched.
No further notice will be given.

Note.—The existing Occulting White Light will be extinguished from 30th September 1918, in order that the necessary alterations may be carried out. In the interval, the temporary fixed Red Light on the Titan Crane on the New Breakwater will continue to be exhibited as heretofore, but will be extinguished on the establishment of the new Flashing White Light with Red Sector.

Charts affected.—No. 3717, Plans in Tasmania—Emu Bay.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695B, Bass Strait, Western Sheet.
„ 2759b, Australia, Southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, West Sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2798.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 617.
Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 70.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 23 of 1918.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced by buoy.

No. 346-I (first publication).—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 2nd January 1919 and replaced in March.
A red conical buoy with staff and cage will mark the position during her absence.

Position.—Lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.
„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.
„ 70. Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 630.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice, dated 26th October 1918.

The 28th October 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Middle Bank Light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 333 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Group Flashing White Light on Middle Bank will be replaced by a Flashing White Light on or about 15th November 1918.

Position.—Lat. 33° 38′ S., long. 137° 32′ E.

Details.—The Group Flashing White Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—Flashing White Light, showing one flash every three seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse.
½ sec.	2½ secs.

Elevation.—43 feet.

Visibility.—Eleven miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Structure.—Former steel skeleton tower, painted white, surrounded by a pile framework.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, Southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2333.

Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 258. Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 30.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 19 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Shoalwater Point Light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 334 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light off Shoalwater Point will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light on or about 30th November 1918.

Position.—South-eastward of point.
Lat. 33° 42′ S., long. 137° 14′ E.

Details.—The Flashing White Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics—

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing three flashes in quick succession every nine seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	6 secs.

Elevation.—40 feet.

Visibility.—11 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Structure.—Former steel skeleton tower, painted red, with white lantern, surrounded by a pile framework.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

„ 2759*b*, Australia, Southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2332.

Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 225. Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 27.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 20 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—INNER BARRIER ROUTE.

Heath Reef and Tih Tih Reef—Intended New Lights.

No. 335 (second publication).—

Subject.—The proposed New Group Flashing White Lights on Heath Reef and Tih Tih Reef will be exhibited as hereunder:—

(*a*) Heath Reef, on or about 15th October 1918.
(*b*) Tih Tih Reef on or about 15th November 1918.

Description of New Lights—

(*a*) *Heath Reef.*

Position.—Lat. 13° 28½′ S., long. 143° 40½′ E.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing three flashes in quick succession every fifteen seconds, thus:—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	11½ secs.

(*b*) *Tih Tih Reef.*

Position.—Lat. 13° 09′ S., long. 143° 37′ E.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing four flashes in quick succession every twenty seconds, thus:—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	15 secs.

Remarks.—The lights will be unwatched.
The Fixed White Light on the Claremont Island Light-ship will be continued until further notice.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2921, Claremont Point to Cape Direction.
„ 3762, Hay Island to Bow Reef.
„ 2764, Coral Sea, Sheet 2.
„ 3088, Anchorages on the East Coast of Australia—Night Island Anchorage.
„ 2759a, Australia, Northern portion.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west Sheet.

Publications.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 412, 419.
List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 21 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Gabo Island Light—Intended alteration in Period.

No. 336 (second publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 334 of 1917.

Subject.—The period of the Group Flashing Light with white and red sectors on Gabo Island will be altered from nine seconds to fifteen seconds on or about 15th November, 1918.

Position.—Lat. 37° 34½′ S., long. 149° 55½′ E.

Character.—*Group Flashing*, with *white* and *red sectors*, showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *fifteen* seconds, thus:—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	11½ secs.

Remarks.—The other details of the light remain unchanged.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1017, Gabo Island to Montagu Island.
„ 1211, Gabo Island to Port Jackson.
„ 3169, Port Phillip to Gabo Island.
„ 2759b, Australia, Southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, Western Sheet.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west Sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2508.
Australia Directory, Vol. 1, 1907, page 546.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 22 of 1918.

The 21st October 1918.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER—APPROACHES TO THE WHANGPOO.

Quarantine Anchorage—Quarantine Upper Buoy to be discontinued.

No. 331 (third publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 667 of 1918) that on or about 5th October 1918 the Quarantine Upper Buoy, marking the upper limit of the Quarantine Anchorage and the northern side of the channel, approaches to the Whangpoo, Yangtze River, will be permanently discontinued.

PERSIAN GULF.

Bandar Abbas—Wreck no longer exists; Buoy laid temporarily.

No. 332 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 87-M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former R. I. M. Notice No. 80-M. of 1918. (*This office No. 273 of 1918.*)

(*a*) Wreck, non-existence of—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles and 3 cables 138° (S. 44° E. Mag.) from British Consulate Flag Staff in 22 feet L. W. O. S.

Details.—The wreck of the sunken dhow formerly situated in the above position does not exist and is to be expunged from the charts.

(*b*) Buoy laid temporarily—

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles and 8 cables 133½° (S. 48½° E. Mag.) from British Consulate Flag Staff in 24 feet L. W. O. S.

Lat. 27° 9′ 46″ N.
Long. 56° 19′ 59″ E. } On chart No. 3599.

Description.—A mooring buoy painted red.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 3599, plans in the Persian Gulf
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.
„ 2837a, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 202.

Authority.—The Senior Marine Transport Officer, Bandar Abbas, dated 26th September 1918.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Acting Port Officer of Calcutta.

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REPORT OF THE HONORARY COMMITTEE FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN, CALCUTTA, FOR THE YEAR 1917-18.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 8996P.—The 5th November 1918.—The following extracts from the Annual Administration Report of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, for the year 1917-18, and the Government letter No. 8994P., dated the 5th November 1918, acknowledging the receipt of the Report, are published for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE Honorary Committee have the honour to submit their report for the year ending 31st March 1918, the contents of which, as usual, include, among other items, :—

(1) The Superintendent's report upon the Zoological collection.
(2) Monthly returns of visitors and a list of donors and their donations
(3) Abstract of accounts of ordinary receipts and expenditure.

The Committee consisted of :—

President :

The Hon'ble Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., I.C.S.

Vice-President :

P. L. Buckland, Esq., F.Z.S.

Honorary Secretary and Treasurer :

S. C. Berridge, Esq., to 4th March 1918.

W. K. Dods, Esq., from 5th March 1918.

Members of the Committee :

Nominated—

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W. Dods, Esq.

Ex-officio—

The Commissioners of Divisions in Bengal.
The Executive Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division, Public Works Department.
The Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal.
The President of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.
The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
The Natural History Secretary of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.
The Director of Land Records, Bengal.
The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal.
The Professor of Comparative Anatomy and Zoology, Medical College, Bengal.
The Superintendent of the Royal Botanic Garden, Sibpur.
The Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation.
The Principal of the Bengal Veterinary College, Calcutta.

PRINCIPAL EVENTS.

Among the principal events of the year were the laying out of the new extension and the erection of the Berridge Fountain therein . . .

The Sunk Water Garden was finished and planted with lotus and water lilies. The base is made of patent stone and the sides of bricks plastered with cement. It is 150 feet long and 10 feet wide. A beautiful fountain was presented to the Garden by Mr. S. C. Berridge, who was Honorary Secretary to the Garden from 1915 to 1918. The work was designed by Mr. N. Sudlow and executed by Messrs. Martin & Co.

The fountain is constructed of buff coloured sandstone from Chunar and consists of four square columns about 10 feet high supporting a *jali* panelled dome with *chujja* cornice on brackets and a finial at top. The railing round the water basin consists of Gwalior stone with beautiful *jali* panelling. The best thanks of the Committee are due to Mr. Berridge for this handsome memento of his association with the Garden.

A figure of Atlas made of Mirzapur stone which formerly surmounted the Standard Assurance Company's office in Dalhousie Square was set up in the south-east corner of the new extension, the entire cost being generously met by Mr. W. K. Dods . . . . . .

IMPROVEMENTS.

Among the improvements to the existing buildings, Raneegunge tiles were substituted for the ornamental fish-tiled roofing of the Reptile House, and a patent stone border was inserted at the base of certain cages in the Dumraon House, where the lower portions of the iron gratings and doors had worn away.

ANNUAL REPAIRS.

Annual repairs to the buildings of the Garden were done departmentally as usual. The quinquennial repairs to the Hermitage were satisfactorily carried out.

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STAFF AND ESTABLISHMENT.

There was no change in the superior staff during the year. The *personnel* consists of :—

SUPERIOR STAFF.

Superintendent :

Mr. Bijay Krishna Basu, G.B.V.C., C.M.Z.S.

Assistant Superintendent :

Babu Somadev Ganguli.

Store-keeper :

Babu Jugal Kishore Roy.

Overseer :

Babu Niranjan Mukerji.

Clerk :

Babu Tarak Chandra Chatterji.

Gate Clerk:

Babu Panchanan Mukerji.

VISITORS.

There was a falling off in the attendance of paying visitors during the year, the turnstile records indicating a total of 583,343 visitors, a decrease of 88,152 as compared with the figures for 1916-17, attributable to reduced train services and absence of facilities generally for travel. In the following

table are shown the number of visitors and the gate receipts for the last three years :—

Year.	Visitors.	Receipts. Rs.	A.
1915-16	598,024	44,332	13
1916-17	671,495	50,024	11
1917-18	583,343	44,564	0

A large number of children under four years of age and school children in charge of their teachers were admitted free. On the day of the Fancy Fair when no individual charge is levied, it is estimated that about 11,600 people entered the Garden. In addition, 53,480 persons visited the Garden on free days, of which a list with the number of visitors on each will be found in Appendix C.

Special arrangements were made for the admission without payment of soldiers on leave and convalescents.

FINANCE.

In spite of the decrease in gate receipts the financial condition of the Garden during the year under review continued to be satisfactory. This is due to the strict economy which was observed in all departments. Expenditure was limited to necessary upkeep, and the policy of postponing new works was continued.

The details of income and expenditure are summarised in Appendix A.

GARDEN.

The Garden was well maintained, and there was a particularly good show of flowering annuals in the cold weather. For a number of exhibits sent to the Agri-Horticultural Society's Exhibition the Head Gardener was awarded a money prize.

CONCLUSION.

The Committee desire to express their thanks to the Corporation of Calcutta for their continued generosity in remitting the consolidated rates in respect of the Gardens.

The thanks of the Committee are also due to those ladies and gentlemen who have added to the Zoological collection by donations, a list of which is given in Appendix D. Thanks are also due to those who kindly offered to present animals to the Garden, but whose offers could not be accepted, either because the particular species of animals was already sufficiently well represented, or owing to want of accommodation.

The Committee also desire to express their thanks to the Railways and Steamer Companies for the conveyance of animals belonging to the Gardens free of charge.

W. K. DODS,
Honorary Secretary.

C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE,
President.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report on the existing condition and the progress of the menagerie of the Gardens.

The following comparative table shows how the various collection of specimens in the Gardens has stood during the last four years :—

Year.	Mammals.	Birds.	Reptiles.	Year.	Mammals.	Birds.	Reptiles.
1914-15 ...	334	1,893	246	1916-17 ...	318	1,975	263
1915-16 ...	351	1,940	198	1917-18 ...	316	2,026	199

ACQUISITIONS.

A complete list of acquisitions will be found in Appendix D. Deserving special mention are a Malayan bear presented by Mr. I. H. Burkill and three Markhors and a Kiang (*Equus hemionus*) purchased.

GENERAL CONDITION OF THE ANIMALS.

The general health of the animals was satisfactory. There were no epidemics amongst the mammals and the larger carnivores were kept in splendid condition, while the Himalayan animals, such as, Markhor, Tahr, Serow, Uryal, Catbear, did remarkably well.

In the aviary there was an outbreak of chicken cholera amongst a lot of newly purchased pheasants, which were at once placed in the segregation shed under observation, and the disease was suppressed without difficulty.

APPENDIX A.

I.—Comparative statement of receipts for 1916-17 and 1917-18.

	1916-17.			1917-18.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Opening balance	29,792	12	9	21,161	9	7
Interest	237	6	6	237	6	6
Donations and subscriptions	2,008	0	0	1,948	0	0
Entrance receipts	50,024	11	0	44,564	0	0
Rent	5,644	0	0	5,664	0	0
Carriage, rickshaw. elephant ride, etc., etc.	982	10	0	975	0	0
Fishing	176	0	0	210	0	0
Picnic	175	0	0	229	0	0
Rhino urine	2,106	0	0	2,308	0	0
Miscellaneous receipts	4,005	3	0	4,780	5	0
Government contribution	20,000	0	0	20,000	0	0
Total ...	1,15,151	11	3	1,02,072	5	1
Add—						
Receipts of 31st March 1916, which were included in 1916-17.	125	4	0	.....		
Receipts of 31st March 1917, which are included in 1917-18	.....			87	5	0
Total ...	1,15,276	15	3	1,02,159	10	1
Deduct—						
Receipts of 31st March 1917, which are included in 1917-18.	87	5	0	.....		
Receipts from 28th to 31st March 1918, which will be included in 1918-19.	.....			799	13	0
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,15,189	10	3	1,01,359	13	1

II.—Comparative statement of expenditure for 1916-17 and 1917-18.

	1916-17.			1917-18.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Establishment	8,742	8	6	8,822	4	0
Food of animals	30,183	9	0	30,637	14	3
Purchase of animals	6,923	1	0	6,928	14	0
Transport of animals	981	5	9	451	3	9
Miscellaneous contingencies	8,895	6	5	8,757	4	7
Repairs of roads	2,566	14	6	3,232	15	9
Do. of buildings	9,844	14	0	11,262	2	9
Original construction	20,408	5	0	4,876	3	1
Garden construction	5,481	13	6	7,000	6	0
Total ...	94,028	0	8	81,969	4	2
Closing balance ...	21,161	9	7	19,390	8	11
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,15,189	10	3	1,01,359	13	1

APPENDIX B.

Summary of Visitors and Gate receipts during 1917-18.

Month and year.			Number of visitors.	Receipts. Rs.	A.
April	1917	...	40,151	3,213	15
May	,,	...	40,543	3,167	12
June	,,	...	41,396	2,989	11
July	,,	...	53,273	3,833	14
August	,,	...	37,499	2,918	13
September	,,	...	58,501	4,255	3
October	,,	...	60,957	4,406	14
November	1917	...	42,850	3,430	10
December	,,	...	57,506	4,633	4
January	1918	...	54,525	4,161	13
February	,,	...	47,649	3,699	5
March	,,	...	48,493	3,852	14
Total		...	5,83,343	44,564	0

APPENDIX C.

A list of free days showing free visitors during the year 1917-18.

16th April	1917	...	...	2,848
7th May	,,	...	...	3,222
4th June	,,	...	...	7,366
2nd July	,,	...	...	2,623
6th August	,,	...	...	5,479
3rd September	,,	...	...	7,217
1st October	,,	...	...	4,615
5th November	,,	...	...	6,690
3rd December	1917	...	...	5,321
21st January	1918	...	...	2,972
18th February	,,	...	...	2,699
18th March	,,	...	...	2,422
Total			...	53,480

APPENDIX D.

List of Donors, 1917-18.

A

Apperley, Mr. H. W.	...	1 Spotted tiger civet (*albino*).

B

Buttar, Mr. J. A.	...	1 Black leopard, 1 leopard.
Burkill, Mr. I. H.	...	1 Malayan bear.
Bonaglia, Mr. P.	...	1 Chameleon.
Bhimja, Mr. S. N.	...	1 Four-horned antelope.

C

Chatre, Mr. D. K.	...	2 Nilgais.
Chatterji, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice D.		1 Spotted deer.
Crichton, Mrs. A. K.	...	1 Indian robin, 1 Fly-catcher, 2 common amadavade, 1 Brown thrush.

D

Das Gupta, Babu Akhoy Kumar.		5 Cobras.
Deputy Conservator of Forests, Port Blair.		4 Cochin-china parrakeets, 1 Andaman banded rail.
District Magistrate, 24-Parganas.		1 Tiger cub.
District Magistrate, Howrah		1 Hanuman.
Dods, Mr. W. K.	...	5 Lesser-whistling teals, 33 Pheasant-tailed jacanas, 2 Crow pheasants, 34 Cattle egrets, 13 Purple coots, 2 Greyheaded mynas, 1 Indian tree-pie, 1 White-breasted kingfisher, 15 Cotton teals, 16 Bronze winged jacanas, 1 Big cattle egret, 15 Common coots, 12 White breasted water-hens, 13 Corn crakes, 6 Indian water rails, 84 Grebes, 1 Common teal, 10 Bitterns, 1 Gargeny teal, 5 Indian foxes.

G

Gregson, Mrs. A.	...	4 Nut-meg finches, 4 Black-headed grosbeaks 10 Common amadavade, 6 Silver bills, 1 Fly-catcher, 2 Java sparrows, 1 Button quail, 2 Red-vented bulbuls.
Gruning, Mrs.	..	1 Indian mouse deer.
Galstaun, Mr. J. C.	...	1 Leopard, 2 Sloth bear cubs.

Ghosh, Babu Manmatha Nath.		1 Leopard cub.
Granville, Mr. F. B.	...	1 *Dipsas forstenii*.
H		
Hutchings, Mr. A.	...	1 Python.
K		
Kirkpatrick, Mr. W.	...	1 Python.
L		
Lynch, Mrs. L.	...	1 Hog deer.
M		
Murshidabad, Nawab Bahadur of.		1 Sambur deer.
Manger, Miss C.	...	1 Pair jungle fowl.
Morrison, Mr. R. M.	...	1 Canary.
Moore, Miss G.	...	1 Fishing cat.
P		
Plummer, Mr. H. L.	...	1 Macaque monkey.
Perris, Mrs. A. E.	...	1 Common peacock.
Pereira, Mr. J. E. F.	...	2 Leopard cubs.
R		
Roy, Kumar Bimalendra		1 Sloth bear cub.
Robertson, Mrs. F. D. C.		1 Jungle cat.
S		
Sidey, Mr. G. L.	...	1 Indian antelope.
Sunder, Mr. D.	...	1 Sambur deer.
Singha, Kumar Debendra Narain.		1 Leopard cub.
Simpson, Mrs. F. W.	...	1 Indian antelope.
Surita, Mrs. F. St. R.	...	1 Indian antelope.
Singha, Babu Surendra Narain.		1 Python.
Sakuma, Capt. K. B.	...	2 Pittas.
Stewart, Mr. A. M.	...	2 Jarboas.
T		
Turner, Mr. E. A.	...	1 Hanuman, 1 Macaque monkey.
Tweedie, Mr. T. C.	...	1 Python.
V		
Vincent, Mr. C.	...	1 Hog deer.
W		
Watson, Mrs. L.	...	2 Java sparrows, 4 common amadavade 6 Nut-meg finches, 9 Black-headed grosbeaks.

No. 8994P., dated Calcutta, the 5th November 1918.

From—H. R. WILKINSON, ESQ., I.C.S., Offg. Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

To—The Honorary Secretary, Zoological Garden), Calcutta.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of the Report of the Honorary Committee for the Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, for the year 1917-18, forwarded with your letter No. 64, dated the 25th October 1918, and to convey the thanks of the Governor in Council to the Committee for their management of the Garden during the year.

2. The acknowledgments of His Excellency in Council are due to Mr. Berridge and Mr. Dods for their generous gifts to the new extension and to the gentlemen named in Appendix D to the Report, who presented the Garden with various animals during the year.

REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE LICENSED WAREHOUSE AND FIRE BRIGADE ACT I OF 1893.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2579M.—The 8th November 1918.—The following is published for general information under section 41 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, 1893 (Bengal Act I of 1893).

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 118M., dated Calcutta, the 20th July 1918.

From—THE HON'BLE MR. F. J. MONAHAN, I.C.S., Commissioner of the Presidency Division,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department.

I HAVE the honour to submit, herewith, copies of the reports on the working of the Licensed Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act I (B.C.) of 1893, for the year ending the 31st March 1918, in the Cossipore-Chitpur, Manicktola and Garden Reach Municipalities.

No. 1142, dated Talla, the 29th June 1918.

From—BABU HEM CHANDRA DE, M.A., Chairman, Cossipore-Chitpore Municipality,

To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas, Alipore.

WITH reference to your letter No. 426-1-18, dated the 15th June 1918, I have the honour to submit the following report on the working of Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act within the municipality during the year 1917-18, together with the statement of receipts and disbursements and of the licensed warehouses in the forms prescribed by Government.

2. The rate of the license fee levied on the warehouses in the year of report was 7½ per cent. on the annual valuations of warehouses as was done in the previous year.

3. The total receipts from the fees and the rates specified in Statement I amounted to Rs. 32,391-9-3. The demand of the Commissioner of Police for the year on account of contribution towards the cost of maintenance of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade payable by this municipality being Rs. 33,692. The Municipal Commissioners had to pay Rs. 1,300-6-9 from their General Fund.

4. No rates were levied under section 25 (*1*) (*b*) and (c) of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act during the year of report but Rs. 3 was realized under section 25 (*1*) (*a*) of the Act.

5. No amount of fine inflicted on persons using warehouses without licenses was received from the Police Magistrate, Sealdah, during the year of report.

6. The warehouses licensed during the year of report are shown in Statement II put up herewith.

STATEMENT I.

COSSIPORE-CHITPORE MUNICIPALITY.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements.

Opening balance on 1st April 1917.—Rs. nil. The Debit Balance of Rs. 1,300-6-9 was met from the General Fund.

Receipts.

	DEMAND.			COLLECTIONS.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
License fees levied under sections 10 and 24.	4,254 12 9	29,448 0 0	33,702 12 9	4,241 14 3	28,006 11 0	32,248 9 3
Mutation fees	.....	140 0 0	140 0 0	.....	140 0 0	140 0 0
Rates 25 (1) (a)	.....	3 9 6	3 9 6	.....	3 0 0	3 0 0
,, 25 (1) (b)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, 25 (1) (c)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fines and penalties under the Act ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	4,254 12 9	29,591 9 6	33,846 6 3	4,241 14 3	28,149 11 0	32,391 9 3

	REMISSION.			BALANCE.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
License fees levied under sections 10 and 24.	13 14 6	1,419 4 3	1,433 2 9	.....	22 0 9	*22 0 9
Mutation fees	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rates 25 (1) (a)	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 9 6	†0 9 6
,, 25 (1) (b)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, 23 (1) (c)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fines and penalties under the Act ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	13 14 6	1,419 4 3	1,433 2 9	.....	22 10 3	22 10 3

* Realised on 11th April 1918.
† Ditto 3rd ,, ,,

Disbursement.

		Rs.
1.	Establishment	Nil.
2.	Contribution to Fire Brigade Fund	33,692
3.	Any other special item	Nil.
	Total ...	33,692
	Closing balance	Nil.
	GRAND TOTAL ...	33 692

The total receipt being Rs. 32,391-9-3, the deficit of Rs. 1,300-6 9 was met from the General Fund.

STATEMENT II.

List of licensed warehouses for 1917-18.

Name of Road.	Holding Numbers.
Barrackpore Trunk Road ...	3-1, 3-3, 3-3-1, 5, 26-9, 32-3, 26-29-1, 57-9, 60-1, 74-A, 78, 83, 84, 84-1, 81-1-1, 85-1, 86-1, 86-A and 58-70.
Gun Foundary Road	1.
Cossipore Road	1, 26, 30, 32 and 115.
Lock Gate Road	45 and 51.
Sugar Works Lane	1, 2 and 3.
Ram Gopal Ghosh Road ...	2-A and 4.
Kali Prasanna Singh Road ...	2, 3, 4, 4-A, 13, 13-A, 15 and 16.
Nawabputty Street	1, 5, 9, 14 and 32-8.
Dilarjung Road	1, 4 and 6.
Chitpore Ghat Lane	1, 3, 6, 8, 9, 17 and 19.
Brojo Doyal Shaw Road ...	1, 2, 3, 6 and 8.

New Strand Road	...	2 and 5.
Pran Krishna Mukherji Lane	...	2, 3, 4, 5, 5-A, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 26, 27, 28 and 29.
Pran Krishna Mukherji Road	...	4, 4-A, 5, 8, 9, 6, 7, 9-B, 9-A, 10, 10-1, 11-1, 11-4, 11-3, 12, 12-1, 15-1, 21, 22-A, 22-A-1, 22-B, 22-C, 22-1-1, 23, 24, 25-1, 25-3, 26-A, 26-C, 26-D, 26-E, 26-2, 26-5-1, 27-1, 28, 26-7, 26-8, 30, 31, 32, 33, 30-2, 34-1, 34-2, 34-3, 34-4, 36, 37 and 34-2-1.
Chitpore Street	...	2, 3, 4, 5, 5-A, 7, 9, 10 and 11.
Settpukur Road	...	1-6-1, 4, 14, and 1-6-2.
Chitpore Cross Road	...	1-1, 3 and 8.
Kali Coomar Banerji Lane	...	11-A, 17-1, 19 and 21.
Rostomji Parshee Road	...	5.
Gopi Mandal Lane	...	7.
Kali Charan Sett Lane	...	4.
Ranee's Road	...	18-1.
Gangulipara Road	...	2-1.
Paikpara Road	...	13-13, 14-101 and 29-25.
Belgachia Road	...	12-1, 13-A, 14, 15-3, 17, 19, 20, 31-A, 34-2, 34-4, 34-5, 34-8, 34-13, 40, 42, 42-1-2, 44-1-3, 44, 52-1, 54, 55, 56-B, 54-1, 58, 62-2, 62-3-1, 62-3-2, 62-8-A, 62-8-1, 62-11, 66-B, 66-B-1, 66-G, 68-8-1, 68-10, 68-13, 68-15, 68-17, 68-19, 70, 86-1, 88, 91, 94, 97, 105, 102 and 110.
Khelat Babu Lane	...	26 and 35-14.
South Paikpara Road	...	6-1-1.
Nilmani Mitter Street	...	8-A, 8-2-2, 8-3-1-1, 8-3-1-4, 10, 10-1, 15, 16, 17 and 21-1.
Srish Chandra Chowdhury Lane	...	21, 22 and 24-10-1.
Dakhindari Road	...	1-44 and 1-62.
New Canal Road	...	1-8, 1-11, 1-12, 2-1, 2-3, 3-1-A, 3-1-B, 3-3, 4, 6, 7-2, 7-3, 7-8-1 and 7-10.
Ultadanga Yard	...	128 and 129.
Bonamali Chatterji Street	...	28-C.

No. 1288, dated Narkeldanga, the 1st July 1918.

From—Babu Harish Chandra Neogi, Chairman, Maniktala Municipality,

To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas, Alipore.

With reference to your letter No. M. 426-1-18, dated the 15th June 1918, I have the honour to submit the Annual Report for the year 1917-18 on the working of the Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act during the said year.

2. The share of expenditure allotted to this municipality by the Commissioner of Police was Rs. 4,212 which was discharged in two instalments.

3. The revenue during the year of report amounted to Rs. 3,342-6-6.

4. License fees were levied on jute warehouses at the rate of 4 per cent. and 6 per cent. on the annual value of the holding and at 10 per cent. on trades of other descriptions.

5. The jute godowns and fire-wood, hay and straw depôts are mostly situated near the circular canal which bounds the municipality on all sides. The Surah Jute Mill and the Jute Pressing Mill of Messrs. Landale, Clarke & Company are the two mills situated within this municipality.

6. The following statements in the prescribed forms are annexed hereto :—

(*a*) Statement I showing the receipts and disbursements for the year 1917-18.

(*b*) Statement II showing the number and locality of jute warehouses.

STATEMENT I.

MANIKTALA MUNICIPALITY.

Statement showing the Receipts and Disbursements for the year 1917-18.

Opening balance on the 1st April 1917 = Rs. 618-5.

DESCRIPTION OF RECEIPTS.	DEMAND.			COLLECTIONS.			REMISSIONS.			BALANCE.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.						
License fees levied under sections 10 and 24.	244 6 6	3,098	3,342 6 6	244 6 6	3,098	3,342 6 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assessment fees levied under section 11.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rates levied under sections 25 (7) (b) and 25, (7) (c).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fines and penalties under the Act.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

	Rs. A. P.
Add—Opening balance	618 5 0
Total receipts	3,960 11 6

Disbursements.

		Rs. A. P.
1. Establishment		Nil
2. Contribution		4,212 0 0
3. Any other special items		Nil
Total ...		4,212 0 0
Closing balance		Nil
Debit balance		251 4 6
GRAND TOTAL ...		3,960 11 6

STATEMENT II.

List of licensed warehouses for 1917-18.

Name of Road.	Holding Number
Canal Circular Road ...	1, 2, 4-1, 10-2, 10-4, 10-11, 10-13, 10-14, 11-5, 11-6-2 and 24.
Canal East Road	3, 5-1, 5-8, 5-9-1, 5-11, 5-13, 5-14-1, 5-15, 6, 9, 9-20, 10-6, 14-1, 14-22, 17-1, 21-1, 42-36, 48-1, 48-4, 49-1, 49-2, 51-1, 51-2, 52-2, 52-4, 52-5, 52-7, 52-8, 52-9 and 52-10.
Shaikpara Road	4.
Gurudas Dutt Garden Lane ...	6-1, 6-2 and 8.
Ariff Road	14-1.
Ultadanga Main Road	1, 2, 2-12, 83, 101 and 150.
Ultadanga Lane	19-21 and 36.
Muraripukur Road	4, 15, 16 and 42.
Maniktala Main Road ...	136-7.
Narikeldanga Main Road ...	102.
Choulputty Road	28, 29-3, 31-1, 31-4, 31-5, 32-3, 33-1, 34-2, 35-A, 35-1, 36, 37, 40-41.

No. 136 G.M. dated the 21st June 1918.

From—W. F. DAVIE, ESQ., Chairman, Garden Reach Municipality,
To—The Magistrate of the 24-Parganas.

WITH reference to your letter No. M. 426-1-18 of the 15th instant, I have the honour to report as follows on the working of the Licensed Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act in this municipality for the year 1917-18 and to submit Statements I and II in the prescribed form.

2. During the year under report the total income from jute warehouse fees and from rates under section 25(*b*) of the Fire Brigade Act, as shown in

Statement I, was Rs. 3,905-14-6 against Rs. 2,592-10-8 in the previous year. The amount of contribution paid to the Fire Brigade Fund was Rs. 6,317 against Rs. 6,429 in 1916-17.

In levying the jute warehouse fees the limitations prescribed by the provisions under section 10 of the Fire Brigade Act were strictly followed.

3. The rates at which the fees were levied were 7 per cent. on the annual value of all large warehouses, 8 per cent. on the annual value of wood and straw depôts, and ½ per cent. on the annual value of all *busti* lands with huts, if any, on them. A list of licensed warehouses within this municipality during the year under review is given in Statement II.

STATEMENT I.

GARDEN REACH MUNICIPALITY.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements.

Opening balance on 1st April 1917.—Nil.

	Demand.			Collection.			Remission.			Balance.		
	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.	Arrear.	Current.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
License fees levied under sections 10 and 24.	844 0 0	3,026 0	3,870 0 0	829 0 0	2,893 0	3,722 0 0	15	...	15	...	133 0	133 0
Mutation fees levied under section 11.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Rates levied under section 25 (1) (a).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Rates levied under section 25 (1) (b).	106 4 6	117 15	224 3 6	106 4 6	77 15	183 14 6	...	...	...	...	40 5	40 5
Rates levied under section 25 (1) (c).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Fines and penalties under this Act.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Total ...	950 4 6	3,143 15	4,094 3 6	935 4 6	2,970 10	3,906 14 6	15	...	15	...	173 5	173 5

Disbursement.

		Rs.
1	Establishment	Nil
2	Contribution to Fire Brigade	6,317
3	Any other special items	Nil
	Total ...	6,317
	Closing Balance	Nil
	Grand Total ...	6,317

STATEMENT II.

List of licensed warehouses for 1917-18.

Name of Street.	Street or holding number with the number of warehouses shown in Brackets when there are more than one.
Garden Reach Road	A-8 (2), B-8, B-9-1, B-10 (2), C-1, C-3, C-5, E-6, F-41, G-1, H-22.
Ramnagore Lane	G-212.
Batikal	G-72.
Beechalighat Road	B-106, B-118, B-125, B-126, B-127-1, B-127-3, B-130, B-132, B-133, B-134, B-141, B-146.
Paharpur Road	H-33, H-36, H-45, H-27, J-255.
Rameswarpore Road	1-70.
Dum Dum Road	Z-1.

List of warehouses licensed for 1916-17 during 1917-18.

Garden Reach Road	A-8 (2), B-8, B-9-1, B-10, E-6, F-30-1-1, F-34, F-41, G-1, H-20.
Ramnagore Lane	G-212.
Rameswarpore Road	1-61-1, 1-90.
Paharpur Road	H-17.
Batikal	G-65.
Beechalighat Road	B-106, B-119, B-119-1, B-121, B-127-3.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORTS ON INLAND EMIGRATION UNDER THE ASSAM LABOUR AND EMIGRATION ACT FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE 1918.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

Emigration Branch.

CALCUTTA, THE 7TH NOVEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 5081Emi.

READ—

The Reports on Inland Emigration under the Assam Labour and Emigration Act 1901 (VI of 1901), for the year ending the 30th June 1918, submitted by the Superintendent of Emigration, Calcutta, and the District and Assistant Superintendents of Emigration.

DURING the year under review recruitment by persons other than garden-sardars accredited to duly licensed local agents was prohibited. The object of this measure, which was the outcome of a recommendation made by the Assam Labour Board, was to prevent garden-sardars being deputed to work independently of a local agent, a practice which had frequently led to illicit recruiting through unlicensed persons. In order further to facilitate *bonâ fide* sardari recruitment, Government authorized Magistrates and Superintendents of Emigration in recruiting districts to correct technical errors in sardars' certificates.

2. Recruiting operations were conducted in the districts of Bankura, Birbhum, Burdwan and Midnapore. The largest number of emigrants went from the districts of Bankura and Midnapore. Seven licenses were granted to local agents in 1917-18 as against six in the previous year. The number of garden-sardars employed in this Presidency, however, fell to 640 (including 190 sardarnis) from 1,610 (including 357 sardarnis) in the year 1916-17. The number of emigrants recruited in Bengal during the year was 508, or 1,689 less than in the preceding year. It is satisfactory to note that only one criminal case connected with emigration was reported during the year.

3. The total number of emigrants, from Bengal and other provinces, who embarked during the year at Goalundo was 9,808 as against 29,990 in the preceding year. No explanation of this decrease has been given, but it is doubtless one of the results of the dislocation caused by the war, and is in continuation of a still larger drop in the previous year.

4. The places of accommodation and rest-houses for emigrants were properly inspected and maintained in good sanitary condition. The sanitary arrangements on steamers which conveyed emigrants to labour districts were in accordance with the rules, and were generally adequate. Two deaths were reported among emigrants during transit to Goalundo, and three among the 9,836 emigrants who arrived at that place. There was no death during the steamer journey to Chandpur among the 3,389 emigrants who embarked for Cachar and Sylhet; of the 6,419 emigrants who embarked for the Brahmaputra Valley two died during the voyage.

5. Twenty-six emigrants who refused to embark were released under the orders of the Subdivisional Officer, Goalundo, 11 were rejected as unfit to labour in tea estates, and 5 were repatriated from the labour districts through Goalundo.

6. There was a falling off both in receipts and expenditure in connection with the transport of labour to Assam, the figures being Rs. 1,566 and Rs. 1,884, respectively, as against Rs. 1,682 and Rs. 23,964 in the year 1916-17.

7. The Governor in Council desires to thank the Superintendent of Emigration and the local officers for their assistance in the administration of the Act.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 9th November 1918.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rice—				
Balam, coarse ...	5 6 0	5 8 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
„ medium ...	5 10 0	6 0 0	0 2 10½	0 3 0
Patnai, coarse ...	5 0 0	5 11 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
„ medium ...	5 12 0	6 2 0	0 2 10½	0 3 0
Nagra, coarse ...	5 0 0	5 11 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
„ medium ...	5 12 0	6 4 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
Dudhkalma ...	5 10 0	6 6 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
Rangoon Boiled ...	4 10 0	5 4 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
Wheat, Dudhia	7 12 0	8 12 0	.....	.....
„ Jamali	7 0 0	7 8 0	.....	.....
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	.....	5 12 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ dal	7 0 0	7 8 0	0 3 0	0 4 0
Mung „ (Hari)	11 8 0	12 0 0	0 3 6	0 5 0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	9 8 0	10 0 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
Arhar „	6 12 0	8 8 0	0 3 0	0 3 9
Masur „ (split)	4 12 0	5 4 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ „ (khanri) ...	6 12 0	7 2 0	0 3 3	0 5 0
Kalai „	9 0 0	9 8 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
Salt	3 3 0	3 4 0	0 1 9	.....
Sugar (brown Java) ...	11 12 0	.....	0 5 0	0 5 3
Gur, Bheli	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 3 6
„ Sanchi	8 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Milk	8 0 0	10 0 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
Mustard oil	25 0 0	27 8 0	0 10 0	0 12 0
Flour (country)	9 8 0	11 8 0	0 4 6	0 5 3
Atta No. 3	5 12 0	.....	0 3 0	0 5 3
„ „ 2½	6 2 0	.....		
„ „ B	11 11 6	.....		
Suji	10 12 0	11 12 0	0 5 0	0 6 0
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	79 0 0	80 0 0	2 4 0	.....
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	68 0 0	70 0 0	2 2 0	.....
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	65 0 0	66 0 0	2 0 0	.....
Maize	4 0 0	4 8 0	.....	.....
Potato	5 12 0	8 0 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
Patal	.....	.....	0 4 0	0 6 0
Brinjal	3 4 0	3 8 0	0 1 6	0 2 6
Onion	4 12 0	5 8 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
Fish, Rahu	16 0 0	20 0 0	0 8 0	0 10 0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 10 0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 4 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets :—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. RAY,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1918.*

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA.

CALCUTTA TRADE FLUCTUATIONS.

THE following tables are intended to show the trade by all routes, *i.e.*, by rail, river, canal, road, and sea, of the Calcutta Block* in certain selected articles during the months of April to August, 1918, as compared with the corresponding period of 1917 and 1916. The statistics have been compiled from returns furnished by the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, Railway Audit Offices, Steamer Companies, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the Collectors of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, and the Assistant Engineer, Calcutta Canals.

General Summary.

Imports.—The imports of rice, including paddy†, into Calcutta* by rail, river, canal, road, and sea (coastwise) during the months of April to August, 1918, amounted to 5,254,000 maunds as against 3,977,000 maunds in the corresponding period of the preceding year,—an increase of 32 per cent. There was a decrease (7 per cent) in the imports of coal and coke (33,271,000 maunds as against 35,765,000 maunds last year). The imports by rail, river, road, and sea (coastwise) of Indian cotton piece goods showed an increase of 34 per cent, the total value amounting to Rs. 2,30,18,000 as against Rs. 1,70,80,000 in 1917. The quantity of indigo imported during the months of April to August, 1918, increased by 2,900 maunds or 185 per cent. to 4,400 maunds. The imports of raw jute amounted to 1,965,000 bales as against 1,011,000 bales,—an increase of 94 per cent. The importations of gunny-bags also showed an increase of 4 per cent (193 million bags as against 186 millions in the preceding year). The total imports of oilseeds (linseed and rape and mustard seed) increased by 19 per cent from 2,260,000 maunds to 2,692,000 maunds. The imports of tea increased by 17 per cent from 1,019,000 maunds to 1,200,000 maunds, and those of sugar by 5 per cent from 294,000 maunds to 309,000 maunds.

Exports.—The exports of cotton piece goods, foreign, from Calcutta* by all routes during the months of April to August, 1918, increased by 13 per cent (Rs. 10,73,39,000 as against Rs. 9,46,90,000 last year). The exports of gunny bags (excluding the exports by sea to foreign countries) increased from 42 million bags to 60 million bags. The shipments of gunny bags to other Indian ports increased by 7,983,000 in number in the period under review (17,252,000 as against 9,269,000 last year). The quantity of kerosene oil despatched from Calcutta and Budge-Budge by internal routes and by sea (coastwise) decreased from 2,426,000 maunds to 2,178,000 maunds, or by 10 per cent.

* The Calcutta block consists of the town of Calcutta with Howrah and Kidderpore Docks.
† One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

TABLE I

Trade of Calcutta in certain selected Articles for the five months, April to August, 1918, compared with the corresponding months of 1917

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE) (a)		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE)	
		April to Aug. 1918.	April to Aug. 1917.	April to Aug. 1918.	April to Aug. 1917.
Food-grains—					
Rice	Mds	4,576,038	3,524,509	594,644	5,964
Paddy	,,	1,085,361	723,506	2,381	.....
Total (in rice) (b)	,,	5,254,389	3,976,700	596,132	5,964
Wheat	,,	2,909,312	5,368,991	41,190	22,159
Wheat flour	,,	25,647	100,696	138,331	117,171
Gram and pulse	,,	2,673,196	2,466,980	206,958	187,048
Other food-grains	,,	207,693	286,248	14,378	16,217
Total food-grains	,,	11,069,237	12,149,615	996,989	348,456
Coal and coke	,,	33,271,128	35,764,804	1,573,873	9,062,469
Cotton, raw	Bales	52,198	82,032	11,195	25,073
,, twist and yarn, Indian	Mds	154,239	205,413	40,064	52,075
,, piece goods, Indian	Rs.	2,30,17,711	1,70,80,378	8,12,678	17,45,113
Indigo	Mds	4,407	1,543	19,769	12,374
Jute, raw	Bales	1,964,535	1,010,860	919,010	372,227
,, gunny bags	No.	193,193,741	186,108,869	17,251,989 (c)	9,389,483 (c)
Lac	Mds	209,286	263,705	196,064	166,440
Oilseeds—Linseed	,,	1,347,624	715,712	702,390	374,907
,, —Rape and mustard	,,	1,344,187	1,544,727	164,795	107,048
Silk, raw	,,	1,088	1,626	1,430	1,479
Sugar—Refined	,,	85,898	122,314	6,138	1,955
,, —Unrefined	,,	224,166	171,971	44	990
Tea (Indian)	,,	1,199,629	1,019,071	7,088 (c)	7,356 (c)
Tobacco, unmanufactured	,,	344,383	394,970	61,808	92,645
,, manufactured	,,	29,421	26,609	1,690	2,802

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE) (d)		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE)	
		April to Aug. 1918.	April to Aug. 1917.	April to Aug. 1918.	April to Aug. 1917.
Cotton twist and yarn—Foreign	Mds	47,252	33,640.	125,826	79,374
,, ,, —Indian	,,	14,238	1,073	181,061	177,018
Cotton piece goods—Foreign	Rs	10,24,25,252	10,31,59,379	10,73,38,735	9,46,90,098
,, ,, —Indian	,,	38,45,289	73,759	96,77,878	91,41,115
Kerosene oil (e)	Mds	2,422,018	2,230,756	2,178,508	2,426,845
Salt	,,	4,156,867	2,844,718	3,366,902	3,826,087
Gunny bags	No	.....	.....	60,157,809	41,529,307

(a) The imports by sea are coastwise imports from other Indian ports only.
(b) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(c) Represents trade by sea coastwise only.
(d) The imports by sea include imports from other Indian ports, together with imports from foreign countries.
(e) Including figures of Budge-Budge trade.

TABLE

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b) (c)
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
	Rice	Paddy (a)	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
Burdwan	135,036	209,360	265,824	3,294	841	14,739	242	284,940	13,962,028	5	35	19,054
Birbhum ...	386,456	4,710	389,402	213	108	457	.....	390,180	.....	16	33	200
Bankura	6,099	2,641	7,750	174	72	.....	.....	7,996	.....	.....	5	5,443
Midnapur	451,023	9,956	457,245	524	2	551	11	458,333	10,676	19	61	36,311
Hooghly	418,877	126,756	495,099	3,412	90	24,959	97	526,657	28,298	103	23,016	3,65,991
24-Parganas	1,085,709	441,459	1,361,621	1,321	136	13,366	2,771	1,379,215	56,021	479	34,393	4,03,800
Nadia	8,428	3,277	10,486	119,145	264	556,471	3,189	689,555	1	396	159	19,987
Murshidabad	133,718	16	133,724	124,370	8	129,348	10,745	398,195	.....	35	27	.....
Jessore	16,480	17,429	27,373	2,706	.....	148,901	16	178,996	.....	308	25	.....
Khulna ...	113,839	224,060	253,676	1,004	6	29,642	.....	284,328	.....	206	10	133
Rajshahi ...	949	.....	949	9,397	.....	9,973	292	19,610	.....	4	.....	467
Dinajpur ...	2,445	17,864	15,610	818	34	1,055	.....	15,517	.....	3	.....	383
Jalpaiguri ...	103	.....	103	.....	.....	1,325	.....	1,428	.....	.....	.....	.....
Darjeeling ...	32	.....	32	798	.....	33	.....	861	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	12,073	.....	12,073	541	104	267	.....	13,086	.....	384	.....	1,332
Bogra	689	1,110	1,383	540	15	9,634	.....	11,569	.....	20	.....	2,731
Pabna	116	407	370	9,520	.....	9,380	2	19,272	221	21	2,951	7,063
Malda	350	62	390	44,931	.....	13,103	624	59,047	.....	.....	3	600
Cooch Behar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	9,726	1	9,727	121	5	1,285	163	11,301	.....	5,509	38	21,390
Mymensingh	238	.....	238	93	2	475	665	1,373	.....	341	5	998
Faridpur	11,381	6,767	15,460	26,048	.....	78,949	2,055	122,512	.....	407	47	486
Bakarganj	466,925	4,135	469,041	37	.....	4,731	.....	474,309	.....	23	23	.....
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	3,376	5,889	7,057	.....	.....	244	842	8,143	.....	39	27	66
Noakhali	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong	2,699	7,976	7,684	.....	156	1,236	6,302	15,358	.....	5,000	8	11,775
Chittagong Port ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	380	.....	.....
Total of Bengal ...	3,266,423	1,083,837	3,943,815	348,105	1,822	1,049,923	28,016	5,371,681	14,057,245	13,599	60,886	8,98,138
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.												
Bihar and Orissa ...	131,389	737	131,730	1,050,977	1,167	921,491	59,819	2,165,184	19,170,646	400	796	94,156
Assam	5,639	532	5,971	3,102	8	178	358	9,612	43,237	90	64	17,099
U P of Agra and Oudh	1,339	265	1,395	1,419,553	22,633	597,630	17,924	2,059,135	.....	869	1,702	4,86,342
Punjab	8,750	.....	8,750	29,180	17	16,207	407	54,570	.....	3,078	49	87,469
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	66	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	101	.....	101	52,735	.....	50,701	24	103,561	.....	2,386	14,122	9,69,339
Bombay	55	.....	55	1	.....	197	95	348	.....	7,524	30,052	1,37,78,690
Madras	1,966	.....	1,966	.....	.....	1,974	16	3,956	.....	11,323	31,545	24,99,121
Burma	1,160,593	.....	1,160,593	.....	.....	30,557	101,034	1,292,184	.....	12,894	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India	4	.....	4	4,859	.....	4,343	.....	9,006	.....	63	.....	1,10,530
Nizam's Territory ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,39,684
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,719	21,354
Port Blair	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918	4,576,038	1,084,361	5,284,389	2,908,312	26,647	2,675,196	207,693	11,069,237	33,271,128	52,176	140,001	1,91,72,429
GRAND TOTAL 1917	3,524,509	723,506	3,976,700	5,368,991	100,696	2,466,960	236,248	12,149,615	35,764,804	82,082	204,340	1,70,06,464
GRAND TOTAL 1916	6,064,843	1,168,927	6,795,422	2,285,590	107,704	2,222,708	289,346	11,700,770	46,139,854	70,468	154,810	1,80,08,643

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.

II

Canal, and Sea (Coastwise) in the five months of April to August, 1918

Indigo	Jute: Raw(d)	Jute: Gunny bags(e)	Lac	Oilseeds: Linseed	Oilseeds: Rape and mustard	Sugar: Silk, raw	Sugar: Refined	Sugar: Unrefined	Tea, Indian	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Tobacco: Manufactured	Whence Imported
Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
.....	1,796	33,257	.....	4,015	1	2	.....	231	.....	44	2	Burdwan
.....	.....	7,124	694	4,147	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	13	Birbhum
.....	2	10,988	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	Bankura
.....	1,933	101,947	.....	1,895	108	21	340	17,604	.....	596	8	Midnapur
.....	8,369	61,431,867	.....	2,194	13	2	2	12,088	.....	7,567	2,302	Hooghly
.....	73,386	130,439,231	.....	1,913	.....	.....	6,686	30,112	.....	4,850	3,332	24-Parganas
.....	24,649	61,238	.....	33,386	.....	57	33	7,340	.....	3,850	13	Nadia
.....	14,969	30,152	1,839	12,944	541	824	8	204	1	4,306	.....	Murshidabad
.....	13,647	9,430	.....	1,358	164	.....	20	31,662	.....	2,180	.....	Jessore
.....	23,804	4,961	.....	778	.....	.....	62	7,125	.....	436	....	Khulna
.....	79,410	3,260	.....	1,936	.....	23	.....	1,200	.....	16,662	148	Rajshahi
.....	37,939	263,999	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	1,168	.....	Dinajpur
.....	53,678	45,468	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	891	343,511	34,696	...	Jalpaiguri
.....	8,188	40,550	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	121,004	9,068	17	Darjeeling
.....	433,382	127,551	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	10,103	718	75,235	12	Rangpur
.....	66,595	7,667	.....	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	3,701	.....	Bogra
.....	128,612	26,814	.....	5,663	.....	.....	16	.....	2	150	2	Pabna
.....	20,415	22,263	.....	1,952	144	159	.....	336	4	6,124	464	Maida
.....	30,551	615	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	631	.....	15,944	.....	Cooch Behar
.....	262,407	9,881	1	12	.....	.....	.....	91	.....	8	28	Dacca
.....	228,894	31 529	.....	734	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	Mymensingh
.....	153,793	93,808	.....	884	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	237	3	Faridpur
.....	2,507	12,915	.....	147	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	Bakarganj
.....	27,989	1,312	.....	188	21	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	....	Tippera (including Hill Tippera)
.....	.....	1,066	.....	660	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	Noakhali
.....	.....	7,708	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,661	.....	.....	Chittagong
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	245	.....	.....	Chittagong Port
.....	1,696,9.2	192,846,672	2,564	72,762	991	1,088	9,167	140,804	467,167	182,731	6,355	Total of Bengal
												OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.
2,390	195,192	101,913	127,067	1,082,213	39,998	.....	1,502	28,009	1,178	105,930	20,763	Bihar and Orissa
.....	78,431	39,442	8,341	449	4,166	.....	...	.....	727,603	40	47	Assam
1,240	.....	75,768	43,079	165,498	130,534	.....	2,672	15,299	1 412	940	365	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	.....	861	.....	.....	872,914	.....	171	.....	218	.....	.....	Punjab
.....	.....	41	1,462	.....	28,947	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	44	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	...	3,649	6,230	10,230	44,019	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	568	Central Provinces and Berar
71	...	2,419	.....	.....	160,376	.....	1,398	1	171	11,250	15	Bombay
706	...	5,858	.....	14,025	19,336	.....	67,027	39.554	1,567	20,108	151	Madras
.....	.....	4,260	14,877	.....	.....	.....	3,961	.....	63	23,384	930	Burma
.....	.....	18,942	5,666	2,467	43,018	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	4	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
... ...	... ...	3,034	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	189	Mysore
.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	241	.....	.....	Port Blair
4,407	1,964,585 (f)	193,193,741	209,386	1,347,624	1,344,187	1,088	85,898	228,166	1,199,629	344,383	29,421	1918
1,543	1,010,860	186,106,859	263,705	715,713	1,544,727	1,626	122,214	171,971	1,019,071	394,070	26 609	1917 GRAND TOTAL
1,916	945,202	165,437,585	245,875	2,324,866	2,174,387	2,026	65,376	210,544	983,689	493,388	35,335	1916

(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta Block which are 1,319,759 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpore Docks, namely, 53,174 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 3 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
(f) Of this, 1,039,272 bales came by rail, 888,663 bales by river, 7,330 bales by road and 9,351 bales by sea.

TABLE III

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. II were Imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the five months of April to August, 1918

	Routes	Food grains: Rice	Paddy (a)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton, twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece goods, Indian (b)(c)	Indigo
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	590,423	237,587	1,766,510	24,116	1,342,034	53,047	22,789,097	3,730	3,227	8,24,917	1,091
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	462,488	140,085	337,067	416	530,673	8,332	3,054,442	771	15,956	35,67,340	.....
	A.-B Railway...	59	.....	.....	.....	.....	47	.....	1	36	5,242	.....
	B.-N. Railway	145,338	5,991	54,670	127	68,940	53	7,312,343	13,770	74,834	13,835,405	566
	B. and N.-W. Railway	684	394	652,718	478	99,609	11,878	.....	140	6	6,074	2,539
	D.-S. Railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	799	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	5,570	160	.....	4	305	3	.....	.....	.....	21,453	.....
	Kalighat-Falta Railway	53,542	21 160	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Bengal	184,442	15,904	23,893	298	53,693	12,256	222	11,024	262	63,941	.....
,, river steamer	Bihar and Orissa	9	.....	1,286	.....	66,105	15,131	.....	187	.....	11,459	.....
	Assam	3,667	396	478	6	168	73	43,237	55	28	10,458	.....
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh	———	.....	46	.....	12,390	172	.....	10	.....	6,996	.....
,, boat		1,624,823	639,902	71,673	88	455,784	3,870	10,078	1,193	35,797	2,43,800	.....
,, road		341,094	24,530	.....	112	5,748	1,797	61,709	397	9,855	5,04,538	.....
,, sea		1,163,888	.....	1	.....	31,847	101,034	.....	20,858	.....	.....	211
Total ...	1918 ...	4,576,038	1,065,361	2,908,312	25,647	2,673,196	207,893	33,271,128	52,136	140,001	1,91,73,422	4,407
	1917 ...	3,524,509	723,506	5,368,091	100,696	2,466,980	226,248	35,764,804	82,032	204,340	1,70,06,484	1,543
	1916 ...	6,064,843	1,169,927	2,385,590	107,704	2,322,706	289,346	46,139,854	70,468	154,810	1,80,06,443	1,916

	Routes	Jute: Raw(d)	Gunny bags(e)	Lac	Oilseeds: Linseed	Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	Sugar: Refined	Unrefined	Tea, Indian	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Manufactured
		Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	23,530	188,723	89,367	448,033	1,358,018	89	997	23,944	1,904	1,039	6,557
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	1,023,555	1,574,072	10,336	41,139	6,462	360	881	55,229	473,618	193,807	51
	A.-B Railway...	33	14,934	106	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	141,088	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway	8,314	127,100	91,694	27,460	74,115	.....	40,873	39,555	2,513	17,140	818
	B. and N.-W. Railway	3,777	4,990	11	780,790	8,097	.....	552	7,280	2	23,113	11
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	1,394	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	126,051	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	45	25,830	.....	1	.....	.....	2	23	.....	43	13
	Kalighat-Falta Railway	18	574	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Bengal ...	704,177	147,180	942	6,919	23	639	59	1,290	2,626	39,177	666
,, river steamer	Bihar and Orissa	9,015	11,644	.....	7,277	494	.....	415	18	139	30,016	14,533
	Assam	50,144	18,573	2,053	449	2,064	.....	.....	.....	451,377	40	29
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh	.....	47,724	.....	11,313	465	.....	2,861	1,578	.....	896	115
,, boat		125,346	188,102,489	.....	23,582	38	.....	60	71,288	.....	9,372	1
,, road		7,230	2,909,764	.....	671	.....	.....	7,825	22,961	.....	6,337	5,618
,, sea		9,251	17,820	14,873	... ...	422	.....	31,773	.....	311	23,415	1,009
Total ...	1918 ...	1,964,535	193,192,741	209,286	1,347,694	1,344,187	1,088	85,896	223,166	1,199,629	344,383	29,421
	1917 ...	1,010,360	186,108,859	263,705	715,712	1,644,727	1,636	122,314	171,971	1,019,071	394,670	26,609
	1916 ...	945,202	165,437,585	245,875	2,324,865	2,174,887	2,026	65,376	210,644	983,639	493,388	35,325

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta block which are 1,319,759 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpore Docks, namely, 53,174 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.

TABLE IV

Imports of certain Articles into the Port of Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the five months of April to August, 1918

	Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece goods		Kerosene oil	Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		
	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds
From Foreign countries*	43,806	.....	10,12,53,498	.....	295,287	4,150,532
Coastwise—						
From British Ports in—						
Bihar and Orissa	.....	....	.....	500	.....	.....
Bombay	2,175	14,144	7,52,923	38,45,304	.....	16,335
Madras	.....	.....	...	525	.....	10,000
Burma	1,351	94	4,18,861	8,960	2,126,731	.....
Total	3,526	14,238	11,71,784	38,45,289	2,126,731	26,335
Grand Total 1918	47,332	14,238	10,24,25,282	38,45,289	2,422,018	4,156,867
Grand Total 1917	32,640	1,073	10,31,59,379	73,789	2,230,756	2,844,718
Grand Total 1916	45,768	12,564	9,66,54,838	51,434	2,471,883	4,564,192

Publication of detailed figures has been temporarily discontinued.

TABLE V

Exports of Principal Articles from the port of Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign Countries) in the five months of April to August, 1918

	FOOD-GRAINS											
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian	Cotton piece goods, Indian
Countries—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Md	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Yds
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	49	....	49	.....	43	44	.....	135	.....	.....	183	3,100
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,366	.....	1,366	.....	.....	3,703	.....
Bombay ...	412,871	.....	412,871	.....	.....	.....	636	413,507	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras ...	177,486	2,381	179 974	1	.....	51,138	792	230,895	110,903	.....	4,030	8,722
Burma	4,238	.....	4,238	41,189	138,289	154,520	12,950	351,186	553,068	84	26,149	7,56,881
Total ...	594,644	2,381	596,132	41,190	138,331	206,068	14,378	996,989	663,971	84	34,065	7,68,703
To foreign countries.†	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	909,902	11,111	5,999	43,975
GRAND TOTAL { 1918 ...	594,644‡	2,381‡	596,132‡	41,190‡	138,331‡	206,068‡	14,378‡	996,989‡	1,573,873	11,195	40,064	8,12,678
1917 ...	5,964‡	..... ‡	5,964‡	23,189‡	117,171‡	187,945‡	15,317‡	348,486‡	9,062,469	25,072	52,075	17,45,113
1916 ...	29,387‡	.....‡	29,387‡	56,573‡	93,802‡	189,955‡	14,392‡	384,109‡	15,655,683	42,268	39,775	4,86,194

		JUTE			OILSEEDS			SUGAR			TOBACCO	
	Indigo	Raw	Gunny bags*	Lac	Linseed	Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	Refined	Unrefined	Tea, Indian	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Countries—	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	.....	.....	462	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	8	4	38	2
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	96,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	852	.....	.....	897	345
Bombay ...	35	.....	492,450	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	558	.....	.....
Madras ...	105	6	1,113,337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	829	.....	32
Burma ...	.....	96	15,649,010	35	.....	822	.....	4,486	36	5,697	60,873	1,311
Total ...	140	102	17,351,959	35	.....	822	.....	6,138	44	7,088	61,808	1,690
To foreign countries	19,629	918,908	.....	196,099	702,390	165,973	1,480	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL { 1918 ...	19,769	919,010	17,351,959‡	196	702,390	164,795	1,480	6,138‡	44‡	7,088‡	61,808‡	1,690‡
1917 ...	13,374	372,327	9,269,483‡	168,440	374,907	107,043	1,479	1,955‡	990‡	7,356‡	99,644‡	2,502‡
1916 ...	5,700	521,630	10,583,413‡	284,642	1,728,135	3,051	2,585	6,506‡	7,795‡	7,211‡	77,366‡	4,921‡

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
† Publication of figures under food-grains, gunny bags, sugar, tea and tobacco, as also of detailed figures under other heads, has been temporarily discontinued.
‡ Represents trade by sea (coastwise only).

TABLE VI

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in the five months of April to August, 1918

Whither exported	Cotton twist & yarn		Cotton piece goods*		Gunny bags†	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge‡	
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	224	4,139	18,84,139	1,26,120	446,144	19,522	73,022	118,397
Birbhum	41	3,795	4,97,257	23,652	110,618	66	17,031	71,719
Bankura	141	5,417	2,12,513	3,665	28,051	49	400	40,497
Midnapur	7,606	5,653	18,96,530	1,13,739	111,199	2,318	34,687	134,197
Hooghly	2,270	273	9,27,781	1,31,590	507,455	19,253	42,563	107,942
24-Parganas	5,998	1,512	5,37,065	2,25,073	383,641	50,919	65,115	118,882
Nadia	1,599	12,576	25,24,066	1,40,112	300,761	1,707	25,768	117,123
Murshidabad	1,297	4,147	16,99,964	21,353	391,799	4,041	39,402	125,167
Jessore	3,634	3,852	7,69,223	80,882	69,290	803	37,808	72,644
Khulna	4,500	515	4,78,106	57,764	47,253	7,120	26,840	36,373
Rajshahi	155	450	10,45,107	1,87,949	50,553	3,900	6,789	39,671
Dinajpur	6	750	6,02,342	1,14,262	108,837	12	19,635	73,210
Jalpaiguri	30	1,170	14,18,791	1,88,082	52,890	749	21,190	74,109
Darjeeling	.....	1,093	10,14,299	1,06,899	16,892	318	19,323	43,630
Rangpur	260	1,030	24,28,365	2,42,051	50,184	130	37,515	152,983
Bogra	.....	677	11,29,898	5,53,484	134,357	691	27,365	114,828
Pabna	4,971	2 351	17,67,687	2,81,390	48,826	1.2	113,241	130,891
Malda	308	2,932	8,47,328	1,23,391	89,052	2	.....	33,1[illegible]
Cooch Behar	.....	290	5,99,679	66,892	12,136	49	4,121	39,423
Dacca	14,107	1,770	40,54,433	2,17,568	43,706	1,309	207,969	227,161
Mymensingh	4,475	1,954	18,32,572	9,75,467	38,782	110	40,239	159,381
Faridpur	7,380	1,049	9,09,461	1,35,384	97,498	1,558	24,972	107,813
Bakarganj	9,442	228	4,93,127	2,67,499	190,782	1,250	9,007	119,401
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	4,078	3,748	14 39,869	29,551	23,304	66	.....	43,318
Noakhali	1,340	4,917	6,38,985	30,719	15,327	1	.....	318
Chittagong	3,493	76	1,34,869	34,977	108,944	1,244	.....	393
Chittagong Port	312	2,476	6,14,587	1,08,787	5,886	.....	.....	33
Total of Bengal	77,027	68,754	3,35,75,847	45,84,655	3 369,363	116,369	855,939	2,394,070
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES								
Bihar and Orissa	8,432	54,540	2,47,13,041	21,07,838	5,533,902	3,276	554,962	789,004
Assam	5,621	3,129	65,58,913	6,68,582	263,679	4,674	10,424	295,593
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	680	3,406	2,32,72,085	9,31,228	7,103,373	1,571	504,199	8,883
Punjab	5,190	2,136	88,74,135	68,245	10,630,111	50	57,760	20
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	24,428	1,732	1,142,460	.....	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	316	3,510	4,81,470	57,075	2,317,197	795	17,461	9,714
Bombay	547	2,935	22,13,809	4,08,788	19,669,470	127	2,761	.....
Madras	8,586	16,335	15,30,785	66,857	2,572,896	66	.....	1,782
Burma	17,676	26,149	71,27,552	7,56,881	18,549,010	.....	.....	843
Rajputana and Central India	11	2	123,675	.....	820,451	1,322	15,796	238
Kashmir State	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,094	.....	.....	.....
Nizam's Territory	.....	.....	37,310	3,878	48,216	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	86,020	.....	.....	802
Port Blair	.....	183	9,000	3,100	462	.....	26	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918	123,836	181,041	10,73,38,736	96,77,878	80,157,809	138,140	3,080,368	5,366,902
GRAND TOTAL 1917	79,274	177,018	9,46,90,098	91,41,110	41 529,307	170,807	2,255,038	2,926,007
GRAND TOTAL 1916	83,534	166,278	8,42,44,506	81,05,071	40,298,854	213,975	2,317,651	4,299,440

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
‡ The exports of kerosene oil from Budge-Budge to Calcutta during the five months, April to August 1918, were 467,544 mds. as against 368,960 mds. and 491,220 mds. in the corresponding periods of 1917 and 1916, respectively.

TABLE VII

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. VI were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the five months of April to August, 1918

Route		Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece-goods *		Kerosene Oil			Salt
		Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian	Gunny bags †	From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge	
		Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Rail	E. I. Railway ...	4,452	30,754	2,60,43,429	5,44,660	7,803,817	21,369	619,033	513,048
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway).	1,201	35,379	1,52,52,330	24,32,411	1,344,390	5,379	353,436	963,934
	A.-B. Railway ...	1,244	12,220	42,05,351	2,20,481	52,152	1,855	193	43,940
	B.-N. Railway ...	934	26,086	32,52,911	4,14,525	2,396,389	3,072	3,049	396,445
	B. and N.-W. Railway	123	6,183	1,02,57,324	10,97,367	1,741,557	183	270,006	85,359
	O. and R. Railway ...	206	227	17,96,004	90,377	1,424,012	458	227,598	51
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sealdah Light Railways	865	.....	4,69,863	.....	14,801	1,051	.....	10,709
	N.-W. Railway ..	1,350	2,118	4,03,736	62,315	8,516,151	21	35,698	.....
	G. I. P. Railway ...	426	2,895	22,49,773	4,20,784	9,135,292	632	19,916	.....
	B. B. & C. I. Railway	11	26	63,978	8,261	2,332,285	613	12,161	.....
	M. & S. M. Railway ...	3,662	10,511	7,76,742	42,840	1,804,943	14	.....	2,205
	S. I. Railway ...	.....	70	2,532	1,199	108,609	.....	.....	.....
	J. B. Railway ...	.....	.....	10,646	.....	63,550	.....	.....	.....
	N. G. S. Railway ...	.....	.....	37,210	2,532	45,756	.....	.....	.....
	Other Railways ...	28	39	2,78,047	73,274	204,467	1,380	12,668	6,512
River steamer.	Bengal	86,932	8,903	1,24,70,141	16,91,547	855,884	10,621	403,468	607,234
	Bihar and Orissa ...	3,428	6,712	1,02,62,011	6,63,609	3,021,536	239	.....	8,314
	Assam	5,426	2,095	46,65,455	5,46,456	199,260	3,378	8,230	204,741
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	175	383	60,79,251	1,58,582	1,124,671	.....	.....	1,188
Road	... ...	15,282	97	4,12,900	12,200	567,250	21,961	73,620	465,143
Coast	... ...	1,785	393	6,04,555	3,10,855	249,118	55,814	3,442	64,863
Sea	... ...	26,301	34,065	77,44,446	7,68,703	17,251,959	.....	7,861	3,213
Total	1918 ...	123,826	181,001	10,73,38,735	96,77,878	60,157,809	128,140	2,050,368	3,366,902
	1917 ...	79,274	177,018	9,46,90,091	91,41,116	41,539,307	170,807	2,255,038	2,826,067
	1916 ...	83,334	166,278	8,43,44,506	81,08,971	40,228,884	212,975	2,817,651	4,299,440

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA, N. G. BASAK,

November 11, 1918. *Offg. Director of Statistics.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of August 1918, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1918-19.						1917-18					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No	No.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
					I.—Major Works:							
Midnapore Canal ...	10,516	43,063	350	3,900	5,984	25.926	4,898	26,827	.....	5,283	2,655	16 043
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	7,126	31,243	.....	1.202	8,645	29,303	10 763	48,449	2	994	7,226	33.341
Total ...	17 642	74.306	350	5,102	14,629	55,229	15,661	75,276	2	6,277	9,881	49.384
					II.—Minor Works and Navigation							
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	37,845	206.315	1,355	12,473	24,338	125.337	28.304	145,168	810	12.031	17,601	90,397
Tolly's Nala ...	19,034	82,114	9,870	39,816	7,256	27,917	13,432	67,806	6,310	26,005	4,392	19,154
Madaripur Bheel ...	172,753	679,992	100	699	36,786	149,221	108,171	482,142	.....	283	29,652	111 158
Total ...	229,632	968,421	11 325	52,988	68.380	302,475	149,907	695,116	7,120	38.319	51.645	220,709
Magrahat Channels ...	6,146	18,853	.....	.....	2,637	10,053	4,191	26,010	.....	.....	2,503	8,892
Orissa Coast Canal ...	3,813	17,474	25	5,705	1,279	6,238	3,622	16,742	50	3,632	1,230	5,584
Nadia Rivers ...	12,277	35,014	128,598	287,935	2,241	8,008	9,750	23.930	54 800	91.505	1.822	5,212
Grand Total ...	251,868	1.039,762	139.948	346,628	74,537	326,774	167.470	761,698	61,970	133,456	57,200	240,397

CALCUTTA,
The 11th November 1918.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1918-19.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of September 1918.

Circle.	District	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.							RAINFALL, 1918-19.		RAINFALL, 1917-18.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	SEASON LEASES.					Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.						
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	779·20	617·77	68,710	75,231	63,843	5,475	...	...	...	5,475	69,323	9·96	54·88	6·87	43·42	
		Ranchikura	523	39·50	39·33	6,969	3,937	7,068	50	...	...	...	50	7,118	5·70	48·19	11·17	73·88	
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6·10	53·41	9·86	54·26	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	75,699	77,268	70,916	5,525	...	...	...	5,525	76,441	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	73,295	9,862	...	...	...	9,862	83,157	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	279	279	18,941	24,683	19,063	23	...	12	...	35	19,098	6·77	58·60	7·04	42·03	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	1,000	334	334	...	...	24,787	...	56	5	...	61	24,848	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	94,640	103,951	89,979	5,548	...	12	...	5,560	95,539	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	98,082	9,862	56	5	...	9,923	108,005	...	...	...	...	

CALCUTTA,
The 11th November 1918.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 2nd November 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 2nd November 1918.			Week ending Saturday, the 3rd November 1917.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	1,005	137,455	2,439	248	18,063	265
Jute	289	104,474*	1,240	212	67,938†	918
Firewood	145	60,250	933	69	45 860	709
Other articles	1,029	150,898	1,972	647	114,849	1,355
Total ...	2,468	453,077	6,584	1,176	246,710	3,247
Empty boats and rafts ...	577	...	1,451	473	...	907
Grand Total ...	3,045	453,077	8,035	1,649	246 710	4,154

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 1,17,475
† Ditto ditto 78,275

CALCUTTA,
The 7th November 1918.

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Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 2nd November 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water.		At lowest water.		At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1918.							
27th Oct.	58·0	...	...	...	...	57·9	
28th ,,	57·6	...		...	...	56·6	
29th ,,	57·0	...	...	...	...	56·1	
30th ,,	56 5	...	...	...	...	55·4	
31st ,,	56·9	...	...	...	...	55·8	
1st Nov.	57·3	...	...	...	...	56·3	
2nd ,,	57·7	...	...	...	...	56·9	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69 86	
1st ,,	1911	68 46	
18th ,,	1912	67·16	
31st ,,	1915	69·7	
18th ,,	1916	68·1	
12th ,,	1917	67·1	
23rd February	1907	51 06	Taken at low tide.
18th ,,	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th ,,	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·3	
15th ,,	1916	50·6	
3rd March	1917	51·0	

DACCA,
The 5th November 1918.

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Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 2nd November 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1918.					
27th Oct.	7 A.M.	12·4	12·4	15·8	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
28th ,,	7 ,,	12·1	12·1	15·5	The bench-mark for the gauge is on
29th ,,	7 ,,	11·8	11·8	15 4	a pucca pillar between the passenger
30th ,,	7 ,,	11·4	11·4	15·8	ghat and Chandpore ghat.
31st ,,	7 ,,	14·6	14·6	16·2	Its reduced level is 22·41.
1st Nov.	7 ,,	14·4	14·4	16 2	Goalundo Ghat shifted to Sabek-goa-
2nd ,,	7 ,,	14·2	14·2	15 7	lundo ghat on 31-10-18.

The previous year ...	Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 9th August 1917.
Ditto ...	Lowest ,,	...	4·8 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 18th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 2nd November 1918.

M. L. MOITRA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 2nd November 1918.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: minus sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B. M.	Remarks.
1918.						
27th Oct.	8 A.M	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	48·62	42·30	54·30	B. M. on College step 63·42.
28th ,,	8 ,,		48·52	42·20	54·10	
29th ,,	8 ,,		48 32	42·00	53 80	
30th ,,	8 ,,		48 22	41·90	53 80	
31st ,,	8 ,,		48·17	41·85	54·20	
1st Nov.	8 ,,		48·02	41·70	53·85	
2nd ,,	8 ,,		47·92	41·60	53·75	

		Value according to old gauge.	Value according to new value of B. M.= 63·42.
The previous year ...	Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60·18
Ditto ...	Lowest ,,	... 40·15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 38·83
Record	Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62·93
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62 76
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 68·30 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 61·89
Do.	Lowest ,,	... 37·63 on 25th April 1884	... 31 31
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883	... 31·81
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32·70
Do.	Ditto ,,	... 39·26 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32 96

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 2nd November 1918.

S. C. MUKHERJI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

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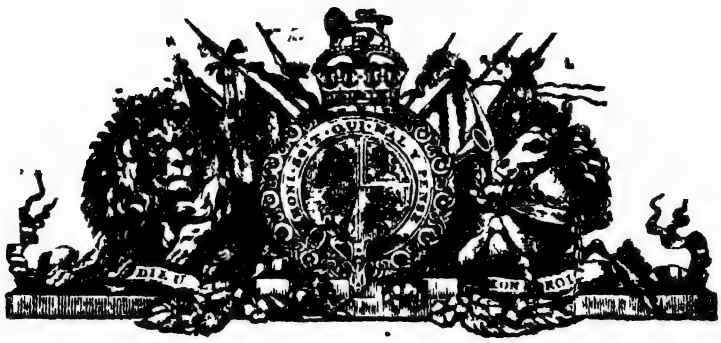

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1918.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 10308Mis.—The 18th November 1918.—The Governor in Council hereby declares that Friday and Saturday, the 29th and 30th November 1918, shall be public holidays under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, to celebrate the victory of the Allied and American arms and the surrender of Germany.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6240A.—The 16th November 1918.—A temporary vacancy having occurred in the office of an ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal consequent on the deputation, on special duty, of the Hon'ble Sir Satyendra Prasanna Sinha, Kt., K.C., and no person conditionally appointed to succeed thereto being present on the spot, the Governor in Council has been pleased, under the provisions of section 92 (*3*) of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. V. Ch. 61), to appoint the Hon'ble Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan, to be a temporary Member of Council.

2. In pursuance of the above appointment, the Hon'ble Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab has this day in the afternoon taken upon himself the execution of his office under the usual salute.

By order of the Governor in Council,

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 10169P.—The 19th November 1918.—Their Excellencies the Viceroy and Lady Chelmsford will arrive at Howrah (Platform No. 6) at 8-24 A.M. (Calcutta time) on Tuesday, the 10th December 1918. The arrival will be private.

2. Their Excellencies will be received on arrival by His Excellency the Governor of Bengal attended by his Personal Staff and the officials detailed below :—

The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.
The General Officer Commanding the Presidency Brigade.
The Magistrate of Howrah.
The Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation.
The Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.
The Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.
The Agent, East Indian Railway.

A salute of 31 guns will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William as His Excellency the Viceroy alights from his saloon.

3. After the necessary introductions have been made the party will proceed to "Belvedere" by motor.

4 *Dress.*—Undress uniform will be worn by Civil Officers and Field Service khaki by Military Officers. Gentlemen not entitled to wear uniform will appear in Morning Dress.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6323A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6062A.—The 12th November 1918.*—The services of the Hon'ble Mr. E. B. H. Panton, I.C.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

No. 6065A.—The 12th November 1918.—Mr. H. P. Duval, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly, is appointed temporarily to act as Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, and as Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Judicial Department.

24-Parganas. Hooghly. Calcutta.

No. 6067A.—The 12th November 1918.—Mr. A. J. Chotzner, I.C.S., Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly.

24-Parganas. Hooghly.

No. 6106A.—The 14th November 1918.—Mr. Kedar Nath Chaudhuri, Officiating Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore.

Dacca. Midnapore.

No. 6108A.—The 15th November 1918.—Mr. Jnanendra Nath Gupta, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 6111A.—The 15th November 1918.—Mr. C. Bartley, I.C.S., Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Dacca.

No. 6210A.—The 16th November 1918.—Babu Ashutosh Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, acted as Magistrate and Collector of that district from the afternoon of the 7th November 1918 to the forenoon of the 14th November 1918.

Hooghly.

No. 6290A.—The 19th November 1918.—His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to appoint Captain E. A Haskett-Smith, I.A., to be an Extra Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff with effect from the 9th November 1918.

POLICE.—*No. 6232A.—The 16th November 1918.*—Babu Kshetra Nath Basu, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police, in charge of the police work of the Sadar "B" division of the 24-Parganas district, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Bakarganj district.

24-Parganas. Bakarganj.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 6115A.—The 15th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*2*) of Regulation I of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Sidney George Hart, I.C.S., to be a Member of the said Council.

Council.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to Regulation X (1) of the said Regulations, the Governor is pleased to limit the term of office of the said Member to five months.

No. 6223A.—The 16th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Herbert Philip Duval, I.C.S., to be an Additional Member of the said Council.

Council.

No. 6273A.—The 19th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Malcolm Caird McAlpin, I.C.S., Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department, to be an Additional Member of the said Council.

Council.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 6091A.—The 14th November 1918.*—Maulvi Atai Ilahi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 30th November 1918, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 7th September 1918.

No. 6093A.—The 14th November 1918.—Babu Shashi Bhushan Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 5th December 1918 to the 23rd December 1918.

24-Parganas.

No. 6095A.—The 14th November 1918.—Babu Jatindra Nath Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tangail, Mymensingh, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 3rd December 1918 to the 23rd December 1918.

Mymensingh.

POLICE.—*No. 6207A.—The 16th November 1918.*—Mr. C. J. Leonard, Superintendent of Police, Dinajpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 24th November 1918.

Dinajpur.

No. 6233A.—The 16th November 1918.—Mr. W. Murray, Deputy Superintendent of Police, and Principal, Constables' Training School, Dacca, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Dacca.

RESIGNATION.

GENERAL.—*No. 6212A.—The 16th November 1918.*—His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Lieutenant-Colonel G. F. Stoddart of his appointment as an Honorary Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff with effect from the 16th October 1918.

Calcutta.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 6220A.—The 16th November 1918.*—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Edward Brooks Henderson Panton, I.C.S., of his office of Additional Member of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

Council.

No. 6245A.—The 18th November 1918.—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Thomas Clarke Pilling Gibbons, K.C., of his office of Additional Member of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

Council.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6247A.—The 18th November 1918.—With the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council and the Secretary of State in Council, and in continuation of the notification of this Government No. 280A., dated the 14th January 1916, the Governor in Council is pleased to notify that one of the posts of Settlement Officer, included in the grades of Magistrates and Collectors, has been added to the list of appointments which are open to the members of the Bengal Provincial Civil Service.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8416L.R.—The 14th November 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned settlement kanungos are appointed to discharge, in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Hooghly and the 24-Parganas, the functions of a revenue officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights :—

Nadia. Murshidabad. Burdwan. Hooghly. 24-Parganas.

Babu Umesh Chandra Banarji.	Babu Makhan Lal Banarji.
„ Kunja Mohan De.	„ Monoranjan Das Gupta.

No. 8418L.R.—The 14th November 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned settlement kanungoes are authorized to discharge, in the district of Bankura, as well as in the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura. Burdwan.

Maulvi Shaikh Abdulla.	Maulvi Nusratuddin Abdul Kahir.
Babu Barada Charan Chakrabatti.	Babu Mahim Chandra Datta.

No. 8538L.R.—The 18th November 1918.—Babu Mati Chand Pradhan, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is authorised under section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers for the purposes of a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights under Chapter X of that Act in the district of Malda.

Malda.

He is also vested, under Part I of Chapter VI of the Government Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer.

No. 8547L.R.—The 18th November 1918.—Babu Ram Pada Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as Manager, Jallamutha and Majnamutha Government Estates, Contai, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for forty days with effect from the 14th November 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 8522L.A.—The 18th November 1918.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Chaudhuri, Subdivisional Officer of Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Mymensingh.

No. 8524L.A.—The 18th November 1918.—Babu Hem Kumar Mallik, Deputy Collector, Burdwan, Sadar, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Burdwan.

No. 8553L.A.—The 18th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48(*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a portion of plot No. 6, measuring, more or less, 1·3583 acres, and bounded as below, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 130L.A., dated the 6th January 1914, published at pages 21 and 22 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th idem, as modified by Notifications Nos. 1156L.A., 5726L.A. and 1921L.A., dated the 1st February 1916, 22nd July 1916 and 28th February 1917, respectively, and required by the Eastern Bengal Railway for the extension of the Cossipore Goods Yard in the village of Cossipore, Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

PLOT A.

North and East—By the Electric Supply Corporation siding.
South—By the land acquired under Declaration No. 130L.A., dated the 6th January 1914,
West—By the Jheel road and Electric Supply Corporation siding.

PLOT B.

North—By the land acquired under Declaration No. 130L.A., dated the 6th January 1914,
East—By the land acquired under Declaration No. 130L.A., dated the 6th January 1914, and Electric Supply Corporation siding,
South and West—By portion of plot No. 6 under Declaration No. 130L.A., dated the 6th January 1914, and subsequently withdrawn by Notification No. 5726L.A., dated the 22nd July 1916.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8413L.A.—The 14th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the church in the village of Barisal, pargana Gredabandar, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·5 acres, bounded on the—

Bakarganj.

North—By the Municipal road,
East and South—By the Municipal roads with their slopes,
West—By the tank of Deby Charan Rai Choudhury and others and slope to the Municipal road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Barisal.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bakarganj.

M. C. MCALPIN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 8560L.A.—The 19th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a khal from the Bookbhara Bhil to the north-west of Jessore into the Kobaduck river at Jhikargacha in connection with the Arool Bhil project, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land about 4½ miles long and of width varying from 150 feet to 725 feet, measuring, more or less, 106·33 acres, and passing through the villages of Krishnanagar, Kittipur, Jhandia, Srirampur, Narangali and Halsa, pargana Syedpur, in the district of Jessore, is required within the aforesaid villages.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore as well as in that of the Superintending Engineer on Special Duty for the scheme at Calcutta.

M. C. MCALPIN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 8573L.A.—The 19th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the further extension of the Gun and Shell Factory at Cossipore, in the village of Cossipore, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·0290 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the land already declared for the extension of the Gun and Shell Factory under Declaration No. 6774L.A., dated the 20th August 1918, and the Eastern Bengal Railway siding to the Electric Supply Corporation premises,

East—By Cossipore Road,

South and West—By the Eastern Bengal Railway siding to the Electric Supply Corporation premises,

is required within the aforesaid village of Cossipore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Collector, 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

M. C. MCALPIN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 8424 Regn.—The 14th November 1918.—The following promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the grades of Sub-Registrars :—

Promoted to grade I.

Babu Bijoy Lal Ghosh, promoted to grade I, with effect from the 3rd August 1918, *vice* Maulvi Diwan Abdul Halim, deceased.

Promoted to grade II.

Babu Phakir Chand Roy, promoted to grade II, with effect from the 3rd August 1918, *vice* Babu Bijoy Lal Ghosh, promoted to grade I.

Babu Jyotish Chandra Sil, promoted to grade II, with effect from the 16th September 1918, *vice* Maulvi Abdur Rahim (No. II), retired.

Promoted to grade III.

Babu Suresh Chandra Roy, promoted to grade III, with effect from the 3rd August 1918, *vice* Babu Phakir Chand Roy, promoted to grade II.

Babu Kshitish Chandra Gupta, promoted to grade III, with effect from the 16th September 1918, *vice* Babu Jyotish Chandra Sil, promoted to grade II.

Confirmed in grade IV.

Babu Jogendra Chandra Nath, confirmed in grade IV, with effect from the 3rd August 1918, *vice* Babu Suresh Chandra Roy, promoted to grade III.

Promoted to grade IV.

Babu Upendra Lal Deb, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV, with effect from the 1st July 1918, consequent on the retention of the Joint Sub-Registry Office at Jamalpur, in Mymensingh, and confirmed with effect from the 16th September 1918, *vice* Babu Kshitish Chandra Gupta, promoted to grade III.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to grade IV.*

Babu Jitendra Lal Bose, with effect from the 15th July 1918, consequent on the opening of the Sub-Registry Office at Kola, in Midnapore.

Babu Bhupendra Lal Roy, with effect from the 3rd August 1918, *vice* Babu Jogendra Chandra Nath, confirmed in grade IV.

Maulvi Muhammad Habiluddin, with effect from the 16th September 1918, *vice* Babu Upendra Lal Deb, confirmed in grade IV.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Under section 20 of Calcutta Survey Act, I of 1887.

To

All Owners, Managers, and Agents of lands in the "Town of Howrah" lying within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, from Wards Nos. 1 to 5, Circles Nos. 1 to 11.

WHEREAS a survey has been made, and boundaries demarcated, of all municipal holdings situated in the above area within the Howrah Municipality. You are hereby informed that the maps and records are open to inspection. You are, therefore, requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within sixty days of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps and records can be inspected at any time at the Municipal Office, Howrah, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., on any day excepting holidays and Sundays.

O. E. C. JUDD,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1405Edn.—The 16th November 1918.—Mr. Satish Chandra Basu, Professor, Dacca College, in Class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as Professor of Economics in that College, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. T. T. Williams, or until further orders, with effect from the date when he took over charge of his duties

No. 1408Edn.—The 16th November 1918.—Maulvi Matloob Ahmad Khan Chaudhuri, Additional Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, in Class VI of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to be an Additional Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, *vice* Babu Nalini Mohan Sanyal, retired.

Maulvi Kabir-ud-din Ahmad, Officiating Additional Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, in Class VI of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act as Second Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, *vice* Rai Pramada Kumar Basu Bahadur, on deputation.

No. 1410Edn.—The 16th November 1918.—The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. T. S. Sterling, Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, to be an Additional Member of the Governing Body of the David Hare Training College at Calcutta, until the end of the current academic year 1918-19.

No. 1055San.—The 19th November 1918.—Rai Saheb Krishna Dhone Banerji, Officiating Assistant Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, is allowed privilege leave for two months and two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd October 1918

This cancels Notification No. 342T.-San., dated the 17th October 1918.

No. 1059San.—The 19th November 1918.—Mr. F. C. Griffin, Assistant Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, is appointed to act as Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, with effect from the 2nd December 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. B. Williams, or until further orders.

No. 1063San.—The 19th November 1918.—Mr. G. B. Williams, Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, is allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-two days, with effect from the 2nd December 1918.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 10374F., dated the 19th November 1918.

Copy of a letter No. 10375F., dated the 19th November 1918, to the Accountant-General, Bengal.

IN continuation of Government order No. 9389F., dated the 24th October 1918, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the grant of grain compensation allowance of Re. 1 a month to all whole-time servants under this Government on the Civil establishment, drawing Rs. 12 or less per month, who were employed in those districts of the 24-Parganas, Calcutta, Nadia, Hooghly, Mymensingh, Khulna, Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura, Howrah, Rajshahi, Darjeeling, Rangpur, Pabna, Dacca, Faridpur, Tippera, Noakhali and Bakarganj, in which cheapest common rice was dearer than 10 seers per rupee during the month of September 1918.

No. 3114S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1916-17, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 3rd December 1918, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 474 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the Notification, dated the 18th December 1917, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes*.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 18th December 1918, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M., of Monday, the 9th December 1918, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M., of Wednesday, the 18th December 1918.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 15th November 1918.*

No. 10506Mis.—The 19th November 1918.—Under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, the Governor in Council hereby declares the following days to be public holidays during the year 1919:—

February 5th	Sri Panchami.
April 19th	Easter Saturday.
„ 21st	Easter Monday.
June 30th	Id-ul-fitr.
August 18th	Janmastami.
September 6th	Id-uz-zuha.
„ 23rd	Mahalaya.
October 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 9th and 10th	Durga and Lakshmi Pujas.
„ 23rd and 24th	Kali Puja.
December 24th	Christmas Eve.
„ 26th and 27th	The first and second days following Christmas.
„ 31st	The last day of the year.

(*a*) Sundays, New Year's Day, Good Friday (18th April) and Christmas Day are public holidays under the Act.

(*b*) Doljatra (16th March), Chaitra Sankranti (13th April), Dasahara (8th June), Muharram (5th October) and Jagadhatri Puja (2nd November) fall on Sundays in the year 1919. They are public holidays under the Act and are therefore not included in the list of public holidays separately declared for 1919.

(*c*) The day which may be fixed for the celebration in India of the birthday of His Majesty the King-Emperor of India shall also be a public holiday and will be notified separately in due course.

No. 10507Mis.—The 19th November 1918.—With reference to the above notification, the Governor in Council hereby notifies that on the following days during 1919, which are not declared to be "public holidays," the offices under the Government of Bengal and all Revenue and Magisterial Courts in Bengal, with the exception of the offices of the Collector of Customs, the Shipping Master, the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, the Collector of

Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, and the Opium Sale Branch of Government, shall be closed :—

*I—Holidays on account of Muhammadan festivals.**

Id-ul-fitr	...	... On the 1st July.
Fatiha Duwazdaham		... On the 6th December, but if the moon be visible on the 23rd November, then on the 5th December.

October 4th is a holiday on account of the Muhammadan festival "Muharram." As, however, it is also a holiday under the Act on account of the Hindu festivals "Durga and Lakshmi Pujas," it is not separately notified as a holiday.

II—Holidays on account of Hindu festivals.

Sri Panchami	...	... February 6th.
Durga and Lakshmi Pujas		... September 29th and 30th and October 6th, 7th and 8th.
Jagadhatri Puja	...	... November 3rd.

October 5th is a holiday on account of the Durga Puja, but as it falls on a Sunday, which is a holiday under the Act, it is not separately notified as a holiday.

III—Other Holidays.

The third, fourth and fifth days following Christmas Day, *i.e.*, the 28th (Sunday), 29th and 30th December.

*Muhammadan officials with the exception of those employed in the offices of the Collector of Customs, the Shipping Master, the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, and the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, are allowed to absent themselves from office on the following days, in addition to the six days allowed by the above notifications :—

Muharram	...	...	3 days.
Akhiri Chahar Shamba		...	1 day.
Shabibarat	...	...	1 „
Id-uz-zuha	...	...	1 „
			6 days.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5146Com.—The 14th November 1918.—Mr. K. K. Pillai, who was appointed in Notification No. 767T.-Com., dated the 30th October 1917, to be substantively *pro tempore* an Assistant Registrar for the Presidency of Bengal under the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912 (V of 1912) and the Indian Life Assurance Companies Act, 1912 (VI of 1912), is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 1st November 1918.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2601Medl.—The 15th November 1918.—The services of Major W. V. Coppinger, I.M.S., are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, in the Home Department, with effect from the 31st October 1918.

No. 2609Medl.—The 18th November 1918.—Lt.-Col. E. A. R. Newman, C.I.E., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Dacca, is appointed to be a Civil Surgeon of the 1st class, with effect from the 17th December 1917, *vice* Lt.-Col. A. H. Nott, I.M.S.

Dacca.

No. 2611Medl.—The 18th November 1918.—Lt.-Col. E. E. Waters, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Howrah, is appointed to be a Civil Surgeon of the 1st class, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* Lt.-Col. A. R. S. Anderson, I.M.S.

Howrah.

No. 2613Medl.—The 18th November 1918.—Lt. Col. C. A. Lane, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Hooghly, is appointed to be a Civil Surgeon of the 1st class, with effect from the 28th August 1918, *vice* Lt.-Col. H. S. Wood, I.M.S.

Hooghly.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6324A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6243A.—The 18th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Kshetra Nath Chatarji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Kalna subdivision of the said district,

Burdwan.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Kalna Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 6216A.—The 16th November 1918.—Babu Digendra Nath Shaha, Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Jessore.

No 6297A.—The 19th November 1918.—Babu Satya Saran Guha, Munsif, Hatiya, Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Noakhali.

In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct Babu Satya Saran Guha to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 4116J.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Israil, to be a Presidency Magistrate in Calcutta.

Calcutta.

No. 4140J.—The 16th November 1918.—Babu Rupamay Chatarji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Magura, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Subodh Kumar Bhattacharji, or until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 4163J.—The 18th November 1918.—Babu Banku Bihari Bhaduri, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif, in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Serampore, *vice* Babu Jogendra Chandra De Biswas, deceased.

Hooghly.

LEAVE.

No. 4150J.—The 7th November 1918.—Babu Subodh Kumar Bhattacharji, Munsif of Magura, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for forty-six days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th November 1918.

Jessore.

POWERS.

No. 4125J.—The 16th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 8 of the Reformatory Schools Act, 1897 (VIII of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. D. J. Cohen, Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, to exercise the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of the said section.

Calcutta.

H. P. DUVAL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3109P.J.—The 19th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend that section to Nilphamari town, in the district of Rangpur, within the boundaries specified below :—

Rangpur.

North—The river Bamandanga.

East—The river Bamandanga and the District Board drain.

South—The District Board drain, and a straight line drawn from the stone pillar on the side of the District Board drain to the stone pillar on the side of the Local Board road No. 2 and portion of the Local Board road No. 2.

West—Nilphamari Union Committee road No. 1, and a straight line drawn from the junction of Nilphamari Union Committee road No. 1 with the Local Board road No. 12 to the junction of the District Board abandoned road No. 41 with the District Board abandoned road No. 44, and the abandoned District Board road No. 44.

This cancels the notification, dated the 31st May 1889, published at page 487 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th June 1889.

No. 3110P.J.—The 19th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend that section to the tracts in Domar, Boragari and its neighbourhood, in the district of Rangpur, within the boundaries specified below :—

Rangpur.

North—Salkya river and the line joining the mouth of Salkya river and a big peepal tree 1,300 feet off by the side of the Local Board road No. 71 and another line joining the latter with Boragari Kutchery.

East—The line joining Boragari Kutchery with Matukpur Kutchery included and another joining the latter with the house of Toilla Manjhee included.

South—The line joining Domar South Railway distant signal and the house of Jamirullah excluded, Local Board road No. 14, road under Union Committee and the line joining the house of Salea Paikar and the house of Toilla Manjhee, both included, *i.e.*, the line running parallel to the District Board road No. 35, up to Boragari bridge at a distance of 700 feet.

West—The line joining the south distant signal and the house of Basar Mamud included, a village path, District Board road No. 84 and a village road running from District Board road No. 35 to Salkya river.

This cancels the notification, dated the 2nd April 1892, published at page 391 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th April 1892.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9287A.—The 18th November 1918.—Babu Harendra Kishore Ghosh, substantive *pro tempore* second grade Inspector (Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Police, Jessore), is confirmed in the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 28th October 1918, *vice* second grade Inspector F. J. R. Moss, resigned. He will continue to act as Deputy Superintendent of Police.

Jessore.

No. 9288A.—The 18th November 1918.—Babu Sarat Chandra Das, third grade Inspector, Noakhali, is promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the second grade, with effect from the 28th October 1918, *vice* substantive *pro tempore* second grade Inspector Babu Harendra Kishore Ghosh, confirmed in that grade.

Noakhali.

C. W. C. PLOWDEN,
Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT

The 14th November 1918.

No. 108.—The Governor in Council is pleased to make the following promotions in the Superintending Engineer class, with effect from the 16th October 1918 :—

Rai Amar Nath Das Bahadur, Superintending Engineer, third class, promoted to Superintending Engineer, second class substantively *pro tempore*.

Mr. G. G. Dey, Superintending Engineer, third class, substantively *pro tempore* promoted to Superintending Engineer, third class, permanent.

Mr. R. C. Hodgson, Superintending Engineer, third class, temporary rank, promoted to Superintending Engineer, third class, substantively *pro tempore*.

Mr. C. W. Sibold, Executive Engineer, promoted to Superintending Engineer, third class, temporary rank.

The 18th November 1918.

No. 110.—Mr. G. J. St C. Sedgley, Executive Engineer, is granted leave on medical certificate for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave previously granted.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 15th November 1918.

No. 109.—Babu Surendra Nath Bhattacharji, Sub-Engineer, is granted leave on medical certificate for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave previously sanctioned.

The 19th November 1918.

No. 111.—Babu Nanda Lal De, Sub-Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Bakarganj Division to the Central Circle.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 19th November 1918.

No. 115Marine.—Mr. J. Sherman, Branch Pilot, is granted, under articles 233 and 672 of the Civil Service Regulations, leave on medical certificate for three months, with effect from the 11th October 1918, in extension of the privilege leave for twenty-eight days granted to him in Bengal Government Notification No. 93Marine, dated the 12th September 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6325A.

No. 6080A.—The 14th November 1918.—Babu Subodh Chandra Mitra, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Gaibandha, Rangpur, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Rangpur.

No. 6085A.—The 14th November 1918.—Babu Surendra Nath Ray, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Lalbagh, Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Murshidabad.

No. 6153A.—The 15th November 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Amjad Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Bogra, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd November 1918.

Bogra.

No. 6277A.—The 19th November 1918.—Maulvi Fazlul Azim, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Faridpur.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 436.—The 9th November 1918.—Babu Prakash Nath Basu, Sub-Registrar, grade II, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances for four months, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 240, dated the 1st July 1918.

No. 437.—The 9th November 1918.—Babu Probodh Chandra Mitra, Sub-Registrar of Salkopa, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd October 1918.

Jessore.

No. 438.—The 9th November 1918.—Maulvi Khondkar Abdul Bari, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Salkopa, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Probodh Chandra Mitra, or until further orders.

Murshidabad, Jessore.

No. 439.—The 9th November 1918.—Mr. S. M. Allison, Sub-Registrar of Bharatkhali, in the district of Rangpur, was allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 9th August 1918 to the 7th September 1918.

Rangpur.

No. 440.—The 11th November 1918.—Babu Kunja Bihari Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Janai, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave for sixty-one days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 353, dated the 20th September 1918.

Hooghly.

No. 441.—The 12th November 1918.—Babu Priya Gopal Chaki, Probationer of Pabna, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Ratua, in the district of Malda, with effect from the 28th October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Syed Muhammad Hasan, or until further orders.

Pabna. Malda.

No. 442.—The 12th November 1918.—Maulvi Ismail Mollah, Probationer of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj (Sahebganj), in the same district, with effect from the 6th November 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Khwaja Muhammad Bedar Bakht, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 443.—The 12th November 1918.—Babu Prabhat Chandra Datta, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, under orders of transfer to Phulbari, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave, on medical certificate, for two months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 358, dated the 23rd September 1918.

Mymensingh.

No. 444.—The 12th November 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Afzal Ali, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Bankura, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Saltora, in the same district, with effect from the 29th October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Surendra Chandra Khan, or until further orders.

Bankura.

No. 445.—The 19th November 1918.—Babu Chuni Lal Sil, Sub-Registrar of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th October 1918.

Jessore.

No. 446.—The 19th November 1918.—Maulvi Makbul Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Durgapur, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Mymensingh.

No. 447.—The 19th November 1918.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, Probationer of Dinajpur, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Balurghat, in the same district, with effect from the 5th November 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Brindaban Chandra De, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

No. 448.—The 19th November 1918.—In Notification No. 420, dated the 2nd November 1918, published at page 1555 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 6th November 1918, appointing Maulvi A. S. M. Abdul Baqui, Probationer of Dacca, to act as Sub-Registrar of Baliakandi, in the district of Faridpur, with effect from the 22nd October 1918, *for* "22nd October 1918" *read* "afternoon of the 25th October 1918."

Faridpur.

No. 449.—The 19th November 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Hanif, Probationer of Rangpur, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Dhangora, in the district of Pabna, with effect from the 21st October 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Shakawat Husain, or until further orders.

Rangpur.
Pabna.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL.

THE undermentioned candidates have passed the prescribed examination in practical Hygiene and minor Sanitary Engineering and are now declared duly qualified for employment as 2nd grade Sanitary Inspectors in Municipalities :—

1. Krishna Chandra De.
2. Haripada Chakrabarty.
3. Narendra Nath De.
4. Tejesh Chandra Gupta.
5. Kali Krishna Mukherjee.
6. Nibaran Chandra Mondal.
7. Jitendra Chandra Sen Gupta.
8. Atul Chandra Roy Chowdhury.
9. Jogendra Kumar Chakrabarty.
10. Kali Kinkar Nag.
11. Basanta Kumar Potatundi.
12. Sibaprosanna Mukherjee.
13. Mohini Mohan Chowdhury.
14. Phanindra Nath Ghosh.
15. Satish Chandra Chatterjee.

B. B. S. RAY,
for *Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 11th November 1918.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that Babu Jitendra Nath Sircar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of Darjeeling Treasury, from the forenoon of the 14th November 1918.

He is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

LIONEL BURROWS, *Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.*

DARJEELING, *the 15th November 1918.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU BISHNUPADA RAY, Munsif of Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Munshiganj Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT, CIVIL: *The 15th November 1918.*

N. G. A. EDGLEY, *Registrar.*

BABU SURESH CHANDRA SEN, No. II, Munsif of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Berhampore Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT, CIVIL: *The 15th November 1918.*

N. G. A. EDGLEY, *Registrar.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1918 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Second day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

F. W. CARTER, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৮ সাল, তারিখ ২৫শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে শ্রীযুত বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৮ সালের ২রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

এফ, ডব্লিউ, কার্টার,
সরিফ

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act IX of 1887, that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Dacca and Munshiganj will, in the month of January 1919, sit in the Courts on the undermentioned dates:—

Munshiganj—From 20th January 1919 to the 25th January 1919.
Dacca—The rest of the days of the month.

Sundays and holidays excepted.

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, *Judge.*

DACCA SMALL CAUSE COURT, *the 11th November 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 7th November 1918.

No. 97P.—Maulvi Kazi Imdadul Haque, Head Master, Calcutta Training School (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed privilege leave from 18th September 1918 to 17th November 1918, of which forty days only (under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations) on full pay and the remaining period on half pay under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 98P.—Babu Mohini Mohan Das, Head Master, Calcutta Model School (class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as Head Master, Calcutta Training School, and in the Provincial Educational Service on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, *vice* Maulvi Kazi Imdadul Haque, on leave.

No. 99P.—Maulvi A. S. H. Hossain, an Assistant Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is granted, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, furlough for three months, in continuation of the leave already granted to him under this office Notification No. 69P., dated 17th August 1918.

The 16th November 1918.

No. 100P.—Babu Radha Nath Chatterji, District Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore (class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Chittagong Division and in the Provincial Educational Service on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, *vice* Khan Sahib Maulvi Abdul Aziz, on deputation.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD POST OFFICE, MANBHUM.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

AN examination for first class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held on the 17th, 18th and 19th February 1919. An examination for second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency will be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th February 1919. Both examinations will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, " these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the

date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad Post Office, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 17th January 1919.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 30th October 1918.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4246J.—This office Notification No. 3746J., dated the 22nd October 1918, posting Maulvi Nausher Ali Khan Yusufji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rajshahi Division, to Bogra, is cancelled.

J T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 11th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power vested in me under Government Order No. 168P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, I reappoint Babu Ramapati Mitra and appoint Babu Gnanada Charan Basu to be non-official visitors of the Contai Subsidiary Jail in the district of Midnapore, for a period of two years.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power vested in me under Government Order No. 168P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, I reappoint Babu Sarat Chandra Mukherji and appoint Babu Behari Lal Mukherji to be non-official visitors of the Tamluk Subsidiary Jail in the district of Midnapore, for a period of two years.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA. *the 11th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2851M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the general election of the Municipal Commissioners of the Kurseong Municipality, held on the 22nd June 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as Commissioners of the said Municipality :—

Babu Joy Narayan Pradhan.
Mr. Robert Baron Addis.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 1st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 49M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 21st December 1918, is fixed as the date for holding a by-election in Ward No. I of the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to elect a Commissioner for that Ward in place of Babu Trailokhya Nath Pal, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4442J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the Munshiganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1.	Maulvi Muhammad Gias Pandit ...	Ichhapura.
2.	Babu Krishta Kanta Pal ...	
1.	Babu Madan Mohan Chakrabatti ...	Outshahi.
2.	„ Suresh Chandra Ganguli ...	
3.	„ Upendra Chandra Ganguli ...	
4.	„ Har Mohan Mukherji	
5.	„ Pabitra Chandra Guha	
6.	Munshi Yasin Khan	
1.	Babu Jamini Kanta Chakrabatti ...	Betka.

Under section 40 of the said Act the undersigned hereby appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the said subdivision of the Dacca district :—

1.	Babu Kshirod Mohan Ganguli, M.A. ...	Ichhapura.
2.	„ Tarini Mohan Ganguli	
3	„ Dinesh Chandra Ganguli ...	
4.	„ Debendra Chandra Ganguli ...	
1.	Babu Nibaran Chandra Mazumdar ...	Betka.
2.	„ Harendra Kumar Mukherji ...	
3.	„ Jajna Bhusan Chakrabatti ...	
4.	„ Bhudeb Banerji	
5.	„ Ram Mohan Datta	

The undersigned also appoints under section 41 of the said Act the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the said subdivision :—

1.	Babu Nagendra Nath Banerji ...	Ichhapura.
2.	„ Upendra Chandra Mukherji ...	
3.	Munshi Khadimali Bhuiyan	
1.	Babu Nishi Kanta Mukherji	Outshahi.
2.	„ Kamini Kumar Ganguli ...	
3.	„ Dakshina Ranjan Datta	
1.	Babu Peary Mohan Basu Bahadur ...	Betka.
2.	Munshi Mulukchand Bepari	
3.	Babu Durga Charan Datta	

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 14th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4398J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the Manikganj Subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1.	Babu Amar Nath Mazumdar	Baniajuri.
2.	„ Jogeswar Ganguli	
3.	„ Jogesh Chandra Ganguli ...	
4.	„ Dhirendra Nath Mukherji ...	
5.	„ Beni Madhab Chakrabortty ...	
6.	„ Jogendra Nath Das	
1.	„ Girija Nanda Roy	Barotia.
2.	„ Nibaran Chandra Ghose	
3.	Mahammad Aladat Khan	
4.	Babu Kumud Lal Mazumdar	
5.	„ Rup Narayan Das	
6.	„ Santosh Nath Roy	
1.	„ Kamini Kanta Gupta	Teota
2.	„ Anath Bandhu Saha	
3.	„ Bhairabi Chandra Chakrabortty ...	
4.	„ Bijoy Kumar Bagchi	
5.	„ Radhika Lal Chaudhury	
6.	„ Jogendra Chandra Sircar ...	
1.	Mahammad Roshanuddin Ahmed ...	Balara.
2.	Babu Beni Madhab Shaha	
3.	Mahammad Waziuddin Ahmed	
4.	Babu Pran Ballav Shaha	
5.	„ Rajendra Lal Shaha	
6.	„ Bidyanidhi Shaha	

2. The election of the Dhankora Union Committee having failed, the undersigned hereby appoints, under section 40 of the said Act, the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committee in the said subdivision of the Dacca district :—

1. Babu Mathura Kanta Banerji.
2. „ Hari Bandhu Bhattacherjee.
3. „ Abinash Chandra Bhattacherjee.
4. Pandit Umesh Chandra Siromoni.
5. Munshi Nazimuddin Biswas.
6. „ Abdul Jabbar.

3. Under section 41 of the said Act the undersigned also appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the said subdivision :—

1.	Babu Brojendra Kumar Neogi	Dhankora.
2.	Munshi Ishar Ali	
3.	„ Kaziuddin Ahmed	
1.	Babu Bijoy Gobinda Guha	Baniajuri.
2.	Khandakar Taherali	
3.	Babu Keshab Chandra Ghose	
1.	„ Surendra Nath Bose	Barotia.
2.	„ Bama Charan Das	
3.	Rai Saheb Dwarka Nath Das	
1.	Mahammad Mir Abdul Ali	Teota.
2.	Babu Hem Shankar Roy Choudhury ...	
3.	„ Palit Paban Goswami	
1.	„ Jamini Kanta Ghose	Balara.
2.	„ Kali Kumar Sircar	
3.	„ Munshi Safiuddin	

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 11th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4445J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the election of the Maheshpur Union Committee in the Narainganj subdivision of the district of Dacca having failed, I appoint, under section 40 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committee:—

1. Munshi Abdur Rahaman.
2. „ Abdul Kadir.
3. „ Zahurul Huq.
4. Babu Judhistir Namadas.
5. „ Rohini Kumar Pal.
6. Munshi Abdul Karim.

2. Under section 41 of the said Act I also appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the said Union Committee:—

1. Munshi Sundar Ali.
2. „ Abdur Rashid.
3. Babu Ishan Chandra Pal.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE. DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 14th November 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 13179.—The 11th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Uttar Mirwarishpur Joutha Bank (registered No. 120 of 1913), in the district of Noakhali, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Noakhali, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13256.—The 12th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Astagram Paschimpara Gramya Mahajani Sava (No. II), (registered No. 111 of 1911), in the district of Tippera, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Circle Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Comilla, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13259.—The 12th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Komorpur Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 44 of 1911-12), in the district of Faridpur, under sub section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13266.—The 12th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Barora Gramya Mahajani Sabha (registered No. 48 of 1911), in the district of Tippera, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Circle Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Comilla, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13269.—The 12th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Narayanbatua Gramya Mahajani Sabha (registered No. 19 of 1911), in the district of Tippera, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Circle Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Comilla, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13276.—The 12th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Sharisa Bahuladanga Joutha Bank (registered No. 396 of 1913), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society sought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Rajbari, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13278.—The 12th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Akua Pithapur Joutha Bank (registered No. 171 of 1913), in the district of Midnapore, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Nani Gopal Chaki, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Midnapore, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13423.—The 15th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Astagram Purbapara Gramya Mahajani Sabha (registered No. 110 of 1911), in the district of Tippera, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Circle Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Comilla, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13428.—The 15th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Singoria Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 163 of 1911), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13436.—The 15th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Char Neamatpur Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 90 of 1910-11), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13455.—The 16th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Bijhari Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 67 of 1910), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Maulvi Aziz Ahmad, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

CORRIGENDUM.

No. 13246.—The 11th November 1918.—Read "Babu Akshay Kumar Bose" in place of "Maulvi Mahammad Shamsuzzoha" in lines 10 and 11 of Notification No. 11638, dated the 9th September 1918, published at page 1352, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th September 1918.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 43 OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

IMPROVEMENT SCHEME NO. XV (SECTION C).

(Street Scheme.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have framed an Improvement Scheme described as Scheme No. XV (New Main Sewer Road), Section C (between Gariahat Road and Ballygunj Station).

The area comprised in this section is bounded as follows :—

On the North—By a line from a point on the centre of Gariahat Road along the northern boundary of Ekdalia Road and thence running north-east in a straight line up to the north-east corner of No. 15, Jamir Lane, and thence eastwards up to the E. B. Railway fencing.

On the East—By a line from this point running southwards up to the south-east corner of Ekdalia Road and by another line from the north-west corner of Ballygunj Station compound along the eastern boundary of Ballygunj Station Road up to the north-west corner of No. 3, Ballygunj Station Road.

On the South—By the northern boundary line of the Ballygunj Station compound and a straight line from the north-west corner of No. 3, Ballygunj Station Road, to a point on the centre of Gariahat Road, opposite premises No. 19, Gariahat Road.

On the West—By a line along the middle of Gariahat Road connecting the two extremities of northern and southern boundaries.

Particulars of the scheme, a map of the area comprised in the scheme, and a statement of the land which it is proposed to acquire may be inspected at the offices of the Trust, No. 5, Clive Street, on week-days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. and on Saturdays between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Copies of the above documents will be delivered to applicants on payment of the following fees :—

	Rs.	A.
Particulars of the scheme	0	4
Map of the area	1	0
Statement of land which it is proposed to acquire ...	0	4

Objections to the scheme will be received up to the 28th February 1919.

J. A. WOODHEAD, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 14th November 1918.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 9th November 1918, is republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 8th November 1918.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

3rd Calcutta Light Horse.

No. 2629.—The undermentioned gentlemen are granted temporary commissions, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Major.

Alfred Donald Pickford. Dated 1st April 1917.

To be Captains (Supernumerary List).

Charles Steele Steele-Perkins.
The Hon'ble Sir Archibald Birkmyre, Kt., C.B.E. Dated 1st April 1917.

(Army Department Notification No. 1162, dated the 31st May 1918, in so far as it relates to the appointment of Charles Steele Steele-Perkins, is cancelled.)

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th November 1918, is republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 14th November 1918.

No. 57.—The Hon'ble Mr. A. P. Muddiman, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of India, in the Legislative Department, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 24th November 1918, under articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

H. M. SMITH,
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th November 1918, is republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 9th November 1918.

No. 1083.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6, Geo. 5, Ch. 61), section 105, sub-section (*2*), to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. E. B. H. Panton, I.C.S., to act as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the 14th November 1918, during the remainder of the absence of the Hon'ble Justice Sir Asutosh Mukherjee, KT., C.S.I., on deputation, or until further orders.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th November 1918, are republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE—WAR.

Simla, the 16th November 1918.

No. 12732.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R.I.

Whereas by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation :

And whereas by certain Proclamations entitled Prohibition of Import Proclamations the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly :

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain other goods should be prohibited :

Now, therefore, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows :—

As from and after the date hereof, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following articles is hereby prohibited, viz.:—

Cassia lignea.
Fibre flax seed for sowing.
Pimento.
Spectacles and eyeglasses complete.
Time-recording instruments of all kinds, and movements and parts thereof.
Watches and parts thereof.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 27) Proclamation, 1918.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Twenty-seventh day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and in the Ninth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

CUSTOMS—WAR.

The 16th November, 1918.

No. 12714.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act of 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made to the schedule appended to the notification in this Department No. 3075, dated the 11th May 1918, as subsequently amended :—

Delete the entries—

"(A) Barrels empty,"
"(A) Casks empty,"
"(C) Belting,"
"(C) Pipes, cast iron,"
"(C) Typewriters and parts thereof,"

and the words "(Other than cast iron)" after the words "Pipes of all descriptions" under the entry "(A) Steel or iron, plain or galvanised," the following, viz. :—

Add as new entries—

"(A) Barrels, suitable for containing oil,"
"(A) Casks, suitable for containing oil,"
"(A) Belting,"
"(A) Type,"
"(A) Typewriters and parts thereof."

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 16th November 1918.

No. 12807.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General

in Council is pleased to prohibit the export of chillies from any port in the Madras Presidency to any destination outside India:

Provided that nothing in this notification shall be deemed to prohibit—

(*i*) export by the Crown;
(*ii*) export for use or consumption on the voyage;
(*iii*) export under a license granted by the Chief Customs Officer at the place of export.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 16th November 1918, are republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 15th November 1918.

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 2686.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

John Jeremiah Alexander Brachio ...	*seconded.*
Henry Mansfield	*seconded.*
Frank Ernest Knight William John Marshall John Douglas Thomas	*seconded.*
Adolphus Vincent Eates	*seconded.*
Henry Valentine Mann	*seconded.*

REWARDS.

No. 2697.—The Royal Red Cross Warrant, dated the 10th November 1915, and a Royal Warrant, dated the 30th April 1918, amending the Sixth Clause thereof, are republished for information:—

The Royal Red Cross Warrant.

GEORGE R. I.

GEORGE THE FIFTH by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India. To all whom these Presents shall come Greeting:—

Whereas Her late Majesty Our Beloved Grandmother Queen Victoria by a Warrant dated the 23rd day of April 1883, did institute, constitute and create a Decoration designated "The Royal Red Cross" to be awarded in recognition of special services rendered in nursing the sick and wounded of Our Army and Navy and did make, ordain and establish certain rules and ordinances for the government of the same, which rules and ordinances were subsequently amended by Royal Warrants, dated the 11th day of December 1897, the 24th day of July 1902, and the 8th day of September 1909:

And whereas it is Our Royal Will and Pleasure that further provision shall be made for recognition of such special services rendered in nursing the sick and wounded of Our Army and Navy :

Now therefore We do hereby declare that the rules and ordinances heretofore in force for the government of the said Decoration shall be abrogated, cancelled and annulled, and We are pleased to make, ordain and establish the following rules and ordinances in substitution for the same, which shall from henceforth be inviolably observed and kept :—

Firstly : The Decoration shall be styled and designated "The Royal Red Cross," and shall be divided into two Classes.

The first class shall consist of a Cross enamelled red, edged with gold having on the arms thereof the words Faith, Hope, Charity, with the date of the institution of the Decoration, the centre having thereon in relief the Royal and Imperial Effigy. On the reverse thereof the Royal and Imperial Cipher and Crown shall be shown in relief on the centre.

The Second Class shall consist of a Cross which shall be of the same form and size as in the First Class, but shall be of frosted silver and shall have superimposed thereon a Maltese Cross enamelled red not exceeding half its dimensions, the centre having thereon in relief the Royal and Imperial Effigy. The reverse shall have inscribed on the arms thereof the words Faith, Hope, Charity and the date of the institution of the original Decoration, and shall bear in the centre in relief the Royal and Imperial Cipher and Crown.

Secondly : The Cross in either Class shall be attached to a dark blue riband edged red of one inch in width, tied in a bow and worn on the left shoulder.

Thirdly : The Decoration may be worn by the Queen Regent, the Queen Consort, or the Queen Dowager of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland ; and it shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors to confer the Decoration upon any of the Princesses of the Royal Family of Great Britain and Ireland ; also upon the Queens or Princesses of Foreign Countries who may have specially exerted themselves in providing for the nursing of the sick and wounded of Foreign Armies and Navies.

Fourthly : It shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, to confer either Class of this Decoration upon any members of the Nursing Services without restriction as to rank, or upon other persons engaged in nursing duties whether subjects or foreign persons, who may be recommended to Our notice by Our Secretary of State for War or by the First Lord of the Admiralty, as the case may be, for special devotion and competency which they may have displayed in their nursing duties with Our Army in the Field, or in Our Naval and Military Hospitals.

Fifthly : The number of awards in the First Class of the Decoration shall not exceed two per cent. of the total establishment of Nurses, and the number of awards in the Second Class of the Decoration shall not exceed five per cent. of the total establishment of Nurses, the allotments to be proportionate to the numbers of each Nursing Service provided nevertheless that it shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors to make such additions as, under exceptional circumstances, We may deem fitting.

Sixthly : Recipients of the Second Class of the Decoration shall be eligible for advancement to the First Class as vacancies may arise.

Seventhly : Recipients of the First Class of the Decoration shall be designated Members of the Royal Red Cross, and shall be entitled to the letters R.R.C. following their names. Recipients of the Second Class of the Decoration shall be designated Associates of the Royal Red Cross, and shall be entitled to the letters A.R.R.C. following their names.

Eighthly : It shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, to confer either Class of the Decoration upon any ladies, whether subjects or foreign persons, who may be recommended to Our notice by our Secretary of State for War as having voluntarily undertaken the duties of establishing, conducting or assisting in hospitals for the treatment of sick and wounded soldiers and sailors of Our Army and Navy, or of Our Indian Military Forces or of the Naval and Military Forces of Our Self-governing Dominions beyond the Seas, or as having performed valuable services with the Red Cross or kindred societies at home or abroad, or as having otherwise rendered eminent services in the care of sick and wounded soldiers and sailors of Our Army and Navy :

and it is hereby ordained that all persons appointed under this Clause shall be regarded as Honorary Members or Associates, and their appointments shall be additional to the establishment ordained in the Fifth Clause of this Our Royal Warrant.

Ninthly: The names of those upon whom We may be pleased to confer the Decoration shall be published in the London Gazette, and a register thereof kept in the office of Our Secretary of State for War.

Tenthly: In order to make such additional provision as shall effectually preserve pure this honourable distinction, it is ordained that if any person on whom such distinction shall be conferred shall by her conduct become unworthy of it, her name shall be erased, by an order under the Royal Sign Manual, from the register of those upon whom the said Decoration shall have been conferred. And it is hereby declared that We, Our Heirs and Successors, shall be the sole judge of the conduct which may require the erasure from the register of the name of the offending person, and that it shall at all times be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors. to restore the name if such restoration should be justified by the circumstances of the case.

Lastly: We reserve to Ourself, Our Heirs and Successors, full power of annulling, altering, abrogating, augmenting, interpreting, or dispensing with these Regulations, or any part thereof, by a notification under the Royal Sign Manual.

Given at Our Court at *St. James's* this 10th day of *November*, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, in the sixth year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,

H. H. ASQUITH.

Royal Warrant amending Sixth Clause of Royal Red Cross Warrant.

GEORGE R. I.

Whereas by Our Royal Warrant dated 10th November 1915, the Decoration of the Royal Red Cross was divided into two Classes, recipients of the Second Class being eligible for advancement to the First Class, and whereas no provision was made in Our said Royal Warrant for the disposal of the Cross of the Second Class of a recipient who is advanced to the First Class.

It is Our Will and Pleasure and We do hereby ordain that the Sixth Clause of Our said Royal Warrant shall, as from the date thereof, be read as follows:—

Sixthly.—Recipients of the Second Class of the Decoration shall be eligible for advancement to the First Class as vacancies may arise, and on such advancement the Cross shall be returned to the office of Our Secretary of State for War.

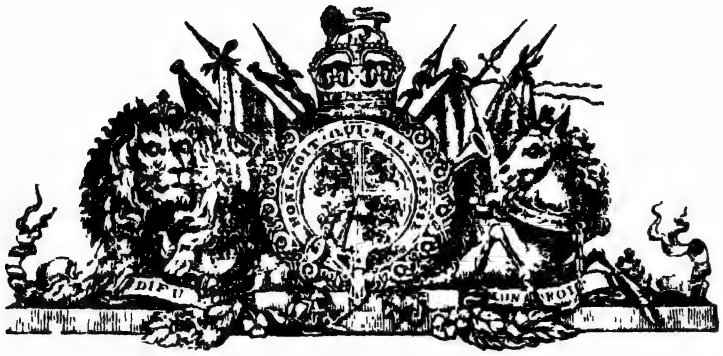
Given at Our Court at St. James's this thirtieth day of April 1918, in the Eighth year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,

MILNER.

No. 2678.—His Excellency the Governor General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon Captain Hugh Gordon Cotton, 9th Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, Indian Defence Force.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Howrah.

No. 2682 L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Jugacha ...	9	Poile ... ... 29 Chandbati ... ... 99 Sultanpur ... ... 100 Anshani ... ... 101 Jugacha ... ... 128 Habibpur ... ... 129 Baksara Uttar ... 130 Baksara Dakshin ... 131 Padmapukuria ... 132	North— Nibra ... ... 102 Dharsha ... ... 126 Santragachi ... 125 East— Thana Sibpur. South— Makhura ... ... 98 Podra ... ... 96 Panchpara I ... 95 Dule ... ... 94 West— Mahiari ... ... 28 Prashasta 27

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Jugacha Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2683L S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Santragachi	9	Balitikri ... ... 121 Shanpur ... ... 122 Pantra Dakshin ... 123 Ichapur ... ... 124 Santragachi ... ... 125 Dharsha ... ... 126 Satashi 127	North— Thana Lilua. East— Thana Lilua. Thana Howrah. South— Thana Sibpur. Baksara Uttar ... 130 Jugacha ... ... 128 West— Nibra ... ... 102 Bankura 103

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Santragachi Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2684L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Lilua, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Jagadishpur.	9	Baigachi ... ... 1 Jagadishpur ... 2 Debirpara ... ... 3 Eksara ... ... 4 Chamrali ... ... 8 Jaypur Bil 9	North— District Hooghly. East— Bali ... ... 11 Basukati ... ... 10 Lilua ... ... 13 South— Kona ... ... 7 Khalia ... ... 6 Kulidanga ... ... 5 Thana Domjur. West— Thana Domjur.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Jagadishpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2685L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Lilua, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Bali ...	9	Basukati ... ... 10 Bali 11	North— District Hooghly. East— Bali Municipality. South— Lilua ... ... 13 West— Jaypur Bil 9

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Bali Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2686L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Lilua, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Lilua ...	9	Kulidanga ... 5 Khalia ... 6 Kona ... 7 Lilua ... 13 Belgachi ... 14 Ditto Kismat ... 15 Betra Uttar ... 16 Bamangachi ... 17	North— Joypur Bil ... 9 Bali ... 11 East— Thana Bali and thana Golabari. South— Thana Golabari. " Howrah. " Domjur. West— Thana Domjur Eksara ... 4 Chamrali ... 8

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Lilua Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2687L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.	
Howrah ...	Uttar Jhapardaha.	9	Mahishgot	...	1	North—	
			Chak Mahishgot	...	2	District Hooghly, Nanna ...	15
			Chak Parbatipur	...	3		
			Kumarnala	...	5	East—	
			Rajapur	...	6	Ichapur ...	16
			Chak Kadamtala	...	7	Dafarpur ...	18
			Chak Hari	...	8	Jagatrambati ...	20
			Khiristala	...	9		
			Mahishmala	...	10	South—	
			Dharmapotaporakur	..	11	Domjur ...	21
			Nonakunda	...	12	Jhapardaha Dakshin ...	41
			Ichapur-Dafarpur	...	13	Khasmara ...	4
			Chak Nanna	...	14		
			Parbatipur	...	17	West—	
			Jhapardaha Uttar	...	19	Khasmara and district Hooghly ...	4

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Uttar Jhapardaha Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2689L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union	
Howrah ...	Kolora ...	9	Ichapur, Raypur	...	38	North—	
			Odpur	...	43	Khasmara ...	4
			Jamdanga	...	44	Rudrapur ...	42
			Latifpur	...	45	Keshabpur ...	39
			Kolora	...	46		
			Amuria	...	47	East—	
						Sakaridaha ...	37
						South—	
						Mahiari ...	51
						Dhulagore ...	53
						West—	
						Thana Jagatballabhpur.	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Kolora Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2688L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Dakshin Jhapardaha.	9	Khasmara ... 4 Khantora ... 40 Jhapardaha Dakshin ... 41 Rudrapur ... 42	North— Chak Mahishgot ... 2 Chak Parbatipur ... 3 Kamarnala ... 5 Rajapur ... 6 Uttar Jhapardaha ... 19 East— Domjur ... 21 Bhandardaha ... 22 South— Naupara Bipra ... 34 Baigori ... 35 Keshabpur ... 39 Odpur ... 43 Thana Jagatballabhpur. West— Thana Jagatballabhpur.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Dakshin Jhapardaha Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2692L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Nanna ...	9	Nanna ... 15 Ichapur ... 16 Dafarpur ... 18 Jagatrambati ... 20 Bhaskar ... 113 Balihatia Akurgacha ... 114 Pipli ... 115 Gayeshpur ... 116	North— District Hooghly. East— Thana Lilua. South— Lakshanpur ... 118 Jotgiri ... 117 Pairatungi Bara ... 112 Raghabpur ... 110 Domjur ... 21 West— Jhapardaha Uttar ... 19 Parbatipur ... 17 Chak Nanna ... 14 District Hooghly.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Nanna Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2690L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Howrah ...	Baigori ...	9	Naupara-Bipra	... 34	North—	
			Baigori	... 35	Rudrapur	... 42
			Baniara	... 36	Jhapardaha Dakshin	... 41
			Sakaridaha	... 37	Khantora	... 40
			Keshabpur	... 39	Bhandardaha	... 22
					East—	
					Bhandardaha	... 22
					Naupara Purba	... 23
					Ankurbati	... 25
					Mahiari	... 28
					South—	
					Jangalpur	... 33
					Argori	... 32
					Ichapur II	... 48
					Kolora	... 46
					Alampur	... 49
					West—	
					Ichapur Raypur	... 38
					Kolora	... 46
					Latifpur	... 45
					Jamdanga	... 44
					Odpur	... 43
					Amuria	... 47

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Baigori Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2691L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Howrah ...	Domjur ...	9	Domjur	... 21	North—	
			Bhandardaha	... 22	Jhapardaha Uttar	... 19
					Jagatrambati	... 20
					Dafarpur ...	... 18
					East—	
					Raghabpur	... 110
					Makarda	... 109
					Naupara Purba	... 23
					South—	
					Naupara Purba	... 23
					Naupara Bipra	... 34
					West—	
					Jhapardaha Dakshin	... 41
					Naupara Bipra	... 34

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Domjur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

3. This cancels so much of Notification No. 1099L.S.-G., dated the 19th March 1895, as relates to the Domjur Union.

Howrah.

No. 2693L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Howrah ...	Makarda ...	9	Kantalia	...	105	North—		
			Daspara	...	107	Dafarpur ..	...	18
			Jhaluarber	...	108	Bhaskar ...	...	113
			Makarda	...	109	Gayeshpur ...	...	116
			Raghabpur	...	110	Pipli ...	...	115
			Pairatungi Dharsha	...	111	East—		
			Pairatungi Bara	...	112	Thana Lilua.		
			Jot Giri	...	117	Salap ...	...	104
			Lakshanpur	...	118	Tetulkuli ...	...	119
						South—		
						Tetulkuli ...	...	119
						Dashi ...	...	106
						Nibre ...	...	102
						Ankurbati ...	...	25
						Krishnarampur	...	24
						West—		
						Naupara Purba	...	23
						Domjur ...	...	21

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Makarda Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2694L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Howrah ...	Mahiari ...	9	Naupara Purba	...	23	North—		
			Krishnarampur	...	24	Domjur ...	...	21
			Ankurpati	...	25	Makarda ...	...	109
			Chak Ramkrishnapur	...	26	Kantalia ...	...	105
			Prashasta	...	27	East—		
			Mahiari	...	28	Nibre ...	...	102
						Anshani ...	...	101
						Poile ...	...	29
						South—		
						Andul ...	...	30
						West—		
						Argori ...	..	32
						Jangalpur	...	33
						Naupara Bipra	...	34
						Bhandardaha	...	22

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Mahiari Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2695 L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Bankra ...	9	Nibre .. 102 Bankra ... 103 Salap ... 104 Dashi ... 106 Tetulkuli ... 119 Pakhira ... 120	North— Jhaluarber ... 108 Daspara ... 107 Lakshanpur ... 118 East— Thana Lilua. Balitikri ... 121 Dharaha ... 126 Satashi ... 127 South— Jugacha ... 128 Anshani ... 101 West— Prashasta ... 27 Ankurbati ... 25 Kantalia ... 105

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Bankra Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2696 L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Dhulagore	9	Mahiari ... 51 Kolora or Nayachak ... 52 Dhulagore ... ... 53 Sulti ... .. 54 Sandhipur ... ... 55 Kendua ... ... 56 Nabaghara ... ... 57 Bhagabatipur... ... 74	North— Thana Jagatballabhpur Kolora ... ... 46 East— Mashilla ... ... 50 Raghunathpur or Sankrail 85 South— Ghoraghat ... ... 75 Kendua Nayapatti ... 73 Paniara ... ... 58 West— Thana Jagatballabhpur.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Dhulagore Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2697L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Andul ...	9	Andul ... 30 Mirjapur ... 31 Argori ... 32 Jangalpur ... 33 Ichapur II ... 48 Alampur ... 49 Mashilla ... 50	North— Naupara Bipra ... 34 Mahiari ... 28 East— Dule ... 94 Jhorhat ... 88 South— Ramchandrapur ... 86 Raghunathpur or Sankrail 85 West— Kolora ... 46 Sakuridaha ... 37 Baniara ... 36

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Andul Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2698L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Dule ...	9	Chak Radhadasi ... 90 Dari Mahiari of Mohtran ... 91 Dule ... 94 Panchpara, I ... ... 95 Podra ... ... 96 Panchpara, II ... 97 Makhura 98	North— Poile ... ... 29 Anshani ... ... 101 Chandbati ... ... 99 Bakshara Dakshin ... 131 Padmapukuria ... 132 East— Thana Sibpur. South— River Hooghly. West— Hatgachi ... ... 92 Kamranga ... ... 93 Jhorhat ... ... 88 Andul 30

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Dule Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2699L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist	Nam of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Jorhat ...	9	Banupur ... 87 Jhorhat ... 88 Dari Mahiari II ... 89 Hatgachi ... 92 Kamranga ... 93	North— Andul ... 30 East— Dule ... 94 Dari Mahiari or Mohtran 91 South— Chak Radhadasi ... 90 River Hooghly. West— Raghunathpur or Sankrail 85 Ramchandrapur ... 86 Mashilla ... 50

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Jorhat Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2700L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Sankrail	9	Ghroaghat ... 75 Kamdebpur ... 83 Osmanpur ... ... 84 Raghunathpur or Sankrail 85 Ramchandrapur ... 86	North— Mashilla ... ... 50 East— Jhorhat ... ... 88 Banupur ... ... 87 River Hooghly. South— Manikpur ... 82 Sarengi ... ... 81 Kanyamani ... 80 Urla ... ... 78 Betra ... ... 77 Dadpur ... ... 76 West— Kendua Nayapatti ... 73 Bhagabatipur ... 74 Mahiari 51

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Sankrail Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2701L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Beldubi ...	9	Paniura ... ... 58 Kuli ... ... 59 Satgharia ... ... 60 Dhansa ... ... 61 Belkulai ... ... 62 Khoajapur ... ... 63 Shahapur ... ... 64 Beldubi ... ... 72 Kendua Nayapatti ... 73	North— Nabaghara ... ... 57 Kendua ... ... 56 Bhagabatipur ... 74 East— Ghoraghat ... ... 75 Dadpur ... ... 76 Nalpur ... ... 71 Raghudebbati ... 69 Khaskhamar ... 65 South— Thana Uluberia. West— Thana Jagatballabhpur.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Beldubi Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2702L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Nalpur ...	9	Khaskhamar ... 65 Chak Ali ... 66 Chak Madhu ... 67 Chak Srikrishnapur ... 68 Raghudebbati ... 69 Monoharpur ... 70 Nalpur ... 71 Dadpur ... 76 Betra ... 77 Urla ... 78 Gandharbapur ... 79 Kanyamani ... 80	North— Ghoraghat ... 75 Osmanpur ... 84 East— Sarengi ... 81 River Hooghly. South— Thana Uluberia. West— Shahapur ... 64 Beldubi ... 72 Kendua Nayapatti ... 73

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Nalpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2703L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Domjur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Manikpur	9	Sarengi ... 81 Manikpur ... 82	North— Kamdebpur ... 83 Osmanpur ... 84 Raghunathpur or Sankrail ... ... 85 East— River Hooghly. South— River Hooghly. Chak Srikrishnapur ... 68 West— Raghudebbati ... 69 Gandharbapur ... 79 Kanayamani ... 80 Osmanpur ... 64

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Manikpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2704L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the Dist ict Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Pulgusti ...	9	Dipa ... ... 57 Gauripur ... ... 58 Pulgusti ... ... 59 Jalalshi ... ... 60 Mallikpur ... ... 61 Jot Khaira ... ... 62 Makhalhati ... ... 63 Nalda ... ... 64 Ismailpur ... ... 69 Majukhetra 70	North— Narendrapur ... 55 Maju Dakshin ... 51 East— Jot Sobharam ... 50 Gobindapur ... 65 Naya chak ... 68 Samanti ... 73 Harishpur Ban ... 72 Shyam chak ... 71 South— Thana Amta. West— Thana Amta.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Pulgusti Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2705L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consists.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Gobindapur	9	Fatikgachi ... 48 Jot Sobharam ... 50 Gobindapur ... 65 Batan ... 66 Laskarpur ... 67 Siddeshwar ... 84 Akbarpur ... 85	North— Maju Dakshin ... 51 Chang Gurulia ... 37 Fingagachi ... 47 Kaurpur ... 45 East— Janardanpur II ... 86 Jajeswar ... 83 South— Jajeshwar ... 83 Bishwanathpur Jala ... 74 Samanti ... 73 Naya chak ... 68 West— Makhalhati ... 63 Nalda ... 64 Gauripur ... 58 Dipa ... 57

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Gobindapur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2706L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Banharish-pur.	9	Nayachak ... ... 68 Shyamchak ... ... 71 Harishpur-Ban ... 72 Samanti ... ... 73 Bishwanathpur Jala ... 74 Dhanki 75	North— Gobindapur ... ... 65 Laskarpur ... ... 67 Jajeshwar ... ... 83 East— Gabberia ... ... 82 Panchla ... ... 79 Panchla Paschim ... 76 South— Thana Uluberia. Thana Amta. West— Majukhetra ... ... 70 Ismailpur 69

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Banharishpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2707L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Jajeshwar	9	Jajeshwar 83	North— Janardanpur ... 86 Bahira II ... ... 100 East— Jalalshi ... ... 101 Gondalpara ... 102 Gangadharpur ... 106 Kalabazar ... ... 107 Joynagar ... ... 108 Ranibati ... ... 109 Biki-Akala ... ... 110 South— Gabberia ... ... 82 Dhanki ... ... 75 Biswanathpur-Jala ... 74 West— Biswanathpur-Jala ... 74 Laskarpur ... ... 67 Siddeshwar ... ... 84 Akbarpur 85

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleassd to direct that three of the members of the said Jajeshwar Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2708L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Deulpur ...	9	Jalalshi ... ... 101 Gondalpara ... ... 102 Deulpur ... ... 103 Kushadanga ... ... 104 Joyrampur ... ... 105 Gangadharpur ... 106 Kalabazar ... ... 107 Jaynagar 108	North— Thana Domjur. East— Thana Domjur. South— Ranibati ... ... 109 West— Jajeshwar ... ... 83 Bahira 100

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Deulpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2709L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Panchla ...	9	Panchla-Paschim ... 76 Panchla-Dakshin ... 77 Bicharghata chara ... 78 Panchala ... ... 79 Indra chara .. ... 80 Sankhali ... ... 81 Gabberia ... ... 82 Ranibati ... ... 109 Biki Akola ... ... 110 Biki Chak 111	North— Jajeshwar ... 83 Jaynagar ... ... 108 East— Thana Domjur. South— Thana Ulubaria. West— Dhanki 75

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Panchla Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2710L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Jagat-ballabhpur.	9	Ichhanagar ... ... 1 Ramkrishnapur or Jhingra 2 Bali ... ... 3 Telipati ... ... 4 Jagatballabhpur or Majhergram ... ... 5 Ghosalbati ... ... 6 Goderia ... ... 7 Jot Sadi or Sadipara ... 8 Bakul or Sripur ... 9 Hat Naikuli ... ... 14 Chandal ... ... 15 Goalpota ... ... 16 Jagannathpur... ... 17 Chak Bishnupur, Aima ... 18 Chak Shahadat ... 20	North— District Hooghly. East— Kamalapur or Bhabanipur 92 Parbatipur ... ... 91 Bargachia ... ... 95 South— Patihal ... ... 90 Bakul Chak ... ... 10 Jadupur ... ... 11 Sadasibpur or Hafezpur ... 13 Bamanpara ... ... 19 Bhupatipur... ... 21 West— Thana Amta.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Jagatballabhpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

3. This cancels so much of Notification No. 1099L.S.-G., dated the 19th March 1895, as relates to the Jagatballabhpur Union.

Howrah.

No. 2711L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Bargachia	9	Parbatipur ... ... 91 Kamalapur or Bhabanipur 92 Goroi ... ... 93 Santoshpur I ... 94 Bargachia ... ... 95 Mansinghapur ... 96 Hatal Bhursut ... 97 Sadaspur or Ghosalbati ... 98	North— District Hooghly. East— District Hooghly. Thana Domjur. South— Thana Domjur. Hatal Anantabati. ... 99 West— Hatihal ... ... 90 Bakul or Sripur ... 9 Goderia ... ... 7 Ghosalbati 6

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Bargachia Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2719L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Amta, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Panpur ...	9	Chandrapur ... 237 Mahishgot ... 238 Chatra ... 239 Harishpur ... 240 Dadpur ... 241 Ramdebpur ... 242 Ramchandrapur ... 243 Ramdebpur ... 244 Panpur or Gopinathpur ... 245 Bhandargacha ... 246 Ghospur ... 248	North— Ramchandrapur (part of) 234 Thana Jagatballavpur. East— Thana Jagatballavpur. South— Chak Sadar ... 249 Madhyakul ... 247 Chak Janjali (part of) ... 254 Thana Uluberia West— Guzarpur ... 236 Gazipur ... 161 Jot Kalyan ... 235 Amta (part of) ... 166

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Panpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2712L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.	
Howrah ...	Patihal ...	9	Bakulchak	...	10	North—	
			Jadupur	...	11	Hat Naikuli	... 14
			Sibanandabati	...	12	Chandal	... 15
			Sadasibpur or Hafezpur	...	13	Bakul or Sripur	... 9
			Rampur I	...	26		
			Ramanathbati	...	27	East—	
			Rampur II	...	28	Bakul or Sripur	... 9
			Protappur Krishnabati	...	29	Mansinghapur	... 96
			Garh Balia or Mirzapur	...	30	Hatal Bhursut	... 97
			Balia Nij	...	40	Hatal Anantabati	... 99
			Balia Baje	...	89		
			Patihal	...	90	South—	
						Sealdanga	... 87
						Rampur III	... 88
						Ichhapur	... 41
						Tripurapur	... 39
						West—	
						Paikpara	... 31
						Ghanashyambati or Rameshwarpur	... 32
						Sikrahati	... 25
						Bamanpara	... 19

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Patihal Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2722L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Lilua Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2723L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Lilua Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2713L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Sikrahati...	9	Bamanpara ... 19 Bhupatipur ... 21 Nabasan ... 22 Paschimpara ... 23 Krishnandapur ... 24 Sikrahati ... 25 Paikpara ... 31 Ghanashyambati or Rameshwarpur ... 32 Shyampur Dakshin ... 33 Bamanpara ... 34 Narendrapur ... 55 Ballabhbati or Danga Shyampur ... 56	North— Chak Shahadat ... 20 Jagannathpur ... 17 Chak Bishnupur Aima ... 18 East— Hat Naikuli ... 14 Sadasibpur or Hafezpur ... 13 Sibanandabati ... 12 Rampur I ... 26 Ramanathbati ... 27 Rampur II ... 28 Pratappur-Krishnabati ... 29 Garhbalia or Mirzapur ... 30 Tripurapur ... 39 South— Maulgachi ... 38 Santoshbati ... 36 Nandanpur ... 35 Jadabbati ... 54 Maju Uttar ... 53 Maju Dakshin ... 51 Dipa ... 57 West— Thana Amta.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Sikrahati Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2724L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders cantained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Baigori Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2725L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Baigari Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

No. 2714L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabhpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Howrah.

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Maju ...	9	Nandanpur ... 35 Santoshbati ... 36 Chang Ghurulia ... 37 Maulgachi ... 38 Mar Ghurali ... 46 Fingagchi ... 47 Harinarayanpur or Jagarampur. 49 Maju Dakshin ... 51 Maju Madhyam ... 52 Maju Uttar ... 53 Jadabbati ... 54	North— Narendrapur ... 55 Bamanpara ... 34 Paikpara ... 31 East— Tripurapur ... 39 Balia-Nima ... 43 Kauarpur ... 45 South— Siddheshwar ... 84 Fatikgachi ... 48 Laskarpur ... 67 Gobindapur ... 65 Jot Sobharam ... 50 Dipa ... 57 West— Narendrapur ... 55

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Maju Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2726L.G.-S.—The 25th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Nanua Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2727L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Nanua Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2728L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Mahiari Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2715L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jagatballabpur, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Hatal Anantabati.	9	Tripurapur ... ... 39 Ichhapur ... ... 41 Kamarpur or Manasadangi 42 Belia Nima ... ... 43 Ranmahal Bhursut ... 44 Kauarpur ... ... 45 Janardanpur II ... 86 Sealdanga ... ... 87 Rampur III ... ... 88 Hatal Anantabati ... 99 Bahira 100	North— Garh Balia or Mirzapur ... 30 Balia Nij ... ... 40 Balia Baje ... ... 89 Patihal ... ... 90 Hatal Bhursut ... 97 Sadaspur or Ghosalbati ... 98 East— Thana Domjor. Jalalshi ... ... 101 South— Jajeshwar ... ... 83 Akbarpur ... ... 85 West— Fingagachi ... ... 47 Marghurali ... ... 46 Maulgachi ... ... 38 Paikpara 31

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Hatal Anantabati Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2716L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Uluberia, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in the jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Uluberia	9	Latibpur ... 90 Kaliganj Hat ... 130 Banitabla ... 91 Gangarampur ... 72 Jadurbar ... 92 Kushberia ... 129 Gangarampur-Bahir ... 89	North— Kantalghata ... 128 Pirpur ... 93 Rajapur ... 68 East— Hooghly River. South— Mahishali ... 88 Alipukur Nij ... 87 Musapur (part of) ... 73 Jagadishpur ... 131 Kazirbar ... 74 West— Kharija Kismat ... 70 Musapur (part of) ... 73 Rajapur ... 68 Mollapara (part of) ... 71

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Ulubaria Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

3. This cancels Notification No. 890T.—M., dated the 5th August 1907.

Howrah.

No. 2717L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the follo wing group of villages in thana Bagnan, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Howrah ...	Bagnan ...	9	Gopalpur	... 46	North—	
			Khidilan	... 67	Patinan	... 44
			Bagnan	... 68	Khajuti	... 45
			Muralibar	... 85	Damodar River (part of).	
			Chandpur	... 86	Bainan Chura	... 9
			Mahadebpur	... 87		
			Khalar	... 84	East—	
			Chak Haimat	... 83	Damodar River.	
			Sitalpur	... 88		
			Ramchandrapur	... 89	South—	
			Rasti	... 81	Najarpur	... 79
			Aora	... 82	Atalia	... 80
			Durlabhpur	... 71	Barur	... 91
			Hijlak	... 69	Paikpara	... 90
			Topur Nabasan	... 70	Kajibhuiara	... 73
					Brindabanpur	... 72
					West—	
					Baranda	... 36

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Bagnan Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

3. This cancels so much of Notification No. 1099L.S.-G., dated the 19th March 1895, as relates to the Bagnan Union.

Howrah.

No. 2729L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Mahiari Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2730L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Bankra Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2718L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Amta, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Amta ...	9	Gagan ... ... 165 Amta ... ... 166 Sarajbati ... ... 168 Guzarpur ... ... 236 Santoshnagar ... 170 Madaria ... ... 169 Jagannathpur ... 172 Mollagram ... ... 173 Mahura Chhota ... 174 Jot Kalyan 235	North— Ramchandrapur ... 234 Kurit ... ... 233 Mahura Bara ... 175 Chakpota ... ... 171 Sameshwar ... ... 129 East— Chandrapur ... 237 Harishpur ... 240 Ghoshpur ... 248 South— Deora ... ... 164 Gazipur ... ... 161 West— River Damodar.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Amta Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

3 This cancels so much of Notification No. 1099L.S.-G., dated the 19th March 1895 as relates to the Amta Union.

Howrah.

No. 2720L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Amta, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Howrah ...	Singti ...	9	Singti ... ... 40 Anulia ... ... 36 Kumirmara Bag ... 37 Nischintapur ... ... 38 Kumirmara ... ... 39 Rajapur ... ... 41 Chak Thakurani ... 47 Sonagachi ... ... 48 Joka ... ... 49 Jugaldha ... ... 50 Jaynagar ... ... 51 Chak Dalapati ... 52 Kalikapur ... ... 33 Chak Baharam or Baharampur ... ... 34 Purpat Makhula ... 35 Chak Naranarayan ... 53 Mansuka ... ... 54 Kanupat ... ... 60 Chak Koer ... ... 58 Kanupat Kismat ... 59	North— Akna II ... ... 46 Sibanipur ... ... 42 Sibpur ... ... 19 East— Damodar River. South— Argara ... ... 69 Pitigere ... ... 70 Galabandh ... ... 66 West— Bhajra or Bhadra ... 23 Harishpur ... ... 24 Abhirampur ... 30 Singti Dakshin ... 32 Chak Ray ... ... 31 Debipur 61

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Singti Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2721L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Amta, in the district of Howrah, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Howrah ...	Udaynara-yanpur.	9	Gaja	...	7	North—		
			Sibpur	...	19	Piarapur	...	6
			Etarai	...	20	Ghola	...	13
			Etarai Khurd or Alani	...	21	Khelatpur	...	12
			Karchi	...	11	Khempur	...	10
			Chak Dahal or Dohal	...	14	Chak Pratap	...	17
			Hariharpur II	...	15	Sitapur	...	9
			Karchi or Binodbati	...	16	Sultanpur	...	8
			Udaynarayanpur	...	18			
			Sibanipur	...	42	East—		
			Jangalpara-Belgram	...	43	Damodar River.		
			Singti II	...	44			
			Senpur II	...	45	South—		
			Akna, II	...	46	Panchrul Koerpur	...	22
						Harishpur	...	24
						Bhajra or Bhadra	...	23
						Singti	...	40
						Rajapur	...	41
						Joka	...	49
						Sonagachi	...	48
						Chak Thakurani	...	47
						West—		
						Thana Khanakul of the Arambag subdivision.		
						Piarapur (part of)	...	6

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Udaynarayanpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2731L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Bankra Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2732L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Dhulagore Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

No. 2733L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Dhulagore Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2734L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleassd to transfer to the Andul Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2735L.S-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Andul Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2736L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Dule Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2737 L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Dule Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2738L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 371½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Sankrial Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2739L S.-G.—The 15th November 1918—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1971 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Sankrail Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

No. 2740L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Beldubi Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. *2741L.S.G.—The 15th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Beldubi Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2742L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Nalpur Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2743L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Nalpur Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2744L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Manikpur Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2745L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Manikpur Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2746L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Pulgusti Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

No. 2747L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accuring, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Banharishpur Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2748L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Banharishpur Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2749L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accuring, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Jujeswar Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2750L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Gobindapur Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2751L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accuring, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Gobindapur Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2752L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.-M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Jujeshwar Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2753L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Pulgusti Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2754L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.-M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Panchla Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2755L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Panchla Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2756L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Jagatballavpur Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2757L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Jagatballavpur Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2758L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Bargachia Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2759L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Bargachia Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2760L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Patihal Union, in the disirict of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

No. 2761L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Patihal Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2762L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Sikrahati Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2763L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Sikrahati Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2764L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Maju Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2765L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Maju Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2766L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1 (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Hatal Anantabati Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2767L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Hatal Anantabati Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

No. 2768L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Ulubaria Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2769L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Ulubaria Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2770L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Bagnan Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2771L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Bagnan Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2772L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Amta Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area, subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2773L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Amta Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2774L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Singti Union, in the district of Howrah, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Howrah.

No. 2775L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause *a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Singti Union, in the district of Howrah, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Birbhum.

No. 2781L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—The following draft of an order, which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 7th January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Labpur, in the district of Birbhum, into a Union:—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Birbhum ...	Dwarka ...	9	Chak Katukdanga	... 243	North—	
			Daudka	... 244	River Mor.	
			Durgapur	... 245	Pukuria	... 254
			Mahola	... 246	Naugaon	... 251
			Panj Ganatia or Patanpur	247	East—	
			Adityapur	... 248	Naugaon	... 251
			Arazi Naugaon	... 249	Pukuria	... 254
			Adityapur	... 250	Panchpara	... 257
			Sakpur	... 252	Tala or Talla	... 271
			Arazi Naugaon	... 253	South—	
			Saypur	... 273	Bhalash	... 213
					Ghattor	... 212
					Kurmaut, Kismut	... 280
					Dhandanga	... 279
					Aradanga	... 274
					Shah Alampur	... 275
					Sunajol	... 272
					West—	
					Lakhosa	... 238
					Saspur	... 240
					Kumudpur	... 241

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Dwarka Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

24-Parganas.

No. 2779L.S.-G.—The 15th November 1918.—The following draft of an order, which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 7th January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Basirhat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
24-Parganas	Sibhati-Sangrampur.	9	Sangrampur ... 113 Par Naihati ... 114 Umarkati ... 115 Chaura ... 116 Biramnagar ... 117 Nehalnagar ... 118 Chak Kamardanga ... 119 Alipur ... 120 Asathkati ... 121 Merudandi ... 122 Sibhati ... 123 Rangra ... 124 Prasannakati ... 125	North— Thana Baduria. East— Mauzas Gacha Ballabuhu (128), Mukundakati (127) and Akharpur (126). South— River Jamuna or Ichhamati. West— Part of thana Baduria and river Jamuna or Ichhamati.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Sibhati-Sangrampur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2784M.—The 18th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Dinajpur Municipality :—

Dinajpur.

The Civil Surgeon, *ex-officio.*
Maharaj-Kumar Jagadish Nath Ray.
Maulvi Yakinuddin Ahmad, B.L.
„ Kader Baksh, B.L.
Munshi Abdul Gaffur Khan
Babu Tanka Nath Chaudhuri.
„ Durga Kamal Sen.

No. 2786M.—The 18th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

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Babu Atul Krishna Bose, L.M.S.
„ Sukumar Sanyal.
Babu Jatindra Nath Ghoshal, L.M.S.
Saiyid Hamidun Nabi.
Maulvi Muhammad Sahidullah, M.A., B.L.

No. 2788M.—The 18th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Muktagacha Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of sections 265 and 273 (5) of that Act to the said Municipality.

Mymensingh.

No. 2798M.—The 18th November 1918.—The following draft order, which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Mymensingh.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 2nd January 1919, and any objection or suggestiou which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1881), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Muktagacha Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, made in pursuance of resolutions passed at meetings specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of sections 254 to 260A (inclusive) and section 274 of the said Act to the said Municipality.

This cancels all other notifications extending the provisions of any of these sections to any part of the said Municipality.

No. 2801M.—The 19th November 1918.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council proposes to make under section 241 (*4*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 2nd January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*4*) of section 241 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and at the request of the Commissioners of the Titagarh Municipality made at a meeting, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend section 241 of the said Act to the said Municipality.

No. 2803M.—The 19th November 1918.—The following draft order, which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 2nd January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Titagarh Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of section 273 (*1*) of Part VI of that Act to the said Municipality.

Nadia.

No. 2777M.—The 15th November 1918.—The following draft of by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Santipur Municipality under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of the Act, is published for the information of persons affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th January 1919, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

DRAFT BY-LAWS FOR THE SANTIPUR MUNICIPALITY UNDER SECTION 350 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884 (BENGAL ACT III OF 1884).

1. In these by-laws, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context.—

(*a*) "Carriage" includes also a motor car, and

(*b*) "Cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (Act I of 1871).

PENALTIES.

2. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

3. No owner of any vehicle drawn by an animal or animals shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under 16 years of age, or by any person who on account of age or infirmity is unable to exercise proper control over the animal or animals drawing the vehicle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

4. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

5. No person shall keep standing on any road any carriage or cart or any cattle in such a manner as to cause inconvenience or danger to the public or obstruction to the road, or shall keep them any time longer than may reasonably be required for loading or unloading, or for taking up or setting down passengers.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

6. No person shall leave any carriage or cart, or any cattle, on any road without a person in charge thereof, or shall keep them or any other moveable property on any road for more than a reasonable time without the permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

7. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin on any road shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10.

8. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquins, on any road between half an hour after sunset and half an hour before sunrise unless lights are provided as follows :—

(*a*) Every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side.

(*b*) Every cart must carry one conspicuous light.

(*c*) Every elephant, camel or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light.

(*d*) Every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front.

(*e*) Every herd of cattle must be accompanied by one conspicuous light carried by a man in front of the herd.

Fine, Rs. 50.

9. No person shall drive any motor car or ride any motor cycle or tricycle or bicycle on any road unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

10. No load in excess of twenty maunds shall be carried by any person in any cart without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

11. No person shall drive upon a road any carriage or cart laden with iron girders, rail beams, bullahs, bamboos, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed 12 feet in length and projecting beyond such carriage or cart unless the carriage or cart be accompanied by another person and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

12. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

13. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

14. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge or any road unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

15. No person shall drive upon a road at the same time more than two loaded pack animals.

Fine, Rs. 10.

16. No person shall drive a bullock cart on the centre of any road on which cart tracks are provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

17. No person shall ride or drive any cattle or drive any cart or carriage recklessly or furiously on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

18. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON FOOT-PATH.

19. No person shall wilfully drive or ride any cart, carriage, bicycle, horse or cattle on any foot-path or causeway made or set apart for the use of foot passengers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

20. No person shall abandon, or let loose, or negligently allow to get loose, any pigs on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

21. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose:

Provided that during the months of April, May and June, between the hours of 10 P.M. and 5 A.M., *khatias* may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to person using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

22. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners in writing, cause any obstruction on or near any road by exposing any articles for sale on such road or on any of its slopes, drains or side lands, or on any bridge or platform over a public drain adjoining such road.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

23. No person shall, plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, in writing.

Fine, Rs. 10.

24. No person shall without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

25. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

26. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building owned or occupied by him any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave or keep in any such building any opening or spout for the discharge of water in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road or into any drain in or near a road except through a downpipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

27. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for such purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

28. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

29. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

30. No person shall throw or place or cause to be thrown or placed on any road any broken glass, crockery, thorns or other things likely to cause injury to passengers, provided that such things may be placed directly on the conservancy carts or within receptacles approved by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

31. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

32. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

33. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dustbin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dustbin any papers, leaves, grass, wood or other materials.

Fine, Rs. 10.

34. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely covered receptacle of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

35. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill or clean the carcass of any cattle or poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

36. No person shall commit a nuisance by easing himself on or within sight of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

37. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of Act III (B.C.) of 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OFF OF FIREARMS, FIRE-WORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

38. No person shall let off any fire-arms, fire-works, fire-balloons or bombs except (1) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners in writing, and (2) on payment of the fees to be fixed by the Commissioners at a meeting.

Fine, Rs. 10.

This by-law shall not apply to the letting-off of harmless squibs or crackers.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCE IN REGARD TO PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, RIVERS, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

39. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing nets and the placing of fishing traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

40. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, drain, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

41. No person shall throw, deposit or discharge any rubbish, sewage or offensive matter into any river, stream, channel, drain, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

42. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala*, tank or water-course, which is a source of public water-supply, shall—

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners or any of their servants duly authorized in this behalf to have access to such *nala*, tank or water course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

43. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove them altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

44. The owner of every well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

45. No person shall bathe or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other article within a distance of 10 feet from the lowest platform of any public well or of any filtered water stand-pipe which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

46. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank, khal, ditch or water-course within municipal limits, whether public or private, any jute, hemp, bamboos or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

47. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious diseases.

Fine, Rs. 50.

48. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

49. No male person above twelve years of age shall remain on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing place which by order of the Commissioners at a meeting has been reserved for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

50. No person shall deposit night-soil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

51. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Fine, Rs. 50.

52. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier shall give free access to the servants of the municipality for the removal thereof, within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

53. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom once in every 24 hours any refuse or offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

54. No person shall deposit or cause to be deposited the carcasses of any animal in any place other than what may have been appointed by the Commissioners or in any place which they may have ordered to be closed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

55. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, remove the carcass at his own expense to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the conservancy overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

56. No male person above twelve years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

57. No person shall deposit or cause to be deposited in or on the side of any public drains any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drains.

Fine, Rs. 10.

58. No person shall construct or place over or by the side of any public drain, or upon any culvert, bridge or platform over that drain, any stall, buildings or structure of any kind except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

59. No person shall ease himself at the side of any drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CREMATION, BURIALS AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

60. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

61. No person shall, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road or bazar.

Fine, Rs. 10.

62. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

63. When lines for graves in any burial place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial place except in such a line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

64. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry unless the top of the coffin or (if no coffin is used) the corpse is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

65. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

66. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

67. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners in writing.

Fine, Rs. 50.

68. Any person burning or causing to be burnt any corpse at any burning ground or burning ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes or other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

69. Any person who conveys or causes to be conveyed any corpse to any burning ground or burning ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

70. Every Murdafarash (Dome) employed at a burning ghat shall keep the ghat neat and clean and in a proper state of sanitation.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCE AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

71. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, night-soil and other filth and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission therein nuisance affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10 : daily fine, Rs. 2.

72. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or matwali or person entrusted with the daily supervision or in charge of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place or any building or premises used in connection therewith in an insanitary condition.

Fine Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

73. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar, or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

74. Every person who keeps for sale any milk or any curd, *chhana*, butter, ghee, bread, sweetmeat or other prepared articles of food, and any vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

75. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

76. When places for the performance of offices of nature have been provided by the Commissioners no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any other place outside private premises.

Fine, Rs. 10.

77. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

78. Every owner or driver of a carriage, which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectant as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50.

79. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

80. No person shall abandon or let loose or allow to get loose any ferocious, dangerous, diseased or worn-out cattle or animal.

Fine Rs. 10.

81. No owner shall allow his cattle to lie on a public road between dusk and dawn.

Fine Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

BY-LAW GIVING EFFECT TO THE OBJECTS OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884, SECTION 103.

82. When a ticket, showing the number of the holding in the register and the circle within which the holding is situated, has been affixed to a holding by the municipal authorities and the same is disfigured, obliterated or removed, the owner or occupier of the holding shall, within two weeks from the time at which he becomes aware of the fact, report the matter to the Vice-Chairman.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS.

83. The by-laws which were confirmed in Government order No. 1431M., dated the 28th March and 10th April 1906, are hereby cancelled. Their cancellation, however, does not affect the rules sanctioned in that order for regulating the construction of buildings and private privies.

No. 2792M.—The 18th November 1918.—The following draft of by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Garden Reach Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of that Act, is published for the information of persons affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 2nd January 1919, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered.

DRAFT BY-LAWS FOR THE GARDEN REACH MUNICIPALITY UNDER SECTION 350 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884 (BENGAL ACT III OF 1884).

DEFINITIONS.

1. In these by-laws—

"carriage" includes also a motor-car; and

"cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871).

PENALTIES.

2. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

3. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Fine, Rs. 10.

4. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart, except, in the case of two carts, the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

5. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal or carrying a palanquin, on any road, shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Fine, Rs. 10.

6. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals or convey any palanquin, on any road, between half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows :—

(*a*) every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights, one on each side;

(*b*) every cart must carry one conspicuous light;

(*c*) every elephant, camel or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light;

(*d*) every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front;

Provided that this by-law shall not apply on nights of full moon or on the four nights before and after full moon, if and when the moon is clearly visible.

Fine, Rs. 50.

7. No person shall drive any motor-car, or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle, on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

8. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of twenty maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

9. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, beams, bullas, bamboos, planks, or other materials of a similar character which exceed twelve feet in length unless the cart be accompanied by another person, and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they cannot fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

11. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

12. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, take any elephant or camel along any road.

Fine, Rs. 50.

13. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

14. No person shall drive upon a road, at the same time, more than two loaded pack animals.

Fine, Rs 10.

15. No person riding or driving a mare on any road shall allow a foal to accompany the mare unless it is secured.

Fine, Rs. 10.

16. No person shall drive a bullock-cart on the centre of any road on which cart-tracks are provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

17. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON FOOT-PATHS.

18. No person shall wilfully drive or ride any cart, carriage, bicycle, horse or cattle on any foot-path set apart for the use of foot-passengers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

19. No person shall abandon, or let loose or negligently allow to get loose, any cattle, on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

20. No parent or guardian of any child below the age of seven years shall allow such child to play or wander about on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

21. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any article, or for any other private purpose :

Provided that, during the months of April, May and June between hours of 10 P.M. and 5 A.M., *khatias* may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to persons using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

22. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

23. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road, or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

24. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

25. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road or into any drain in or near a road, except through a downpipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drain.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

26. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

27. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way that it may fall on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

28. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

29. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

30. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

31. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

32. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dust-bin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dust-bin any paper, leaves, grass, wood or other material.

Fine, Rs. 10.

33. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely-covered receptacle of such description and pattern as are prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

34. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep after prohibition by the Commissioners, any tatti, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

35. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OF FIRE-ARMS, FIRE-WORKS, FIRE-BALLOONS OR BOMBS.

36. No person shall let off any fire-arms, fire-works, fire-balloons or bombs on or within one hundred yards of any road, except—

(*1*) (*i*) with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and

(*ii*) on payment of a fee of Re. 1 for any particular occasion as specified by the Commissioners on the permit.

Fine, Rs. 10.

(*2*) This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs or crackers.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF, AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO, PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, STREAMS, CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

37. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any nala or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing-traps in any such nala or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

38. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

39. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any nala or water-course which is a source of public water-supply shall—

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorized in this behalf, to have access to such nala or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

40. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slopes or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

41. The owner of every well which is a source of public water-supply shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

42. No person shall bathe, or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other article, within a distance of ten feet from the lowest platform of any public well (or of any filtered water stand-pipe which is used by the public).

Fine, Rs. 10.

43. Except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and under such conditions as they may from time to time prescribe, no person shall use any stand-pipe or fountain, belonging to the Commissioners, for any purpose other than drawing water—

(*a*) for drinking on the spot, or

(*b*) for carrying away for domestic purposes.

Fine, Rs. 10.

44. No person shall without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

45. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes, any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Fine, Rs. 50.

46. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Fine, Rs. 10.

47. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing-place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of females only.

Fine, Rs. 10.

48. No person shall use for any other purpose any drinking trough which is intended for watering cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

49. No person shall deposit night-soil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

50. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human-excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Fine, Rs. 50.

51. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the Municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

52. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter, which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

53. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death, or, if the death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the Conservancy Overseer of the Ward within which such premises are situated.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINES.

54. No male person above twelve years of age, except the Municipal inspecting officers for purposes of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in this behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

55. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or on the side of any public drain, any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

56. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of any public drain, any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

57. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Fine, Rs. 10.

58. No person, while conveying a corpse, shall, except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

59. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Fine, Rs. 10.

60. When lines for graves in any burial place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial place except in such a line.

Fine, Rs. 50.

61. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Fine, Rs. 50.

62. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

63. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

64. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

65. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning ground or burning ghât, shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

66. Any person who conveys, or causes to be conveyed, any corpse to any burning ground or burning ghât shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghât,

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

67 Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within forty-eight hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, night-soil and other filth, and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; daily fine, Rs. 2.

68. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawalli, or person entrusted with the daily supervision, or in charge of any public place of charity or worship shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith in an insanitary condition.–

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

69. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish or vegetable shop, or a market, bazar or slaughter-house, shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

70. No person shall sell fish or expose fish for sale in any part of the Municipal market except on the paved floor specially set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10.

71. Every baker or confectioner who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food and every vendor or hawker of such articles shall keep the same in a glass case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

72. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market, no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Fine, Rs. 10.

73. No person shall make any aerated water or ice for the purpose of sale without first boiling the water.

Fine, Rs. 50.

74. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease.

Fine, Rs 50.

75. Every owner or driver of a carriage, which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Fine, Rs. 50

76. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10 ; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

77. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

78. No person shall, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, beat a drum or tom-tom or blow any high-sounding instrument after 10 P.M. or before 6 A.M.

Fine, Rs. 10.

BY-LAW GIVING EFFECT TO THE OBJECTS OF SECTION 103 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884.

79. When a ticket, showing the number of the holding on the register and the circle within which the holding is situated, has been affixed to a holding by the Municipal authorities, and the same is disfigured, obliterated or removed, the owner or occupier of the holding shall, within two weeks from the time at which he becomes aware of the fact, report the matter to the Vice-Chairman.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS.

80. The by-laws which were confirmed by Government order No. 3847M., dated the 8th September 1896, are hereby cancelled.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention to re-align the general line of buildings on either side of the portion of public street known as Diamond Harbour Road between Circular Garden Reach Road and the point where the Improvement Trust's proposed Public Street No. XXX branches off from Diamond Harbour Road and on either side of the public streets known as Mominpur Lane, Dent Mission Road and Ekbalpur Road where they meet Diamond Harbour Road in ward No. 24, and to abandon the alignment of the remaining portion of Diamond Harbour Road, and no objection having been received with 30 days from the date of publication of such notice, made an order under section 350 (4) of Act III (B. C.) of 1899 on the 31st day of October 1918 defining the said lines and abandoning a portion as aforesaid in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 30th day of August 1918 (in supersession of the lines defined by the General Committee on the 19th January 1906, 1st May 1908, 8th May 1908 and 31st August 1916, respectively).

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 15th November 1918.*

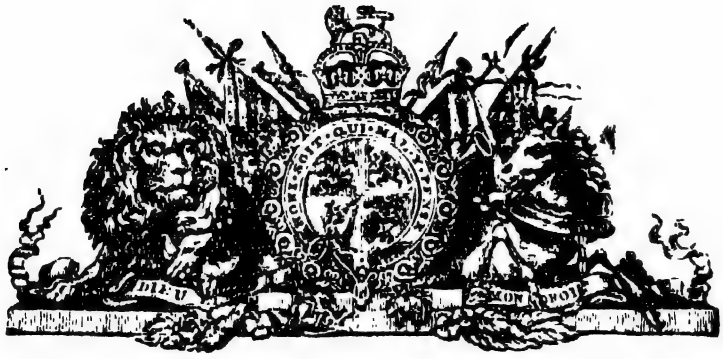
CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention to define the general line of buildings on either side of the public street known as Prinsep Street from Wellington Street to Chandney Chouk Street and from Metcalfe Lane to Bentinck Street in Ward No. X and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, made an order under section 350 (4) of Act III (B. C.) of 1899, on the 7th day of November 1918, defining the said line in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 19th day of September 1918.

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman of the Corporation.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 18th November 1918.*



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final Examination in Law, held in August 1918:—

SECOND DIVISION.

(*In alphabetical order*).

Registered No. 2777 of 1911-12, Chattopadhyay, Satyakinkar (Roll Cal. 52). University Law College.

Registered No. 2675 of 1910, Mukhopadhyay, Baidyanath (Roll Cal. 135). University Law College.

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 14th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATUM.

In the list of candidates who passed the Intermediate Examination in Law, held in August 1918, in the Second Division, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918

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Ghosh, Sudhansumohan ... University Law College

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A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 14th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

PLEADERS' SURVEY CLASSES, 1919.

1. Classes for the training of Pleaders in Surveying will be opened in January and February 1919 in connection with the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, the Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipur, the Dacca School of Engineering, and the Survey School at Cuttack, provided sufficient candidates register their names at each centre.

2. The course will last for six weeks and will consist of practical work combined with class instruction. The routine and hours of attendance will be settled by the heads of the institutions, who will also decide the exact locality in which the classes will be held and the date of the opening.

3. Pleaders must make their own arrangements for attending this course. No tents or other residential accommodation will be provided.

4. Credit for attendance at these classes will not be given unless the pleader has been present for 80 per cent. of the working days and for the full working hours of each day.

5. Any candidate who desires to undergo the course of training must apply to the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than 30th November. His application must be endorsed by the District Judge. It should state the centre which the candidate wishes to join, *i.e.*, Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, and should be accompanied by a remittance receipt from the local treasury certifying that the fee of Rs. 100 has been paid into the treasury to the credit of the Engineering College.

6. The Secretary will allot candidates to the centres, consulting their wishes as far as possible, giving not more than 34 and not less than 8 to a centre. He will then inform the heads of the institutions of the names and addresses of the candidates registered at their centre, and they will inform the candidates as to the locality and the date of opening.

7. The following is the syllabus of instruction. No definite text-books are prescribed :—

(*a*) Practical work—

Chain surveying, prismatic compass surveying, plane tabling and levelling.

(*b*) Class work—

Use of mathematical instruments.		Variation of compass.
Construction of scales	...	Preparation of field books from maps.
Mensuration of areas	...	Elementary principle of levelling.
Plotting ...	...	Plotting of level sections.

Candidates who obtain the required percentage of attendance at this course of instruction are qualified to appear at the Practical Examination held in 1920, 1921 and 1922.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,

and Secy. to the Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 5th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF PLEADERS IN SURVEYING.

(*See* Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909.)

(*Modified in Government Notification No. 320J.D., dated 16th July 1914.*)

1. The next examination will be held in February 1919 and will be conducted at the following centres (provided that not less than five names be registered at each centre) :—Sibpur and Dacca, in Bengal, and Bankipur and Cuttack, in Bihar and Orissa.

2. Each examination is complete in itself. A candidate will be required to pass by every test and will not be exempted from any test on the ground that he has previously satisfied the examiner in it.

3. Candidates practising in the Courts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions will be required to present themselves at Sibpur, in Orissa at Cuttack, in Patna, Tirhoot, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions at Bankipur, and in Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions at Dacca.

4. In the event of more than 20 or less than 5 names being registered for examination at any one centre, the Secretary may direct the candidates to present themselves at any other centre.

5. No candidate will be admitted to the examination unless he has been enrolled as a Pleader and

(*i*) has obtained credit for attendance at the special course of instruction at Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, in 1915, 1916, 1917 or 1918, and has not previously appeared at the examination more than twice, or

(*ii*) has been registered for admission to the Intermediate Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University, or

(*iii*) has passed the Sub-Overseer Examination, or

(*iv*) has obtained the Surveyor's certificate of one of the Government Survey Schools, or

(*v*) has been specially exempted from the operation of this rule by the Board controlling the examination.

6. Candidates wishing to appear at the examination will apply upon the prescribed registration form, obtain the necessary countersignature of the District Judge in whose Court he is enrolled, and forward the same so as to reach the Secretary of the Examination Board at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than the 11th January 1919. The form may be had from the Principal, Civil Engineering College.

7. Each application must be accompanied by a receipt from the local treasury certifying to the receipt of the examination fee of Rs. 50, *which fee will in no case be returned.*

8. The exact date of the examination and the proposed programme will be published in the Calcutta, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam Gazettes.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,

and Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 5th November 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified for general information that a Special Islamic Matriculation Examination for the students who have completed the Senior Madrasa Course sanctioned under Government Resolution No. 450T.G., dated the 31st July 1914, will be held at Dacca on Monday, the 21st April 1919, and the following days. The examination will be conducted in accordance with the rules given below.

2. Candidates from recognized Madrasas should submit their applications for permission to appear at the examination, through the heads of their institutions, together with the examination fee of Rs. 15 to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education by the 28th February 1919.

3. Applications from male private candidates for permission to appear at the examination should be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction by the 15th January 1919.

4. Applications from female candidates for permission to appear at the examination should be submitted to the Director of Public Instruction by the 31st January 1919.

5. Male private candidates and female candidates should not send their examination fees until permission is granted to them to appear at the examination.

6. Forms of application may be obtained from the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

Regulations for the Special Islamic Matriculation Examination.

1. The examination shall be held once a year at Dacca on the dates to be notified by the Director of Public Instruction in the official Gazette.

2. Ordinarily, only students who have studied for at least one school year in a Madrasa or other school approved for the purpose by the Director of Public Instruction shall be admitted to the examination. Females and other private candidates who can satisfy the Director of Public Instruction that they have been under satisfactory tuition and discipline for at least one year prior to the examination may also, for special reasons, be admitted to the examination on permission being obtained from the Director of Public Instruction.

3. No one shall be admitted to the examination unless he shall have completed the age of 16 years on the first day of the month in which the examination commences.

4. Every candidate for the examination will have to produce satisfactory certificates, (1) of good character, (2) of diligent and regular study, (3) of having passed the periodical tests (if at school), and (4) of probability of passing.

5. Every candidate for the examination must send his application in the form prescribed by the Education Department, and must pay an examination fee of Rs. 15.

6. The examination shall be conducted by means of printed papers. The number of papers to be set, the number of marks to be allotted to each paper, and the duration of the examination shall be as shown below :—

					Marks.
1st day ...	English	Paper I	... 3 hours	...	100
	English	„ II	... 3 „	...	100
2nd day ...	Arithmetic and Geometry	„ I	... 3 „	...	100
	Indian History ...	„ I	... 2 „	...	70
	Vernacular ...	„ I	... 1 „	...	30
3rd day ...	Arabic—Language ...	„ I	... 3 „	...	100
	Arabic—Literature ...	„ II	... 3 „	...	100
4th day ...	Kalam	„ I	... 2 „	...	70
	Fiqh	„ I	... 2 „	...	70
	Logic	„ I	... 2 „	...	60
		10 papers.			800

7. In order to pass the examination a candidate must obtain 30 per cent. of the maximum number of marks in each subject and 35 per cent. of the total in the aggregate.

8. Candidates who obtain 60 per cent. of the total number of marks in the aggregate shall be placed in the first division, and those who obtain 40 per cent. shall be placed in the second division.

9. Until the Dacca University is in a position to make its own regulations all other matters connected with the examination shall be regulated by the Director of Public Instruction.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction
for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

ERRATA.

IN the list of text-books published in Part IC of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 6th November 1918—

(1) *Read* on pages 843 and 891, under Anthologies of verse—India in Song. T. O. D. Dunn (Oxford University Press), *for* India in Song. T. O. D. Dunn. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

(2) *Read* on pages 837 and 886, under English Literature, Grammar and Composition—The Reformed Series of English Books for Indian Schools with Teachers' Books. J. A. Yates. (Longmans, Green & Co.), *for* the Reformed Series of English Books for Indian Schools, (Longmans, Green & Co.)

(3) *Read* on pages 837 and 886, under English Literature, Grammar and Composition—The Oxford Readers Reformed Series for India with Teachers' Books (Oxford University Press), *for* Reformed Series of Readers for India with Teachers' Books (Oxford University Press).

(4) *Read* on page 883, under Geography for Middle Classes (Standards V and VI)—Bhugol Reader for Standards V and VI (revised). Girish Chandra Basu (Ghosh & Co., Calcutta). As. 6, *for* Bhugol Reader for Standards V and VI (revised). Girish Candra Basu. (The author). As. 6.

(5) *Read* on page 883, under Geography for Upper Primary Classes, Standards III and IV—Bhugol Reader for Standards III and IV (revised). Girish Chandra Basu (Ghosh & Co., Calcutta). As. 5, *for* Bhugol Reader for Standards III and IV (revised). Girish Chandra Basu. (The author.) As. 5.

(6) *Read* on page 883, under Science Readers for Middle Classes, Standards V and VI—Bijnan Reader for Standards V and VI. Girish Chandra Basu (Ghosh & Co., Calcutta). As. 7, *for* Bijnan Reader for Standards V and VI. Girish Chandra Basu. (N. C. Dutta & Co.) As. 7.

(7) *Read* on page 884, under Science Readers for Upper Primary Classes, Standards III and IV—Bijnan Reader for Standards III and IV. Girish Chandra Basu (Ghosh & Co, Calcutta). As. 4, *for* Bijnan Reader for Standards III and IV. Girish Chandra Basu (N C. Dutta & Co.). As. 4.

(8) *Read* on page 897, under Mathematics for High School Classes—Elements of Arithmetic. Rai Bahadur B. V. Gupta. (Ghosh & Co., Calcutta), *for* Elements of Arithmetic. B. V. Gupta. Elements of Arithmetic (N. C. Dutta), on page 897, is cancelled.

(9) *Read* on page 873, under Bengali Literature for Vernacular Schools, Class II—Saral Sahitya. Jyotirmayee Gupta. (Chandra Kanta Chakravarti.) As. 4, *for* Saral Sahitya. Jyoti Mohan Gupta. (Chandra Kanta Chakravarti.) As. 4.

(10) *Read* on page 857, under Bengali Literature for Class V—Suniti Bikash, Part I. Jibendra Kumar Datta. (Swarna Kumar Datta.) As. 6-6, *for* Sahitya Bikash, Part I. Jibendra Kumar Datta. (Swarna Kumar Datta.) As. 6-6.

(11) *Read* on page 849, under Mathematics for High School Classes—Model Arithmetic, Parts I and II. P. N. Kali. (Author.) Re. 1-8, *for* Modern Aritlimetic. P. N. Kali. (Author.) Re. 1-8.

(12) *Read* on page 861, under Bengali Literature for Class II—Shishutosh, Part II. Sarat Kumar Roy. (Indian Press, Allahabad, and Indian Publishing House, Calcutta.) As. 2-6, *for* Sishutosh, Part II. Sarat Kumar Roy. (Indian Press, Allahabad, and Indian Publishing House, Calcutta.) As. 4.

(13) *Read* on page 862, under Bengali Literature for Class I—Sishutosh, Part I. Sarat Kumar Roy. (Indian Press, Allahabad, and Indian Publishing House, Calcutta.) As. 2, *for* Shishutosh, Part I. Sarat Kumar Roy. (Indian Press, Allahabad, and Indian Publishing House, Calcutta.) As. 2-6.

(14) Sachitra Sisuranjan Sahitya, Part II. Nalini Kanta Bhattasali. (The Author.) As. 5, is approved as a text-book for use in Class III of High English, Middle English and Vernacular Schools in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions for the year 1919

(15) Elementary Grammar through Composition. J. D. Rose. (George Philip & Sons.) 1s., on page 844, under Grammar and Composition, is cancelled.

J. W. GUNN,
for *Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 14th November 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2T.B.—In continuation of this office Notification No. 1T.B., dated the 29th October 1918, the following supplementary list of text-books on Hygiene, approved for use in all Government and recognized schools, both English and Vernacular, in the Presidency of Bengal, for the year 1919, is published for general information. *This cancels all lists of approved books on Hygiene (for teachers) published before* :—

A.—Text-books for supplementary use in—

(*i*) Classes III and IV of High Schools in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, and in

(*ii*) Classes VII and VIII of High Schools in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions.

Any one of the following :—

1. Science of Health. H. H. Pratt. (Oxford University Press, Bombay.)
2. A Health Reader for Indian High Schools. P C. Wren. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1.
3. Physiology and Hygiene for Standard IV. (Teachers' Hand Book.) J. R. Williamson. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
4. Manual of Hygiene. (Revised edition.) Dr. C. Banks. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-8.

N.B.—These books may be used with profit also in the Training Colleges.

B.—Text-books for use in—

(*i*) Standards V and VI of Middle Schools in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions,

(*ii*) Classes V and VI of High Schools in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions,

(*iii*) Classes VI and VII of Vernacular Schools in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions,

(*iv*) Classes V and VI of High and Middle English Schools in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions,

(*v*) Classes V and VI of Junior Madrasahs in Bengal, and in

(*vi*) First Grade Training Schools and Normal Schools in Bengal.

Any one of the following :—

1. Bengali Text-book on Hygiene and Domestic Economy. Dr. C Banks and Haridhan Dutt. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.

2. Garhasthya Swasthya Niti, Part III. Lt. P. Choudhury, M.B., I.M.S. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

3. Swasthya Tattwa, Part II. Rai Harinath Ghosh Bahadur, M.D. (Author.) As. 9.

N.B.—These books are also intended for the corresponding classes of Girls' Schools in Bengal.

C.—Text-books for use in—

(*i*) Standard IV of Middle and Upper Primary Schools in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions,

(*ii*) Class VII-A of High Schools in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions,

(*iii*) Class V of Vernacular Schools in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions,

(*iv*) Class IV of High and Middle English Schools in the Dacca Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions, and in

(*v*) Guru and Muallim Training Schools in Bengal.

Any one of the following :—

1. Village Sanitation (Palligrame Svasthyaraksha). (Revised edition.) Dr. Kamakhya Charan Banerjee. (Asoke Chandra Banerjee.) As. 3.

2. Swasthya Bijnan. Jaharlal Das, L.M.S., and Sarat Chandra Brahmachari, M.A., B.T. (Broiendra Mohan Datta, Students' Library, Calcutta.) As. 5.

3. Garhasthya Swasthya Niti, Part II. Lt. P. Choudhury, M.B., I.M.S. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 3-6.

4. Swasthyer Katha (for boys). Girish Chandra Basu. (Ghosh & Co., Calcutta.) As. 3.

5. Swasthya Tattwa, Part I. Rai Harinath Ghosh Bahadur, M.D. (Author.) As. 5.

6. Bengali Text Book on Hygiene and Domestic Economy. Dr. C. Banks and Haridhan Datta. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 2-6.

7. Swasthya O Grihasthalir Katha (for girls). Girish Chandra Basu. (Ghosh & Co., Calcutta.) A. 1.

8. Easy Lessons in Hygiene, Standards III and IV. Rai Dinanath Sanyal Bahadur, B.A., M.B. (S. C. Saniel & Co.) As. 4.

N.B.—These books are also intended for the corresponding classes of Girls' Schools in Bengal.

D.—In Lower Primary schools and in the corresponding classes of High, Middle Upper Primary Schools in this Presidency lessons on Hygiene should be entirely oral. These lessons should take the form of talks on the following or similar topics :—

(*a*) The necessity for personal cleanliness.

(*b*) The necessity for keeping rooms clean.

(*c*) The necessity for pure water, fresh air, sunlight and ventilation, the danger of shutting up sleeping-rooms.

(*d*) The danger of insanitary and dirty habits such as spitting.

(*e*) The necessity of exercise.

(*f*) Some information as to how simple complaints—wounds, snake-bites, burns, etc., should be treated; how a drowning person should be handled, etc.

The teaching must proceed not merely by precept but by example. The first essential then is that the teacher himself should be a man of healthy and clean habits; the second that the school should be well ventilated and scrupulously clean; the teacher should also insist that every child who comes to school must be clean and tidy.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,

Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

A State Scholarship of £200 per annum tenable in the United Kingdom by European and Anglo-Indian Girls or Women domiciled in India.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the above scholarship. The scholarship will be granted for educational or medical training and will be tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries for a period of three to five years. It will, however, be granted in the first instance for three years. The scholarship will carry with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectation of such employment is held out.

2. The term "educational training" will be held to include (*a*) training of a secondary character for the teaching profession, (*b*) training in one or more branches of domestic sciences, (*c*) training as teachers of modern European languages, (*d*) training as music mistresses, (*e*) training as art teachers, (*f*) training in Kindergarten methods.

3. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates are requested to make application to the Inspector of European Schools, No. 8, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, from whom further particulars may be obtained, in time to reach the Director of Public Instruction not later than the 1st of February 1919. The applications should be accompanied by (1) evidence of having obtained a degree of an Indian University. Music scholars who have passed the European High School Examination or some equivalent standard of general education and have secured the highest certificate in music obtainable in India will be eligible for the scholarship; (2) a medical certificate of physical fitness to undergo abroad the course of study proposed; (3) a certificate of age; (4) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that she is a native of India within the meaning of Statute 33 Vict., cap. 3. section 6, and that her parents are not resident in India for temporary purposes only; (5) the names, addresses and other particulars of the candidate's friends or relatives in the United Kingdom willing to receive her during vacations; and (6) full details including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of her academic carrer in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed in the United Kingdom.

4. The term "Native of India" is not to be interpreted as excluding a person who, though born in a Native State or temporarily residing in a Native State, is domiciled in British India.

5. The selected scholar will be provided with a second class passage to England, and also with a second class return passage if she carries out the instructions of the Secretary of State and completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness, to return, within that period.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,

Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,

The 19th November 1918.

NOTIFICATION.

A State Scholarship of £200 or £250 per annum for European and Anglo-Indian Boys domiciled in India.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the above scholarship for the year 1919. The scholarship will be awarded for the purposes of general study and will be tenable for three or four years in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries. It carries with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectations of such employment are held out. The value of the scholarship will be £250 when held in a College at Oxford or Cambridge; otherwise £200.

2. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among the candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates are requested to forward their applications to the Inspector of European Schools, Bengal, No. 8, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, from whom further particulars may be obtained, in time to reach the Director of Public Instuction not later than the 1st February 1919. The application should be accompanied by (1) evidence of the candidate having passed the European High School Examination or obtained a degree of an Indian University; (2) a certificate of the candidate's age being over 18 years and under 21 years on the 31st March 1919; (3) a medical certificate of physical fitness to undergo a course of study abroad; (4) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that he is a native of India within the meaning of Statute 33 Vict., cap. 3, section 6; and (5) full details, including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of his academic career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed in the United Kingdom.

3. The term "Native of India" in paragraph 2 above is not to be interpreted as excluding a person who, though born in a Native State or temporarily residing in a Native State, is domiciled in British India.

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W. C. WORDSWORTH,

Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,

The 19th November 1918.

CITY AND GUILDS OF LONDON INSTITUTE.

DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY.

TECHNOLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS, 1918.

List of Candidates who have passed the Examinations held in Bengal, May 1918.

Examination number.	Candidate's name.	Subject of examination.	Grade or section.	Class
1	Surendra Mohan Dutta ...	Cotton Spinning ...	I	1
2	Lalit Mohan De ...	Ditto ...	I	2
3	Sourindra Prosad Sinha ...	Ditto ...	I	2
4	Satis Chandra Modak ...	Ditto ...	I	1
5	S. K. Raman ...	Ditto ...	I	1
7	Arunoday Ghosh ..	Ditto ...	I	2
8	Hari Pada Khan ...	Ditto ...	II	1
9	Jacob Mordecai ..	Ditto ...	II	1
10	Binoy Kumar Chakravarty ...	Jute Spinning ...	I	1
11	Nalinaksha Banerji ...	Ditto ...	I	1
13	Nalinaksha Banerji ...	Silk Weaving ...	I	1
15	Md. Shamsul Huque ...	Principles of Art ...	I	2
18	Shamsul Huque ...	Plain and Fancy Cotton Weaving.	I	1
19	M. Saleh Ahmed ...	Ditto ...	I	2
21	Joaquim Rangel ...	Ditto ...	I	1
22	S. K. Raman ...	Ditto ...	I	1
23	Adwaita Chandra Das ...	Ditto ...	I	1
24	Satis Chandra Modak ...	Ditto ...	I	1
25	Prabhudas Kujur ...	Ditto ...	I	1
27	Ashutosh Law ...	Ditto ...	I	2

Examination number.	Candidate's name.	Subject of examination.	Grade or section	Class
28	Tarit Bhusan Routh ...	Plain and Fancy Cotton Weaving.	I	1
29	Lalit Mohan De ...	Ditto ...	I	2
30	Cresswell Ghose ...	Ditto ...	II	2
31	Satis Chandra Modak ...	Ditto ...	II	1
32	Hari Pada Khan ...	Ditto ...	II	1
33	Rajani Kanta Nath ...	Ditto ...	II	2
36	Herbert Maxwell Ghosh ...	Ditto ...	I	2
37	Jacob Mordecai ...	Ditto ...	II	1
39	Panchanan Ghosh ...	Ditto ...	II	2
40	Noel M. Bocarro ...	Ditto ...	Final sec. B.	1
42	Shamsul Huque ...	Cotton Spinning ...	I	2
59	Indra K. Singha ...	Principles of Leadwork	Final	2
65	G. S. A. Gandom ...	Telegraphy ...	I	2
66	David M. Elias ...	Typography (section II)	II	1
67	Prafulla Chandra Ganguly ...	Structural Engineering	I	2
69	Fred. William Newson ...	Mechanical Engineering (Division I).	I	P
73	Monindra Nath Chatterji ...	Ditto ...	I	P
84	Profulla Chandra Ganguly ...	Ditto ...	I	P

N B —Binoy Kumar Chakravarty has attained the standard of a Second Bronze Medallist in Grade I of Jute Spinning

PRIZES.

The following prizes are awarded to local candidates by the Calcutta Examination Committee on the results of the City and Guilds of London Institute Technological Examinations, 1918 :—

Examination number.	Candidate's name	Subject or subjects	Amount of prize.
			Rs.
9, 37	Jacob Mordecai ...	Cotton Spinning, Grade II, and Plain and Fancy Cotton Weaving, Grade II.	15
5, 22	S. K. Raman ...	Cotton Spinning, Grade I, and Plain and Fancy Cotton Weaving, Grade I.	15
28	Tarit Bhusan Routh ...	Plain and Fancy Cotton Weaving, Grade I.	10
10	Binoy Kumar Chakravarty.	Jute Spinning, Grade I ...	10
69	Fred William Newson	Mechanical Engineering, Division I, Grade I.	10
66	David M. Elias ...	Typography (Section II), Grade II	10

W. H. EVERETT,

Offg. Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical and Industrial Institutions, Bengal, and Secretary, Local Committee for the City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

CALCUTTA, *the 19th November 1918*

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1918.

PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab-Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on the 21st day of December 1918, corresponding with the 6th of Paus 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and acres. B. K. Ch.	A. R. P.	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Gho asal.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto.
3	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	1 3 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 0	0 0 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 3	0 1 24	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ..	0 10 13	0 1 12	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do ...	Ditto ...	25	Do .	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 2	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold.
18	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	2 0 15	0 2 26	Ditto ditto.
19	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 18 0	0 1 5	Ditto ditto.
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 32	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto ..	25	Do	0 0 15	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
23	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 3	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold.
24	Do	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 3	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest is to be sold.

Dacca, the 25th October 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
491	Estate Joypur, ph. Bhuihara.	2,770 11 8	No ...	8a. 3g. 3c. 1kr. 1½d. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Maihuddin Ahamed Chaudhury. Bibirou Nesa. Mahiuddin Ahamed Chaudhury.	1,418 13 1	.....	166 1 0

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 16th November 1918.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
126	Estate Sidhoto, pargana Baragaon.	4,757 2 8	No ...	2 annas residue share ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chowdhury	594 10 4	.....	62 9 6

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th November 1918.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
122	Estate Bhadail T. No. 122, pargana Baragaon.	5,171 9 6	No ...	½ annas residue share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chaudhury.	646 7 1	.....	65 10 7

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th November 1918.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

SALE NOTICE.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dacca, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 6th January 1919, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
31	Pargana Durgapur, Ram Kishore Bose.	5,849 14 0	... ...	S. A. No. I, Hissya 2as 7gds. 3kr. 1kt. 17til. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale S. A. Nos. 2 to 26 and the residuary share amounting to 13as. 12gds. 1kt. 3til.	Sachirani Choudhurani and others.	913 4 5	.....	2 0 13 0
61	Pargana Mokimabad, Iswar Lakhi Narain Thakur.	7,067 2 0	.....	Residue 2as. share of Part III (remaining kismat). All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale. S. A. Nos. 1 to 7, 16as. share of Part I, viz., kismats Narendrapur, Charpara, Banda, Lakhibilash, Dhanpur, Tanbazar, Uttikandi, Tarup, Sugardi, 16as. of Part II, kismat Gangkul. Part III, 14as. share of the remaining kismat.	Rai Chandra Kumar Datta Bahadur and Babu Brindabau Chandra Basak, Receiver, Estate Syampyari Dassya.	904 3 5	.....	43 1 0
9018	Pargana Nasti, kismat Sallya in char Mirpur.	961 0 0	.....	Residue, hissya 12as. 9gds. 3kr. 8til. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale. S. A. No. I, hissya 3as. 10gds. 2kt. 12til.	Ebadali Khan and others	750 2 6	.....	10 2 3
9064	Pargana Nasti, kismat Bargaz in char Jalua Kamta.	5,070 4 0	.....	Residue, hissya 5as. 10gds. 3kr. 2til. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale. 10as. 9gds. 2kt. 18til share.	Bhaja Gobinda Saha and others, settlement holders for 15 years from 1st April 1915 to 31st March 1930.	2,168 11 7	.....	11 13 15
9432	Pargana Sindhri char Baghutia.	5,692 0 0	16 annas...	.....	Nalini Kanta Bhattacherjee and others.	.....	3,000 0 0	.....
9762	Pargana Baradakhat, char Delwarpur.	9,537 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bepin Behari Saha Sardar and others.	.....	447 4 0	.....
10896	Surplus to mauza Ramnagar *alias* Semibad.	811 5 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Saday Chandra Rai Chaudhuri and others, settlement-holder's for 15 years from 1st April 1916 to 31st March 1931.	.....	62 8 0	.....
11046	Surplus to mauza Silai	630 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Ananda Chandra Kundu and others, settlement holders for 15 years from 1st April 1915 to 31st March 1930.	.....	125 8 4	.....
13846	Pargana Nasti, parcel of land excluded from No. 10804.	564 8 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakraverty and others, settlement-holders for 15 years from 1st April 1915 to 31st March 1930.	... ...	1 8 3	...
14691	Maharaja Surja Kanta Acherjee Bahadur, 8 annas of estate No. 10802.	728 0 0	16 ,, ...	.....	Raja Sashi Kanta Acherjee Bahadur, settlement-holder for 15 years from 1st April 1915 to 31st March 1930	... ...	1,297 0 0	.....

Dacca Collectorate, the 15th November 1918.

S. G HARE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th December 1918, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1918, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and parganas.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
397	Thana Raozan, Patiya, Town, Satkania. Kismat Ambica Babait, Taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 5 6	Whole ...	.....	Sm. Bama Sundari Lala, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	221 4 0	.....
401	Thana Fatickcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Raozan, Patiya, Town. Kismat Balaram Sarcar, Babait Taraf Sonaullah Khan.	1,043 6 0	.....	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar and others.	.....	188 13 0	.....
472	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town, Fatickcheri, Taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 6 annas will be sold, excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 with an extent of interest 8-0-12½ krantis and Jama Rs. 1,226-14-6 and unpaid share No. 3 with an extent of interest 1-11-7½ krantis and jama of Rs. 299-2-7.	Himaagshu Bimal Rai and Ramesh Chandra Rai and others.	932 8 6	.....	248 15 0
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Raozan, Town, Taraf Inam Alup.	2,265 15 8	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 10 annas will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 with an extent of interest 5-4 pies and jama Rs. 757-10-10.	Sm. Mahamaya Ramdhan Chaudhuri and others.	1,508 8 10	.....	190 1 9
1242	Thana Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, according to recent survey Anwara Taraf, Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Abdul Raup Khan, Sm. Bia Bibi.	.....	206 15 0	.....
1379	Thana Satkania, according to recent survey Banskhali and Patiya Taraf Joy Ram Chowdhury.	1,416 5 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 share No. 1 with an extent of interest 8 annas belonging to Sarada Kripa Lala will be sold excluding the paid up residue share and jama Rs. 708-2-9.	Sarada Kripa Lala, on behalf of Sri Sri Raghu Nath Chakra.	708 2 9	.....	210 3 9
1652	Thana Raozan, out-post Rangania, Taraf Kame Fernandez.	1,640 5 3	Whole ...	.....	Ram Govinda Bahadur, Sasti Charan Bahadur.	.....	486 15 0	.....
1742	Thana Patiya, Satkania, Taraf Mahammad Ali, Rustum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act IX of 1859 residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding unpaid share No. 1 with an interest 4 annas and Jama Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta and others; Upendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	2,612 6 8	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1, with an extent of interest 4 annas belonging to Krishna Chandra Gupta will be sold excluding the unpaid residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas and jama Rs. 2,612-6-8 pies.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 8 2
1895	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Taraf Mahammad Rafi Khansama.	926 14 0	Whole ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	182 6 4	.....

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3054	Thana Raozan, Hathazari, Patiya Town and Fatickcheri, taraf Sib Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 2 2	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 with an extent of interest 8-4-19 krantis belonging to Pratap Chandra Rai will be sold excluding unpaid sources Nos. 4, 5 with an extent of interest 2-10-[illegible] with jama Rs. 520-4-8 pies and paid up shares 1, 3 6-17 and residue share with an extent of interest 9-9-[illegible] krantis and jama Rs. 1,793-11-8.	Kamal Kumar Rai ...	628 1 10	...	186 7 9
33500	Thana Satkania, mauza Padua Kaimi Taluk Krishna Chandra Gupta, Daroga, c-o Ram Mohan Gupta of Padua.	1,637 3 0	Whole ...	.....	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, manager on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta, manager, on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	.....	251 2 0	.....

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1918.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 16th December, the undermentioned estate or shares of estate in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 12 noon, for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
		Rs. A. P.		A. P.		Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3186 / 3	Begamabad, pargana Begamabad.	...	No ...	2 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Devendra Narayan Singha.	2,373 15	...	95 10 1	Attached under orders of the Sub-Judge of Nadia, dated the 17th April 1917. 95 10 1

Krishnagar, the 15th November 1918.

RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJI, *for* Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 11th November 1918.

LIABILITIES.

			Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up			2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	Rs. 2,26,00,000	0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000	0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...			67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs. 2,88,85,750	2 0			
Ditto ditto at Branches	„ 1,56,23,133	4 8	3,95,08,883	6	8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches			28,00,85,769	6	7
Bank Post Bills, etc.			9,20,641	13	7
Sundries			80,10,355	15	6
			36,61,25,650	10	4

ASSETS

			Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities			6,22,87,804	0	0
Other authorized Investments			1,41,96,714	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities			10,94,53,771	11	4
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...			5,92,10,575	8	2
Bills discounted and purchased			1,97,56,436	12	9
Balances with other Banks			53,98,381	9	4
Bullion			.....		
Dead Stock			28,10,213	5	0
Stamps			11,731	14	0
Sundries			21,55,129	0	7
			27,52,75,857	12	11
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 2,50,57,533	8 0			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs. 6,57,92,259	10 5	9,08,49,792	13	5
			36,61,25,650	10	4

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs; value Rs 8,77,175 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 5,31,495 0 0

Rs. 9,08,670 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 6 per cent.
Percentage 28·08

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 14th November 1918.

H. FISHER, Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer.

(2735—1)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 23rd day of November 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the decree made by the said High Court in Suit No. 630 of 1914 (Isur Chunder Shaha *versus* Baney Madhab Dass), and dated, respectively, the 26th August 1914 and the 13th May 1918, the undermentioned property :—

Lot No. 1.—All that the one-storied brick-built house and premises together with the piece of land thereto belonging, containing by measurement, 4 cottahs 15 chitaks and 35 square feet, being No. 23, Wooma Charan Dass Lane, in the South Division of Calcutta, holding formerly No. 169, now 352, Block XIV, and bounded on the north by Municipal filled up drain, on the south partly by Wooma Charan Dass Lane and partly by No. 23-1, Wooma Charan Das Lane, on the east by No. 22, Wooma Charan Dass Lane, and on the west partly by No. 23-1, Wooma Charan Dass Lane, and partly by No. 25, Wooma Charan Dass Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale of the above property may be inspected at the office of Babu Ashutosh De, at No. 6, Old Post Office Street, and also at the office of the said Registrar, High Court, Original Side, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

MAURICE REMFRY, Offg. Registrar.

Ashutosh De, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 9th August 1918. (2749—1—2789)

NOTICE.

In the Court of Small Causes at Sealdah.

CLAIM CASE No. 51 OF 1918.

In the matter of the estate of the late Golap Moni Dasi, of 97, Machuabazar Street, who died instestate.

WHEREAS one Nistarini Dasi has preferred a claim to the properties left by the deceased Golap Moni Dasi, it is hereby notified that any person, other than this claimant, who has a claim to the said properties, is required to appear on or before the 23rd November 1918 in this Court.

C. U. CHAKRABARTI, Judge, Small Cause Court, Sealdah.

Sealdah, the 30th September 1918. (2621—1—2786)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 38 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 4th September 1918, filed by Abdul Rashid, son of Alep Khan, deceased, of Sarta Abdullapur, thana Fatikcheri, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged an insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of November 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2718—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 39 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 11th September 1918, filed by Nishi Chandra Rudra Pal, son of Ram Sabak Rudra Pal, of Sabak Rangania, police-station Rangania, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of November 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2719—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 45 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Abdul Jalil, son of Abdul Waheb Sadagar, of Patherghata, police-station Kotwali, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 6th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 2nd day of December 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 14th November 1918. (2761—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 34 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 23rd July 1918, filed by Abdul Rahman, son of Saiyad Abdul Majid, of Guzera, police-station Raozan, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 9th day of November 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2747—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 77 OF 1918.

BHEDU MAHOMED, son of Jhapuan Sarkar, deceased, resident of Haripur, known as Ulipur, police-station Kotwali, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 7th day of December 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 9th November 1918. (2721—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 78 OF 1918.

SRIMANTA LAL SAHA, son of Joy Krisna Saha, deceased, resident of Roypur, police-station Balurghat, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 9th day of December 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 9th November 1918. (2722—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 114 AND 115 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Banka Bihari Sutradhar and Ananta Mohan Sutradhar, sons of late Iswar Chandra Sutradhar, of Bhandaria, police-station Goalundo, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 26th November 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 9th November 1918

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2720—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 302 AND 303 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Kartik Barai and Gonesh Chandra Barai, sons of late Alok Barai, of Borakhola, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 14th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 11th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2726—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 256, 280 AND 281 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Mabau, Gagan and Mohan, sons of late Laskar Mahmud, of Chouddagodarnath, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 20th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 11th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2727—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Bhuson Chandra Dass, son of Gossain Dass Dass, of Khanandapur, thana Mondalghat, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 94 of 1918 and that the 26th November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 2nd October 1918. (2623—1—2778)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 60 OF 1918.

Troilokyanath Sau, son of late Gangaram Sau, of Kallanpore, pargana Pataspur, district Midnapore, creditor, *versus* (1) Prankristo Sau, (2) Srinibas Sau, (3) Judhistir Sau, sons of late Gadadhar Sau, of Kallanpur, pargana Pataspur, district Midnapore, debtors.

WHEREAS the above-named creditor has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 24th September 1918, that the above debtors be declared insolvents under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid creditor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 28th day of November 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows:—

		Rs.
1.	Troilokyanath Sau	525
2.	Gojendra Narain Maity ...	75
3.	Mati Lal Laek	200
4.	Hiralal Laek	275
	Total ...	1,075

H. C. MAITLAND, District Judge.

Midnapore, the 15th November 1918. (2751—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 32 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Imamuddin Momin, of Sultanpur, police-station Suti, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court, dated the 28th September 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 15th November 1918. (2752—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 34 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Munshi Shaikh, of Khidirpur, police-station Hariharpara, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court, dated the 28th September 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 15th November 1918. (2753—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 39 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907 to their creditors, that the insolvency petition of Ram Chandra Saha, Panchanan Saha and Jadu Nath Saha, of Baradi, police-station Kushtia, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 39 of 1918 and that 30th November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 8th November 1918. (2705—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 42 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to their creditors, that the insolvency petition of (1) Rahaman Biswas, (2) Azimaddin Biswas, of Lakshipur, police-station Daulatpur, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 42 of 1918 and that 30th November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 8th November 1918. (2706—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Nadia.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 20 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 17th August 1918, filed by Hira Lal Pramanik, son of late Giridhar Pramanik, of Khayer chara, police-station Kumarkhali, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor petitioner and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of November 1918.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

(2754—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 41 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Hamidulla Sheik, of Majampur, police-station Kushtia, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 41 of 1918 and that 30th November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 8th November 1918. (2707—1)

In the Court of the District Judge at Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 45 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petitions of (1) Shaker Mondal, (2) Jager Mondal, (3) Akni Mondal, (4) Ful Chand Mondal, (5) Iasinuddin Mondal, of Gobargara, police-station Daulatpur, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 45 of 1918 and that 7th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 15th November 1918. (2755—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 35 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Shashadhar Hore, of Dewanmirber, police-station Krishnaganj, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 35 of 1918, and that 30th November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 15th November 1918. (2756—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 44 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Tarak Nath Saha, of Sengram, police-station Kushtia, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 44 of 1918, and that 7th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 15th November 1918. (2757—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Noakhali.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rahim Baksha Howladar, son of late Alimoddin Howladar, of Chor Rohita, station Lakhmipura, district Noakhali, has, on the 16th day of September 1918, applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent, and the 30th day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of this case.

S. K GHOSE, District Judge.

Noakhali, the 15th day of November 1918.

(2762—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 90 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Nimai Chandra Haldar, son of late Shib Nath Haldar, of Sarasia, police-station Mathura, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 20th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2737—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 89 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Budhiswar Haldar, son of late Shib Nath Haldar, of Sarasia, police-station Mathura, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 20th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2738—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 102 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Maharali Mallik, son of late Panchu Mallik, of Alamporo, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 3rd October 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 29th November 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2739—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 3rd May 1918 by Prasanna Kumar Mandal, son of late Niluram Mandal, of Sarasia, police-station Mathura, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Asutosh Bhadury, Pleader, is appointed receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2740—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 41 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 1st May 1918 by Jatindra Mohan Poddar, son of late Ananda Ch. Poddar, of Serajganj, police-station Serajganj, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Uma Prasanna Maitra is appointed receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2741—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 35 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 20th April 1918 by Amanatulla Akanda, son of late Keramat Akanda, of Garaidaha, police-station Sherpore, district Bogra, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Ashutosh Chakraberty, Pleader, is appointed receiver of his estate

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2742—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 72 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 27th August 1918 by Kader Khan, son of late Janu Khan, of Datta Kusa, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Gaur Lal Pal, Pleader, is appointed receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2743—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 52 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 23rd June 1918 by Banku Behari Pal, son of late Palan Ch. Pal, of Dhanghara, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Benodebehari Adhikary is appointed receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2744—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 25th February 1918 by Radha Govinda Poddar, son of late Ananda Ch. Podder, of Dhangara, police-station Serajganj, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Pramatha Nath Chakraverty is appointed receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2745—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 26 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 7th March 1918 by Mahim Chandra Sutradhar, son of late Harish Ch. Sutradhar, of Tentulia, police-station Santhia, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Sudhansu Mohan Ray, Pleader, is appointed receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 9th November 1918. (2746—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE. No. 12 OF 1918.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

Under section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.)

NOTICE is hereby given that (1) Bibhol Mandal, son of late Gagan Mandal, of Sanapur Brahmangaon, police-station Gomostapur, district Malda, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 20th day of July 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 26th August 1918. (2239—1—2764)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 15 OF 1918.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

(*Under section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act*)

NOTICE is hereby given that Krisna Lal Sinha, son of late Dhannu Sinha, of Santoshpur, police-station Gomostapur, district Malda, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 20th day of July 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 24th September 1918. (2559—1—2772)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 57 OF 1917.

Kunar Mandal, son of late Mahar Mandal, of Jamira, police-station Puthia, district Rajshahi, applicant.

TAKE notice that the above named insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 23rd day of November 1918, at 10 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 25th day of September 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

(2595—1—2770)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 39 OF 1918.

SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION

Annada Mohan Sarkar, son of late Akshaya Chandra Sarkar, of Gunaiknara, police-station Singra, district Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act*)

THE 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 25th September 1918. (2596—1—2771)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 OF 1918.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

(*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

NOTICE is hereby given that Sitanath De Podder, son of late Nabadwip De Podder, of Saheb-bazar, police-station Boalia, district Rajshahi, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 28th day of September 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 3rd October 1918. (2654—1—2768)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 61 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

(1) Shekh Bechu Mandal, son of late Ajim Mandal, (2) Shekh Adhin Sarkar, (3) Shekh Aghanu Mandal *alias* Farjat Mandal, (4) Shekh Abdul, (5) Shekh Karamat, sons of Bechu Mandal, of Santoshpur, police-station Harishchandrapur, district Malda, petitioners, debtors.

Notice to Creditors.

[*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 23rd November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petitions and the examination of the said debtors and for further proceedings. Proof of claims must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 26th September 1918. (2597—1—2769)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 54 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Kedar Chandra Ghosh, son of late Dinabandhu Ghosh, of Halsa, police-station Natore, district Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act*]

THE 30th day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claims must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge

Rajshahi, the 1st October 1918. (2632—1—2766)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Bhola Nath Ghosh, son of late Dinabandhu Ghosh, of Halsa, police-station Natore, district Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 30th day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claims must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 1st October 1918. (2633—1—2765)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 67 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Jhanoo Mandal, son of late Sankar Mandal, of Kalihar, police-station Gomastapur, district Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 30th day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 2nd October 1918. (2657—1—2767)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 97 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Rajab-ud-din Shekh, son of Madanirpara, police-station Fulchhari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th November 1918. (2728—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 96 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Azimullah Shekh, son of late Rashik Shekh, of Kanchipara, police-station Fulchhari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th November 1918. (2729—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 95 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. JOHNSTON, ESQ., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kasar-ud-din Shekh, son of late Azim ul-lah Shekh, of Madanirpara, police-station Fulchhari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 9th November 1918. (2730—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 94 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. JOHNSTON, ESQ., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtors Shahar Nauf Paik, son of late Dador Mamud Paik, and Bhika Shaik, son of Shahar Md. Paik of Dasamia, police-station Gaibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 9th November 1918. (2731—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 91 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S, District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Jugeswar, *alias* Khoka Das, son of late Madan Das, of Madati, police-station Kaliganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 9th November 1918. (2732—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 90 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor, Ayenullah Sheik, son of late Ghota Sheik, of Madanerpara, police-station Fulchari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 23rd day of November 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 9th November 1918. (2733—1)

WANTED a thoroughly competent Engineer with a high standard of mechanical and technical qualifications to hold charge of the Power Station, Centrifuges, Gas Plant, Water-supply, Miscellaneous Machinery and Apparatus, etc., at the Imperial Bacteriological Laboratory, Muktesar, Naini Tal district, United Provinces. The post is permanent and pensionable and of the status of a gazetted officer. The pay attached to it is Rs. 400—10—550 a month with rent-free accommodation. The selected candidate will be required to sign an agreement to serve for two years from date of confirmation subject to six months notice in the event of his service not proving satisfactory.

Applications stating age, qualifications and previous experience (with copies of testimonials which will not be returned) should reach the undersigned not later than the 30th November 1918. None but really capable, hard working, steady and strictly sober men, possessing a high standard of qualifications need apply.

J. MACKENNA,

Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India.

Dated Pusa, the 7th November 1918.

WANTED a Matriculate for the post of an Assistant Sub-Inspector of Santhal Schools, in the district of Bankura, on a salary of Rs. 30—1—50 a month outside the grades. None need apply who are not Santhals or have knowledge of Santhali. The applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th December 1918.

P. K. BASU,

Offg Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

Chinsura, the 15th November 1918.

Notice.

TEMPORARY Assistant Master wanted at once for six months for the Barisal Zilla School. Must be strong in Mathematics. Salary Rs. 50 per month. Apply to Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, Dacca.

W. E. GRIFFITH,

Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

Dacca, the 9th November 1918.

Notice.

WANTED a Store Muharrir on Rs. 25 *plus* 30 per cent. as local allowance per month for the office of the District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Public Works Department. Candidates must be qualified Sub-Overseers in the Public Works Department having experience in office and outdoor works. Applications in candidates' own handwriting with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th December 1918.

G. A. BELL, District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Public Works Department.

Rangamati, the 1st November 1918. (2723—4)

Wanted

IMMEDIATELY, a Sub-Overseer for the Alipur Duar Local Board (district Jalpaiguri), on a monthly salary of Rs. 50, *plus* fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15, with free quarters, for a year at present with chance of being made permanent on approved service. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned up to 30th November 1918.

CHANDRA KUMAR SEN GUPTA,
Vice-Chairman, Local Board.

Alipur Duar, the 14th November 1918. (2748—2)

Notice

IS hereby given that the Municipal Commissioners of Bankura will, at their meeting on the 25th November 1918, at 3 P.M., hold sales of the following plots of land at their office. The bidders shall have to deposit 25 per cent. of the bids immediately and the balance should be paid within fifteen days from the date of sale, failing which the bid will not be accepted and the earnest money forfeited.

The Municipal Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any bid Detailed particulars regarding title of lands, area and other matters can be had from the Bankura Municipal Office during office hours :—

Plot 1.—Rent-free. Area about 1 bigha 15 cottahs 6 chitaks. Situated on the north of the first feeder road and between the Taldangra diversion road and the first feeder road bridge as per plan.

Plot 2.—Rent-free. Area about 1 bigha 15 cottahs 6 chitaks. Situated on the south of the first feeder road and between the Taldangra diversion road and the first feeder road bridge as per plan.

Plot 3.—Rent-free. Area about 8 cottahs 12 chitaks. Situated between the Taldangra diversion road, the railway fencing and on the north of Bengal-Nagpur Railway line as per plan.

Plot 4.—Rent-free. Area about 8 cottahs 12 chitaks Situated between the Taldangra diversion road, the railway fencing and on the south of the road to railway station as per plan.

Plot 5.—Rent-free. Area about 19 cottahs 11 chitaks. The trapizoidal plot between the Taldangra diversion road, railway station road and the present Hindu School land and Nil Madhav Barik's land as per plan.

Plot 6.—Rent-free. Area about 4 cottahs 4½ chitaks. Situated between the diversion road and the proposed pathway adjoining Ramnath Mukerjee's land as per plan.

Plot 6A.—Rent-free Area about 6 cottahs only. Situated between the Taldangra diversion road and the proposed pathway adjoining Justice Chatterjee's house and by the south of Municipal khas land as per plan.

Plot 7.—Rent-free. Area about 16 cottahs 8 chitaks. The rectangular plot by the side of the flour mills of Madan Gopal Marowari as per plan.

Plot 8.—Rent-free. Area about 3 bighas 9 cottahs 4½ chitaks. The abundant trenching ground in Kutchkutchia as per plan

Plot 9.—The present Municipal Office building and land. Annual rent Rs. 2-2-2 payable to the Bankura Talukdar. (Possession of this plot will be delivered within a year and a half from date of sale.) Area about 5 cottahs 6½ chitaks as per plan.

RASH BEHARI BANERJEE,
Chairman, Bankura Municipality.

Bankura, the 26th October 1918. (2683—3)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 021567 fo Rs 100, originally standing in the name of Jagabhai Dulabhbhai, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of Advertiser—Jagabhai Dulabhbhai.

Residence—32, Ezra Street.

(2681—3—2754)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 282996 of the 3½ per cent loan of 1865 for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of Jnanendra Mohan Das, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person having been lost, notice is hereby given that the payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the public debt office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicate in favour of the proprietor ; the public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

JNANENDRA MOHAN DAS.

Residence—Suapur (Dacca District).

Present address—Sylhet (Munsiff).

(2603—3—2753)

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 126490 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1842-43 for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of Rakashakali Debi, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the advertiser—Srimati Sarojbasini Debi.

Residence—53, Puddopukur Road, Bhowanipur, Calcutta. (2697—3—2762)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 231504 and 209509 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 5,000 and Rs. 100, respectively, and Nos. 081082 and 086170 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 5,000 and Rs 100, respectively, all originally standing in the name of Gopaul Krishna Ghose, and the Government Promissory Notes Nos. 083283 and 083284 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 500, respectively, originally standing in the name of Keeran Bala Ghose, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned securities.

Name of the Advertiser—MONMOTHO NATH DUTT, Attorney, for Babu Gopaul Krishna Ghose, 10, Hastings Street, Calcutta (2677—3—2776)

Lost.

RECEIPTS numbered 3747, 3902 and 300, dated 1st and 11th November 1918, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes and Calcutta Municipal Debentures. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities :—

Receipt No.	G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount	Holder's name.
			Rs.	
3747	205912	3½ per cent., 1865 ...	100 each.	Joggot Doollub Dass.
3902	210417	Ditto ...		
	211239	Ditto ...		
	210563	Ditto ...		
	C. M. Deb. No.			
300	1854	4 per cent., 1909-10. (November).	100 each.	
	1040	Ditto ...		
	610	Ditto ...		
	577	Ditto ...		
	1190	Ditto ...		
	128	Ditto ...		
	209	Ditto ...		
	1751 and 1752.	4 per cent., 1913-13...		
	591	Ditto ...		

Name of the proprietor—Joggot Doollub Dass.

Residence—258, Upper Chitpore Road

(2750—1—2785)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, and In the matter of the Universal Assurance Co., Ld., in liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the shareholders of the Universal Assurance Co., Ld., held at the registered office of the Company at 84-1, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta, on Friday, the 15th November 1918, unanimously passed an extraordinary resolution to wind up the Company by voluntary liquidation and to appoint Mr. M. Mukherjee of the firm of Messrs. M. Mukherjee & Co., Auditors, 95, Clive Street, Calcutta, and Mr. A. C. Dass, merchant, 62, Raton Sarker Garden Street, Calcutta, as Liquidators of the Company.

SURENDRA NATH DASS, Chairman.

Calcutta, the 18th November 1918.

(2763—1—2788)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, and In the matter of the Universal Assurance Co., Ltd., in liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held on Saturday, the 14th December 1918, at 95, Clive Street, Calcutta, at 2 P.M. The creditors are requested to file their claims together with the documentory evidences to prove the same, failing which they will be excluded from the benefit of the distribution.

On behalf of the Universal Assurance Company, Limited, in liquidation,

M. MUKHERJEE,
A. C. DASS, } Liquidators.

Calcutta, the 15th November 1918. (2764—1—2787)

Notice.

IN supersession of previous orders, the subscription to, and postage for, the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part IC, will henceforth be at the following rates, payable in advance :—

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J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 31st October 1918

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee	With late fee *	Without late fee.	With late fee *
		A. M.	A.M.	A. M.	
United Kingdom and Allied Countries, Aden, East Africa, West Africa. Also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover "via United Kingdom	Twice daily	8 0	8-30	8-0	...
America, Neutral Countries and Egypt ...	Twice daily	P. M. 6-15	P. M. 7-15	P. M. 5-30	P.M. 6-0
Ceylon	Daily ...	3-0	3-30	2-30	3-0
Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo-China, China, Japan, etc.	Nov. 21st ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
Ditto ditto ...	Tuesday ...	4 0	...	3-30	...
Burma	Nov. 20th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
Port Blair	„ 20th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0

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Calcutta G. P. O., the 18th November 1918. J. FISHER-RODERICKS, Presidency Post Master.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 11th November 1918.*

AUSTRALIA, TORRES STRAIT—WESTERN APPROACH.

Light-Vessel to be established.

No. 347 (first publication).—

Subject.—A Light-Vessel will be established in the western approach to Torres Strait on or about 18th November 1918.

Position (approximate).—The Light-Vessel will be moored in about 20 fathoms of water, at a distance of 20 miles, 240° (S. 55° W. Mag.), from Merkara Shoal.
Lat. 10° 40′ S., long. 140° 55′ E. on Chart No. 447.

Characteristics.—

(*a*) *Light* :

Character.—*Group Flashing White Light*, showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *fifteen* seconds, thus :—

Flash.	Eclipse.	Flash.	Eclipse.	Flash.	Eclipse.
½ sec.	1½ secs.	½ sec.	1½ secs.	½ sec.	10½ secs.

Elevation.—32 feet.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

(*b*) *Fog Signal* :

Description —A bell sounded by the motion of the vessel.

(*c*) *Vessel* :

Description.—The vessel has one mast carrying the lantern ; the hull is painted red and marked "Carpentaria" in white on sides.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 447, Torres Strait, Western approaches to.
„ 2759a, Australia, Northern portion.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918.
Australia Pilot, Vol III, 1916, page 245.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 24 of 1918.

The 4th November 1918.

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE—FARISIAN BANK.

Shab Jenáb and Shab Sahabak—Extension to northward.

No. 337 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 988 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Shàb Jenáb, lat. 19° 55′ N., long. 39° 56½′ E.

Details.—The shoals known as Shab Jenáb and Shab Sahabak have been found to extend further to the northward than charted, the former for a distance of about 3 miles and the latter for a distance of about 1¼ miles. The charts are to be amended accordingly.

Caution.—See note in sailing directions with regard to the positions of the reefs westward of Abulát Island.

Charts affected.—No. 8c, Red Sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red Sea.

Publication.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 337.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4435-18.*)

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 338 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 990 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 866 of 1918 (*This office No. 302 of 1918*); hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished :
Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir); Penang approaches.
All lights in the Persian Gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

2. Certain Ports closed by night :
Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6.0 a.m., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise. Vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part V, 1918, No. 2201.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4605-18.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Gebua Tenga to Pulo Katang Katang—Existence of Rocks.

No. 339 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1003 of 1918), are republished :—

	Position.			Depth.	
(1)	Lat. 1° 33′ 30″ S.,	long.	100° 29′ 06″ E.	10 fathoms	(rock).
(2)	„ 1° 34′ 36″ S.,	„	100° 27′ 24″ E.	6 „	(coral).
(3)	„ 1° 41′ 42″ S.,	„	100° 32′ 48″ E.	4 „	„
(4)	„ 1° 43′ 06″ S.,	„	100° 33′ 30″ E.	7 „	(rock).
(5)	„ 1° 45′ 48″ S.,	„	100° 31′ 36″ E.	2 „	(coral).
(6)	„ 1° 49′ 48″ S.,	„	100° 33′ 36″ E.	2 „	„

Charts affected.—No. 709, Ujong Masang to Ujong Indrapura.
„ 2760, Acheh Head to Chingkuk Bay.
„ 2761, Chingkuk Bay to Strait of Sunda.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 389.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 955 of 1918. (*H. 4330-18.*)

CELEBES, WEST COAST—MAKASSAR STRAIT.

Mampya Road—Alterations in Beaconage and Buoyage.

No. 340 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1005 of 1918), are republished :—

1. Alterations in beaconage :

(*a*) Beacon established :

Position.—On outer end of reef on western side of entrance, and at a distance of 2 miles 7½ cables, 147° (*S. 35° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Tanjong Mampya, lat. 3° 27′ S., long. 119° 17′ E.

Description.—An iron beacon surmounted by a black truncated cone.

(*b*) Alteration in position of beacon :

New position.—On outer end of reef on eastern side of entrance about three-quarters of a cable north-westward from former position, and at a distance of 3 miles 2½ cables, 139° (*S. 43° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Description.—An iron beacon surmounted by a white ball.

2. Alterations in buoyage :

(*a*) Buoys established :

(1) *Position*.—Marking the shoal south-westward of Lantora village, and at a distance of 2 miles 5½ cables, 93° (*S. 89° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Description.—A black can buoy.

(2) *Position*.—Marking the reef south-eastward of Lantora village, and at a distance of 3 miles 94° (*S. 88° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Description.—A white conical buoy.

(*b*) Buoy withdrawn :

Details.—The white conical buoy, formerly situated on the eastern side of the entrance at a distance of about 2 cables westward from the beacon described in 1 (*b*), has been withdrawn.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3209, Plan of Mampya Road.
„ 2637, South part of the Strait of Makassar.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 401, 402.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 682 of 1918. (*H. 3020-18.*)

CELEBES, SOUTH COAST.

Gulf of Boni—Existence of Reef.

No. 341 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1044 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.— Northern edge—Lat. 3° 51′ 07″ S., long. 121° 01′ 00″ E.
Southern edge—Lat. 3° 52′ 22″ S., long. 121° 00′ 48″ E.
Western edge—Lat. 3° 51′ 30″ S., long. 120° 59′ 40″ E.

Description.—This reef, which dries, is semi-circular in shape, with an opening at its eastern side between the northern and southern positions given above.

Remarks.—Tamboli reef has been found to be connected with the 4¼-fathom reef situated at a distance of about 2 miles southward from it.

Charts affected.—No. 3616, Tamori Gulf to Salayar Strait.
„ 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago—Sheet 3.
„ 941*b*, Eastern Archipelago—Sheet 2.
„ 1263, China Sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 466.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 958 of 1918. (*H. 4295-18.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—OMBI ISLANDS.

Ombi Major—Reef northward of.

No. 342 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1051 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Eastern end of reef, lat. 1° 20′ 00″ S., long. 127° 48′ 45″ E.

Description.—From the above position the reef extends in a westerly direction for a distance of about 6 miles. On the reef are two small sandy islets covered with trees.

Remarks.—The reef is to be indicated on the charts by a danger line and the area between this reef and the shore is to be marked "*Foul.*"

Charts affected.—No. 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago—sheet III.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
„ 1263, China Sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 77.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 576 of 1918. *(H. 2802-18.)*

CHINA SEA AND PACIFIC OCEAN.

Traffic Regulations, Extinction of Lights, and Discontinuance or Withdrawal of Aids to Navigation.

No. 343 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1054 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1018 of 1918 ; hereby cancelled

I. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Manila Bay.

The South Channel into Manila Bay is closed to traffic and is protected by mines ; this channel extends from Caballo Island on the north to Restinga Point on the south.

The North Channel between Corregidor Island and the shore of Bataan province to the northward is closed to inward bound traffic from sunset to sunrise, except to certain vessels engaged in public service. Vessels are, however, permitted to leave Manila Bay by the North Channel without restriction as to time.

Obedience to the above regulations will be enforced by vessels of the United States Navy and by the shore batteries.

Failure to comply with any of the above regulations may result in the destruction of the offending vessels.

Súbic Bay.

Súbic Bay is closed to traffic ; any unauthorised vessel attempting to enter the port does so at her peril.

II. HONGKONG.

Cape Collinson light is extinguished.

▬▬▌ ▌▬▬, ▬▬▌ ▌▬▬, Green Island light is normally extinguished, but will be exhibited when the local Typhoon signals are hoisted, and will be shown until the signals are hauled down.

III. SWATAU.

The following Regulations have been made by the Local Military Authorities at Swatau with reference to the existence of mines in the approaches to that port, and are now in force :—

1. Vessels are forbidden to proceed by the channel northward of Sugar Loaf lighthouse.
2. All vessels, including men-of-war, must enter and leave the port by the channel to the southward of Sugar Loaf lighthouse.
3. All vessels, including men-of-war, when entering and leaving, must, when at a distance of 3 miles from Sugar Loaf lighthouse, slow down to a speed not exceeding 6 knots.
4. Vessels leaving or approaching Sugar Loaf lighthouse may not anchor within a distance of 4 miles outside and 2 miles inside thereof, nor throw overboard heavy articles, to do so being dangerous.

5. A guardboat will be stationed by the authorities, which, in case of changes in the minefield, will approach and guide incoming and outgoing steamers.
6. All incoming and outgoing men-of-war and armed steamers should give 24 hours' notice of their expected arrival or departure to the Swatau police.
7. If vessels, including men-of-war, disregard the above rules and thereby incur risks, the local authorities will not accept responsibility.
8. The time for leaving and entering the port is fixed for the hours between 6 A.M. and 6 P.M.

IV. RUSSIAN MARITIME PROVINCE.

All lights are liable to be extinguished and aids to navigation discontinued or withdrawn on the coasts of the Russian Maritime Province.

V. SANDWICH ISLANDS, HONOLULU.

All lights in Honolulu harbour are extinguished, and the harbour is closed by night.

VI. SOCIETY ISLANDS, TAHITI.

Leading lights for Papiete Pass are extinguished.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 1508, 1525.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. U.S.A. Hyd. Office and Petrograd Notices of 1917. Hongkong Government Gazette and Shanghai Special Notice. (*H. 4960-18.*)

PORT OF ADEN—INNER HARBOUR APPROACH.

Traffic Regulations.

No. 344 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 88M. of 1918), are republished :—

The following Channel Control Signals are exhibited from the Port Signal Station as follows :—

By day.—One Red Flag at mast head ... } denoting Channel blocked.
By night.—Two Red Lights vertical ... }

These signals are hoisted when a ship inside the Inner Harbour has unmoored and is proceeding to sea.

Publications.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 6th edition, 1909, after line 21, page 407.
List of Lighthouses and Light-vessels in India, etc., 37th Issue, 1918.

Authority.—Port Officer, Aden (No. 1055, dated 21st September 1918).

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Emu Bay Light—Intended alteration in Position and Characteristics.

No. 345 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Occulting White Light on the Old Breakwater will be replaced by a Flashing White Light with Red Sector on the New Breakwater, on or about 14th October 1918.

Position.—On the parapet of the New Breakwater, 25 feet from the seaward end, and approximately 750 feet E. N. E. from the position of the existing Occulting White Light.

Lat. 41° 03′ S., long. 145° 57′ E. approx.

Details.—The new light will have the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—*Flashing White Light* with *Red Sector*, showing *one* flash every *three* seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse.
½ sec.	2½ secs.

Sectors.—*Red* from 111° (S. 78° E. Mag.) through South to 201° (S. 12° W. Mag.). *White* from 201° (S. 12° W. Mag.) through West and North to 21° (N. 12° E. Mag.). Obscured elsewhere.

Elevation.—39 feet.

Visibility.—*White*, 10 miles. *Red*, 5 miles.

Power.—*White*, 300 candles. *Red*, 100 candles.

Structure.—Former steel framework tower, painted white. Height, 30 feet.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.
No further notice will be given.

Note.—The existing Occulting White Light will be extinguished from 30th September 1918, in order that the necessary alterations may be carried out. In the interval, the temporary fixed Red Light on the Titan Crane on the New Breakwater will continue to be exhibited as heretofore, but will be extinguished on the establishment of the new Flashing White Light with Red Sector.

Charts affected.—No. 3717, Plans in Tasmania—Emu Bay.
„ 1079, Tasmania.
„ 1695B, Bass Strait, Western Sheet.
„ 2759b, Australia, Southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, West Sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2798.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 617.
Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 70.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 23 of 1918.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced by buoy.

No. 346-I (second publication).—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 2nd January 1919 and replaced in March. A red conical buoy with staff and cage will mark the position during her absence.

Position.—Lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.
„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 630.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice, dated 26th October 1918.

The 28th October 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Middle Bank Light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 333 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Group Flashing White Light on Middle Bank will be replaced by a Flashing White Light on or about 15th November 1918.

Position.—Lat. 33° 38′ S., long. 137° 32′ E.

Details.—The Group Flashing White Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—Flashing White Light, showing one flash every three seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse,
½ sec.	2½ secs.

Elevation.—43 feet.

Visibility.—Eleven miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Structure.—Former steel skeleton tower, painted white, surrounded by a pile framework.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, Southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2333.

Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 258. Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 30.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 19 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Shoalwater Point Light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 334 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Flashing White Light off Shoalwater Point will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light on or about 30th November 1918.

Position.—South-eastward of point.
Lat. 33° 42′ S., long. 137° 14′ E.

Details.—The Flashing White Light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics—

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing three flashes in quick succession every nine seconds, thus :—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	6 secs.

Elevation.—40 feet.

Visibility.—11 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Structure.—Former steel skeleton tower, painted red, with white lantern, surrounded by a pile framework.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.

„ 2759*b*, Australia, Southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2332.

Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 225. Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 27.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 20 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—INNER BARRIER ROUTE.

Heath Reef and Tih Tih Reef—Intended New Lights.

No. 335 (third publication).—

Subject.—The proposed New Group Flashing White Lights on Heath Reef and Tih Tih Reef will be exhibited as hereunder:—

(*a*) Heath Reef, on or about 15th October 1918.
(*b*) Tih Tih Reef on or about 15th November 1918.

Description of New Lights—

(*a*) *Heath Reef.*

Position.—Lat. 13° 28½′ S., long. 143° 40½′ E.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing three flashes in quick succession every fifteen seconds, thus:—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	11½ secs.

(*b*) *Tih Tih Reef.*

Position.—Lat. 13° 09′ S., long. 143° 37′ E.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing four flashes in quick succession every twenty seconds, thus:—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	15 secs.

Remarks.—The lights will be unwatched.
The Fixed White Light on the Claremont Island Light-ship will be continued until further notice.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2921, Claremont Point to Cape Direction.
„ 3762, Hay Island to Bow Reef.
„ 2764, Coral Sea, Sheet 2.
„ 3088, Anchorages on the East Coast of Australia—Night Island Anchorage.
„ 2759a, Australia, Northern portion.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west Sheet.

Publications.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 412, 419.
List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 21 of 1918.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Gabo Island Light—Intended alteration in Period.

No. 336 (third publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 334 of 1917.

Subject.—The period of the Group Flashing Light with white and red sectors on Gabo Island will be altered from nine seconds to fifteen seconds on or about 15th November, 1918.

Position.—Lat. 37° 34¼′ S., long. 149° 55¾′ E.

Character.—*Group Flashing*, with *white* and *red sectors*, showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *fifteen* seconds, thus:—

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	11½ secs.

Remarks.—The other details of the light remain unchanged.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 1017, Gabo Island to Montagu Island.
„ 1211, Gabo Island to Port Jackson.
„ 3169, Port Phillip to Gabo Island.
„ 2759b, Australia, Southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, Western Sheet.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west Sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2508.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 546.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 22 of 1918.

G. H. S. LaTouche, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Acting Port Officer of Calcutta.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT ON THE HOWRAH BRIDGE FOR THE YEAR 1917-18.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 5TH NOVEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 2635Marine.

READ—

The Administration Report on the Howrah Bridge for the year 1917-18.

THE year under review opened with a deficit balance of Rs. 3,19,033 on Revenue Account.

2. The income of the Bridge during the year amounted Rs. 3,43,284 against Rs. 2,50,546 in the previous year. The total expenditure was Rs. 4,27,195, including Rs. 1,41,492 expended on renewals to the Bridge

structure and repairs to the ferry landing stage at Howrah. In the preceding year (1916-17) the total expenditure was Rs. 4,51,455, which included an abnormal expenditure of Rs. 2,13,556 on renewals and repairs to the Bridge structure.

The increase in the income is principally the result of—

(1) the increased receipts from the terminal fee payable by the East Indian Railway traffic, consequent on the re-imposition of the fee on edible grains and seeds passing over the Bridge to and from Howrah ;

(2) the contribution of Rs. 26,000 made by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway in consideration of their passenger traffic over the Bridge ; and

(3) the increased earings of the two ferry steamers of the Bridge.

3. The increase in expenditure during the year under review, as compared with the previous year, under the head of "Maintenance and Repairs," is chiefly due to increase in the price of materials due to the war ; and that under "Miscellaneous charges" to the interest charged on the larger advances of funds by the Port Commissioners to the Bridge Fund.

4. The working result of the year was a deficit of Rs. 83,911, as compared with Rs. 2,00,908 of the previous year, so that the closing debit balance on Revenue Account on the 31st March 1918 stood at Rs. 4,02,944. The renewals to the Bridge structure and repairs to the Howrah ferry landing stage which cost Rs. 3.55,048, were completed during the year ; and it is anticipated that the present large debit will be extinguished gradually from future surpluses.

5. The number of vessels that passed through the Bridge during the year and the preceding four years is given below :—

	1917-18	1916-17	1915-16.	1914-15	1913-14.
Sea-going vessels	60	61	80	75	87
Inland steamers and flats ...	2,345	2,806	2,704	2,442	2,887
Steam-tugs and steam-launches ...	773	886	897	805	569
Port Commissioners' vessels ...	39	27	39	71	44
Government steamers and flats ...	7	9	9	...	20
Total ...	3,224	3,780	3,729	3,372	3,607

6. The total number of accidents during the year was 39 against 17 in the preceding year. As the result of these accidents four boats and one life were lost.

7. The Bridge was opened on 304 occasions, viz., 39 times during the day and 265 times at night.

8. The receipt of the report by Mr. Basil Mott on the type of the proposed new bridge best suited to the locality and the traffic using the river, to which reference was made in the Resolution on the report for the year 1916-17, is still awaited.

By order of the Governor in Council,

F. A. A. COWLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENT OF A COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER THE MEASURES TO BE TAKEN AT PRESENT TO SECURE RECRUITS FOR THE BENGAL PILOT SERVICE.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 15TH NOVEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 2711Marine.

SINCE the beginning of the war the question of the recruitment of Leadsmen Apprentices for the Bengal Pilot Service has been one of extreme difficulty. In a despatch from His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, dated the 6th August 1915, it was intimated that attempts to obtain qualified candidates from the training ships in England had failed. Accordingly in his despatch, dated the 8th October 1915, His Lordship sanctioned the proposal submitted by this Government to obtain recruits from the Merchant Service in the East, but in spite of all the efforts of this Government and of the relaxations of the conditions of recruitment allowed in particular cases, the arrangement has not proved a success. As a temporary measure, however, certificated officers from the Mercantile Marine have been appointed as second and additional second officers of the two pilot vessels to relieve the Leadsmen Apprentices holding those appointments.

2. The present position of the service is such as to cause the gravest anxiety to the Government of Bengal as well as to the mercantile community, inasmuch as the training reserve of the Pilot Service has been reduced almost to nil. The situation, therefore, calls for emergent measures. Various suggestions have been made to meet the situation by the Port Officer, Calcutta, the Port Commissioners, Calcutta, and the Bengal Chamber of Commerce. Of the suggestions made the following may be mentioned :—

(*i*) the appointment of cadets direct from the training ships without the usual intermediate sea experience ;

(*ii*) the appointment of probationers who are Anglo-Indians direct from the Indian schools ;

(*iii*) the enlistment of Master Mariners who should be able with comparatively short training to take charge of vessels.

3. The Governor in Council considers that the most important question at this moment is to overcome the present difficulties as to recruitment with a view to augment immediately the training reserve of the Pilot Service. He has accordingly decided, with the approval of the Government of India, to convene a Committee to advise Government as to what steps can be taken at the present time to secure recruits for that service without reference to the question of future recruitment. The Committee will consist of the following members :—

1. The Hon'ble Member in charge of the Marine Department, *President.*
2. The Secretary to the Government in the Marine Department ;
3. The Port Officer, Calcutta ;
4. A representative of the Bengal Pilot Service ;
5 & 6. Two nominees of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce representing shipping and commercial interests, respectively ;
7. A representative of the Calcutta Trades Association ; and
8. The Hon'ble Mr. W. H. H. Arden-Wood, C.I.E., representing the Anglo-Indian interests.

The Committee will sit at 11 A.M. on Tuesday, the 10th December, 1918, in the Committee room in Writers' Buildings.

Copies of the relevant papers will be forwarded beforehand to the members.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to—

(1) the Port Officer, Calcutta, with the request that he will arrange for the selection of a representative of the Bengal Pilot Service ;
(2) the Bengal Chamber of Commerce with the request that two nominees as indicated above may be arranged for, the names of the gentlemen nominated being reported to this department for information ;
(3) the Calcutta Trades Association with the request for the nomination of a representative ; and
(4) the Hon'ble Mr. W. H. H. Arden-Wood, C.I.E.,

for information.

ORDERED also that it be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

By order of the Governor in Council,

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE PUBLIC SERVICES COMMISSION.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 19TH NOVEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 6279A.

READ—

Report of the Royal Commission on the Public Services in India.
Proceedings of the meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council held on the 14th March 1918.
Letter to the Registrar, Calcutta High Court, No. 1979A., dated the 23rd March 1918.
Report on Indian Constitutional Reforms.
Letter from the Registrar, Calcutta High Court, No. 3116, dated the 5th September 1918.

THE question of the adequacy of the scales of pay in the Provincial Judicial Service has engaged the attention of Government for some years past. It was originally proposed that a special grade of munsifs should be created and that the pay of the lowest grade should be raised. On the reconstitution of the provinces it was decided to retain for Bengal the special grade on Rs. 500 which had been sanctioned for munsifs in Eastern Bengal and Assam; but the proposal to raise the pay of the lowest grade was relegated for further consideration, as the question could more conveniently be dealt with independently on its merits. In 1914 the High Court came forward with a scheme, which not only provided for an increase in the pay of the last grade of munsifs from Rs. 200 to Rs. 250, but also suggested wide and important changes in the conditions of service, salary and leave of provincial judicial officers; but as these were matters within the scope of the enquiry made by the Public Services Commission, it was not considered desirable to anticipate their recommendations. The report of the Commission was published in January 1917, and the general principles underlying their recommendations first came under examination. As, however, it was recognised that the delay which had occurred had caused disappointment to the provincial judicial officers, it was decided to take up this question in advance, so that the local Government might be in a position to submit their conclusions as soon as the cases of individual services came up for consideration. Government gave an assurance to this effect when, in reply to resolutions moved at the meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council on the 14th March 1918, it was stated that they proposed to consult the High Court at once. The High Court were accordingly addressed on the subject on the 23rd idem. The views of the Honourable Judges have now been received; but, before committing himself to a definite opinion on the various points which arise out of the recommendations of the commission, the Governor in Council desires to place them before the public in order that those interested may have an opportunity of expressing their views in the matter. For the sake of convenience the more important points are summarised in the following paragraphs under specified heads in the order in which they occur in the Commission's report.

2. **Organisation.**—The Provincial Judicial Service was formed to fill charges of minor responsibility in the civil judicial administration of the province. One of the principles laid down by the Commission is that, so long as there is in any department a large body of work of varying importance and responsibility, it is desirable to constitute it in separate branches, the officers performing less responsible duties being required to occupy a position inferior to those who perform the higher ones. The Provincial Judicial Service, which represents the lower branch of the Civil Service in the sphere of judicial administration, was formed to fill charges of minor responsibility in that sphere. The principle has been generally accepted as sound, and the arrangement is regarded as satisfactory.

3. **Recruitment.**—Under the existing system, the Provincial Judicial Service is recruited from the practising members of the bar under the rules made by the local Government in consultation with the High Court under section 7, Act XII of 1887 The appointments are made by nomination, the qualifications required being that a candidate must not be over 27 years of age and must have obtained the degree of B.L. This system has been in force for the last fifty years ; and, although alternative methods of examination or a combination of examination and nomination have at times been suggested, the existing procedure has been maintained, largely with the object of securing the representation of different communities in the service. The Commission have tentatively recommended nomination as the method of recruitment for the public services generally, and in regard to the Provincial Judicial Service the qualifications which they propose to lay down are :—

(1) that candidates should have attained the B. L. degree ;
(2) that their age should not exceed 30 years ; and
(3) that, although experience at the bar should not be obligatory, the judicial authorities may rightly take this consideration into account in making their recommendations.

The utility of a B. L. degree as a qualification for appointment to this service has never been questioned, but the Commission's proposal in the matter of age presents some difficulty. Under the rules now in force, the name of a candidate who has been enrolled for appointment is removed from the list, if he has not been appointed to officiate as a munsif before reaching the age of 29. It may be argued that the age-limit which the Commission propose is unnecessarily high, especially if the provision requiring from candidates a period of practice at the bar is abolished as has been suggested. There are disadvantages in a late system of recruitment, inasmuch as the State is deprived thereby of an officer's services for several years during which he is capable of doing valuable work. It is also of doubtful advantage to the candidate himself to have to wait till so late before adopting a profession. It is understood that it is not ordinarily possible for a candidate to pass the B. L. examination until he is above the age of 25 years ; and the candidate for employment in the Provincial Judicial Service is unlikely to obtain any considerable practice at the bar between the time when he takes his B. L. degree and the age of 30, when he would usually be recruited according to the Commission's proposal. It is open to question whether his time would not be more profitably spent in being trained for judicial work during this interval under an experienced judge. These considerations point to the conclusion that the age-limit for recruitment should be fixed as low as possible ; but, as it is necessary to obtain a sufficient number of good candidates, it is doubtful whether any age lower than 27 should be fixed. In regard to the third recommendation it seems sound that experience at the bar should not be obligatory and should be taken into account only in very exceptional circumstances.

As to the method of selection the Commission's proposal that Government should make the appointments on the advice of the High Court merely involves the retention of the existing practice in the matter. The Commission also recommend that—

(*a*) in making their recommendations the High Court should follow the results of the B. L. examination for the larger share of the vacancies, provided that the candidates are otherwise suitable, and

(*b*) for the remaining vacancies the nominating authority, *i.e.*, the Court, should submit the names of candidates who have done less well, but who, for other reasons, appear fitted for public service, due regard being had to the claims of the various communities and interests in the country.

The acceptance of the Commission's proposals would restrict the discretion of the nominating authority which at present can nominate the best candidate available with due regard to the requirements of the service.

4. **Probation and Training.**—The Commission's recommendations under this head are :—

(1) that a grade of probationers should be created ;
(2) that the period of probation should be fixed at two years ;
(3) that during the period of probation recruits should be trained under the orders of the highest judicial authorities ; and
(4) that, while on probation, recruits should be paid at the rate of Rs. 200 a month.

The first three of these proposals are *primâ facie* unexceptionable. In regard to the fourth it is for consideration whether it would not be unduly extravagant to pay the probationers at the rate of Rs. 200 a month. The recommendation that probationary munsifs should be paid at this rate is based on the assumption that the maximum age for recruitment to the Provincial Judicial Service will be 30. If, for the reasons stated in paragraph 3 above, a lower age-limit is fixed, it may not be necessary to grant so large an allowance to probationers. For probationers in the executive branch an allowance of Rs. 150 has been proposed by the Commission ; and, bearing in mind that probationary munsifs will have had a longer educational course and will be older when they join their appointments, it would seem to follow that they should draw a higher allowance ; but Rs. 175 might be regarded as adequate.

5. **Salary.**—In regard to salary the Commission propose the substitution of an incremental for the existing graded system of payment ; they recommend that, on confirmation, officers should be remunerated on a scale of Rs. 300—$\frac{40}{5}$—500 a month, and on promotion to subordinate judgeships, on a scale of Rs. 600—40—800 a month, with a further grade of Rs. 1,000 for selected officers. For the reasons stated in paragraph 50 of the Commission's report, there are obvious advantages in an incremental system of pay ; and, in consideration of the type of recruits whom it is desired to attract, the proposed scale would seem to be suitable. The question, however, will require consideration from its general aspect, and no final decision can be arrived at without reference to the conditions and claims of other provincial services. According to the scale proposed by the Commission, provincial judicial officers will begin on a higher initial salary and reach the top of the incremental scale earlier in their career than officers in the executive service. If the proposal that candidates should be recruited at the maximum age of 27 is accepted, the respective rates of pay open to provincial judicial and executive officers of the age of 27 to 41 will be as follows :—

Age	Rate of pay.	
	Provincial Judicial Service	Provincial Executive Service.
	Rs.	Rs.
27	175	250
28	175	250
29	300	250
32	340	290
35	380	330
38	420	370
41	460	410

It will appear that a Munsif after his confirmation will draw Rs. 50 a month more than his confrère in the executive service between the ages of 29 and 41, but against this has to be set the consideration that the executive officer is recruited at an earlier age and so has a longer time to serve, and that the service offers other incidental advantages and a larger number of special appointments.

In paragraph 65, annexure X to their report, the Commission recommend that all appointments carrying a salary of Rs. 500 a month and upwards should be ranked as selection posts, and that this higher scale of salary should be attainable only by such officers as are specially empowered to do and are actually doing the higher forms of judicial work. As it is already the rule to treat the Rs. 500 grade as a selection grade, this part of the proposal may be readily accepted. Otherwise the question whether munsifs should be vested with special powers depends largely on the administrative necessities

of the district to which they are posted. It is therefore suggested, in modification of the Commission's proposal in this respect, that it should be laid down as a general principle that no officer should be promoted to the Rs. 500 grade who is considered incapable of exercising the special powers or is unfit for promotion to the third grade of subordinate judges.

6. **Leave.**—The Commission recommend that members of services recruited provincially should continue to serve under the Indian service leave rules, subject to the changes outlined in paragraph 82 of the report, the most important of which is that such officers should be permitted to accumulate privilege leave up to four months. The further suggestion has been made that, whereas at present any privilege leave taken is on half pay, subordinate judges and munsifs should be granted fifteen days' privilege leave per annum on full pay, retaining the right to another fifteen days' leave on half pay as at present, and that, in special cases, they should be permitted to combine such leave with the vacation—a concession which they do not enjoy at present.

7. **Pension.**—The Commission recommend that members of the judicial branch should be allowed to reckon as service qualifying for superannuation pension, the number of completed years by which their age at the time of appointment exceeded 25 years. This recommendation is regarded as of special value to provincial judicial officers. Further suggestions are contained in paragraph 70 of annexure X and in paragraph 91, page 57, of the report, which include provision for officers who have completed 25 years' qualifying service to retire, at their option, before attaining the age of 55, on pensions calculated in accordance with a graduated scale.

8. Another question, which is likely to affect the consideration of the points raised, is the extent to which provision should be made for the higher employment of provincial judicial officers. Under the existing system, the number of judgeships to which members of the Provincial Judicial Service can aspire is six. In dealing with questions relating to the Indian Civil Service, the Public Services Commission proposed that on the judicial side only four such posts should be held by provincial officers. On the other hand, they suggested that six judgeships should be thrown open to the bar. The objections to the present system under which selected provincial service officers are appointed to fill specified posts in the higher service are set forth in paragraph 15 of annexure X to the Commission's report, where, in addition to other arguments against the selection of officers from the Provincial Service, it is stated that the officers so selected enjoy only an inferior status, while they are promoted towards the end of their career, when ordinarily they have only a short while to serve before reaching the time prescribed for retirement. These objections are not without force, but on the other hand there is the fact that members of the Provincial Judicial Service are eligible for appointment to a limited number of district and sessions judgeships, and this is regarded as a factor of great weight in attracting highly qualified candidates to the service. In paragraph 317 of the report on Indian Constitutional Reforms, His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State have raised the question of the proportion of higher appointments, which may, under present conditions, be thrown open to Indians generally, and until this and other questions of broader principles are settled, these points of detail cannot be satisfactorily worked out. Although, therefore, it may be somewhat premature to ask for a considered opinion on this point, His Excellency in Council will be glad to receive the views of the public in the matter. As it is proposed to place the Government of India in possession of the views of the local Government at the earliest possible opportunity, it is requested that any remarks or criticisms on the specific points which have been outlined above may be forwarded to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal not later than the 23rd December 1918.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

By order of the Governor in Council,

H. R. WILKINSON,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE EXCISE DEPARTMENT IN BENGAL DURING THE YEAR 1917-18.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3146S.R.—The 15th November 1918.—The following extracts from the Report of the Commissioner of Excise and Salt on the administration of the Excise Department in Bengal during the year 1917-18, are published for general information.

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 4014E., dated Calcutta, the 18th September 1913.

From—A. N. MOBERLY, ESQ., I.C.S., Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Dept.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report on the administration of the Excise Department in the Presidency of Bengal for the year 1917-18.

I was in charge of the Department throughout the year.

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5. **Temperance teaching in schools.**—The following has been communicated to me in compliance with Government Memorandum No. 1850 R. S., dated the 24th September 1915, for incorporation in this report:—

The question of teaching temperance in the higher and lower classes of schools in the Presidency was considered at the Inspectors' Conference, held at Darjeeling last year, and a special committee was appointed for the purpose of preparing a syllabus for teaching drill, hygiene and temperance in connection with the revision of curricula. The matter is still under consideration. Several hundred copies of a medical pronouncement on the consumption of alcohol and drugs in India have recently been distributed to schools and colleges in Bengal.

6. **Comparison of 1917-18 with 1912-13.**—As five years have now passed since Temperance Deputations waited on the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India and His Excellency the Viceroy in 1912-13, it may be of interest to note comparative figures for that year and 1917-18, showing the number of shops for the retail sale of country spirit, *ganja* and opium, the three articles from which the bulk of the Excise revenue in Bengal is derived, and the consumption, the revenue and the incidence of taxation in each case. To facilitate comparison the figures relating to country spirit in the Chittagong Division have been omitted from both years, as the outstill system was in force there in 1912-13 and accurate statistics of consumption are not available. The cost price of opium has been included in the figures for revenue of both years, as this forms part of the taxation and has been considerably increased during the period under review. The cost price of country spirit has not, however, been included, as there has been no appreciable change during the period, nor has that of *ganja*, as it cannot

be accurately ascertained, though it was certainly higher in 1917-18 than in 1912-13.

		Country spirit (excluding Chittagong Division).	*Ganja*.	Opium.	Remarks.
Number of shops	1912-13	1,233	1,422	891	
	1917-18	1,113	1,267	819	
Increase (+) or decrease (−)		−120	−155	−72	
Percentage		−9·7	−10·9	−8·1	
		L. P. gallons.	Seers.	Seers.	
Consumption	1912-13	851,534	122,810	67,820	
	1917-18	689,599	76,340	42,972	
Increase (+) or decrease (−)		−161,935	−46,470	−24,848	
Percentage		−19·0	−37·8	−36·6	Net revenue from opium excluding cost price.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Revenue	1912-13	63,19,927	28,15,147	29,22,730	23,46,260
	1917-18	64,10,299	33,04,586	33,80,606	29,07,914
Increase (+) or decrease (−)		+90,372	+4,89,439	+4,57,876	+ 5,61,654
Percentage		+1·4	+17·3	+15·6	+ 23·9
Incidence of taxation	1912-13	Rs. 7·4 per L. P. gallon.	Rs. 22·9 per seer.	Rs. 43·0 per seer.	
	1917-18	Rs. 9·2 per L. P. gallon.	Rs. 43·2 per seer.	Rs. 78·6 per seer.	
Increase (+) or decrease (−)		+ Re. 1·8 per L. P. gallon.	+ Rs. 20·3 per seer.	+ Rs. 35·6 per seer.	
Percentage		+24·3	+88·6	+82·8	

The heavy decrease in consumption is largely due to the war and cannot be expected to be permanent, though much of the decrease in the consumption of opium is due to the precautions taken to prevent the sale of opium to smugglers and it seems hardly likely that the figure of 1912-13 will again be reached as long as these precautions are continued. Attention may be invited to two points. In the first place it has taken a very large increase in the incidence of taxation, particularly in the case of drugs, as well as considerable restrictions of the hours of sale to produce these decreases even in a time of economic stress. This increase in the incidence of taxation has been effected within a comparatively short period and the rate of increase cannot be maintained indefinitely. In the second place, notwithstanding the decrease in consumption, there has been an increase of revenue under each head. Had consumption not been affected by the war as well as by the increase in taxation, this increase of revenue would certainly have been very large. It is sometimes assumed that an increase in the revenue necessarily connotes an increase in consumption and that it should therefore be unhesitatingly condemned. The present example shows clearly that an increase of revenue should not be condemned without further enquiry. It is possible that in the circumstances caused by the war there might have been a decrease of revenue if the enhancement of taxation had not been carried so far, but it is certain that without the enhancement of taxation which has been effected the decrease in consumption would have been less.

The number of shops has been decreased wherever possible, but this again is a matter in which there must be a limit, and I think the limit has

very nearly been reached as regards shops for the sale of country spirit, *ganja* and opium. In certain areas it may be possible to make some further reduction. On the other hand, it cannot be denied that in areas in which communications are difficult, and this applies to a considerable part of Bengal either throughout the year or at certain seasons, moderate consumers have not always been provided with adequate facilities for obtaining supplies and some additional shops are really needed.

7. **Temperance movements.**—The temperance movement at Teknaaf continued and the liquor shops were not re-opened although two cases of illicit distillation were detected during the year.

8. **Excise Advisory Committees.**—Excise Advisory Committees were convened for all municipalities outside the Calcutta district and for all rural areas. All their recommendations were very carefully considered and effect was given to them wherever practicable. One foreign liquor shop, one *tari* shop and seven *pachwai* shops were abolished, and the sites of one foreign liquor shop, thirteen country spirit shops, ten *tari* shops, six *pachwai* shops, four *ganja* shops and five opium shops were changed in accordance with their advice. Sites would have been changed in other cases if suitable places could have been found to which the shops could be removed. In some cases objections were met by the erection of screens.

9. **Licensing Boards.**—The Licensing Boards held seventeen meetings during the year as compared with twelve in 1916-17.

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The action taken is summarized in the following statement :—

Class of license.	Action taken.	Calcutta.	Cossipore-Chitpur.	Manicktola.	Garden Reach.	Howrah.	Bally.	Total.
Country spirit ...	Abolished ...	2	...	...	...	1	...	3
Ditto ...	Site changed ...	4	...	1	...	...	...	5
Opium ...	Abolished ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Ditto ...	Site changed ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
Ganja	Abolished ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Ditto ...	Site changed ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
Bhang ...	Ditto ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Foreign liquor "off"	Ditto ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
Ditto ...	Abolished ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Charas ...	Site changed ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Tari	Abolished ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2
Ditto ...	Site changed ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1

At a meeting held on the 11th April 1917, the Calcutta Licensing Board recommended that as a temporary measure all late-closing licenses authorising hotels and restaurants to remain open for the sale of intoxicating liquor after 11 P.M. should be withdrawn. Effect was given to this recommendation from the 22nd April 1917.

At their meeting of the 16th July 1917, the Calcutta Licensing Board decided experimentally for one year, with effect from the 1st April 1918, to remove all shops from the area bounded on the north by Beadon Street, on the south by Bowbazar Street, on the east by Circular Road, and on the west by Chitpore Road, which is largely inhabited by students. Shops situated on or near the boundary roads mentioned above were, however, not affected. In accordance with this decision, one country spirit, one *tari*, one opium, one foreign liquor "off" and one *ganja* shop have been abolished, and one opium, two *ganja*, one *bhang*, and one foreign liquor "off" shop have been removed to sites approved by the Board on the border of the area.

One new license was sanctioned for a Chinese restaurant to meet a particular demand among the Chinese residents. All other applications for new licenses were rejected.

A considerable advance was made during the year in improving the sanitary condition of country spirit and *tari* shops in Calcutta. The Health Officer of the Calcutta Corporation arranged that all these premises should

be visited by his Inspectors and advised the Excise Department as to the sanitary improvements necessary in each place. The licensees were directed to carry out the improvements suggested by the Health Officer within a specified time. Most of them have carried out the improvements, whilst others have been granted time to make the necessary structural alterations to their premises.

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11. **Total revenue and charges** * * *

* The Excise revenue and charges of the Presidency for the last five years are shown below :—

Period.	Revenue.	Charges.	Net revenue.	Percentage of charges.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1913-14	1,53,88,017	6,38,308	1,47,49,709	4·14
1914-15	1,53,59,916	7,42,121	1,46,17,795	4·83
1915-16	1,51,30,570	8,26,217	1,43,04,353	5·46
1916-17	1,44,07,668	9,65,974	1,34,41,694	6·70
1917-18	1,56,25,391	10,32,941	1,45,92,450	6·61
Difference of the past two years.	+12,17,723	+ 66,967	+11,50,756	- ·09

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13. **Actual receipts.**—Deducting the advance collections (Rs. 7,70,522) for 1918-19 and adding the revenue (Rs. 9,72,835) which was collected in advance in 1916-17, the actual receipts on account of 1917-18 were Rs. 1,58,27,704 against Rs. 1,46,28,850 (after similar adjustment) of the preceding year, showing an increase of Rs. 11,98,854 or 8·19 per cent.

14. **Excise Charges.**—The total expenditure of the Excise and Salt Department, excluding refunds, shows an increase of Rs. 67,339 as compared with 1916-17. The principal increases occurred under the heads of "Salaries and establishment" (Rs. 29,131). "Allowances" (Rs. 26,299), "Rewards" (Rs. 20,066) and "Other charges" (Rs. 18,951). The greater part of the increases under "Salaries and establishment" and "Allowances" was due to the fact that the Deputy Commissioner, Dacca, was employed for the whole year and that the officers added to the cadre in 1916-17 drew pay and allowances throughout the year. The Superintendents on the time-scale received increments of salary. Towards the close of the year further additions were made to the cadres of Superintendents and Inspectors and the allowances of Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors in Calcutta were increased. Expenditure on rewards rose with the detection of a larger number of important cases. The increase under "Other charges" was due to the transfer to this head of the expenditure incurred on account of repairs to boats and launches. It had previously been shown under the head "Contingencies and special charges." The total expenditure in 1917-18 under these two heads was less than in the preceding year.

15. **Revenue under different heads** * * *

Revenue increased under all the main heads except "Total duty on hemp drugs," which decreased by Rs. 1,96,131. Country spirit gave the largest increase of revenue (Rs. 7,85,913); receipts under "Wines and spirits" (foreign liquors, other than beer, medicated wines and commercial spirits) came next with an increase of Rs. 2,67,812, followed by "Hemp drugs, license fees and warehouse dues" (Rs. 1,37,334), "Receipts from commercial spirits" (Rs. 92,251), "Opium" (Rs. 73,809), *Pachwai* (Rs. 28,450) and *Tari* (Rs. 17,506).

16. **Demand and Collection** * * * Of the gross demand of Rs. 1,56,52,985 a sum of Rs. 1,56,25,391 or 99·82 per cent. was realized. Rs. 9,690 was remitted as irrecoverable. Taking the population of the Presidency of Bengal, according to the census of 1911, to be 45,329,247, the incidence of Excise revenue (exclusive of revenue derived from issues of excisable articles to other provinces, native states and foreign countries) was 5 annas 5 pies against 5 annas 1 pie in the previous year.

17. **Result of settlements for the current year up to 31st May 1918.**— * * * * * * * The settlements for the current year show a net increase of Rs. 23,887.

The results under the different heads were as follows :—

		Rs.
Country spirit	+	33,561
Foreign liquor	–	7,727
Fermented *tari*	–	4,202
Pachwai retail	+	2,05,699
Hemp drugs	–	32,780
Opium	–	1,70,664

License fees for country spirit increased in ten districts and decreased in the remaining seventeen districts. The largest increase occurred in Burdwan (Rs. 44,664) and was due to the increase in consumption in 1917-18. The figures for Hooghly, Howrah, the 24-Parganas and Calcutta under this head and also under "opium" and "hemp drugs" can only be regarded as an estimate, as the license fees in these districts for the current year will depend upon the current year's consumption. There were no very large fluctuations under foreign liquor or *tari*. The almost general decrease under the former head in districts in which the shops chiefly depend upon Indian consumers is due to a further reduction in consumption due to continued high prices.

The greater part of the large increase under *pachwai* was contributed by Burdwan (Rs. 1,79,832), Birbhum (Rs. 17,028) and Bankura (Rs. 14,963) and was due to the low price of rice and, in the Asansol subdivision, to the large number of labourers required for the different industries. Opium license fees fell in most districts owing to the enhancement of the treasury price. More than 90 per cent. of the license fees for the sale of hemp drugs is derived from *ganja*. Vendors of this drug suffered considerably in 1917-18 from the high wholesale prices, and though these have now been reduced it is only natural that many vendors should not be prepared to commit themselves to the high license fees which they paid last year.

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SECTION II.—Country Liquor.

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Country spirit.

19. **System.**—The system of contract supply was the only system in force in this Presidency during the year under report.

20. **Country spirit licenses.**—The number of licenses for the sale of country spirit was 1,162 as compared with 1,158 in 1916-17, an increase of 4. One new shop was opened with the approval of the Advisory Committee in a village in Birbhum in a locality where the demand was being met by illicit distillation. A shop was opened for similar reasons in Rajshahi on the recommendation of the Advisory Committee. Two shops were opened in

Khulna with the approval of the Advisory Committees to supply a demand which could not be met from the existing shops. The management of the shop at Dinbazar Kajaldighi, which is situated in a Cooch Behar *chhit* surrounded by British territory, was transferred from the Cooch Behar State to Jalpaiguri in consequence of the agreement arrived at in 1916-17. On the other hand 23 outstills situated in Bhutan, within a few yards of British territory, which were only maintained by the profits derived from the sale of liquor to British subjects, were either removed to a distance of ten miles from the border or closed. One shop was abolished in each of the districts of Midnapore and Darjeeling and one was transferred from Malda to Dinajpur where the rate of duty is higher.

21. **The fixed fee system in Calcutta.**—Further considerable changes were made during the year in the arrangements for the vend of country spirit in Calcutta, with the object of eliminating the element of uncertainty from the business, so that taxation could be regulated more accurately and closer control secured over consumption. The decision to introduce the fixed fee system was only arrived at a few days before the end of 1915-16, and all that could then be done was to fix a comparatively high rate of duty and comparatively low license fees based on the consumption in that year. In other respects the former system continued. Although spirit was issued at a fixed strength of 22° U. P. the vendors were permitted to dilute it as they pleased and to sell it at any price they chose. They had to pay a fixed monthly license fee based on the probabilities of sales in a year irrespective of the quantity of liquor they sold and the price at which they sold it. It was impossible to ascertain the vendors' profits and therefore impossible to adjust taxation with any degree of accuracy.

It was accordingly decided to fix strengths and prices and so to adjust license fees that the vendors should be left a fair profit on every gallon. In order that this profit might be secured to them and at the same time to remove the temptation to push sales it was necessary to base license fees on a much shorter period than a year. The license fees of each shop were accordingly adjusted monthly on the basis of the issues in the preceding month, on a sliding scale which provided that the incidence of license fees per proof gallon should rise with the consumption. At the same time the business was opened to men of small capital by the reduction of the advance deposit required from two months' fees to half a month's fees. Separate rates of duty were fixed for each strength so that if it were found desirable to increase the price of any strength it would only be necessary to increase the rate of duty on that strength to the same extent without interference with the scale of license fees. The strengths were fixed at 25° U. P., 40° U. P. and 70° U. P. It was, however, difficult to fix prices, as there had been no fixity of prices before. The price of 25° U. P. liquor was fixed considerably above the generally prevailing nominal rate, but the allowance to be made for dilution was an uncertain factor. The price of 40° U. P. liquor was fixed proportionately to that of 25° U. P., and that of 70° U. P. at a figure somewhat less than proportionate, in order to encourage the consumption of weak rather than of strong liquor.

It was anticipated that under any system there would be an increase of consumption as compared with 1916-17, when conditions were abnormal, as many of the vendors had diluted the liquor to an unusual extent in order to recoup themselves for the losses which they had suffered in the previous year. The high price of foreign liquor led a certain number of persons to drink country spirit as a substitute and thus increased consumption. Steps were taken to check consumption by raising prices on two occasions during the year. The price of and duty on 25° U. P. liquor, which was most in demand, was raised by 7 annas per gallon from the 1st August and by a further 7 annas from the 1st January, that of 40° U. P. liquor by half that sum on each occasion and that of 70° U. P. liquor by 3½ annas per gallon from the 1st January 1918. Consumption was eventually almost exactly the same as in 1915-16.

The following figures will show that the taxation per proof gallon of liquor consumed was higher in 1917-18 than it had ever been before and that it exceeded that in the previous year by about 9½ annas :—

Year	Consumption in L. P. gallons	Taxation (license fees and duty).	Incidence of taxation per L. P. gallon in rupees.
		Rs.	
1911-12 ...	332,242	27,27,245	8·2
1912-13 ...	345,777	28,22,775	8·1
1913-14 ...	307,175	29,05,276	9·4
1914-15 ...	277,429	27,63,846	9·9
1915-16 ...	272,007	29,28,250	10·7
1916-17 ...	206,977	22,70,322	10·9
1917-18 ...	272,496	31,52,590	11·6

Under the present system it is possible at any time, by raising the rate of duty and the retail price, to provide without any dislocation of business that an increase in consumption shall be accompanied by an increase in taxation—in other words, if consumers show a tendency to drink more country spirit they can at once be made to pay a higher price for it.

22. **The fixed fee system in other districts.**—From the 1st April 1917 the fixed fee system was introduced into the Sadar and Serampore subdivisions of Hooghly and the whole of the districts of Howrah and the 24-Parganas on a system of license fees fixed for the whole year. Enquiries indicated that sales above the maximum price had not been checked, though there were fewer flagrant cases of dilution, and it seemed probable that the profits left to the vendors were insufficient and too uncertain to induce them to conduct their business honestly. The Calcutta system of adjusting license fees monthly has therefore been introduced from the beginning of the current year, retail prices have been raised and fixed and the incidence scale has been revised. As in Calcutta, settlements have only been made with vendors who undertook to manage the business personally.

23. **Consumption.**—The total consumption of country spirit in the Presidency amounted to 700,586 proof gallons as compared with 626,454 proof gallons in the preceding year, an increase of 74,132 proof gallons.

Consumption increased in 15 districts and decreased in 12. In six of the former districts and four of the latter the fluctuation was less than 5 per cent. The increase in Calcutta has been discussed above. The tendency for the high price of foreign liquor to drive consumers to country spirit is also reported to have been observed in the Asansol subdivision of Burdwan and in the districts of Mymensingh, Bakarganj, Tippera, Pabna and Darjeeling. Outside Calcutta the only increases of 12 per cent. or more occurred in Tippera (966 proof gallons or 16·6 per cent.), where scarcity had, in the course of the three preceding years, reduced consumption from 10,494 to 5,815 proof gallons, Birbhum (935 proof gallons or 14·5 per cent.), where economic conditions improved, and Burdwan (4,846 proof gallons or 12·0 per cent.), where the increase was chiefly due to the employment of more labour in the different industries in the Asansol subdivision. The increase exceeded 1,500 proof gallons in Jalpaiguri (5,195 proof gallons or 10·9 per cent.), where the Bhutan outstills were at last removed with effect from the 1st November. It was decided that no additional shops should be opened in British territory to replace the 23 outstills which had been abolished unless this was rendered necessary by a serious increase of illicit distillation in the neighbourhood. It was therefore considered advisable to wait for at least a year before beginning to force up prices, as a sudden rise would be likely to stimulate illicit distillation. The closing hour, which was 9 P.M. from 16th March to 15th October and 8 P.M. from 16th October to 15th March in all shops within ten miles of the Bhutan border, has however been put forward to sunset with effect from the 1st April 1918. There is at present no clear evidence that illicit distillation has increased.

The only district in which the decrease exceeded 10 per cent. was Nadia (1,152 proof gallons or 17·2 per cent.). The decrease in Hooghly again exceeded 2,000 proof gallons. In both districts the decrease is attributed to the bad economic condition of the people as the result of the war.

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25. **Total revenue from country spirit.**—The total revenue—license and distillery fees and duty—from country spirit was Rs. 64,99,172 against Rs. 57,13,259, an increase of Rs. 7,85,913. The revenue derived from duty and distillery fees increased by Rs. 8,18,467 whilst that from license fees decreased by Rs. 32,554. The only districts in which the variation exceeded Rs. 25,000 were Calcutta, where the revenue increased by Rs. 8,84,264, and Hooghly, where it fell by Rs. 48,361.

26. **Convictions for drunkenness and action taken against licensees for permitting it.** * * * * *

In Calcutta 9,213 persons were convicted of drunkenness as compared with 6,965 in the previous year, but it is impossible to say what proportions of these cases were due to country spirit, *tari* and foreign liquor, respectively. A particularly careful watch was kept on the country spirit shops in Calcutta in connection with the system of fixed strengths and prices, and the large majority were well conducted. Three cases have been reported—one from each of the districts of Calcutta, Faridpur and Burdwan—in which vendors of country spirit permitted drunkenness or disorderly conduct on or near licensed premises. All the cases were compounded under section 65 of the Bengal Excise Act on payment of sums of Rs. 10 in Calcutta, Rs. 20 in Faridpur and Rs. 10 in Burdwan Three *tari* vendors were similarly dealt with in Calcutta and one vendor of foreign liquor in Faridpur.

27. **Distilleries and Warehouses.**—There was no change in the number of contract distilleries. The contract with the Bengal Distilleries Company at Konnagar, which expired on the 31st March 1918, was extended for a further period of one year during the year under report. The warehouse at Netrokona has been abolished from the 1st April 1918.

Supplies from distilleries to the various bonded warehouses were generally adequate. Stocks occasionally fell below the prescribed minimum, but only on one occasion at Jessore did the stock fall so low as to cause apprehension of difficulty in supplying the retail vendors. There has been some improvement as regards wastages in contract warehouses generally, but wastages are still excessive in several of them.

Tari.

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29. **Statistics.**—The total number of licenses issued for the sale of fermented and fresh *tari* increased from 1,954 to 2,319 or by 365 and the total receipts from Rs. 4,76,666 to Rs. 4,94,172 or by Rs. 17,506.

30. **Fermented tari.**—The number of fermented *tari* licenses decreased from 649 to 630. The chief reductions were effected in Midnapore, Hooghly and Howrah where 8, 6 and 7 shops, respectively, were abolished.

The bulk of the fermented *tari* revenue is derived from the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions and the district of Malda, which contributed Rs. 4,60,093 out of a total revenue under this head of Rs. 4,88,888. License fees increased by Rs. 17,222 as compared with the previous year. The increase was most marked in Calcutta (Rs. 23,712), Malda (Rs. 2,010) and Rajshahi (Rs. 1,688), whilst there were decreases of Rs. 4,969 in Midnapore, Rs. 4,858 in Hooghly, Rs. 1,183 in the 24-Parganas and Rs. 1,067 in Chittagong.

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Pachwai.

32. **Licenses.**—The total number of licenses issued for retail sale, home-brewing (annual) and manufacture on special occasions was 34,787 as compared with 33,511 in 1916-17 :—

	1916-17	1917-18
Retail sale	1,333	1,313
Home-brewing (annual)	31,795	33,040
Manufacture on special occasions ...	383	434

The number of retail licenses decreased in Bankura (17), Birbhum (6), Hooghly (5), Nadia (3) and Murshidabad (1). The decreases in Hooghly and Nadia were due to the fact that some shops remained unsettled ; elsewhere they were due to the abolition of shops. Nine more shops were settled in the 24-Parganas than in 1916-17. The shop system has never proved satisfactory in that district, owing to the difficulty of communications and the opposition of the aborigines, and licenses were taken out rather as a cloak for home-brewing than to supply the demand for *pachwai*. After a trial for seven years the shop system has now been abandoned and the home-brewing system has been re-introduced from the 1st April 1918. Three new shops were opened in Midnapore with the approval of the Advisory Committees to meet a demand for *pachwai* in localities in which there were no shops and where the needs of consumers could only be met by illicit manufacture.

The number of home-brewing licenses increased by 1,584 in Malda, 680 in Mymensingh, 346 in Rangpur, 298 in Rajshahi and 70 in Bogra. There was a decrease of 700 licenses in Darjeeling, 621 in Dinajpur, 349 in Jalpaiguri, 215 in Dacca, 92 in Pabna and 21 in Tippera.

The increases in Malda, Rangpur, Rajshahi and Bogra were due to careful patrolling by the Excise staff who prosecuted persons who were found to be manufacturing without licenses. Many of the aborigines, however, still do their best to evade taxation. The increase in Mymensingh only partly counterbalances the decrease in 1916-17. The continuous decrease in Darjeeling is reported to be due to the fact that the settlement of licenses has been left entirely to the *mandals* (village headmen) since the withdrawal of the Inspector in 1915. Attention will now be given to this matter by the Sub-Inspectors. The decrease in Dinajpur was due to the migration of Santals, to a partial failure of crops and to high prices.

33. **Revenue.**—The revenue from retail license fees increased from Rs. 7,63,363 to Rs. 7,91,521. The increase was considerable in Birbhum (Rs. 13,401), Burdwan (Rs. 10,901), Bankura (Rs. 8,038) and Midnapore (Rs. 2,196) and was due to some improvement in the condition of consumers and, in Bankura, to a more accurate valuation of the shops. In the other three districts the increase was less, and in Burdwan and Birbhum much less, than the decrease in 1916-17. The chief decreases occurred in Nadia (Rs. 1,461), and Murshidabad (Rs. 1,407). The revenue from home-brewing licenses increased from Rs. 52,239 to Rs. 52,531.

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SECTION III.—Foreign liquor.

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35. **Clearances of foreign liquor from the Custom Houses, Calcutta and Chittagong.**—The following statistics showing clearances on payment of duty both direct and from bond from Custom Houses are quoted

from statements furnished by the Collectors of Customs, Calcutta and Chittagong :—

	1916-1917.		1917-1918.	
	Calcutta.	Chittagong.	Calcutta.	Chittagong.
	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.
Ale, beer and porter ...	504,135	6,760	503,851	2,129
Cider and other fermented liquors.	5,064	...	1,780	...
Spirits and liqueurs.				
Brandy	57,924	368	55,687	301
Whisky	191,076	1,937	188,880	1,937
Other sorts of spirits and liqueurs.	268,746	115	268,569	1
Wines	83,844	1,090	60,487	109
	605,100		575,971	

The Customs Department have kindly furnished the following statistics of imports and issues on payment of duty of potable foreign spirits at the Calcutta Custom House :—

Years.	Imported (L. P. gallons).				Issued on payment of duty (L. P. gallons).			
	Brandy, whisky, rum and gin.	Java arrack.	White and rectified spirit.	Total.	Brandy, whisky, rum and gin.	Java arrack.	White and rectified spirit.	Total.
1915-16	269,739	40,158	5,963	315,860	257,039	37,343	14,867	309,249
1916-17	283,646	57,896	3,764	345,306	230,779	40,338	2,684	273,801
1917-18	275,983	9,454	...	285,437	246,949	10,408	151	257,508

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37. **Licenses and Revenue.**—The total number of licenses issued for wholesale and retail vend was 569 against 606 in the previous year. In paragraph 33 of the Annual Report for 1916-17 the total number of licenses was shown as 626. The difference is due to the inclusion last year of 34 compounding and bottling licenses, which are not licenses for sale, and the exclusion of 14 late-closing licenses. There were decreases under heads wholesale (1) "on" (1), railway refreshment rooms (1), dining cars (7), steamers (20), temporary bars (24) and dâk bungalows (1) and increases under "off" (2), restaurants (2), bars in hotels and restaurants (10) and late closing (4). An "off" license at Contai in the Midnapore district, which had not been settled in 1916-17, was settled in the year under report, as it was found to be necessary. A license for the sale of beer only was settled at Kharagpur on the recommendation of the Station Committee. The increase in the number of bars in hotels and restaurants occurred in Calcutta. The revised form of restaurant license makes it clear that unless he has a bar license the holder can only sell liquor to persons taking their meals on the premises. License holders had therefore to take out bar licenses to enable them to do legally what they had actually been doing all along. The increase in the number of late-closing licenses was due to the issue of six

temporary late-closing licenses at Calcutta and Darjeeling as compared with none in the previous year. All the late-closing licenses in Calcutta were withdrawn from the 22nd April 1917 on the recommendation of the Licensing Board.

The total receipts from license fees amounted to Rs. 2,98,725 against Rs. 3,26,146 in the preceding year. The decrease was due to the fall in consumption in 1916-17, which affected the settlements. The receipts from duty on potable foreign spirit manufactured in India were Rs. 5,97,053 against Rs. 3,01,820 in 1916-17. The high price of imported liquor stimulated the consumption of rum and of local blends of whisky and brandy, and the consequent demand for rum and rectified spirits was met by Indian made spirit, owing to the shortage of Java spirit, which would ordinarily have supplied the greater part of it.

38. **Rum manufactured in India.**—The following quantities of rum manufactured in India were issued during the year from distilleries and Excise warehouses in Bengal :—

Place of manufacture	On payment of duty.	Duty free.
	L. P. gallons.	L. P. gallons.
Konnagar	207	...
Russa	7,850	...
Asansol	4,864	...
Shahjehanpur	26,609	289
Anwarganj	3,859	...

The above figures include 600 proof gallons of Shahjehanpur rum issued at a reduced rate of duty of Rs. 5 per proof gallon to the Lakhimpur Battalion. The duty-free issues were made to the Campbell and Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, and to the Central Lunatic Asylum, Berhampore.

In addition to the issues of rum, which increased by nearly 60 per cent. as compared with the preceding year, 8,716 proof gallons of Russa spirit and 1,089 proof gallons of Asansol spirit were issued to holders of compounding licenses, who manufacture local blends of brandy, whisky and rum, whilst 209 proof gallons of brandy and whisky received in bond from Anwarganj were issued from the Calcutta Excise warehouse.

39. **Sale of spirits at strengths below the prescribed minimum.**—No case of this nature was brought to notice during the year under report.

40. **Locally manufactured beer.**—The number of breweries was two as in the previous year, but only the brewery at Sonada manufactured beer in the year under report. Duty was charged on 59,123 gallons as compared with 48,030 gallons in 1916-17. The demand for Indian made beer increased owing to the high price of the imported article. Receipts from license fees and duty amounted to Rs. 16,793 against Rs. 13,674 in the previous year.

Medicated wines and rectified spirits.

41. **Licenses and Revenue.**—The number of licenses for the retail sale of medicated wines and rectified spirits was 117 and 24, respectively, as compared with 114 and 20 in 1916-17. The revenue from license fees increased from Rs. 5,453 to Rs. 7,000.

42. **Manufacture and issue of rectified spirits.**—Rectified spirits were manufactured in the Asansol, Konnagar, and Russa distilleries and in the new distillery at Bahir-Mirzapore Road, Maniktala.

The following quantities of rectified spirit were issued during the year for medicinal, industrial or scientific purposes from distilleries and Excise warehouses in Bengal :—

Place of manufacture.	On payment of duty.	Duty free	For manufacture of tincture and absolute alcohol in bonded laboratories.
	L. P. gallons.	L. P. gallons.	L. P. gallons.
Asansol	2,709	17,542	10,953
Konnagar	7,104	113	2,271
Russa	9,962	...	2,727
Anwarganj	1,832	...	...
Bahir-Mirzapore Road ...	1,197	...	4,048

The duty-free issues of Asansol spirit were made to the Medical Storekeeper to Government, Calcutta, the Indian Museum, the Botanical Survey of India, the Director of Ordnance, Allahabad, and, through Smith, Stanistreet & Co. from the warehouse attached to their bonded laboratory, to charitable dispensaries in Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam. Konnagar spirit was issued duty-free to the Medical College, Calcutta, and to the Bengal Fisheries Department.

43. **Manufacture of tinctures, etc., in bonded laboratories.**—In the course of the year under report, Messrs. B. K. Paul & Co. opened a bonded laboratory at Dum-Dum for the manufacture of tinctures and other medicinal preparations containing alcohol. Duty was paid on 7,923·8 proof gallons of spirit contained in tinctures and medicinal preparations issued from the four laboratories which were working during the year, whilst medicinal preparations containing 5,070·4 proof gallons of spirit were issued duty-free to charitable dispensaries in various provinces. Under Government order No. 312 Medl., dated the 2nd February 1918, the privilege of supplying rectified spirit and tinctures and other medicinal preparations containing alcohol duty-free to charitable dispensaries in several provinces, which had hitherto been enjoyed only by Messrs. Smith, Stanistreet & Co., was extended from the 1st April 1918 to all firms in Bengal which manufacture in bond.

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SECTION IV.—Hemp Drugs.

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Ganja.

49. **Retail Licenses.**—The total number of licenses issued in the Presidency for the retail sale of *ganja* was 1,267 as compared with 1,268* in 1916-17. * * * * * * *

50. **Consumption of Ganja.**—The total quantity of *ganja* consumed in the Presidency amounted to 1,908 maunds 20 seers as compared with 2,149 maunds 30 seers in 1916-17, a decrease of 241 maunds 10 seers. Consumption decreased in every district except Burdwan and Bankura, where the increases were very small. It exceeded 10 per cent. in eighteen districts and 20 per cent. in Hooghly (25·1 or 20½ maunds) and Nadia (21·2 or 9½ maunds), where the decrease in the consumption of country spirit was also most marked. Elsewhere the largest actual decreases occurred in Mymensingh (40 maunds 17 seers), Calcutta (35 maunds 1 seer) and Rangpur (19 maunds 12 seers), whilst four other districts showed decreases of more than ten maunds. The general decrease in consumption was mainly due to the high retail prices, which resulted from a general increase in license fees and the rise in the wholesale price of *ganja* at Naugaon. In the five districts in which the percentage decrease was largest there was also a decrease in the consumption of country spirit and the bad financial position of consumers was undoubtedly responsible for the heaviness of the fall.

51. **Total Revenue.**—The total receipts for the year amounted to Rs. 34,18,874 against Rs. 34,89,134 in 1916-17, a decrease of Rs. 70,260. There was a fall of Rs. 1,97,655 in the receipts from duty whilst receipts from license fees increased by Rs. 1,27,395.

52. **Incidence of Taxation.**—The incidence of license fees per seer of *ganja* consumed was Rs. 23·3 and that of duty Rs. 20. The total taxation was Rs. 43·3 per seer as compared with 39·2 in the previous year.

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* Revised figures.

55, **Cultivation and outturn of Ganja at Naugáon in Rajshahi.**—The smallness of the crop of 1917, which had already raised prices to a higher level than they had reached for four years and which assured still higher prices in the near future, caused an increased demand for licenses to cultivate *ganja*. Three thousand four hundred and forty-four applications were received for an area of 5,541 bighas against 2,672 applications for an area of 4,207 bighas in the preceding year. The decision that a Co-operative Society of *ganja* growers should be formed to purchase at fixed rates all *ganja* produced had, however, a disturbing effect. The brokers, whose exactions had been one of the chief reasons for the change of system, and who stood to lose a very lucrative business, managed to persuade the cultivators, who are an extremely suspicious and conservative body, that the scheme would be contrary to their interests. An agitation was started and only came to an end in April 1918, when prompt payment for a large crop, which would normally have fetched very poor prices, convinced the cultivators that the establishment of the Society was greatly to their advantage. A number of the cultivators hesitated for some time to take out licenses. The distribution of licenses was not completed until the middle of September, but licenses were eventually issued for the whole of the sanctioned area. Three thousand and eight licenses, covering an area of 3,099 bighas 17 cottahs and 2 chataks, were granted as compared with 2,513 licenses covering an area of 2,850 bighas in 1916-17. The area actually cultivated with *ganja* was 3,082 bighas 9 cottahs and 10 chataks against 2,501 bighas 17 cottahs and 11 chataks in the preceding year. The prospects of the crop were very good till the end of December when red-spider appeared. Although the attack seemed to have done serious damage and a poor outturn was anticipated, the outturn eventually proved to be better than in any of the three preceding years and averaged 2 maunds 25 seers 9 chataks per bigha. The total quantity of *ganja* stored in the public *golas* amounted to 8,132 maunds 24 seers 14 chataks as compared with 4,642 maunds 27 seers 7 chataks in the preceding season.

56. **Manufacture and storage.**— * * * * * * * The cost of cultivation and manufacture is reported to have been Rs. 43 per maund as compared with Rs. 58 in 1916-17. * * * * * * *

58. **Receipts, Issues and Balances at the Public Golas and wholesale prices at Naugaon.**— * * * * * * * * * The total exports from Naugaon during the year amounted to 5,140 maunds 2 chataks against 5,899 maunds 25 seers 2 chataks in the preceding year.

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Bhang.

60. **Licenses and revenue.**—The number of retail licenses in the year under report was 220 against 219* in 1916-17. One shop was abolished in Midnapore whilst two new shops were opened in Rangpur, with the approval of the Advisory Committees, to supply a demand which was being met illicitly. The total number of druggists' permits issued was 261 as compared with 219 in the preceding year. The increase chiefly occurred in the Presidency, Dacca and Rajshahi Divisions. The total revenue from both license fees and duty amounted to Rs. 1,24,496 as compared with Rs. 1,12,483 in 1916-17.

61. **Consumption.**—The total consumption within the Presidency amounted to 605 maunds 4 seers against 538 maunds 36 seers in the previous year. The increase exceeded 5 maunds in Calcutta (43 maunds) and the 24-Parganas (25 maunds), where consumers had begun to be accustomed to the higher prices which caused so large a decrease last year. In Calcutta consumption was still nearly 30 maunds less than in 1915-16. In the 24-Parganas the increase was partly due to a large increase in the number of Indian troops at Barrackpore.

*Revised figures.

Three maunds of duty-paid *bhang* were exported from Calcutta to French Chandernagore.

Charas.

62. **Licenses and Revenue.**—Thirty retail licenses were in force during the year as in 1916-17. Four wholesale licenses were issued against three in the previous year. The total revenue amounted to Rs. 52,668 as compared with Rs. 48,963 in 1916-17. There was an increase of Rs. 4,252 in the receipts from license fees, whilst receipts from duty decreased by Rs. 547.

63. **Imports and Consumption.**—The total quantity of *charas* imported into Bengal was 20 maunds against 19 maunds 8 seers in the preceding year. The wholesale dealers import the drug direct from the Punjab and supply retail vendors throughout the Presidency.

The total issues to retail shops in Bengal amounted to 19 maunds 34 seers as compared with 18 maunds 17 seers in 1916-17. The only noticeable fluctuation was an increase of forty-five seers in Calcutta. Twenty seers of *charas* were exported to Bihar and Orissa and one seer to French Chandernagore.

SECTION V.—Opium.

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64. **Restricted supply of opium.**—The system under which the issue of opium to retail shops is restricted to the estimated local demand continued in Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Calcutta, Khulna, Bakarganj, Chittagong, Noakhali, Tippera and Jalpaiguri, and in a few shops in Nadia, Jessore, Dinajpur and Malda. It was extended to several shops in Burdwan, the issues to which showed a tendency to increase unduly, and to the two shops at Darjeeling and Kalimpong. It was withdrawn experimentally from the five shops in Birbhum in which it had been in force for four years, as the abandonment of restrictions in the Santhal Parganas had led to the illicit import of opium by local consumers and had defeated the primary object of the restrictions in Birbhum by opening a new field to smugglers in the immediate neighbourhood.

65. **Licenses for retail sale.**—The total number of licenses issued for the retail sale of opium was 819 as compared with 820 in 1916-17. Two shops were abolished in the district of Rajshahi and one in each of the districts of Calcutta, Mymensingh and Bakarganj. The number of shops increased by one in each of the districts of Midnapore, Khulna, Dacca and Jalpaiguri. The increase in Midnapore was due to the settlement of a shop near the border of Balasore which could not be settled in the previous year owing to the prevalence of petty smuggling from that district. A new shop was opened in Khulna, with the approval of the Advisory Committee, to meet the demand of a locality in which the consumers had great difficulty in obtaining supplies owing to the lack of communications, and another in Dacca, on the recommendation of the Advisory Committee, to meet the demand of a locality within 12 miles of which there was no opium shop. The increase in Jalpaiguri was due to the transfer from the Cooch Behar State of the existing shop at Dinbazar Kajaldighi.

66. **Druggists' permits.**—The number of druggists' permits was 400 as compared with 366 in the preceding year. One license was issued for the sale of poppy heads against three in 1916-17.

67. **Consumption.**—The total quantity of opium consumed within the Presidency was 1,074 maunds 12 seers as compared with 1,127 maunds 29 seers in the previous year, a decrease of 53 maunds 17 seers.

Consumption decreased in 20 districts and increased in 7. The increases were inconsiderable; the largest both in actual quantity and proportionately amounted to 37 seers or 4·2 per cent. in Birbhum and 35 seers or 5·2 per cent. in Bankura. The largest proportionate decreases occurred in Darjeeling 35·7 per cent. or 153 seers) and Jalpaiguri (35·0 per cent. or 206 seers), in

both of which districts issues had been abnormally large in 1916-17. Issues to Sikkim only decreased by 22 seers, but restrictions have now been introduced and it is anticipated that issues will be more nearly normal in the current year. The decrease exceeded 20 per cent. in Nadia (251 seers or 23·5 per cent.) and Chittagong (245 seers or 21·2 per cent.). Economic conditions were bad in both districts and there was an increase in retail prices. The decrease in Nadia was largely due to the considerably smaller quantities taken by certain shops from which it was strongly suspected that opium had been smuggled in 1916-17. Issues also decreased by more than 10 per cent. in Tippera (15·4 per cent. or 43 seers), Khulna (10·7 per cent. or 94 seers) and Hooghly (10·6 per cent. or 319 seers) and by more than 100 seers in Midnapore (205 seers), the 24-Parganas (196 seers), Howrah (163 seers) and Rangpur (103 seers). The decrease in Midnapore would have been larger had not the shops near the border of Bihar and Orissa been settled at very much reduced license fees and thus enabled to compete more successfully than in 1916-17 for the custom of the local consumers.

Thirty-six persons were arrested in Midnapore in possession of 57 seers of opium from the districts of Balasore, Cuttack, Puri and Singhbhum. The bulk of this opium was probably intended for export to Burma or China, but in eleven cases, in each of which less than a quarter of a seer was seized, there can be little doubt that the opium was intended for consumption in Midnapore.

Prices rose generally and reached so high a level in the south-eastern districts that there was some danger that the local demand might be met by smuggled opium. Cases actually occurred in which opium was brought from shops in the north of the Bakarganj district for illicit sale in the Patuakhali subdivision, where the retail price, Rs. 200 per seer, was the highest in Bengal. Maximum prices have therefore been fixed from the 1st April 1918 in the Patuakhali subdivision and throughout the Chittagong Division. As has been mentioned in paragraph 4 above retail prices have been fixed in Hooghly, Howrah, the 24-Parganas and Calcutta.

68. **Total receipts.**—The total receipts amounted to Rs. 29,44,947 as compared with Rs. 28,71,138 in 1916-17, an increase of Rs. 73,809, or 2·6 per cent., which occurred entirely under the head of license fees.

69. **Madak and Chandu.**—The habit of opium smoking exists in most districts, but is usually confined to the towns. It is, however, very common in the south-western part of the Midnapore district which borders on Balasore and Mayurbhanj, and is believed to be spreading in Birbhum, Nadia and Malda. The Collector of Nadia reports that some of the poorer classes have taken to opium smoking on account of the high price of *ganja*. It is hoped that the recent restriction of the legal limit of possession of smoking preparations may facilitate the suppression of the habit. The Collector of Malda reports, however, that the main difficulty in checking it is that when a case is detected influence is brought to bear on the witnesses.

70. **Morphia and Opium pills.**—The use of morphia as a substitute for opium is reported to exist to a limited extent in the district of Hooghly, and to be prevalent among the respectable classes in parts of Nadia.

No sale of opium pills was brought to light during the year. It was reported that two men were administering a remedy for the opium habit in the Contai subdivision of Midnapore. This remedy very probably contains opium, but it has not yet been found possible to obtain a sample, as the medicine is administered personally and not sold for removal.

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SECTION VI.—Cocaine.

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73. **Licenses and revenue.**—Two hundred and twenty-seven licenses were issued during the year to chemists and druggists for the sale of cocaine as compared with 218 in 1916-17. Thirty-three permits for the possession of cocaine were issued free to managers of hospitals or dispensaries not under

Government supervision, viz., nineteen licenses for tea gardens in Jalpaiguri, five for charitable dispensaries in Tippera, three in Midnapore, two in each of the districts of the 24-Parganas and Murshidabad and one each in Calcutta and Khulna. Six permits were issued to dentists in Calcutta and one to a dentist and one to a medical practitioner in Dacca for possession and use of the drug in the course of their practice.

74. **Preventive operations and illicit transactions.**—The abuse of cocaine continues in the Calcutta district and the neighbouring parts of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, in the towns of Burdwan and Raniganj, in the Serampore Subdivision of Hooghly and in Dacca city. The habit is suspected to exist in parts of Nadia.

The number of persons convicted of illicit possession or sale of cocaine fell from 263 to 191. In Calcutta the number was 162 as compared with 234 in 1916-17. Several important cases were detected, details of which have already been given in the Excise Supplement to the *Criminal Intelligence Gazette*. Special mention may be made of the arrest by the Calcutta Police and the conviction of Umar Bux, perhaps the most notorious smuggler of opium and cocaine in Northern India. Several members of his gang were successfully prosecuted on another occasion in a case detected by Excise officers, and one of the leading European smugglers was convicted during the year. In Burdwan an informer was found in possession of 22 grains of cocaine which he was about to introduce into the house of a person against whom he had given information. He was put on his trial and convicted.

The total quantity of cocaine seized in Bengal during the year was 39 lbs. 7 ounces 388 grains as compared with 50 lbs. 7 ounces 188 grains in 1916-17. Only 2¼ lbs. were seized outside the Calcutta district, and of this quantity more than 2 lbs. were seized in the 24-Parganas. In Calcutta 204 ounces were seized by Excise officers, 371 ounces by Customs officers and 18 ounces by Police officers.

Cocaine is becoming less plentiful, though the quantity seized shows that the illicit traffic is far from becoming extinct. The greater part of the cocaine seized during the year was of Japanese origin.

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SECTION VII.—Offences against the Excise and Opium Laws.

76. **Prosecutions and convictions.**— * * *

The total number of persons arrested during the year was 6,353, as compared with 5,303 in the previous year. Of these, 5,691 were convicted during the year against 4,700 in 1916-17. The number of arrests increased in 21 districts out of 27. The increase was due to a further improvement in the working of the re-organised establishment and was most marked in Midnapore (422), Birbhum (226), the 24-Parganas (198), Dacca (60), Bankura (59), Malda (54) and Nadia (51). The decrease of 106 persons in Calcutta was due to the smaller number of persons arrested by the Customs and Police officers. The decrease in Faridpur (95) was chiefly due to the smaller number of persons arrested by officers of the Special Staff for the possession of *bhang*.

77. **Classification of offences.**—Seven hundred and ninety-three persons were arrested for illicit distillation and 182 for possession or sale of illicit country spirit as compared with 623 and 115 respectively in the preceding year. In a case in Pabna, two persons, one of whom was a warehouse peon, were found in possession of overproof liquor which they had been enabled to steal from the warehouse at Serajganj by the neglect of the warehouse officer to weigh the drums after they had been supposedly emptied. In the other possession cases the liquor was the product of illicit distillation. The chief increases under these two heads taken together occurred in Midnapore (178), Bankura (51), the 24-Parganas (22) and Chittagong (20) and the chief

decrease in Burdwan (51). The most important case of illicit distillation was detected at Cossipore in the Suburbs of Calcutta by a Sub-Inspector of the 24-Parganas. The principal offender, who had a previous conviction, used to manufacture spirit on an extensive scale in different places. Two places were raided and a very large quantity of wash and spirit and a number of stills and connected implements were seized. The outstanding feature in the case was the finding inside an oven of a counterfeit Excise seal (which was a remarkably clever imitation of the seals supplied to officers of the Department) with which the bottles used to be sealed before despatch to the mill areas where the spirit was in great demand. The prevalence of illicit distillation in the industrial area, in which unusually large profits can be made owing to the high rate of duty, was also indicated by the detection of other important cases. In two of them (one in the Serampore and the other in the Barrackpore subdivision) the culprits were Madrassis. In Birbhum a *kaviraj*, who had for more than three years been manufacturing Mrita Sanjibani Sura and selling it for use as an intoxicant to selected customers, was convicted. The large increases in Midnapore and Bankura appear to be due to better preventive work rather than to any extension of the practice of illicit distillation. Information was received on which some Maghs in the Colonisation area in Bakarganj were found, shortly after the close of the year, to be using Nipa juice as a base for illicit distillation. Illicit distillation seems to be even more common and widespread in that district than was formerly suspected, and it is desirable that special measures should be taken to deal with it. One of the difficulties is that the facilities for obtaining illicit liquor are inadequate for a district in which consumers are scattered over a wide area and communications are very difficult. Illicit liquor is often preferred even in the neighbourhood of a shop ; and when consumers, who do not belong to the lower classes alone, have to travel a long distance to obtain illicit liquor, it is not surprising that the illicit business should flourish under influential support. In Mymensingh the illicit distillers are usually aborigines from the Garo Hills, but the liquor finds a ready market. In Jalpaiguri the offenders are usually Paharias and Bhutias employed on tea gardens.

The number of persons arrested for unlicensed sale of duty-paid country spirit increased from 75 to 120. The increase was chiefly due to the prosecution of 100 persons in Calcutta against 49 in the previous year. The accused in most of the cases were prostitutes. The number of persons prosecuted for illicit possession of duty-paid country spirit fell from 33 to 15.

The only marked fluctuation under the head "Illicit import, export or transport of country liquor" was a decrease of 20 in the number of persons arrested for smuggling outstill liquor from Bhutan into Jalpaiguri, which was due to the removal of the outstills.

There were 34 arrests for illicit sale of foreign liquor as compared with 21 in 1916-17. In Pabna the son of a religious devotee was convicted of selling liquor which he had stolen from the offerings which disciples had made for his father's consumption.

The number of arrests in *tari* cases increased by 118. The chief increases occurred in the 24-Parganas (80), Hooghly (23) and Malda (20). There was a decrease of 33 in Calcutta and of 18 in Jessore.

Under the head "Illicit manufacture, possession or sale of *pachwai*" there was an increase of 584, Birbhum (195), Midnapore (178), Malda (36), Hooghly (34), Dinajpur (31), the 24-Parganas (21), Bankura (19), Nadia (19), and Darjeeling (19) showing considerable increases, whilst there was a decrease of 17 in Calcutta.

It is very difficult to obtain accurate reports as to whether opium seized is illicit opium or Treasury opium, and, as a large quantity of opium is seized in parcels or on board ship in circumstances in which no arrests can be made, and is therefore not dealt with at all in Provincial Table XI, it seems hardly worth while to continue attempts to make this distinction. Taking the figures under the two heads together the number of arrests fell from 605 to 420. Arrests decreased by 150 in Calcutta, 34 in Hooghly and 17 in Nadia, whilst there were increases of 20 in Burdwan, 11 in Midnapore and 10 in Jalpaiguri.

There was, however, a further increase in the total quantity of opium seized in Bengal, which amounted to 89 maunds 23 seers, of which 57 maunds were seized in Calcutta and 24¾ maunds by the Special Staff. The Customs officers made 55 seizures amounting in all to 11 maunds. Thirty-seven and a quarter maunds were seized by Excise officers in Calcutta as compared with 24½ maunds in 1916-17, nearly 3½ maunds by the Calcutta Police and over 4½ maunds by the Howrah Railway Police. Some very important arrests were made, especially by the Calcutta staff, but as details have already been given in the Excise Supplement to the *Criminal Intelligence Gazette* it is unnecessary to reproduce them here. Mention may, however, be made of a case in which some officers in Calcutta were deputed to Patna in consequence of information which they had obtained, with the result that 20 seers of opium were seized and three persons, one of whom was a Muhammadan of some position, were convicted.

Two hundred and fifty-nine persons were arrested for the illicit possession or sale of *madak* or *chandu* against 136 in the previous year. The number of arrests increased by 103 in Calcutta and by 16 in Midnapore.

There was an increase of 44 in the number of arrests for the illicit cultivation or collection of *ganja* or *bhang*, to which Pabna contributed 17. Two hundred and seventy-eight arrests were made for the illicit sale of hemp drugs (usually *ganja*) as compared with 261 in the previous year. There were increases of 47 in Calcutta, 16 in Bakarganj and 15 in Tippera, whilst Jessore and Mymensingh showed decreases of 20 and 19, respectively. There was no marked fluctuation in any district under the head "Illicit possession of *ganja*." Under the head "Illicit possession of *bhang*" the chief increases occurred in the 24-Parganas (63), Nadia (55), Rangpur (42) and Dacca (34) and decreases in Faridpur (68), Calcutta (16) and Jalpaiguri (13). The increase (65) in the number of persons arrested for the unlawful import of hemp drugs chiefly occurred in the districts of Jalpaiguri (28), Burdwan (15) and Birbhum (15), whilst there was a decrease of 27 in Hooghly.

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Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1918.

Marts.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.*	Corresponding return of 1913.*
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 2 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	3 2 0	2 12 0	2 4 0	2 11 0	3 6 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	4 2 0	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	3 8 0	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	2 12 0	2 8 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	.....	.....

(c) No sale.

* Figures not available.

Marts.	PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
Calcutta	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	3 4 0	3 10 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	3 0 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	2 8 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	.....	2 8 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	2 9 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 5 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 6 0	2 8 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0

(c) No sale.

Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1918.

Marts.	RICE (BEST QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A P.	Rs A P.
Calcutta	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 14 0	8 4 0	7 6 0	7 12 0
Chetla Hát	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	5 14 0	5 4 0	6 2 0	8 4 0	8 8 0	5 0 0	6 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	6 0 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0
Chittagong	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 8 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	6 0 0	6 12 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	6 0 0	6 12 0 to 7 4 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	6 4 0	6 0 0	7 5 0	7 8 0	8 12 0	8 0 0	8 12 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	7 0 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	7 4 0	7 12 0	7 8 0	8 8 0

Marts.	RICE (COMMON QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	6 2 0	7 8 0	5 15 0	6 4 0
Chetla Hát	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 12 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	4 4 0 to 4 12 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 2 0	5 4 0	6 4 0	5 0 0	5 12 0
Chittagong	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 8 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 2 0	7 0 0	5 10 0	5 12 0 to 6 8 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 6 0	6 2 0	5 4 0	5 12 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0

Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1918.

Marts	WHEAT.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	4 8 0
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	(a)	(a)	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 10 0	.....	.....
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 0 0	4 10 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	4 0 0	.....	4 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 8 0

(a) Not in stock.

Marts.	KALAI DAL.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.*	Corresponding return of 1913.*
	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	9 0 0	9 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	9 0 0	8 8 0	4 10 0	5 8 0	6 8 0	.....	.....
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 8 0 to 11 0 0	8 8 0 to 11 0 0	5 12 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	.....	.....

* Figures not available.

Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the second half of October 1918.

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Marts.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 10 0	3 8 0
Chetla Hât	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	4 4 0	5 1 0	3 8 0 to 3 12 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 8 0 to 7 0 0	5 8 0 to 7 0 0	4 4 0	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	4 12 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	5 12 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	.....	.....

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Marts.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	51	52	53	54	55	56	57
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	6 12 0	6 12 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	6 6 0	5 14 0	4 12 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	6 14 0	7 4 0	4 9 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 2 0	4 13 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	6 12 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	7 12 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 4 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	8 8 0	7 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	5 4 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	7 4 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 12 0	6 9 0	5 0 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	4 8 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1918.

Marts.	Linseed.			Mustard.			Ghi.			Cotton (unginned).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	5 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	10 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	32 0 0
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	.....(a)	.....(a)	7 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	5 4 0	11 8 0	11 0 0	8 0 0	.....(a)	.....(a)	25 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	7 0 0	6 8 0	4 8 0	10 8 0 to 11 12 0	10 8 0 to 11 12 0	6 4 0	8 8 0	8 8 8	10 0 0	50 0 0	50 0 0	40 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	9 8 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 8 0	9 8 0	10 4 0	6 8 0	10 4 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 10 0	9 10 0	9 8 0	6 8 0	9 3 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	13 0 0	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	Jute.			Ghee.			Hides (cow).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	12 0 0	12 0 0	8 0 0	72 0 0	72 0 0	65 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	.....(a)	.....(a)	9 0 0	70 0 0	68 0 0	56 0 0	40 0 0	Per maund. 40 0 0	45 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	75 0 0	75 0 0	52 0 0	225 0 0 Cleaned piece per 100.	225 0 0	300 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	to 80 0 0 78 0 0	to 80 0 0 70 0 0	to 62 0 0 60 0 0	200 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100.	200 0 0	275 0 0
Chandpur ...	9 4 0 to 13 0 0	9 0 0 to 13 0 0	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	65 0 0	68 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	9 12 0 to 13 4 0	10 0 0 to 13 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	8 12 0 to 12 12 0	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	86 0 0	90 0 0	62 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	8 0 0	8 0 3	4 0 0	62 0 0	90 0 0	65 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	4 0 0

(a) Not in stock.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1918.

Marts	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSENE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	25 0 0	25 0 0	24 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 3 0(d)
Chetla Hat ...	.....	..	...	.....	.....	... .	... ...	... .	.....
Burdwan ...	25 0 0 to 35 0 0	25 0 0 to 35 0 0	14 0 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	4 1 9	4 1 9	3 1 6(a)
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.. ...	.....	...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 24 0 0	3 0 0 to 24 0 0	3 0 0 to 23 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 14 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 0 0(a)
Chittagong ...	30 0 0	29 0 0	17 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	5 8 0†	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 0 0(b)
Chandpur ...	... ..	... .	...	.....	.....	... .	. ...	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	4 8 0	4 4 0	5 4 0*	4 8 0	4 12 0	3 1 0(a)
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.... .	... .
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	24 0 0	24 0 0	18 12 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 12 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	3 3 0
Sirajganj ...	.. ...	.. ...	....	.....	.....	...	.. ...	.....	.... .
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	22 0 0	16 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	3 4 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Mosque mark. | * Panga. | † Ornamed. | (d) 4 Imperial gallons.

Marts.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	25 0 0	25 0 0	17 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.. ..	.....	.	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 14 0
Burdwan ...	25 8 0	25 8 0	16 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 6
Kalna ...	.... .	.... .	...	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 12 0
Raniganj ...	...	.....	...	.....	.. ...	.....	0 2 3	0 2 3	0 2 6
Midnapore ..	28 0 0 to 30 0 0	28 0 0 to 30 0 0	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	... .	.....	.....
Chittagong .	28 0 0	30 0 0	20 0 0	...	.....	.. .	... .	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	...	..	.. ..	.....	.... .	.....	..	... ..	..
Dacca ...	29 0 0	29 0 0	18 8 0	. .	. ..	.....	... ..	.....	....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.	...	. ....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Mymensingh ...	..	.....	.....	.. .	...	.....		.....	.....
Madaripur ..	.....	..	...	.....	.....	... .	.....	... .	.....
Pabna ..	29 0 0	28 0 0	18 0 0	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....
Sirajganj ...	. ..	.....	. ....	.... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	30 0 0	30 0 0	19 0 0	.....	... .	.. ...	...	.....	.....

DACCA,
The 14th November 1918.

N. GUPTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1918.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Pharcolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat ...	7 2	7 2	8 0	7 9	8 0	8 14	4 9	4 9	8 0	5 6	5 6	8 0	9 2	9 2	8 0*
	2	Magra Hat ...	7 12	8 0	9 14	8 4	9 6	10 0	...	...	7 4	5 8	5 5	6 10	10 0	10 0	8 8
	3	Calcutta-Beliaghata ...	6 13	6 13	7 0	8 0	8 9	8 0	4 6	4 6	7 0	5 14	5 14	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 4
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	6 10	7 8	8 14	8 0	8 0	11 0	2 3	3 8	5 8	5 5	5 5	6 6	10 10	10 10	11 4*
	5	Ranaghat	7 11	7 0	9 0	8 10	8 0	10 0	4 9	5 4	6 6	4 9	5 4	6 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	7 0	9 8	10 4	7 4	8 12	10 8	3 0	3 4	7 0	6 0	6 8	10 0	9 0	10 0	13 0*
	7	Kandi ...	8 0	9 12	12 8	8 4	10 0	12 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0
	8	Jangipur ...	8 8	8 8	10 8	9 0	9 0	11 8	...	...	8 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	11 0
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	9 0	10 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	10 0	4 8	5 8	6 8	4 8	6 0	8 8	10 0	10 0	9 2
	10	Bangaon	7 7	8 0	10 0	8 14	10 0	10 10	4 0	4 0	5 5	5 5	5 5	8 10	9 8	9 8	8 0
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	9 0	8 0	8 0	9 8	8 12	9 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	9 0	9 0	7 0
	12	Bagerhat	7 0	7 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	5 4	5 4	6 8	5 4	5 4	5 8	9 0	9 0	8 0
		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	8 0	8 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	12 0	4 12	4 12	8 8	5 8	5 5	9 8	9 0	9 0	10 0
	14	Kalna	6 2	8 0	10 0	6 6	8 7	10 8	4 0	4 0	6 12	5 6	5 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	13 0*
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	6 12	7 8	11 8	7 8	8 8	12 0	3 6	4 8	7 0	5 5	5 5	7 8	10 0	9 0	10 0
	16	Rampur Hat	7 8	8 0	11 0	8 0	8 8	12 0	3 8	4 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	7 0	7 0	10 12	7 8	7 8	13 12	3 8	3 8	8 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	10 8	10 8	8 0
	18	Vishnupur	6 4	8 0	11 0	6 14	9 8	14 0	5 0	5 8	9 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 0
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	8 1	8 1	9 11	9 6	8 8	10 1	4 0	4 0	7 0	4 0	4 0	6 0 to 8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
	20	Contai	7 8	10 0	12 0	8 0	11 0	13 0	7 0	7 0	8 8	7 0	7 0	8 8	9 0	9 8	9 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	7 0	7 8	8 0	7 8	8 8	9 8	4 4	4 8	8 8	5 8	6 0	8 0	10 0	9 0	8 0
	22	Arambagh	7 4	9 8	10 0	7 8	10 0	10 4	4 0	4 0	5 8	5 0	5 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	7 4
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	6 4	7 8	8 2	7 8	8 0	9 12	4 0	4 4	8 0	4 8	5 0	8 0	9 6	10 0	8 0
	24	Uluberia	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	7 0	4 8	4 8	8 0	10 0	9 8	8 0
		Rajshahi.															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 2	7 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 10	4 0	4 0	6 0	5 4	5 4	6 12	8 0	9 12	6 12
	26	Nator	8 0	7 8	7 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 14	7 14	6 8	8 0	8 0	9 8
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	8 8	8 6	9 9	8 11	9 0	10 2	4 12	5 0	6 0	4 12	6 6	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	8 0	7 8	8 4	9 0	8 8	10 0	5 6	5 6	9 0	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0

* Karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1918—concld.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice						Balai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*)			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	29	Sadar	5 0	6 0	7 12	6 8	7 0	8 8	4 0	4 0	5 4	4 0	4 0	5 4	6 8	6 8	5 8
	30	Siliguri	9 0	8 8	7 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	5 8	5 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	7 0	7 12	7 0	8 0	8 8	7 12	6 0	6 0	4 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	32	Nilphamari	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 8	5 8	7 0	5 8	5 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	5 8	5 8	7 0	8 4	8 4	9 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 8	4 8	6 0	9 5	9 5	7 8
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	8 10	9 0	7 2	9 0	9 12	8 0	4 0	6 0	6 8	5 0	5 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	9 0
	35	Sirajganj	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	6 0	6 8	7 8	6 0	6 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	11 0
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	8 8	8 8	9 8	9 0	9 12	10 0	4 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 8
	37	Balia—Nawabganj ...	9 6	8 8	10 0	9 12	8 12	10 8	5 0	4 8	6 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 8
		Dacca.															
Dacca.	38	Sadar	8 0	6 4	7 8	9 0	8 0	9 8	3 4	4 0	5 4	5 0	5 0	6 12	8 0	9 8	7 0
	39	Munshir Hat ...	8 8	8 0	9 0	8 8	6 0	9 0	...	..	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	6 10	6 10	7 11	6 14	6 10	8 8	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 4	5 4	6 0	8 0	8 0	9 8
	41	Netrakona	8 0	8 0	7 9	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	6 8	6 8	7 4	8 0	8 0	9 0
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	4 0	5 0	6 0	4 8	5 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
	43	Rajbari	8 0	8 0	11 2	8 12	8 12	12 0	4 13	5 10	8 12	4 8	4 13	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	7 10	7 10	8 0	8 6	8 6	9 12	5 0	5 5	9 7	5 0	5 13	6 11	8 0	8 0	8 0
	45	Pirojpur	7 14	8 0	7 8	7 14	...	7 8	...	...	7 0	4 12	6 0	5 0	6 8	8 0	7 0
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	7 11	7 11	7 0	7 14	7 14	7 14	5 0	5 0	5 5	4 10	4 10	6 6	8 12	8 12	6 8
	47	Chandpur ...	8 0	8 0	7 12	9 14	9 12	9 8	5 2	5 0	5 5	7 4	7 2	6 8	9 1	9 1	6 8
		Noakhali															
Chittagong.	48	Kalitara Hat	8 0	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	9 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	9 0	9 0	6 8*
	49	Feni Hat	9 12	8 0	8 4	11 10	11 0	11 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	...	..	9 2	9 2	7 6
		Chittagong															
	50	Sadar ...	8 0	8 0	9 8	8 8	8 8	10 8	4 0	6 0	6 8	5 0	5 8	5 8	10 0	10 0	7 0
	51	Cox Bazar	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 0	...	10 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	6 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	9 8	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	3 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	9 0	9 0	5 8

* Crushed.

N. GUPTA,
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DACCA,
The 14th November 1918.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS.

For the week ending on the 7th November 1918.

Summary.—The week was practically rainless. The winter rice crop has been badly affected by the drought. The conditon and prospects of the crop in Western and Northern Bengal are generally unsatisfactory but fair in Eastern Bengal. The *rabi* sowings are proceeding with difficulty for want of rain and moisture. The avorage price of common rice for the province remained stationary as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	$7\frac{9}{16}$	$7\frac{9}{16}$	Paddy plants on high land are withering for want of rain. Sowing of *rabi* crops is nearly finished in Basirhat subdivision but continues elsewhere.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	8	
	Barrackpore	Nil	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$	
	Barasat ...	Nil	$9\frac{7}{16}$	$9\frac{7}{16}$	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	$8\frac{1}{2}$	9	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$	Prospects of standing crops are not favourable. Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops. Reaping of early variety of *aman* paddy has commenced at places.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
	Meherpur ...	0·19	9	9	
	Chuadanga...	0·15	8	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	$7\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable. *Aman* paddy has been badly affected for want of rain. Cattle-disease is reported from Kagram in Kandi and Jiaganj in Lalbagh.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8	$8\frac{1}{2}$	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8	8	
4	Jessore ..	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. Rain is badly wanted for the growth of *aman* paddy and cultivation of *rabi* crops.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	$10\frac{1}{2}$	11	
	Magura ...	Nil	11	$11\frac{1}{2}$	
	Narail ...	Nil	10	10	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	$7\frac{3}{8}$	$7\frac{3}{8}$	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	$9\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{9}{16}$	Condition and prospects of *aman* paddy are favourable; but rain is urgently wanted.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	$8\frac{1}{2}$	$8\frac{1}{2}$	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	9	9	

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7	8	Weather cool. Winter rice, sugarcane and vegetable crops are suffering for want of rain and moisture. Sowing of *rabi* is being retarded for the same reason. Cattle-disease is reported from Ondal.
	Asansol ...	Nil	6¾	7	
	Katwa ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalna ..	Nil	6⅞	6⅛	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	6	7	Weather hot. Sowing of *rabi* crops is retarded for want of rain. Paddy has withered in most places.
	Rampurhat	Nil	7	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Drought continues to damage winter paddy and is hampering sowing of *rabi* crops.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7	6½	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	8	8 1/16	Sowing of *rabi* crops is impeded for want of rain. Winter paddy is also suffering.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	6⅞	6⅞	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	7⅛	7⅛	
	Contai ...	Nil	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ..	Nil	8	8	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are unfavourable. Rain is badly wanted.
	Serampore ...	Nil	6	6	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	7⅞	8¼	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	6¼	7	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute are over *Aman* paddy and and other standing crops are suffering for want of rain.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	6¾	7	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	8	7	Prospects of standing crops are not favourable. Rain is wanted. Importation of fodder continues.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Nator ...	Nil	8	8	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Rain is badly wanted for winter paddy. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Condition and prospects of the standing crops are not good.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	9	(*n*)	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	9 9/16	8	
14	JALPAIGURI	0·20	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	7½	

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	Darjeeling	Nil	7½	7½	Cardamon is being harvested. Winter potatoes are growing. Winter rice and *marua* are progressing well.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7	
16	Rangpur ...	Nil	7	8	Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Rain is badly wanted for *aman* paddy. Potato and tobacco cultivation is going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair on the whole.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	8	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6½	7	
17	Bogra ...	Nil	8½	8	Sowing of *rabi* crops continues with difficulty. More rain is urgently wanted for winter paddy which is withering in places. Prospects of standing crops are poor.
18	Pabna ...	Nil	8⅝	8½	Prospects of standing crops are not good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is impeded by want of rain.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	7½	8	
19	Malda ...	Nil	8	8	Want of rain is damaging the winter paddy and is hampering the sowing of *rabi* crops. Scarcity of fodder is reported from Bamangola thana.
20	Cooch Behar	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Transplantation of tobacco seedlings, sowing of mustard seeds and steeping and washing of jute continue. Cattle-disease is reported from interior.
21	Dacca ...	0·00	8½	8	Weather seasonable and growing cooler. Prospects of broadcast *aman* paddy are fair and harvesting is in progress. Agricultural operations are being affected by the outbreak of influenza epidemic amongst cultivators and labourers. Rain is wanted for transplanted paddy, *boro* rice and other *rabi* crops.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8½	8¾	
	Narayanganj	0·00	(*n*)	(*n*)	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	8½	8½	
22	Mymensingh	Nil	6¾	6 3/16	Rain is wanted.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	8½	8⅝	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	8	8	

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(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	8½	8	Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues; prospects are good.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8¾	8¾	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	8¼	8½	
	Gopalganj† ...	Nil	9½	9	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	7½	8	Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	(*n*) *	8	
	Patuakhali ...	Nil	7¾	7¾	
	Dakshin Shahbazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7½	7¾	
25	Chittagong	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	9	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	8	8	Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Winter paddy is being damaged in parts of Brahmanbaria subdivision by insects. Prospects of standing crops are generally fair.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	8	8	
27	Noakhali ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ...	Nil	11½	11½	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Nil	8	10	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of cotton crops continues; outturn good.

† The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

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N. Gupta,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 11th November 1918.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 14th October 1918.

Summary.—No rain fell during the week. Rain is urgently wanted for transplanted winter paddy and other standing crops. Sowing of spring crops is being retarded owing to drought. Condition and prospects of winter paddy are generally unsatisfactory in the western and northern districts; but fair only in the eastern districts. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 1·2 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	7 2/16	7 9/16	*Aman* paddy is suffering for want of rain. Sowing of *rabi* crops is finished in Basirhat subdivision. Paddy is being exported to Calcutta from Basirhat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	7¼	7¾	
	Barrackpore	Nil	6¼	6¾	
	Barasat ...	Nil	9 1/16	9 7/16	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8¼	8½	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	6⅞	6¾	Prospects of standing crops are not favourable. Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7½	7¾	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	9	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	8	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7¼	7½	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	8	7½	Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable. *Aman* paddy has been greatly affected for want of rain.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8½	8	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	10½	10½	
	Magura ...	Nil	11	11	
	Narail ...	Nil	8	10	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	7	7⅛	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	9½	9½	Condition and prospects of *aman* paddy are favourable.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	9	9	

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7	7	Weather slightly cloudy. Winter paddy and other standing crops are suffering for want of rain. Progress of *rabi* and potato cultivation has been slow on account of drought.
	Asansol ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	6¾	
	Katwa ...	Nil	8¼	7	
	Kalna ...	Nil	6⅜	6⅜	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7	6	Crops are withering and sowing of *rabi* crops is retarded for want of rain.
	Rampurhat	Nil	7½	7	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7	7	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	8 1/16	8	Sowing of mustard, rape, linseed and tobacco is in progress. Washing of jute is going on; prospects are good. Prospects of winter rice are unfavourable.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	7¼	6⅜	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	6 9/16	7⅛	
	Contai ...	Nil	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	7	8	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are unfavourable. Rain is wanted.
	Serampore ...	Nil	6	6	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8	7⅜	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy are not good. Sugarcane and *rabi* crops are suffering for want of rain.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA)	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Prospects of transplanted winter paddy are unfavourable.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	9	8	
	Nator ...	Nil	9	8	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Rain is badly wanted for winter paddy. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Condition and prospects of the standing crops are not good.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	9	9	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	9 0/16	9 0/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8	8	Prospects of *haimantic* paddy and other standing crops are fair.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	7½	

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Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	DARJEELING	0·01	7½	7½	Cardamon and potatoes are being harvested. Winter rice and *bara marua* are progressing well. Wheat is being sown.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6½	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Sowing of potatoes and mustard is going on. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Rain is urgently wanted for winter paddy.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8	8½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	6¾	6¼	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Sowing of *rabi* crops continues with difficulty. More rain is urgently wanted for winter paddy which is withering in places. Prospects of standing crops are poor.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	8	8⅛	Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	7½	7½	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8	8	Winter paddy crop is withering for want of rain. Sowing of *rabi* crop is nearly completed.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Transplantation of tobacco seedlings and sowing of mustard seeds and wheat continue. Washing of jute is almost finished. *Haimanti* paddy is in ears in places.
21	DACCA ...	0·00	7 to 8½	8½	Weather cold and dry with occasional mist. Prospects of broadcast *aman* paddy are fair, but rain is wanted for transplanted rice. *Ufra* disease has attacked the winter rice crop in some parts of the district.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Narayanganj	0·00	(*n*)	(*n*)	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	9	8½	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	6⅛	6¾	Rain is wanted. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	7½	8½	
	Netrokona ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kishoreganj	Nil	8	8	

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Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	8½	8½	Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	9	8¾	
	Madaripur ..	Nil	8	8¾	
	Gopalganj*...	Nil	8½	9½	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	7	7½	Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
	Patuakhali	Nil	7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7½	7½	
25	Chittagong	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	9	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	8	8	Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Winter paddy is being damaged in Brahmanbaria subdivision by insects. Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced; prospects are fair.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	8	8	
27	Noakhali ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *rajasail* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are progressing: prospects are good.
	Feni ...	Nil	9⅛	11	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Nil	7	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of cotton crops continues: outturn good.

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N. Gupta,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 17th November 1918.*

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 16th November 1918.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rice—												
Balam, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	10½	0	3	0
Patnai, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	12	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
„ medium ...	5	13	0	6	6	0	0	2	10½	0	3	0
Nagra, coarse ...	5	0	0	5	13	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	14	0	6	6	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Dudhkalma ...	6	2	0	6	6	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Rangoon Boiled ...	.....			.....			0	2	0	0	2	6
Kajla	4	12	0	5	0	0	.....			.....		
Wheat, Dudhia ...	7	12	0	.....			.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	7	0	0	.....			.....			.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	5	4	0	5	12	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ dal ...	6	12	0	7	14	0	0	3	0	0	4	0
Mung „ (Hari) ...	11	8	0	12	8	0	0	3	6	0	5	0
„ „ (Krishna)	9	8	0	10	0	0	0	3	6	0	4	0
Arhar „ ...	6	4	0	8	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	9
Masur „ (split) ...	4	0	0	4	14	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri)	6	0	0	6	12	0	0	3	3	0	5	0
Kalai „ ...	10	0	0	11	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Salt ...	3	3	0	3	4	0	0	1	9	.....		
Sugar (brown Java) ...	.....			11	14	0	0	5	0	0	5	3
Gur, Bheli ...	.....			.....			0	2	6	0	3	6
„ Sanchi ...	.....			8	12	0	.....			.....		
Milk ...	10	0	0	12	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil ...	25	0	0	28	0	0	0	10	0	0	12	0
Flour (country) ...	9	12	0	11	6	0	0	4	6	0	5	0
Atta No. 3 ...	5	8	0	.....								
„ „ 2½ ...	5	12	0	.....			0	3	0	0	5	0
„ „ B ...	11	8	0	.....								
Suji ...	11	0	0	11	14	0	0	5	0	0	6	0
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	79	0	0	80	0	0	2	4	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	68	0	0	70	0	0	2	2	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	65	0	0	66	0	0	2	0	0	.....		
Maize	4	8	0	4	14	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
Potato	6	12	0	7	8	0	0	4	0	0	6	0
Patal	.....			.....			.....			.....		
Brinjal	2	12	0	3	4	0	0	1	6	0	2	6
Onion	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Fish, Rahu	16	0	0	20	0	0	0	8	0	0	10	0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	4	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets :—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. RAY,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 18th November 1918.*

IRRIGATION DEPART

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the September 1918, and the highest reading of each gauge over

RIVER GANGES.

Date.	Mirzapur. Zero of gauge 208·23 ft.		Benares. Zero of gauge 196·30 ft.		Buxar. Zero of gauge 167·55 ft.		Dinapore. Zero of gauge 134·25 ft.		Monghyr. Zero of gauge 101·88 ft.(a)	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad 86.	From Allahabad 134.	From Mirzapur 48.	From Benares 90.		From Benares 177.	From Buxar 87.	From Benares 287.	From Dinapore 110.
	Highest gauge reading.	2nd September 1916. 266·97.	2nd September 1916. 244·30.		3rd and 4th September 1916. 202·30.		5th September 1901 and 4th August 1917 169·73.		8th September 1901. 129·60.	
	Lowest gauge reading.	28th June 1897. 187·30.	1st May 1877. 182·80.		10th to 14th May 1914. 160·80.		20th April 1912 135·13.		29th April to 6th May 1914. 98·00.	
	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1st		27·48	233·70	24·30	221·30	24·50	192·05	27·50	161·73	19 57	121·40
2nd		27·64	233·86	25·50	222·30	24·25	191·80	27·30	161·53	19·27	121·10
3rd		25·89	232·11	24·00	220·80	24·25	191·80	28·00	162·23	19·07	120·90
4th		25·89	232·11	23·83	220·63	23·78	191·33	28·50	162·73	19·17	121·00
5th		25·31	231·53	23·58	220·38	23·78	191·33	28·00	162·23	19·17	121·00
6th		24·81	231·03	22·92	219·72	23·33	190·88	28·00	162·23	19·17	121·00
7th		24·81	231·03	22·75	219·55	23·25	190·80	28·30	162·43	19·47	121·30
8th		25·39	231·61	23·25	220·05	23·50	191·05	28·90	163·13	20·47	122·30
9th		25·73	231·95	23·75	220·55	23·75	191·30	28·60	162·83	20·77	122·60
10th		25·23	231·45	23·42	220·22	23·75	191·30	28·50	162·73	21·27	123·10
11th		24·14	230·36	22·42	219·22	20·83	188·38	27·90	162·13	21·27	123·10
12th		23·81	230 03	21·75	218 55	22·33	189·88	27·10	161·33	20·47	122·30
13th		23·06	229·28	21 92	218·72	21·92	189·47	26·80	160·53	19·27	121·10
14th		21·81	228·03	19·83	216·63	21·25	188·80	26·60	160·33	19·07	120·90
15th		20·31	226 53	18 33	215·13	19·00	186·55	26·30	160·03	18·87	120·70
16th		18·73	224·95	16·92	213·72	18·50	186·05	20·50	154·23	18·17	120·00
17th		17·31	223 53	15·50	212·30	17·50	185·05	24·40	158·63	17·47	119·30
18th		16·06	222·28	14·17	210 97	16·83	184·38	23·30	157·53	16·47	118·30
19th		15·39	221·61	13·00	209·80	15·00	182·55	22 50	156·73	15·67	117·50
20th		14·48	220·70	11·83	208·63	14·00	181·55	21·60	155·83	15·17	117·00
21st		13·73	219·95	10 83	207·63	13·00	180 55	20·80	155·03	14·47	116·30
22nd		13·98	219·20	10·00	206·80	12·50	180 05	20·00	154·23	14·17	116 00
23rd		13·23	218·45	9·25	206 05	13·08	179·63	19·20	153·43	13·47	115·30
24th		11·73	217·95	8·58	205·38	10·92	178·47	18·50	152·73	13·07	114·90
25th		11·31	217·53	8·08	204·88	10·42	177·97	17·80	152·03	12·67	114·50
26th		10·89	217·11	7·58	204·38	9·92	177·47	17·10	151·33	12·17	114·00
27th		10·48	216·70	7·08	203·88	9·58	177·13	16·60	150·83	11·67	113·40
28th		10·06	216·28	6·58	203·38	9·17	176·72	16·10	150·33	11·17	113·00
29th		9·73	215 95	6·25	203·05	8·50	176·05	15·60	149·83	10·67	112·50
30th		9·44	215 66	5·92	202·73	8·42	175·97	15·20	149·43	10·17	112·00

* New gauge fixed at Rajmahal from 1st June 1910 in place of the gauge at Sahebganj. The zero of gauge at Rajmahal is 56 46 ft above M. S.-L. from 10th February 1916 to 15th June 1918. From the 16th June 1918 the zero is 54·81 ft. above M.S.-L.

† To compare the reduced levels shown in these monthly printed statements before and after the 1st June 1903, 5·78 ft. should be

(a) A new gauge fixed at Monghyr on 16th July 1914.

(b) From 1st November 1915 the zero of gauge is 2·43 ft. above M. S.-L. Previous to that the zero was at M. S.-L. dating back 15th

(c) From the 25th January 1916, the zero of gauge at Berhampore is 30·99 ft. above M. S.-L.

(d) From the 25th October 1916 a temporary wooden gauge with its zero at 49·00 ft. above M. S.-L. was erected at Rampur-Boalia.

The 19th November 1918.

MENT, BENGAL.

river Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi and Brahmaputra for the month of M.S.L. as well as the lowest gauge-reading since 1876.

						RIVER BHAGIRATHI.		RIVER JALANGI.		RIVER BRAHMAPUTRA	
Rajmahal.* Zero of gauge 54·81 ft.		Rampur-Boalia. Zero of gauge is at mean sea level (*d*).		Goalundo. Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.		Berhampore. Zero of gauge 30·99 (*c*)		Swarupganj. Zero of gauge 2·43 ft. (*b*). At mean sea level.		Gauhati. Zero of gauge 148·76 ft.	
From Benares 407.	From Monghyr 120.	From Benares 471.	From Rajmahal 64.	From Benares 591.	From Rampur Boalia 120.						
15th August 1913. 88·46.		26th August 1879. 69·25.		28th August 1906 and 14th September 1915. 25·75.†		14th August 1890. 64·70.		25th September 1900. 35·03.		24th August 1906. 181·11.	
2nd May 1910. 54·62.		23rd April 1886. 27·63.		28th March 1910. 2·25.		19th to 24th April 1917. 23·40.		28th March 1915. 2·13.		9th February 1888. 142·46.	
Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
26·40	81·21	59·90	59·90	25·20	25·20	26·61	57·60	30·87	30·87	25·70	174·46
25·90	80·71	59·50	59·50	25·10	25·10	26·41	57·40	30·68	30·68	25·00	173·76
25·45	80·26	59·10	59 10	25·00	25·00	26·01	57·00	30·47	30·47	24·70	173·46
25·05	79·86	58·70	58·70	24·90	24·90	25·41	56·40	30·24	30·24	24·10	172·86
25·00	79·81	58·30	58·30	24·70	24·70	24·81	55·80	29·95	29·95	23·80	172·56
25·05	79·86	58·30	58·30	24·50	24·50	24·51	55·50	29·75	29·75	23·20	171·96
25·00	79·81	58·10	58·10	24·30	24·30	24·11	55·10	29·55	29·55	23·40	172·16
25·20	80·01	58·10	58·10	24·20	24·20	23·71	54·70	29·29	29·29	23·40	172·16
25·65	80·46	58·40	58·40	24·00	24·00	23·71	54·70	29·09	29·09	23·50	172·26
25·90	80·71	58·60	58·60	23·80	23·80	23 86	54·85	28·88	28·88	24·00	172·76
26·05	80·86	58·75	58·75	23·70	23·70	23·96	54·95	28·64	28·64	24 30	173·06
25·95	80·76	58·70	58·70	23·80	23·80	24·06	55·05	28·44	28·44	24·30	173·06
25 65	80·46	58·50	58·50	23·70	23·70	24·11	55·10	28·20	28·20	24·10	172 86
24·95	79·76	58·10	58·10	23·50	23·50	23·91	54·90	28·00	28·00	23·70	174 46
24·60	79·41	57·60	57·60	23·30	23·30	23·51	54·50	27·88	27·88	23·90	172·66
24·25	79·06	57·30	57·30	23·10	23·10	23·31	54 30	27·82	27·82	24·10	172·86
23·80	78·61	56·80	56·80	22·80	22·80	22·86	53·85	27·80	27·80	24·40	173·16
23·15	77·96	56·25	56·25	22·60	22·60	22·16	53·15	27·76	27·76	25·20	173·96
22·85	77·16	55·30	55·30	22·40	22·40	21·31	52·30	27·58	27·58	25·90	174·66
21·65	76·46	54·70	54·70	22·20	22·20	19·81	50·80	27·23	27·23	26·40	175·16
21·05	75 86	53·70	53·70	21.90	21·90	18·41	49·40	26·62	26·62	26·50	175·26
20·45	75·26	53 30	53·30	21·70	21·70	17·11	48·10	25·65	25·65	26·40	175 16
19·90	74·71	52·60	52·60	21·50	21·50	15·81	46·80	24·53	24·53	26·30	175·06
19·45	74·26	52·30	52·30	21·40	21·40	14·81	45·80	23·05	23·05	25·70	174·46
18·90	73·71	51·80	51·80	21·20	21·20	13·81	44·80	21·40	21·40	25·10	173·86
18·45	73·26	51·40	51·40	20·90	20·90	12·91	43·90	19·79	19·79	24·40	173·16
18·00	72·81	51·10	51·10	20·60	20·60	12·01	43·00	18·30	18·30	23·80	172·56
17·50	72·31	50·70	50·70	20·40	20·40	11·31	42·30	17·20	17·20	23·50	171·26
17·05	71·86	50·30	50 30	20·10	20·10	10·71	41·70	16·16	16·16	21·30	170·06
16·60	71·41	49·90	49·90	19·17	19·17	10·11	41·10	15·28	15·28	20·60	169·36

above M. S.-L. up to 26th October 1915 and 60·00 ft. above M. S.-L. from 27th October 1915, but from 10th February 1916 and again M·46 ft. deducted from the former or added to the latter (*vide* Bengal Government letter No. 1043 F.—I., dated the 19th October 1909).

July 1897. The zero of gauge is again at M. S.-L. from 1st April 1918.

in place of the permanent gauge washed away. The zero of gauge is at M. S.-L. from 25th June 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 9th November 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 9th November 1918.			Week ending Saturday, the 10th November 1917.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs		Mds	Rs
Rice and paddy	987	116,655	2,085	315	24,135	381
Jute	235	118 649*	1,292	280	87,068†	1,154
Firewood	126	63,095	952	71	40.725	604
Other articles	961	181,995	2 471	771	142 335	1,695
Total ...	2,309	480 394	6,800	1,437	294 263	3,834
Empty boats and rafts ...	561	...	1,659	409	...	897
Grand Total ...	2,870	480 394	8,459	1,846	294,263	4,731

Mds.

* Weight by canal measurement — 126,275
† Ditto ditto „ . 79.600

CALCUTTA,
The 16th November 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 16th November 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 16th November 1918.			Week ending Saturday, the 17th November 1917		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage
		Mds	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	959	107,095	1,914	359	24,155	409
Jute	245	83,917*	936	273	122,488†	1,351
Firewood	108	37 150	574	79	38,500	571
Other articles	855	164,766	2,143	962	226,681	2,616
Total ...	2.147	392,928	5,567	1,673	411,824	4,947
Empty boats and rafts ...	564	...	1,672	543	...	1,155
Grand Total ...	2,711	392,928	7.239	2,216	411,824	6,102

Mds.

* Weight by canal measurement 89,987½
† Ditto ditto 1,26,450

CALCUTTA,
The 19th November 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 9th November 1918.

Month and date.	Hour	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year	Remarks.
1918.					
3rd Nov.	7 A M	14·0	14·0	15·3	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
4th ,,	7 ,,	13·8	13·8	15·1	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
5th ,,	7 ,,	13 6	13·6	14 9	
6th ,,	7 ,,	13·5	13·5	14·9	
7th ,,	7 ,,	13·4	13·4	14·9	Its reduced level is 22·41.
8th ,,	7 ,,	13·2	13·2	15·0	
9th ,,	7 ,,	13·0	13·0	15·0	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 9th August 1917
Ditto	.. Lowest ,,	...	4 8 on 3rd March 1917
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	... Highest ,,	...	25 75 on 28th August 1906
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	... Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Record (H F in Brahmaputra only)	... ... Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900
Do	... Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914
Do.	... ... Ditto ,,	.	2 42 on 13th March 1908
Do	... ... Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do	... ... Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885
Do	.. ... Ditto ,,	..	3 16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 9th November 1918.

M. L. MOITRA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 9th November 1918.

Date.	Hour	Height of surface above or below zero: minus sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B M now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B M.	Remarks.
1918.						
3rd Nov.	8 A M	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	47·72	41·40	53·65	B. M. on College step 63·42.
4th ,,	8 ,,		47 62	41·30	53·50	
5th ,,	8 ,,		47 42	41 10	53 90	
6th ,,	8 ,,		47 32	41·00	54 40	
7th ,,	8 ,,		47·17	40·85	54·50	
8th ,,	8 ,,		47·07	40·75	54·30	
9th ,,	8 ,,		46 97	40·65	53·95	

			Value according to old gauge		Value according to new value of B. M = 63·42.
The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	66·50 on 12th August 1917	...	60 18
Ditto	... Lowest ,,	...	40 15 on 19th-20th April 1917	...	38 83
Record ...	.. Highest ,,	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879	...	62 93
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	...	68·08 on 9th September 1885	...	62 76
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	...	68 80 on 26th August 1906	...	61·98
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	...	68 21 on 26th August 1890	...	61·89
Do ...	.. Lowest ,,	...	37 68 on 25th April 1884	...	31 31
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	...	38 13 on 14th-15th April 1888	...	31 81
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	...	32·70
Do ...	.. Ditto ,,	...	39 28 on 6th-7th May 1908	...	32·96

N B—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 9th November 1918.

M. SENGUPTA,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 9th November 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1918.							
3rd Nov.	56·9	...	...	...	...	56·8	
4th ,,	56·5	...	...	...	...	56·5	
5th ,,	56·4	...	...	...	...	56·3	
6th ,,	56·15	...	...	...	...	56·0	
7th ,,	56·0	...	...	...	...	56·1	
8th ,,	55·8	...	...	...	...	56·0	
9th ,,	55·6	...	...	...	...	55·85	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·5	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st ,,	1911	68·46	
13th ,,	1912	67·16	
31st ,,	1915	69·7	
18th ,,	1916	68·1	
12th ,,	1917	67·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th ,,	1908	51·06	
12th March	1913	51·06	
6th ,,	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·8	
15th ,,	1916	50·6	
3rd March	1917	51·0	

DACCA,
The 11th November 1918.

S. N. BANARJI,
Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.

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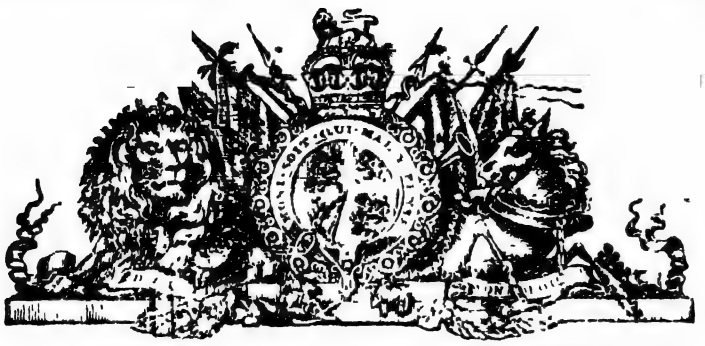

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL'S TOUR, during December 1918.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
December.	HOURS.		
1st, Sunday ...	21-10	Leave Howrah ...	By special train. Private departure.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
December.	HOURS.		
2nd, Monday ...	6-0	Arrive Kalimati.	
	8-30	Leave Kalimati.	
	9-0	Arrive Sakchi ...	Private arrival.
	19-0	Leave Sakchi ...	Private departure.
	19-30	Arrive Kalimati.	
	21-0	Leave Kalimati.	
3rd, Tuesday ...	6-0	Arrive Chhatna.	
	8-30	Leave Chhatna.	
	9-0	Arrive Bankura ...	Public arrival.
4th, Wednesday ...	9-0	Leave Bankura ...	By motor. Visit Bishnupur *en route*.
	16-0	Arrive Midnapore ...	Public arrival.
5th, Thursday ...	...	Halt at Midnapore.	
6th, Friday ...	13-30	Leave Midnapore ...	By special train. Private departure.
	14-30	Arrive Khargpur.	
	15-30	Leave Khargpur.	
	17-30	Arrive Howrah ...	Private arrival.

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—
The Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., Chief Secretary.
Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Offg. Private Secretary.
Captain R. W. Hyde, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain D. Balfour, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) All letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, without the addition of the name of any post town.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
CALCUTTA:
The 21st November 1918.

H. G. VAUX, CAPTAIN,
Military Secretary
to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 6699A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6334A.—The 20th November 1918.*—Mr. L. Birley, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department, on leave, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 6348A.—The 22nd November 1918.—Babu Sarada Prasanna Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed to have charge of the Ranaghat subdivision of the Nadia district.

24-Parganas.
Nadia.

No. 6525A.—The 22nd November 1918.—Babu Bimal Chandra Sinha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

No. 6535A.—The 23rd November 1918.—The orders of the 9th October 1918, appointing Mr. W. A. Marr, I.C.S., on leave, to be Magistrate and Collector, Rangpur, are cancelled.

Rangpur.

No. 6544A.—The 23rd November 1918.—The Sub-Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Deputy Collectors and are posted to the stations mentioned opposite their names :—

Babu Abhaya Charan Chatarji, B.L. (to continue, until further orders, as Chaukidari Circle Officer in the district of Burdwan).
„ Subodh Chandra Mitra, M.A., B.L., Gaibandha, Rangpur.
„ Kashiswar Chakrabatti (to continue, until further orders, as Assistant Settlement Officer, Rajshahi).
„ Abinash Chandra Banarji, B.L. (to continue, until further orders, as Assistant Settlement Officer, Midnapore.)

No. 6545A.—The 23rd November 1918.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Deputy Collectors :—

Babu Pran Kumar Mukharji, M.Sc., son of late Dr. Amulya Kumar Mukharji.
„ Pramodranjan Das Gupta, M.Sc., B.L., son of late Babu Annada Charan Das Gupta.
„ Jyotish Chandra Banarji, M.A., son of Babu Satish Chandra Banarji.
„ Sambhu Charan Chatarji, M.A., son of Babu Kalishankar Chatarji.
„ Surendra Nath Sarkar, M.Sc., B.L., son of Babu Rasik Chandra Sarkar.
Maulvi Tajal Islam Muhammad Nurannabi Chaudhuri, B.A., son of late Maulvi Niamatulla Chaudhuri.
„ Ahmad Husain, B.A., son of Maulvi Muhammad Sakhawat Husain.
Mr. Satyendra Kumar Ghosh, B.A., son of late Mr. Pran Kumar Ghosh.

The postings of these officers are under consideration and the appointments of those, who have not submitted certificates of health and age, are subject to the submission and acceptance of those certificates.

No. 6583A.—The 23rd November 1918.—Babu Paramesh Prasanna Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 6585A.—The 23rd November 1918.—Babu Gokul Chandra Mazumdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kishoreganj, Mymensingh, is transferred to the headquarters station of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 6587A.—The 23rd November 1918.—Babu Upendra Chandra Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Malda, is transferred to the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Malda.
Mymensingh.

No. 6590A.—The 23rd November 1918.—Babu Atul Chandra Guha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Malda district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Sadar Subdivisional Officer of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.
Malda.

No. 6594A.—The 25th November 1918.—Babu Atul Gopal Ray, M.A., Probationary Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors and is posted to the headquarters station of the Bogra district.

Bogra.

No. 6596A.—The 25th November 1918.—Babu Kshetra Mohan Mukharji, B A., Probationary Deputy Collector, on Settlement duty, Rajshahi, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors. He will continue to be employed on settlement duty until further orders.

Rajshahi.

No. 6614A.—The 25th November 1918.—Babu Manohar Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Barrackpore, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Malda district.

24-Parganas.
Malda.

No. 6637A.—The 25th November 1918.—Babu Bagala Prasanna Chakrabatti, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Faridpur.

No. 6697A.—The 26th November 1918.—Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial, Political and Appointment Departments, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Bengal in addition to his own duties.

Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 6619A.—The 25th November 1918.*—Babu Adhar Chandra Basu, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police, Bogra, is transferred to the Patuakhali subdivision of the Bakarganj district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Bogra.
Bakarganj.

No. 6630A.—The 25th November 1918.—Rai Purna Chandra Lahiri Bahadur, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is appointed as a Deputy Commissioner of the Calcutta Police in the cadre of Superintendents of Police with effect from the 6th March 1918. He is appointed to act as Superintendent from the 6th to the 28th March 1918, substantively *pro tempore* in the fifth grade from the 29th March to the 15th May 1918 and substantively in that grade from the 16th May 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 6645A.—The 26th November 1918.—Mr. C. E. Ezechiel, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Burdwan, is appointed to be Superintendent of the River Police, Narayanganj, Dacca.

Burdwan.
Dacca.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 6346A.—The 21st November 1918.*—Babu Surendra Mohan Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranaghat, Nadia, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the date on which he availed himself of it up to the 23rd December 1918.

Nadia.

No. 6528A.—The 22nd November 1918.—Babu Jatindra Kumar Biswas, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Netrakona, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 30th September 1918.

Mymensingh.

No. 6598A.—The 25th November 1918.—Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed combined leave for two months and four days, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for sixteen days with effect from the 17th September 1918, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

24-Parganas.

No. 6600A.—The 25th November 1918.—Rai Jogendra Kumar Ghosh Bahadur, Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for forty-three days with effect from the 11th November 1918, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

24-Parganas.

No. 6612A.—The 25th November 1918.—Babu Kunja Bihari Gosain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Malda, is allowed combined leave for three months, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for the period due to him on the date on which he may avail himself of it, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

Malda.

No. 6635A.—The 25th November 1918.—Mr. Birendra Kumar Basu, I.C.S., Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Madaripur, Faridpur, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st December 1918 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Faridpur.

No. 6641A.—The 26th November 1918.—Mr. Jnanendra Nath Gupta, I.C.S., is allowed furlough, under article 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 31st October 1918, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 21st May 1918.

POLICE.—*No. 6610A.—The 25th November 1918.*—In modification of the orders of the 31st July 1918, Mr. R. G. Watling, Superintendent of Police, Nadia, is allowed combined leave from the 18th August 1918 to the 23rd November 1918, inclusive, viz., privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and twenty-four days, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308(*b*) of the Regulations.

Nadia.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8597L.R.—The 20th November 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3(*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Prakriti Nath Basu, Settlement Kanungo and Revenue Officer in the district of Bankura, is authorized to discharge, in the Asansol subdivision of the district of Burdwan, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura. Burdwan.

No. 8613L.R.—The 20th November 1918.—Babu Kashiswar Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six days, in extension of the leave granted to him in Government Notification No. 1821T.R., dated the 26th October 1918.

Rajshahi.

No. 8673L.R.—The 21st November 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned Settlement Kanungoes are appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore, as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights :—

Jessore. Faridpur.

Babu Jogendra Chandra Banarji.	Babu Narendra Nath Banarji.
Maulvi Nazir Hosain.	„ Sailesh Chandra Ghosh.

No. 8895L.R.—The 26th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (*2*) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the boundaries of the temporarily-settled private estate bearing tauzi No. 8140 of the Mymensingh Collectorate.

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The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a court, or otherwise ;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority ;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 8610L.A.—The 20th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of land measuring, more or less, ·0245 of an acre and bounded as follows, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 2407L.A., dated the 5th March 1918, published at page 374, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem, as amended by Erratum No. 8609L.A., dated the 20th November 1918, and required for the extension of the proposed Eye Hospital in the Medical College, in the town of Calcutta :—

Calcutta.

North—By the land acquired under the declaration quoted above and the land acquired for the Eye Hospital,

East—By the land acquired for the Eye Hospital and premises No. 52-1, Sagore Dutt Lane (portion.)

South—By Sagore Dutt Lane already acquired, temple, premises No. 14-1, Sagore Dutt Lane (portion), and the municipal passage (acquired).

West—By the land acquired under the declaration quoted above.

No. 8893L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Sukumar Chatarji, Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Pabna, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Pabna.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8601L.A.—The 20th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Rangpur Dairy Firm in the village of Alamnagar, pargana Kundi, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·393 acres, bounded on the—

Rangpur.

North and East—By the Dairy Firm compound,
South—By the District Board road,
West—By the land of Manahar Das,

is required within the aforesaid village of Alamnagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Rangpur.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8605L.A.—The 20th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the District Agricultural Farm in the villages of Sutrapur and Malgaon, pargana Selbursa, zilla Bogra, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 22·95 acres, bounded on the—

Bogra.

North—By the lands of Rakimonnessa Bibi, Buda Sha, Babulla Posari, Majrat Mondal, Kanchu Shaik, Asarat Mia, Ichop, Kiamat Sarker, Janu Chaprasi and Kabool Master,
East—By Carmichael Road,
South—By the lands of Ausmat, Karim, Kitab Sha, Sarif Mondal, Lal Sha, Amir Jilader, Hanif Mandal, Faiu Mia, Ujal Monna, Amatulla and Kalmuddin,
West—By the lands of Kabool Master, Majratulla Sha, Buda, Heda Mandal, Safatulla, Kalimuddin, Dianat and Ichop,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Sutrapur and Malgaon.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bogra.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8787L.A.—The 23rd November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the headquarters of the proposed Dhanbari subdivision, in the villages of Barnichandabari and Kismat Dhanbari, pargana Pukhuria, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two

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pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 60·6 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North—By the lands of Mogal Bakal, Gendu Munshi, Joki Shaikh, Jadab Chandra Datta and *halat*,
East—By the lands of Kamu Shaikh, Shahebali, Mogal Bakal, Abdul Kadir, Mehor Shaikh, Gendu Shaikh, Hon'ble Nawab Syed Nawabali Chowdhuri and *halat*,
South—By the District Board road,
West—By the lands of Pakku Munshi, Rajab Fakir, Jobedali, Mambat Shaikh, Jagneswar Roy, Meserali Shaikh and Jadab Chandra Datta and *halat*,

PLOT B.

North, South and West—By road,
East—By the lands of Hon'ble Nawab Syed Nawabali Chowdhuri and Syedanessa Bibi,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Barnichandabari and Kismat Dhanbari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 8791L.A.—The 23rd November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the headquarters of the proposed Iswarganj subdivision, in the villages of Dattapara and Charnikla, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 33·20 acres, bounded on the—

PLOTS A AND C.

North—By the land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway,
East—By the public path,
South—By the District Board road,
West—By the lands of Keamotali and Jomdharali (settlement plot No. 1095 and part of 850), Babarali and Kosarali (settlement plots Nos. 1088 and 1090), Nosu and Nasi (settlement plot No. 1089), Sheik Golim (part of settlement plot No. 1298) and District Board dâk bungalow (settlement plot No. 1307),

PLOT B.

North—By the District Board road,
East—By the public path.
South—By the river Kachamatia,
West—By the lands of Jorip Bepari and Somir Sheik (settlement plots Nos. 1562, 1563 and part of No. 1605), Bazar (settlement plot No. 1598) and Ramgoti Napit (settlement plot No. 1604),

are required within the aforesaid villages of Dattapara and Charnikla.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 8795L.A.—The 23rd November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the headquarters of the proposed Iswarganj subdivision, in the villages of Charnikla and Dattapara, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, ·755 acre, bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North—By the lands of Elahi Baksha, Ibrahim Sheikh, Arajali Sheikh, Mahamad Sadi Abbas, Idrish Sarkar, Jarina Khatun and Shahadil,
East—By the lands of Shahadil, Abdul Aziz, Abdul Hamid, Abdul Khalekh and Abdul Sobahan,
South—By the Mymensingh-Kishorganj District Board road,
West—By the *halat* (towards Iswarganj Railway Station),

PLOT B.

North and East—By the lands of Iswarganj police-station,
South—By the land of Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Roy Choudhury,
West—By the land of Osmanali Sheikh,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Charnikla and Dattapara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 8799L.A.—The 23rd November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed Rural Magistracy at Itna, in the village of Itna, pargana Joanshahi, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 21·240 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Arail Sheikh, Chand Sheikh, Magan Badyakar, Mirai Badyakar, Arman Takur and Dhanu River,
East—By khal,
South—By the land of Nizu Sheikh and khal,
West—By the lands of Arman Takur, Rahamatulla Sheikh, Aktaruddin Takur, Sagira Banu Bibi, Dewan Abdul Alim, Gagan Chandra Saha, Kala Chand Rudra Pal, Aptabuddin Takur, Sabu Rudra Pal, Chandra Mohan Rudra Pal, Kanai Rudra Pal, Golak Chandra Rudra Pal, Kailash Chandra Rudra Pal, Debendra Chandra Saha, Surjya Narayan Rudra Pal, Gobinda Chandra Rudra Pal, Paluram Dey, Madhuram Dey, Tara Chand Saha, Joy Gopal Dey, Daguram Saha, Mahendra Chandra Dey and Durga Charan Dey,

is required within the aforesaid village of Itna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8803L.A.—The 23rd Novemb r 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the new district headquarters at Kishoreganj, in the villages of Raukhail, Gaitail, Sulakia in pargana Hazardi, Sridharkhila in pargana tappa Hazardi, Kutigirdi and Harua in pargana Hosenshahi, and Tarapasha in pargana Hazardi, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 132·9 acres, bounded on the—

Mymensingh.

PLOT A.

North—By the lands of Ganga Das Chakrabarty, Sambhu Nath Dey, Hari Jiban Bir, Rakim Sheikh, Ablash Sheikh, Fazil Sheikh, Kali Das Roy, Ibrahim Munshi, Rosmat Sheikh, Munshir Bap, Tazu Sheikh, Sabu Sheikh, Mahendra Nag, Abdul Sheikh, road and *halats*,

East—By the lands of Rajani Chakrabarty, Rameswar Chakravarty, Sarat Adhikary, Ambika Karkoon, District Board brick-field, Wazuddin, Hari Kishore Roy, Rohini Chakrabarty, Shambhu Nath Dey, Ganga Das Chakrabarty, Har Chandra Roy, Pyari Roy, Sadir Sheikh, Fazil Sheikh, Municipal road and Kalibari Road,

South—By the river Nasunda and mosque,

West—By the lands of Kalim Bepari, Sunanda Chakrabarty, Chandra Nath Biswas, Kali Das Roy, Ablash, road and *halats*,

PLOT B.

North—By the river Nasunda,

East—By the lands of Basanta Kumar Basak and Purna Chandra Saha,

South—By the road,

West—By the lands of Absar Sheikh, Muzafar Sheikh, Mali Sheikh, Jalu Sheikh, Salim Sheikh and Yeasin Sheikh,

PLOT C.

North—By the lands of Mamruj Sheikh, Samsher and Araj Sheikh,

East—By the acquired land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway,

South—By the land of Abdul Sheikh,

West—By the lands of Araj and Hosenali Sheikh,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Raukhail, Gaitail, Sulakia, Sridharkhila, Kutigirdi, Harua and Tarapasha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8807L.A.—The 23rd November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the headquarters of the proposed Bajitpur subdivision, in the villages of Bajitpur, Basantapur, Darighagatia, Silimarkandi, pargana Joanshahi, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above

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purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 59·580 acres bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North—By the lands of Mafizuddi Sheikh, Suratali Sheikh, Abdul Rasid, Khowaz Sheikh, Mamin Sheikh, Samiruddi Sheikh, Hafizuddin Sheikh, Nurjan Bibi, Fachu Ulla Sheikh, Katu Sheikh, Hasana Banoo, Nurjan Bewa, Chand Baksha, Banu Husein Sheikh, Asanulla, Hazi Aminuddin. Yeasin Sheikh, Osmangani Sheikh, Abdul Kadir, Rahim Baksha, Abdul Latif, Abdul Khalek, Sonaulla, Karim Nowaj, Faizuddin, Ansar Sheikh, *halat* and District Board road,

East—By the lands of Nur Rahaman Sheikh, Alamonnessa Bewa, Namir Baksha, Amiruddin, Mayezuddin, Pasandali, Wahed Baksha, Syedali and road,

South—By the lands of Alam Baksha, Elahi Baksha, Bangshi Badan Das, Abdul Hamid, Asrabali, Ramjanali, Abdul Gafur, Wahed Baksha, Ala Baksha, Jagneswar Roy, Sonaulla, Jamir Baksha, Syedali, Abdul Soban, *halat* and District Board road,

West—By the lands of Mahamed Abdul Bhuia, Nekbar Sheikh, Nagar Pal, Abdul Majid and road.

PLOT B

North—By the lands of Umatara Dasya, Purna Chandra Basak, Akimonnessa Bibi, Syedali, Abduljabbar Bhuia,

East, South and West—By road,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Bajitpur, Basantapur, Darighagatia and Silimarkandi.

This declararion is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

M. C. MCALPIN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8812L..1.—The 23rd November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the new district headquarters at Jamalpur, in the villages of Singhjani, Chandra and Pathalia, pargana Jafarshahi, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 374·027 acres, bounded on the—

Mymensingh.

North—By the lands of Gendu Sheikh, Mahabat Akanda, Rahim Akanda, Kifatulla Dafadar, Jaliluddin Munshi, Maher Mia. Alimonnessa Bibi, Mafizuddin Sheikh, Sadar Sheikh, Meru Sheikh, Nazar Sheikh, Tazu Sheikh, Mahammad Shaikh, Dabu Shaikh Sadar Shaikh, Rajabali Sheikh, Matiulla Sheikh, Jali Fakir, Abal Sheikh, Agniswar Roy, Iran Bewa, Sagar Sheikh, Sagarali Sheikh, Khali Sheikh, Shiraj Sheikh, Jamir Sarkar, Ratan Bewa, Jainulla Sheikh, Shaha Mamud and road and *halats*,

East—By the village of Naobhanga and the Char lands of river Brahmaputra,

South—By the lands of Fakira Sheikh, Subal Sarkar, Mafizuddin Sheikh, Maherulla Sheikh, Uma Baksha Zamadar, Ram Krishna Gope, Chatur Gope, Sadu Ram Gope, Joyan Mandal, Ram Krishna Gope, Fakira Sheikh, Basir Sheikh, Naimuddi Sheikh, Subal Sarkar, Dilu Sheikh, Mamudjan Sheikh, Golap Sheikh, Tazuddin Sheikh, Muktear Library and road and *beel*,

West—By the lands of Singhjani-Fulchari extension of Eastern Bengal Railway,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Singhjani, Chandra and Pathalia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

Khulna.

No. 8822L.A.—The 25th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for earthwork in side width of main line of the Khulna-Bagerhat Railway, at mile 13, in the village of Afra, pargana Rangdia, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·014 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Kunja Behari Dutta,
East—By the village road,
South—By the District Board land,
West—By the land of Charan Ghosh,

is required within the aforesaid village of Afra.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Khulna.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Dinajpur.

No. 8825L.A.—The 25th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a police investigating centre at Dhamoir Hat, in the village of Chack Jadu, pargana Santosh, zilla Dinajpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·15 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Paloo Kasya, Sukta Kasya and Dharma Kasya,
East—By the house of public women, and village road to Balupara from Joypur Hat road,
South—By the road-side land of District Board road from Balurghat to Joypur Hat,
West—By the land of Paloo Kasya,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chack Jadu.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Balurghat.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8828L.A.—The 25th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Pabna for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a feeder road from Salap Railway station to District Board road No 23 to Salap, in the villages of Bhadrakole, tauzi No. 13, and Kazipara, tauzi No. 1, of Pabna Collectorate, pargana Esupshahi, district Pabna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land about 4,896 feet long (from the approach road to Salap station to District Board road No. 23) and about 50 ft. wide, measuring, more or less, 5·61 acres, is required within the aforesaid villages.

Pabna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Serajganj.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8831L.A.—The 25th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore, for a public purpose, viz., for an Inspection Bungalow, in village Garakhola, pargana Mahmudshahi, district Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·47 of an acre, bounded on the—

Jessore.

North—By the District Board road and the lands of Hormat Sheikh and Forman Sha,
East—By the lands of Hormat Sheikh and Forman Sha,
South—By the land of Forman Sha,
West—By the land of Forman Sha and the District Board road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Garakhola.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8862L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of the 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Dispensary building with staff quarters, in the village of Peara, pargana Sarparajpur zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·376 of an acre, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the drain of Gobra road and the lands of Trailokhya Nath Karmakar and Sita Nath Das,
East—By the lands of Hosain Gazi and Sita Nath Das,
South—By the drain of private road,
West—By the drain of Gobra road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Peara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman, District Board, 24-Parganas.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8865L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for a feeder road from Dhaniakhali-Chinsura road to Belmuri Station at miles 25, 26 and 27 of the Burdwan-Howrah Chord Railway, in the villages of Bahadurpur, Bazimulla, Balarambati and Belmuri, pargana Chowmoha, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13·42 acres bounded on the—

Hooghly.

North—By the land of Dhaniakhali-Chinsura road,

East—By the lands of Hari Charan Madak, Hari Ghose, Chandra Kanta Bose, Bagala Charan Bhattacharji, Debendra Nath Banerji, Ekkari Karmakar, Tara Prasanna Biswas, Prasanna Kumar Chatterji, Hari Charan Ray, Krista Chandra Ray, the village road and the lands of Bhagabati Charan Ray, Dayal Chandra Bose, Sashi Ghose, Bireswar Chatterji, Basanta Kumar Mukerji, Bijoy Krista Bose, Satya Krista Ray, Tulshi Bose, Tarak Dasi, Gobinda Ray, Hari Das Keora, Satish Chandra Ray, Ichub Sheik, Anukul Chandra Mukerji, Becharam Ray, Jagin Bagdi, Hriday Bagdi, Sashi Majhi, Pulin Behari Bose, Guhiram Barui, Chintamani Bhandari, Nitya Gopal Bose, Panchanan Majhi, Sadhu Charan Adak, Hari Das Adak, Gour Ghose and Bidhu Bhusan Bose,

South—By the lands of Sadhu Charan Adak and Hari Adak,

West—By the lands of Bireswar Chatterji, Hari Charan Madak, Bagala Bhattacharji, Hari Ghose, Tara Prasanna Biswas, Chandra Kanta Bose, Satya Krista Ray, Nakur Ghose, Hari Das Bagdi, Charan Paramanik, Hari Charan Ray, Tarak Dasi, Krista Chandra Ray, the village road and the lands of Bhagabati Charan Ray, Hari Das Keora, Debendra Nath Banerji, Basanta Mukerji, Akabbar Sheik, Gobinda Ray, Bhuban Mohini Dasi, Anahar Sheik, Belat Sheik, Satish Chandra Ray, Hriday Bagdi, Jagin Bagdi, Pulin Behari Bose, Jugal Bose, Sashi Majhi, Guhiram Barui and of the East Indian Railway Company,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Bahadurpur, Bazimulla, Balarambati and Belmuri.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the Chief Engineer, East Indian Railway, Calcutta.

M. C. MCALPIN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8868L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Government Officer's quarters at Chandpur, in the village of Sriramdi,

Tippera.

pargana Purchandi, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·108 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the fallow land of Madhusudan Ghatak and others,
East—By tank and house of Rajani Kanta Mukerji and the quarters of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon,
South—By the Strand Road,
West—By the dispensary and the compound of the New Zealand Baptist Mission Church,

is required within the aforesaid village of Sriramdi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Rajshahi.

No. 8872L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Rajshahi for a garden attached to the Saipara B. U. P. School, in the village of Saipara, pargana Dhamin, zilla Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·34 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Annulla Sardar and Sorait Gain,
East—By the lands of Hazarat and Kalam Milmalat and others,
South—By the District Board land,
West—By the lands of Faru Khamaru, Moniruddin Saha, Chikan Saha and others,

is required within the aforesaid village of Saipara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Rajshahi.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 8875L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for excavating a tank in the village of Mangalhata, pargana Naldi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

North—By a *halot*,
East—By the lands of Tarini Charan Mitra and Purna Chandra Guha, Govinda Chandra Mitra, Purna Chandra Guha and Sonaulla Sheikh.
South—By the lands of Sonaulla Sheikh, Isarot Molla and Asiraddi Molla,
West—By the lands of Isarot Molla, Ashiraddi Molla, Taher Molla and Isarot Molla,

is required within the aforesaid village of Mangalhata.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Narail.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8878L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a police-station at Madhupur, in the village of Malauri, pargana Pukhuria, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·368 acres, bounded on the—

Mymensingh.

North—By the lands of Bangu Sheik and Akali Sheik,
East—By the Post Office compound and the lands of Abdul Jabbar,
South—By the District Board road to Gopalpur,
West—By the District Board Dâk Bungalow and the land of Akali Sheik,

is required within the aforesaid village of Malauri.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8881L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Rajshahi for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of the Pabna road from 12½ to 14th mile in the villages of Moktarpur, Gorsharpur, Sarda (Ashkarpur), pargana Lashkarpur, zilla Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land running from west to east with a length of about 4,380 feet of varying breadth, measuring, more or less, 3·16 acres as detailed below, commencing from the Sarda-Baneswar road on the west at a distance of about 1,500 feet from the junction of the Sarda-Baneswar and Pabna road and ending in Jhikra road on the east and passing through the villages of Moktarpur, Gorsharpur and Sarda, is required within the aforesaid villages of Moktarpur, Gorsharpur and Sarda :—

Rajshahi.

	Area in acres.
Moktarpur	·14
Gorsharpur	·68
Sarda	2·34
	3·16

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Rajshahi.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8884L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for the re-excavation of a tank, in the village of Bidyanandakati, pargana Syedpur, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·24 acres, bounded on the—

Jessore.

North—By the village road,
East—By the lands of Hira Lal Ghose, Jitendra Nath Ghose and others,

South—By the lands of Debendra Chandra Ghose, Girija Kanta Ghose, Nirendra Nath Ghose, Jitendra Nath Ghose and others,

West—By the village road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bidyanandakati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

M C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8887L.A.—The 26th November 1916.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Corporation of Calcutta for a public purpose, viz.. for the construction of main outfall sewer, in the village of Tiljala, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9·66 acres, bounded on the—

24-Parganas

North—By Tiljala 1st Lane, Eastern Bengal Railway land, remaining portion of premises Nos. 13 and 3, Tiljala 2nd Lane,

East—By the municipal drain, Rifle Range Road, premises No. 11, Tiljala 2nd Lane,

South—By No. 2, Tiljala 2nd Lane, Tiljala 2nd Lane, remaining portion of premises Nos. 7, 11, 11-A, Tiljala 2nd Lane, Nos. 5, 4, 2, Meajan Ostagar Lane, Meajan Ostagar Lane, the Municipal drain, and 35, Bright Street,

West—By the remaining portion of premises No. 11, Tiljala 2nd Lane, No. 2, Meajan Ostagar Lane, the Municipal drain and premises Nos. 32 and 32-1, Tiljala 1st Lane.

is required within the aforesaid village of Tiljala.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman, Calcutta Corporation.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8890L.A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a public purpose, viz., for the street scheme known as Scheme No. VII (Central Avenue, Mechhua Bazar Street to Beadon Street) in Ward No. VI of the Calcutta Municipality, which has been sanctioned by the Governor in Council under section 48 of the Calcutta Improvement Act of 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land, being premises Nos. 35 & 38-1-2, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, measuring, more or less, ·1731 of an acre, bounded on the—

Calcutta.

PLOT A.

North—By Munshi Sadaruddin Lane,

East and South—By a filled up drain belonging to the Corporation of Calcutta,

West—By premises No. 34, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane and a portion of the footpath belonging to the Corporation of Calcutta.

PLOT B.

North—By the common passage leading to premises Nos. 38-1, 38-1-1, 38-1-2 and 38-1-3, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane,

East—By premises No. 38-1-1, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane,

South—By a portion of premises No. 38-4, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, the common passage leading to premises Nos. 38-3, 38-4 and 38-6, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane and a portion of premise No. 38-3, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane,

West—By premises No. 38-1-3, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane and a portion of premise No. 38-3, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane,

are required within the aforesaid Ward No. VI in the town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Collector, at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Calcutta. *No. 8609 L.A.—The 20th November 1918.*—In Declaration No. 2407L.A., dated the 5th March 1918, published at page 374, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem, and required for the extension of the proposed Eye Hospital in the Medical College, in the town of Calcutta, (*i*) in line 8 after the word "by" *add* "the portion of Sagore Dutt Lane and", (*ii*) in line 9 after the word "Hospital" *add* "the portion of Sagore Dutt Lane and" and (*iii*) in line 14 after the word "by" *add* "the portion of Sagore Dutt Lane '.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Chittagong. *No. 8693 Regn.—The 22nd November 1918.*—Maulvi Abdul Majid, District Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 2nd November 1918.

Chittagong. *No. 8696 Regn.—The 22nd November 1918.*—Mr. A. R. Penheiro, Sadar Joint Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, is appointed to act as District Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Majid, or until further orders.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Tippera. *No. 8648 Regn.—The 20th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muzaffar Ahmed to be a Muhammadan Registrar within the villages in police-station Chaudagram, in the district of Tippera, specified in Government Notification No. 1028J., dated the 15th March 1913, until further orders.

No. 8649 Regn.—The 20th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muzaffar Ahmad to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within the villages in police-station Chaudagram, in the district of Tippera, specified in Government Notification No. 1027J., dated the 15th March 1913, until further orders.

Tippera.

No. 8652 Regn.—The 20th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Ahmadullah to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Muradnagar and Debidwar, in the district of Tippera, until further orders.

Tippera.

No. 8653 Regn.—The 20th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Ahmadullah to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Muradnagar and Debidwar, in the district of Tippera, until further orders.

Tippera.

No. 8897 Regn.—The 26th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Khondkar Siddique Ahmed to act temporarily as a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar within police-station Mollahat, in the district of Khulna, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Latif or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 8898 Regn.—The 26th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Khondkar Siddique Ahmed to act temporarily as the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies in police-station Mollahat, in the district of Khulna, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Latif, or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 8837 Regn.—The 25th November 1918.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Probationers in the Registration Department:—

Name.	Father's name.
Maulvi Gholam Kasem ...	Khan Sahib M. Gholam Robbani.
„ Abdul Karim Khilji ...	Maulvi Mahboob Ali Khilji.
Babu Nirmal Chandra Mazumdar, B.A.	Babu Nirode Chandra Mazumdar.
Maulvi Sheikh Nakitullah, B.A. ...	Munshi Sheikh Sanahtullah.
„ Muhammad Reazuddin, B.A.	„ Muhammad Sariatullah Biswas.
„ Muhammad Yasin ...	Maulvi Muhammad Abdus Samad.
Babu Bholanath Bhattacharji, B.Sc....	Babu Nabin Chandra Bhattacharji.
Maulvi Khundkar Abdul Jabbar ...	Maulvi Khundkar Elahi Buksh.
„ Mir Muffazzal Hussain ...	„ Mir Elahi Buksh.
„ Abul Hussain ...	Munshi Muhammad Farman Ali.
Babu Monindra Kumar Gangali, B.A.	Babu Hari Charan Gangali.
„ Shudhansu Bhusan Ray, B.A....	„ Kamini Kanta Ray.
„ Kalindra Kumar Mazumdar, B.A.	Babu Gour Chandra Mazumdar.
Maulvi Muhammad Yunus Khan ...	Maulvi Muhammad Kalimullah Khan.
„ Anwar Ali ...	Munshi Alep Hussain.

Name.		Father's name.
Maulvi Sakhawat Ali	...	Maulvi Muhammad Zahurul Hussain.
„ Muhammad Afzal, B.A.	...	Munshi Aminuddin Ahmad.
Babu Sasadhar Pramanik	...	Babu Gangadhar Pramanik.
Maulvi Nurul Huq, B.A.	...	Maulvi Hasson Ali Talukdar.
„ Abdul Wahab	...	Munshi Gholam Ahad.
„ Gholam Hussain	...	Maulvi Muhammad Hussain.
„ A. F. M. Fazlul Karim	...	„ Hafizur Rahman.
Babu Naresh Chandra Patranavis, B.A.		Babu Ishan Chandra Patranavis.
„ Ananga Mohan Ray	...	„ Raj Gopal Ray.

2. The appointments of those gentlemen who have not submitted certificates of health and age are subject to the submission and acceptance of those certificates.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

Under section 20 of Calcutta Survey Act, I of 1887.

To

All Owners, Managers, and Agents of lands in the "Town of Howrah" lying within the limits of the Howrah Municipality, from Wards Nos. 1 to 5, Circles Nos. 1 to 11.

WHEREAS a survey has been made, and boundaries demarcated, of all municipal holdings situated in the above area within the Howrah Municipality. You are hereby informed that the maps and records are open to inspection. You are, therefore, requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within sixty days of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps and records can be inspected at any time at the Municipal Office, Howrah, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., on any day excepting holidays and Sundays.

O. E. C. JUDD,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta.

No. 198Eccle.—The 21st November 1918.—The Rev. W. A. H. Parker, Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 592 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may have availed himself of it.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3114S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1916-17, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 3rd December 1918, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 474 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the Notification, dated the 18th December 1917, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes.*

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 18th December 1918, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M., of Monday, the 9th December 1918, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M., of Wednesday, the 18th December 1918.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 15th November 1918.*

No. 3196S.R.—The 25th November 1918.—In exercise of the power delegated by the Government of India under section 43 (*1*) of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918 (VII of 1918), by their notification in the Finance Department, No. 778F., dated the 28th March 1918, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rule to have effect in the territories administered by him:—

Rule for the assessment to income-tax of firms the membership of which is changed.

"If amongst any persons engaged in any business, profession or vocation in partnership together, any change shall take place in any such partnership, either by death or dissolution of partnership as to all or any of the partners or by admitting any other partner therein, before the time of making the assessment, or within the year for which the assessment ought to be made under the Act, or if any person shall have succeeded to any business, profession or vocation within such periods as aforesaid, the tax payable in respect of such partnership, or any of such partners, or any person succeeding to such business, profession or vocation shall be computed on the profits derived from such business, profession or vocation during the previous year in accordance with the provisions of the Act, notwithstanding such change therein or succession to such business, profession or vocation. The assessment so made will in all cases be subject to adjustment under the provisions of section 19 of the Act."

No. 3197S.R.—The 26th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (*5*) of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918 (VII of 1918), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Bari, Deputy Collector, to exercise and perform the powers and duties conferred by the said Act on a Collector in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 3200S.R.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Jatindra Nath Mitra, Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is appointed Income-tax Deputy Collector, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Babu Binod Kumar Ghosh.

Darjeeling.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*5*) of section 2 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918 (VII of 1918), the Governor in Council is pleased to vest the said Babu Jatindra Nath Mitra with the powers of a Collector under that Act.

No. 3204S.R.—The 26th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*6*) of section 2 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918 (VII of 1918), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Second Collector of Income-tax, Calcutta, to exercise the powers and perform the duties of a Commissioner under sections 21 and 22 of the said Act, in cases in respect of which he has not himself made the assessments referred to in said section 21.

Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2636Medl.—The 19th November 1918.—Rai Harinath Ghosh Bahadur, Officiating Civil Surgeon of Rangpur, is allowed privilege leave for one month and eleven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th November 1918.

Rangpur.

No. 2639Medl.—The 19th November 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Basanta Kumar Bhaumik, Officiating Civil Surgeon, is transferred from Jalpaiguri to Rangpur.

Jalpaiguri.
Rangpur.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 4237J.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Kali Prasanna Piplai, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif, in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Patuakhali, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Surendra Krishna Ghosh, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 4239J.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Surendra Krishna Ghosh, Munsif of Patuakhali, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of the same district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bhupal Chandra Ganguli or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

LEAVE.

No. 4234J.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Bhupal Chandra Ganguli, Subordinate Judge of Bakarganj, is allowed leave for sixteen days, viz., twelve days, under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period, under article 271 of the same Regulations, from the 18th November 1918.

Bakarganj.

POWERS.

No. 4191J.—The 23rd November 1918.—Babu Rash Bihari Barman, Munsif of Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Satkhira Munsifi.

Khulna.

No. 4230J.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Bakulal Biswas, Munsif of Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Serampore Munsifi.

Hooghly.

No. 4232J.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Hemanta Kumar Haldar, Additional Munsif of Faridpur and Madaripur, now employed at Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Madaripur Munsifi.

Faridpur.

H. P. DUVAL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3281P.J.—The 25th November 1918.—The following draft of amendments which, in exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914 (VIII of 1914), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Governor in Council proposes to make in the rules regulating the use of motor vehicles in Calcutta (including suburbs) and the Municipality of Howrah (published under Political Department Notification No. 4095P., dated the 1st April 1915, on pages 1-25 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of the same date), is hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Calcutta. Howrah.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st January 1919, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned with regard thereto before that date will be duly considered :—

Draft amendments.

(1) After rule 3 in Part II of the said Rules (All Motor Vehicles) *insert* the following as a new rule :—

"3A. No person shall drive or have charge of, or cause or permit to be used, any motor vehicle without the permission or consent of the owner."

(2) *For* the proviso to sub-rule (*3*) of rule 15 in Part II of the said Rules, (All Motor Vehicles) *substitute* the following :—

"Provided that if a licensee is desirous of renewing a license granted to him, and makes an application with the prescribed fee to the Commissioner of Police in this behalf on or within a period of one calendar month before the date of expiry of the license, the Commissioner of Poice may renew the license, and the license so renewed shall continue in force for a further period of twelve months from the date on which it would otherwise have expired."

(3) After rule 19 in Part II of the said rules (All Motor Vehicles) *insert* the following as a new rule :—

"19A. The driver or person in charge of a motor vehicle shall not carry any attendant or other person on the foot-board or any other portion of the vehicle except within the body thereof or in a seat provided on the near side or behind the vehicle which has been passed by the registering authority."

(4) After rule 4 in Part IV of the said Rules (Motor Cabs—"Taxis") *insert* the following as a new rule :—

"4A. Every registered motor cab shall be produced for inspection within two weeks of the expiry of a period of six months from the date of its registration or re-registration."

(5) After rule 6 in Part IV of the said Rules (Motor Cabs—"Taxis") *insert* the following as a new rule :—

"6A. No person shall act as an attendant or in any other capacity on a motor-cab unless he is the holder of a subsisting license to drive a motor cab."

(6) *Amalgamate* the existing sub-rule (*2*) of rule 40 in Part IV of the said Rules (Motor Cabs—"Taxis") with sub-rule (*1*) and *insert* the following as sub-rule (*2*) :—

"(2) Every motor cab on the stand shall be kept as near as possible to the kerb or near side of the stand. No motor cab shall be kept at the stand at a greater distance than one foot from the motor cab next in front or remain with its front wheels off the straight or at an angle to the sides of the stand."

Burdwan.

No. 3250P.J.—The 23rd November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 58 of Village Chaukidari Act, 1870 (Bengal Act VI of 1870), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Hem Kumar Mallick, Deputy Collector, Burdwan, to be a Commissioner to ascertain and determine the chaukikari chakran lands and other lands in thana Ausgram, in the district of Burdwan, before the passing of the above Act assigned for the maintenance of officers to keep watch and to report crime to the police.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 25th November 1918.

No. 5.—The following draft of a notification which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to issue, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 10th January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules for the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala, published with Notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904, at pages 744—746 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*, as amended by Notification No. 16, dated the 13th November 1916, namely :—

For rule 28 of the said rules, *substitute* the following rule :—

"28. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained."

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 21st November 1918.

No. 116Marine.—Mr. C. F. Keys, Branch Pilot, is appointed to the command of the S. P. V. "Lady Fraser", with effect from the 12th December 1918, *vice* Mr. J. H. Lindquist, Branch Pilot.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 22nd November 1918.

No. 117Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 35, sub-section (*l*) of the Indian Ports Act, 1908 (XV of 1908), as amended by the Indian Ports (Amendment) Act, 1916 (VI of 1916), and in supersession of Notification No. 43Marine, dated the 16th April 1918, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, with effect from 1st December 1918, the scale of pilotage fees sanctioned under that Notification shall be decreased to the scale of fees sanctioned under Notification No. 62Marine, dated the 2nd June 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 25th November 1918.

No. 118Marine.—Mr. R. S. Smyth, Branch Pilot, is granted, under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for two months and five days, with effect from the 15th December 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 23rd November 1918.

No. 112.—Babu Subodh Chandra Ganguly, Overseer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Chittagong to the Bakarganj Division.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6701A.

No. 6546A.—The 23rd November 1918.—The officers, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors:—

Maulvi Fazlul Karim, Settlement Kanungo.
Babu Charu Chandra Bhattacharji, Kanungo.

The postings of these officers are under consideration.

No. 6547A.—The 23rd November 1918.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors:—

Babu Hem Bhushan Datta, M.A., son of Babu Satya Bhusan Datta.
„ Narendra Nath Mukharji, M.A., son of late Babu Kali Charan Mukharji.
„ Karuna Nidhan Ghosh, B.A., son of Babu Ashutosh Ghosh.
Maulvi Siddiq Ghulam Rahman Khan, B.A., son of Maulvi Siddiq Muhammad Mudassir Khan.
„ Mirza Muhammad Abdul Aziz, B.A., son of Maulvi Mirza Muhammad Yusuf Ali.
Babu Upendra Nath Ghatak, B.A., son of Babu Nibaran Chandra Ghatak.
„ Badanya Kumar Ray, B.A., son of Babu Naba Kumar Ray.
Maulvi Mir Husain, B.A., son of Maulvi Umed Raja.
„ Khalil Ahmad, B.A., son of late Maulvi Siddique Ahmed.
Babu Sudhir Kumar Gupta, B.A., son of Babu Nagendra Nath Gupta.
Maulvi S. Abdur Rahim, B. Sc., son of late Maulvi Muhammad Kasimuddin.
Babu Harendra Chandra Barori, B.A., son of Babu Bisweswar Barori.
„ Ananta Kumar Malakar, B.A., son of late Babu Srinath Malakar.
Mr. Samuel George Macdonald, son of Mr. Taylor Macdonald.

The postings of these officers are under consideration and the appointments of those, who have not submitted certificates of health and age, are subject to the submission and acceptance of those certificates.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Midnapore. *No. 450.—The 22nd November 1918.*—Babu Sashibhusan Datta, Sub-Registrar of Anandpur, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed combined leave for six months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th October 1918, viz., privilege leave for one month and twenty-one days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the same Regulations for the remaining period.

Howrah. Midnapore. *No. 451.—The 22nd November 1918.*—Maulvi Muhammad Habiluddin, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Howrah, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Anandpur, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 5th November 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sashibhusan Datta, or until further orders.

Calcutta. 24-Parganas. *No. 452.—The 23rd November 1918.*—Babu Atul Krishna Banarji, Probationer of Calcutta, was attached to the Sadar Registration Office at Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, from the 2nd to the 11th November 1918.

Calcutta. 24-Parganas. *No. 453.—The 23rd November 1918.*—Babu John Ballav Chaudhuri Probationer of Calcutta, is posted temporarily to the Sadar Registration Office at Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the 15th November 1918, until further orders.

Bankura. *No. 454.—The 23rd November 1918.*—Maulvi Abdul Bari, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Bankura, is allowed leave on medical certificate for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 408, dated the 22nd October 1918.

No. 455.—The 23rd November 1918.—Babu Atul Krishna Banarji, Probationer of Calcutta, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Dhaniakhali, in the district of Hooghly, with effect from the afternoon of the 14th November 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Shib Chandra Banarji, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Hooghly.

No. 456.—The 23rd November 1918.—This Department Notification No. 419, dated the 1st November 1918, appointing Maulvi Naziruddin Muhammad (No. II), Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Dacca, to act as Sub-Registrar of Monohardí, in the district of Dacca, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Tarak Nath Roy, is hereby cancelled.

Dacca.

No. 457.—The 23rd November 1918.—Maulvi Naziruddin Muhammad (No. II), Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Dacca, is allowed leave on medical certificate for two months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 24th October 1918.

Dacca.

No. 458.—The 23rd November 1918.—Maulvi Abdur Razzaq, Sub-Registrar of Baliakandi, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for six days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 418, dated the 29th October 1918, and leave on medical certificate for six days, under article 336 of the same Regulations, in combination with the privilege leave.

Faridpur.

No. 459.—The 23rd November 1918.—Maulvi Mufizuddin Ahmad (No. II), Sub-Registrar, grade III, under orders of transfer to Narghat, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave on medical certificate for four months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 262, dated the 13th July 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 460.—The 23rd November 1918.—Babu Bhababhuti Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Nalhati, in the district of Birbhum, is allowed leave for eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 400, dated the 10th October 1918.

Birbhum.

No. 461.—The 26th November 1918.—Maulvi Khwaja Muhammad Bedar Bakht, Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj (Sahibganj), in the district of Bakarganj, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th November 1918.

Bakarganj.

No. 462.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Phanindra Kumar Mitra, Probationer of Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Narail, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 20th November 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Chuni Lal Sil, or until further orders.

Nadia.
Jessore.

No. 463.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Saroj Kumar Sen, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Sub-Registrar of Naihati, in the district of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the afternoon of the 16th November 1918.

Nadia.
24-Parganas.

No. 464.—The 26th November 1918.—Maulvi Najmul Haq Khan, Sub-Registrar of Adhunagar, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave on medical certificate for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th November 1918.

Chittagong.

No. 465.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Jitendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th November 1918.

Jessore.

No. 466.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, Sub-Registrar of Sultanpur (Ghateswar), in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on medical certificate for sixty-three days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 350, dated the 14th September 1918.

24-Parganas.

No. 467.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Hira Lal Das, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, officiating at Barobazar, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 5th November 1918.

Jessore.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 13955, dated Calcutta, the 25th November 1918.—Civil Surgeon Ashutosh Dutt made over charge of the Rangpur Jail to Civil Surgeon Basanta Kumar Bhowmick on the forenoon of the 19th November 1918.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 16293, dated Calcutta, the 21st November 1918.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Tarak Nath Deb is allowed privilege leave for seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the two months' and twenty days' privilege leave already granted to him in Notification No. 12778, dated the 16th August 1918.

No. 16309, dated Calcutta, the 21st November 1918.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Ramani Mohan Mukharji of the Contai subdivision and Dispensary, Midnapore district, is allowed privilege leave for one month and fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th December 1918, or any subsequent date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 16311, dated Calcutta, the 21st November 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Sankar Roy, officiating at the Cox's Bazar subdivision and Dispensary, Chittagong district, is appointed to act at the Contai subdivision and Dispensary, Midnapore district, during the absence, on leave, of third grade Assistant Surgeon Ramani Mohan Mukharji, or until further orders.

No. 16416, dated Calcutta, the 22nd November 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Tinkari Acharji is posted temporarily to the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 10th November 1918, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Harendra Nath Basu.

No. 16414, dated Calcutta, the 22nd November 1918.—Fourth grade Civil Sub-Assistant Surgeon Harendra Prasad Das, of the Bengal Establishment, now employed on temporary military duty in India, is promoted to 3rd grade temporarily, with effect from the 1st July 1916, subject to the condition that he will have to revert to his former grade if he fails to pass his promotion examination within one year from the date of his reversion to the Civil Department.

W. H. B. ROBINSON, I.M.S.,
Surgeon-Genl. with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the 24-Parganas Treasury from the forenoon of the 26th November 1918.

He is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, *Collector.*

ALIPORE, *the 25th November 1918.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU JATINDRA KUMAR BASU, Munsif of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Narail Munsifi.

By order of the High Court.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 18th November 1918.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

BABU PRABODH CHANDRA RAY, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Lakhmipur, in the district of Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Lakhmipur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT,
CIVIL;
The 21st November 1918.

By order of the High Court,
N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 25TH SEPTEMBER 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1918 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Second day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

F. W. CARTER,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৮ সাল, তারিখ ২৫শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে স্থবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৮ সালের ২রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৮ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির হাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

এফ, ডব্লিউ, কাটার,
সরিফ

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act), for the month of January 1919, or until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore and Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly, will hold his sittings as detailed below:—

Hooghly—From 1st to 11th January 1919.
Serampore—From 12th to 21st January 1919.
Howrah—From 22nd to 31st January 1919.

[Sundays and holidays are excepted.]

MONMOHAN NEOGI, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

SERAMPORE, *the 20th November 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 18th November 1918.

No. 101P.—Babu Gobinda Chandra Chakravarti is declared to have acted as an Assistant Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, from 12th to 23rd September 1918, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, on deputation, and in the Provincial Educational Service for the same period, *vice* Dr. D. N. Mallik appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service.

The 25th November 1918.

No. 102P.—Miss Lilabati Ghosh, Officiating Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Faridpur, is appointed to be Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Dacca, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the date on which she joins the appointment, *vice* Mrs. Kumudini Das, deceased.

No. 103P.—Maulvi Muhammad Sonaullah is confirmed in his present appointment as Professor of Arabic and Persian in the Chittagong College and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, with effect from the 7th December 1914.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD POST OFFICE, MANBHUM.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

AN examination for first class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held on the 17th, 18th and 19th February 1919. An examination for second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency will be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th February 1919. Both examinations will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad Post Office, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 17th January 1919.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 30th October 1918.*

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Chittagong Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 38For.—The 12th November 1918.—For the words "with headquarters at Chittagong" in the last line of this office Notification No. 28 For., dated the 1st October 1918, *read* "with headquarters at Chittagong and Rangamati, respectively, for each Division."

H. A. FARRINGTON.
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4397J.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Darjeeling Jail :—

1. Babu Bipin Behary Chattarjee.
2. „ Ram Charan Sukul.
3. „ Lakshman Singh.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 20th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4455J.—The orders of the 3rd October 1918, transferring Babu Hari Das Chatterjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, Malda, temporarily to the Gaibanda subdivision of the Rangpur district, are cancelled.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 23rd November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4459J.—Babu Naba Gopal Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, Thakurgaon, Dinajpur, is allowed leave for seventeen days, under article 337 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 23rd November 1918.*

NOTICE.

IT is notified for the information of the general public that a member of the Manikganj Local Board from the Manikganj thana will be elected in place of M. Abdul Sutar Khan Majlish, deceased, on the 10th January 1919, at 1 P.M., at the Manikganj Jubilee Library.

G. E. LAMBOURN, *Addl. District Magistrate.*

DACCA, *the 20th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4500J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Panchdona Union Committee, in the Narayanganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Samiruddin Munshi.
2. Babu Paresh Chandra Das Gupta.
3. ,, Srish Chandra Chakravarty.
4. ,, Surendra Chandra Das.
5. ,, Radha Ballav Shaha.
6. ,, Annada Chandra Pal.

Under section 41 of the said Act, the undersigned hereby appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the said Union Committee :—

1. Babu Kali Charan Chakrabarty.
2. ,, Jamini Kanta Bhaumik.
3. Munshi Kamaruddin.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 19th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2962M.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), as amended by Bengal Act I of 1914, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Board of Bogra :—

1. The Civil Surgeon ... ...
2. The Sadar Subdivisional Officer ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. The Deputy Inspector of Schools ...
4. The Superintendent of Police ...
5. Maulvi Majibar Rahaman Tarafdar.
6. Khan Bahadur Hafizar Rahaman Chaudhury.
7. Babu Lalit Mohan Sanyal.
8. ,, Bejoy Krishna Sen.
9. Maulvi Syed Reazuddin Quazi.
10. Syed Abu Mahammed Musharraf Hossein
11. The Hon'ble Mr. Altaf Ali.
12. Khan Saheb Md. Ibrahim.
13. Rai Beni Madhab Chaki Bahadur.
14. Babu Nabin Chandra Ray.
15. Munshi Rajibuddin Tarafdar.

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR 'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 19th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 52L.S.-G—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the power conferred on me by section 19(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B. C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint Maulvi Muhammad Shahidullah, M.A., B.L., to be a member of the District Board of the 24-Parganas, in the place of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Ghulam Quasim, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commisioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA., *the 21st November 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 13590.—The 19th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Abdullabad Gramya Dharma Bhander (Registered No. 149 of 1913), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Faridpur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13596.—The 19th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Chhaighari Rural Co-operative Credit Society (Registered No. 459 of 1909), in the district of Murshidabad, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Kshitish Chandra Ganguli, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Murshidabad, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13602.—The 19th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Kalukatti Gramya Dharma Bhander (Registered No. 26 of 1909), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Madaripur, to be Liquidator, of the said Society.

No. 13632.—The 20th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Khajuria Joutha Bank (Registered No. 33 of 1914), in the district of Tippera, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Comilla, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13635.—The 20th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Narapati Purbapara Gramya Mahajani Sabha (Registered No. 145 of 1911), in the district of Tippera, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Comilla, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 13659.—The 20th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Singjore Gramya Mahajani Sabha (Registered No. 32 of 1910), in the district of Tippera, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Comilla, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 43 OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

IMPROVEMENT SCHEME NO. XV (SECTION C).

(Street Scheme.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have framed an Improvement Scheme described as Scheme No. XV (New Main Sewer Road), Section C (between Gariahat Road and Ballygunj Station).

The area comprised in this section is bounded as follows:—

On the North—By a line from a point on the centre of Gariahat Road along the northern boundary of Ekdalia Road and thence running north-east in a straight line up to the north-east corner of No. 15, Jamir Lane, and thence eastwards up to the E. B. Railway fencing.

On the East—By a line from this point running southwards up to the south-east corner of Ekdalia Road and by another line from the north-west corner of Ballygunj Station compound along the eastern boundary of Ballygunj Station Road up to the north-west corner of No. 3, Ballygunj Station Road.

On the South—By the northern boundary line of the Ballygunj Station compound and a straight line from the north-west corner of No. 3, Ballygunj Station Road, to a point on the centre of Gariahat Road, opposite premises No. 19, Gariahat Road.

On the West—By a line along the middle of Gariahat Road connecting the two extremities of northern and southern boundaries.

Particulars of the scheme, a map of the area comprised in the scheme, and a statement of the land which it is proposed to acquire may be inspected at the offices of the Trust, No. 5, Clive Street, on week-days between the hours of 11 A.M and 4 P.M. and on Saturdays between 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Copies of the above documents will be delivered to applicants on payment of the following fees:—

	Rs.	A.
Particulars of the scheme	0	4
Map of the area	1	0
Statement of land which it is proposed to acquire ...	0	4

Objections to the scheme will be received up to the 28th February 1919.

J. A. WOODHEAD, *Chairman*

CALCUTTA, *the 14th November 1918.*

Statement showing the quantity of Salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of November 1918, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th November 1918.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	Transactions during half-month from the 1st to the 15th November 1918, inclusive.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	251,234	...	251,234	...	2,365	7,000	25,600
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	91,420	...	91,420	340	95,278	...	340
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	..	...	..	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Port Said salt ...	429,228	...	429,228	22 200	...	...	39,076
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	225,547	53,185	278,732	39,332	103,445	...	35,700
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	. .	...	...
Massawah salt ...	44 374	...	44,374	2.500	...	...	6,800
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	..	...	..	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	4,826	...	4,826	2,792*	...	...	1,550
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,046 629	53,185	1,099,814	67 164	201,088	7,000	109,066

* Duty on 2,792 mds. of Bombay salt was paid at Bombay.

Written off during the half-month—

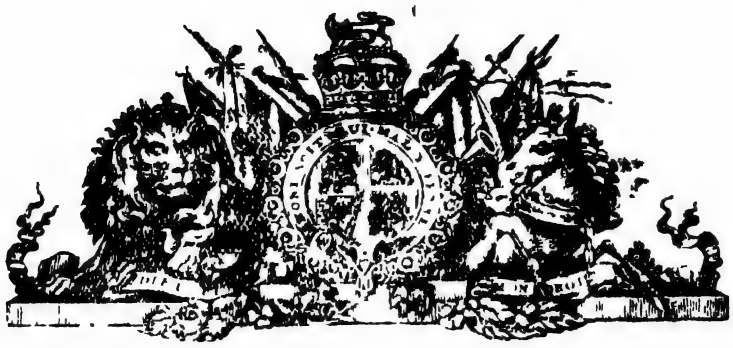
	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	3,438
Abandoned and destroyed	Nil.

In transit—

Aden salt	79,360

S. C. SATYAWADI,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE. *the 22nd November 1918.*



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd November 1918, is republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

Delhi, the 22nd November 1918.

No. 67-C.—Mr. E. B. H. Panton, I.C.S., took his seat as an Acting Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the forenoon of the 14th November 1918.

J. H. DUBOULAY.
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd November 1918, are republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

COMMERCE—WAR.

Delhi, the 23rd November 1918.

No. 2-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the entry "Société d'Exportation et d'Importation Coloniales, Tientsin," shall be deleted from the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2043, dated the 27th April 1918, as subsequently amended.

EXPLOSIVES.

Delhi, the 23rd November 1918.

No. 12914.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Indian Explosives Rules, 1914, published with the Department of Commerce and Industry Notification No. 4013-33, dated the 6th June 1914, as subsequently amended, namely :—

After rule 132 of the said Rules the following rule shall be inserted namely :—

"133. If the vehicles employed in the transport of explosives are provided with brakes, other than iron brakes, the brakes thereon shall on no account be worked while the vehicles are running with a train, nor shall brakes, other than iron brakes, on vehicles immediately adjoining such vehicles, be worked while such vehicles are so running."

POST OFFICE.

The 23rd November 1918.

No. 82-D.—Wednesday, 27th November, will be observed as a Post Office and Telegraph holiday in the several postal and telegraph circles in India in celebration of the cessation of hostilities between the Allies and the Central Powers.

POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 23rd November 1918.

No. 12905.—The Hon'ble Mr. G. R. Clarke, O.B.E., I.C.S., Officiating Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 26th September 1918.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd November 1918, are republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 22nd November 1918.

APPOINTMENTS

No. 2728.—The following to be temporary Second Lieutenants in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

John Younie.	Dated 10th November 1918.
William Hugh Thompson.	Dated 8th November 1918.

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INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

41st Eastern Bengal Company.

No. 2737.—The undermentioned gentleman is granted a temporary commission, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second-Lieutenant.

John Ross Blackwood. Dated 1st April 1917.

RETIREMENT.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 2739.—In Army Department Notification No. 2184, dated the 20th September 1918, regarding the retirement from the service of Lieutenant-Colonel A. R. S. Anderson, M.B., I.M.S., Bengal, *for* "1st August 1918" *read* "11th September 1918."

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Indian Munitions Board, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd November 1918, are republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 16th November 1918.

No. E-795.—Mr. D. B. Meek, Professor, the Presidency College, Calcutta, is appointed an Assistant Controller of Munitions, Bengal Circle, with effect from the 3rd October 1918.

The 20th November 1918.

No. E-545 (1).—Mr. A. N. Greene, Assistant Controller (Stores), Calcutta, is appointed Assistant Purchasing Officer (Miscellaneous Stores), Calcutta, with effect from the 15th September 1918.

No. E-545 (2).—Mr. J. T. Stoddart is appointed Assistant Purchasing Officer (Miscellaneous Stores), Calcutta, with effect from the 15th September 1918.

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

The following resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, published in the *Supplement to the Gazette of India*, dated the 23rd November 1918, is republished for general information.

H. R. WILKINSON,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Allotment of members of the Indian Civil Service appointed in 1917.

No. 21C., dated Delhi, the 20th November 1918.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Home Department.

The undermentioned gentlemen, recently appointed in England to the Indian Civil Service, are, under the orders of the Governor-General in Council, allotted to the Provinces shown against their names :—

Mr. Satyendra N. Gupta, Bengal.

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2. The Governor-General in Council is further pleased to direct that Mr. Satyendra N. Gupta shall, on arrival at Calcutta, report himself to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Rajshahi.

No. 2820L.S.-G.—The 20th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Charghat, in the district of Rajshahi, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rajshahi ...	Arani ...	9	Raypur Arazi	...	119	North—		
			Bat Kumari	...	122	River Baral.		
			Chak Singha	...	142	Thana Nator.		
			Bhartipara	...	143			
			Pabnapara	..	144	West—		
			Guabari	...	145	Chandnagar Arazi	...	120
			Jot Raghu	...	146	Ditto	...	121
			Raypur Arazi	...	147	Lakshmipur Bhaya	...	114
			Jogirgofa	...	148	Lakshmipur Harekrishnapur	...	112
			Dakra	...	149	Ramchandrapur	...	150
			Sonadaha	...	228			
			Panchpara	...	229	South—		
			Panch Singha Arazi	...	229	Raypur	...	151
					280	Harina	...	227
			Bansha Khurd	...	230	Bhabanipur, Baosha Dighar	...	249
			Panchpara Singha	...	231	Khagarberia	...	245
			Arani	...	232			
			Jot Raghu	...	233	East—		
			Kushabari	...	234	Khagarberia	...	245
			Gochar Arazi (B)	...	235	Bidirpur	...	244
			Gochar	...	236	Thana Nator.		
			Hamirkuru	...	237			
			Gochar Arazi (A)	...	238			
			Nurnagar	...	239			
			Barerbari	...	240			
			Chak Sob Arazi	...	241			
			Jhina	...	242			
			Haripur	...	243			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Arani Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Birbhum.

No. 2822L.S.-G.—The 21st November 1918.—The following draft of an order, which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 2nd January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Nanur, in the district of Birbhum, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Birbhum ...	Nauanagar	9	Sehala ... ... 226 Samuk or Kuchuntipara ... 247 Chhatingram ... 246 Nauagram or Nauanagar 230 Brahmankhanda ... 245 Patichara ... ... 244 Harmur ... ... 249 Nabasta ... ... 250 Betra 248	North— Sakhunda ... ... 227 East— Jogipur ... ... 225 Gandpur ... ... 224 Kakuli ... ... 223 Hoseinpur ... ... 251 South— River Ajoy. Mangalpur ... ... 243 Santra ... ... 242 Barasat ... ... 241 Ramkrisnapur or Takra ... 240 West— Madda ... ... 228 Garpara ... ... 229 Palandi ... ... 233 Sarisha ... ... 231 Atkula ... ... 232 Thuksara 234

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Nauanagar Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Birbhum.

No. 2824L.S.-G.—The 21st November 1918.—The following draft of an order, which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 2nd January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Nanur, in the district of Birbhum, into a Union:—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Birbhum ...	Nanur ...	9	Arazi Gangapur ... 157 Ukranda ... ... 158 Sakulipur Digar ... 159 Chitgaon ... ... 160 Nanur ... ... 163 Bergaon ... ... 164 Natishar ... ... 165 Ranipur ... ... 166 Pakurhana 167	North— Kalinagar ... ... 111 Gyan Chandi ... 97 Baliara ... ... 162 Koria Raghunathpur ... 65 Sibnagar ... ... 52 Kurinar ... ... 85 Ramkrishnapur ... 161 East— District Burdwan. South— Balkuni ... ... 168 Paramashra ... 172 Miatin ... ... 173 Balkuni ... ... 174 Basudebnagar or Uchkaran ... ... 178 Sawashpur ... 152 West— Mandar ... ... 113 Arazi Kutamara ... 112 Gangapur ... ... 155 Chak Raghuram ... 156

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Nanur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Howrah.

No. 2845M.—The 23rd November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the provisions of Part IX of that Act to the said Municipality.

2. This cancels Government Notifications, dated the 30th September 1885, and 24th November 1885, and Notifications Nos. 2439, 2408 and 2080M., dated the 24th July 1900, 11th August 1903 and 29th August 1918, respectively.

Burdwan.

No. 1075San.—The 21st November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 1 of the Bengal Vaccination Act, 1880 (Bengal Act V of 1880), and section 2 of the Bengal Vaccination (Amendment) Act, 1911 (Bengal Act II of 1911), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the said Acts to the area administered by the District Board of Burdwan, excluding that which is included within the subdivision of Asansol and constituted a mining settlement by Notification No. 194T.-Com., dated the 16th June 1915.

Burdwan.

No. 1077San.—The 21st November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 60 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of sections 92-96 of the said Act to the District Board of Burdwan.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATUM.

IN the list of candidates who passed the last M.A. Examination in History, under the heading "Second Class", published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918,—

For

"Muhammad Abdul Bashar ... University Student (Presidency College)."

Read

"Mohammed Abul Bashar ... University Student (Presidency College)."

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 23rd November 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATUM.

IN the list of candidates who passed the Intermediate Examination in Law held in August 1918, in the Second Division, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918 :—

	For
" Mafizuddin Ahmed	... University Law College."
	Read
" Mafizuddin Ahmed	... Dacca Law College."

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 20th November 1918.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE following orders of the Government of India in the Department of Education are published for general information :—

Under section 22, read with section 21 (*3*) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), the Government of India are pleased to order that, with effect from the commencement of the sessions 1918-19, the Chittagong College has been affiliated in Logic to the Intermediate Arts standard, in English to the B.A. Honours standard, and in Political Economy and Political Philosophy to the B.A. Pass standard.

By order of the Syndicate,

C. B. MAITRA, *Assistant Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 20th November 1918.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE following orders of the Government of India, in the Department of Education, are published for general information :—

Under section 24, sub-section (*5*) of the Indian Universities Act, No. VIII of 1904, the Government of India order that, with effect from the commencement of session 1918-19, the Victoria College, Cooch-Behar, has been disaffiliated in Mental and Moral Philosophy in the M.A. standard.

By order of the Syndicate,

K. L. DATTA, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 19th November 1918.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE following orders of the Government of India in the Department of Education are published for general information :—

Under section 24, sub-section (*5*) of the Indian Universities Act, No. VIII of 1904, the Government of India order that the privilege of affiliation of the St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta, in Latin up to the Intermediate Arts Standard is withdrawn on the ground that the authorities of the College do not propose to teach the subject.

By order of the Syndicate,

K. L. DATTA, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 21st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3T.B.—The 21st November 1918.—In continuation of Notification No. 2T.B., dated 14th November 1918, the following list of books approved as prize and library books is issued. This list contains books specially suitable to teachers, and the various handbooks for guidance in class work issued by the Education Department. For additional books for prize and library purposes reference should be made to the previous Notifications Nos. 1M., dated 3rd March 1908, 21, dated 8th February 1909, 132K., dated 8th November 1909, 12K., dated 7th February 1911, 4K., dated 6th January 1912, 59K., dated 23rd September 1912, 5K., dated 12th August 1913, 5K., dated 23rd October 1914, 5K., dated 30th October 1915, 6K., dated 11th December 1916 (Eastern Bengal), and notifications, dated 29th January 1913, 15th January 1913, 28th March 1913, 19th August 1913, 15th September 1914, 1st February 1915, 28th July 1915, and 20th September 1916 (West Bengal).

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

LIST C.

PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS.

English Literature.

Little People in Far-off Lands, No. F21 (Among the Balkans). F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 2*d*. Prize and Library book.

The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, No. 8 (Old Greek Stories). Retold by E. M. Whitaker. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 1½*d*. Prize book.

The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, No. 9 (Wonder Tales). Retold by E. M. Whitaker. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 1½*d*. Prize book.

The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, No. 134 (The Palace of Peaceful Pleasure). Retold by E. J. Crossfield. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 3*d*. Prize and Library book.

A First Book of English Unseens. J. W. Holme. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 12. Library book for teachers.

The "A. L." Tiny Readers, No. T 38 (The Golden Geese.) E. C. Dill. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*d*. Prize and Library book.

The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, No. 261 (The Coral Island). H. M. Ballantyne, abridged by J. B. Marshall. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 4*d*. Prize and Library book.

Indian Fables from Hitopadesh, Grade I, No 2. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6. Prize and Library book.

Persian Fables from Anwar-i-Suhali, Grade I, No. 2. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 2. Prize and Library book.

Birth, Exile and Wanderings of Rama and Sita, Grade III, No 1. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3. Prize and Library book.

The Last Exile of Sita, Grade III, No. 2. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3. Prize and Library book.

Tales from the Mahabharat, Grade IV, No. 1. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3. Prize and Library book.

Tales from the Mahabharat, Grade IV, No. 2. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3-6. Prize and Library book.

A Practical Introduction to the Teaching of English. L. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6. Library book for teachers.

Macmillan's New Senior Class Reader, Book I. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*. 4*d*. Library book.

Macmillan's New Senior Class Reader, Book II. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*. 6*d*. Library book.

Macmillan's New Senior Class Reader, Book III. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s*. 6*d*. Library book.

Macmillan's New Senior Class Reader, Book IV. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.* Library book.

New Readings from Indian History. W. H. Hutton. (K. & J. Cooper.) Re. 1-2. Library book.

Stories of the Ramayana. A Madhaviah. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-2. Library book.

Cambridge Book of Poetry for Children, Part I. Edited by K. Graham. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* Library book.

Cambridge Book of Poetry for Children, Part II. Edited by K. Graham. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* Library book.

Government of Then and Now. J. S. Townshend. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*d.* Library book.

The Orient Pearls. Shovona Devi. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s.* 6*d.* Prize book.

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The First Geography and Atlas. H. Blochmann. (The Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 4. Recommended for teachers.

The Junior Scientific Geography, Book III—British Empire. Ellis W. Heaton. (The Indian School Supply Depôt.) Recommended for teachers.

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The World at War	Oxford University Press.
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The Calcutta Review. (There is a special one rupee edition for schools. The work is specially suitable for teachers.)

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Historical Atlas of India. C. Joppan ...	Longmans, Green & Co.
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Nutan Bhuchitrabali. Syam Ch. Datta	Asutosh Library.

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The "A-L" New English Course, Books V and VI. J. Eades. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 5*d*. each.

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Essay Writing, Models and Materials. P. C. Wren. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 6.

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A Reformed Method of Teaching English. E. Stokes. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

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A School Geometry, Part I (enlarged), for Standards V and VI. H. S. Hall and F. H. Stevens. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.
Jyamiti Shiksha for Standards V and VI (revised). Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 6.
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Jyamiti Shiksha for Standards III and IV (revised). Narayandas Banerjee and Kalidas Banerjee. (K. D. Banerjee.) As. 4.
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Prathamshiksha Bharatbarsher Itihas. Rajani Kanta Gupta (Mohini Kanta Gupta.) As. 8.

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Banglar Katha. Jnanranjan Mitra. (Nagendra K. Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

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Aitihasik Katha (Bangadesh). Pareshnath Hor. (Harish Chandra Sarkar, Sarkar Bros., Dacca.) As. 4.

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Model Lessons in the History of India for higher classes. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-4.

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Classes II to IV—

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part 1. Kazi Imdadul Haque. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2. For teachers only.

Bhugol Prabeshika. Satis Chandra Sen. (Baroda Kanta Datta.) As. 9. For teachers only

Bhugol Shiksha, Part I. Sachindra Kumar Ghosh. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 3-6. For teachers only.

Nutan Bhuchitrabali. Syam Chandra Datta. (Ashutosh Dhar, Ashutosh Library, Dacca.) As. 10. For pupils only.

Classes V and VI—

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part II. Kazi Imdadul Haque. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2. For teachers only.

Bhugol Bijnan. Ganga Charan Das Gupta, B.A. (Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 8. For teachers only.

Sachitra Adarsa Bhugol. Kedarnath Majumdar. (Hariram Dhar, B.A.) As. 6-6. For teachers only.

Bhugol Path, Part I. S. B. Chatterjee. (B. L. Chakravarty.) As. 4. For teachers only.

Prathamik Bhugol, Part II. Upendra Chandra Guha. (Sitanath Vidyabenode, Saraswat Mandir, Dacca.) As. 8. For teachers only.

Bhugol Sopan, Part II. Anath Bandhu Basak and Pitambar Nath. (Graduate Friends & Co.) As. 9. For teachers only.

Bhugol Shiksha, Part II. Sachindra Kumar Ghosh. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 4. For teachers only.

Madhyashiksha Bhugol. Dwijapada Banerjee and Rames Chandra Chakravarti. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 12. For teachers only.

Nader Urdu. (Rai Sahib Munshi Gulab Singh.) As. 12. For teachers only.

Nutan Bhuchitrabali. Syam Ch. Dutta. (Asutosh Dhar, Asutosh Library, Dacca.) As. 10. For pupils only.

Bhuparichay, Parts I and II (with supplement) (revised). Nepal Chandra Roy and Ajit Kumar Chakravarti. (The Indian Press, Allahabad.) As. 12. For teachers only.

Classes III and IV—

Pratham Shiksha Bhugol. Dwijapada Banerjee and Ramesh Ch. Chakravarti. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 7-6. For teachers only.

Prathamic Bhugol. Upendra Chandra Guha, B.A., B T. (Sitanath Vidyabenode, Saraswat Mandir, Banglabazar, Dacca.) As. 6-6. For teachers only.

Class III—

Bhugol Bijnan, Part I. Ganga Charan Das Gupta, B.A., B.T. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6. For teachers only.

Class IV—

Bhugol Bijnan, Part II. Ganga Charan Das Gupta, B.A., B.T. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 5. For teachers only.

Classes IV to VI—

Adarsha Bhuparichay. Jnan Ranjan Mitra. (Nagendra Kumar Roy.) As. 8. For teachers only.

Vernacular Literature.

Class I—

Barnashiksha, Parts I & II. Rev. J. F. Hewitt. (Longmans, Green & Co.) A. 1 each part. For teachers only.

Sanskrit Grammar.

For High School classes.

Classes VII to X—

Hints on the Study of Sanskrit. Ganga Charan Bhattacharyya. (Mathura Mohan Chakravarti.) As. 12. For teachers only.

Vernacular Schools for Boys.

Arithmetic (Bengali).

Class II—

* Patiganit Shiksha Pranali. Nagendra Nath Mazumdar, M.A. (Upendra Kumar Chanda, B.A.) As. 6. For teachers only.

* Saral Shishu Patiganit, Part I. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 2-6. For teachers only.

* Also for classes II-IV of Middle and Primary Schools for Girls.

Geometry (Bengali) (for teachers only).

Classes VI and VII—

A School Geometry, Part II, Bengali edition. Hall & Stevens. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.

Adhunik Jyamiti. P. C. Basak, B.A. (Amritalal Sen.) As. 6.

Naba Jyamiti Bikash Mohan Ch. Basak. (Sarada Ch. Basak.) As. 4.

Prathamic Jyamiti. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Sheikh Abdul Ghany.) As. 8.

Adhunic Jyamiti. Gouri Sankar De. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As 7.

Byabaharik Jyamiti Sopan. M. C. Bhattacharyya. (Pandit Lal Mohan Vidyanidhi.) As. 12.

History (for teachers only).

Classes VI and VII—

Bengali Model Lessons in the History of India. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12.

Aitihasik Path, Part I. Kazi Imdadul Haq, B.A. (Students Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

History of North Eastern India. S. N. Bhadra, M.A. (Benode Behari Ghosh.) As. 4.

Pratham Shiksha Bharat Itihas. Khagendra Nath Mitra. M.A. (City Book Society, Calcutta.) As. 8.

Prathamic Itihas. Guru Bandhu Bhattacharyya, B.A., B.T. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

British Samrayyer Sankshipta Itihas. Syed Mohsin Ali.

Shishupathya Bharat Itihas. Prafulla Kumar Guha. (Pran Kumar Guha.) As 9.

Sankshipta Bharat Itihas Lilabati Ghosh. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 9.

Saral Bharat Itihas. Surendra Mohan Sen and Anath Bandhu Basak. (Graduate Friends & Co.) As. 9.

Saral Bharat Itihas. Kiran Behari Sen and Nalini Kanta Das. (Kali Pada Sen, Nawabpur, Dacca. As. 4-6.

Bharater Itihas. Niranjan Sen. (Khagendra Ch. Sen.) As. 10.

Bharat Samrayya. J. Maclean. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 7.

Adhunik Bharat Itihas. Suresvar Banerjee. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 8.

Balak Pathya Bharat Barsher Itihas, Part II. Manmatha Mohan Bose. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 12.

Bangadesher Itihas. Prafulla Kumar Guha. (Pran Kumar Guha.) As. 6.

Pratham Shiksha Bharat Barsher Itihas. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Mohini Kanta Gupta.) As. 8.

Sukhapath Bharat Itihas. Harish Chandra Sen and Nilkanta Sen. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh, Presidency Library, Dacca.) As. 7-6.

Shishuranjan Bharat Itihas. Indra Kumar Majumdar. (Pramatha Nath Ghosh, Dacca.) As. 5.

Bangalar Katha. Jnan Ranjan Mitra. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As 7.

Saral Bharat Itihas. Birendra Kishore Guha. (Bengal Library, Patuatuli, Dacca.) As. 8.

Bharatbarsha. Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 8.

Bharatbarsher Itihas, Part I. Surendra Nath Bhattacharyya and Mukundalal Chakravarti. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 9.

Bharatbarsher Saral Itihas. Jogendra Nath Basu. (Anukul Chandra Ghosh.) As. 8.

Bharat Itihas. Surendra Kishore Chakravarti. (Acharyya & Co., Dacca and Mymensingh.) As. 10.

Sisubodh Bharat Itihas. Ramesh Chandra Chakravarti. (Sen, Ray & Co.) As. 4.

Aitihasik Katha (Bangadesh). Paresh Nath Hor. (Harish Ch. Sarkar, Sarkar Brothers, Dacca.) As. 4.

Geography (for teachers.)

Classes II—V—

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part I. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2.

Classes III to V—

Bhugol Prabeshika. Satish Chandra Sen. (Barada Kanta Datta.) As. 9.

Bhugol Shiksha, Part I. Sachindra Kumar Ghosh. (Sarat Chandra Datta and Sons.) As. 3-6.

Prathamic Bhugol. Upendra Chandra Guha, B.A., B.T., (Sitanath Vidyabenode, Sarasvat Mandir, Banglabazar, Dacca.) As. 6-6.

Classes III and IV—

Bhugol Bijnan, Part I. Ganga Charan Das. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Class V—

Bhugol Bijnan, Part II. Ganga Charan Das. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

Geography (for teachers).

Classes VI and VII—

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part II. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A., (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2.

Prathamic Bhugol. Part II. Upendra Chandra Guha, B.A., B.T. (Sitanath Vidyabenode, Saraswat Mandir, Dacca.) As. 8.

Bhugol Sopan, Part II. Anath Bandhu Basak and Pitambar Nath. (Graduate Friends & Co.) As. 9.

Bhugol Shiksha, Part II. Sachindra Kumar Ghosh. (Sarat Chandra Dutt & Sons.) As. 4.

Madhya Shiksha Bhugol. Dwijapada Banerjee and Ramesh Chandra Chakravarti. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 12.

Bhuparichaya, Parts I and II (with supplement) (revised). Nepal Chandra Roy and Ajit Kumar Chakravarti. (The Indian Press, Allahabad.) As. 12.

Bhugol Bijnan. Ganga Charan Das Gupta, B.A., B.T. (Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Classes III to VII—

Nutan Bhuchitrabali. Syam Chandra Datta. (Ashutosh Dhar. Ashutosh Library, Dacca.) As. 10. For pupils.

Vernacular Literature.

Classes IV and V—

Samabaya Primer. Jyotish Chandra Chakravarty. (Ashutosh Library, Dacca.) A. 1-6. For the use of teachers in Primary Schools.

Class I—

Analytic Reading Sheets, Parts I and II. A. C. Roy. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 14, Re. 1, As. 10. For teachers only. Also for classes I and II of Middle and Primary Schools for Girls.

Barnashiksha, Parts I and II. Rev. J. Hewitt. (Longmans, Green & Co.) A 1 each part. For teachers only.

Bengali Kindergarten Alphabet Charts. (P. Mukhopadhyaya & Sons, Calcutta.) Rs. 2.

Instructions for Maktab teachers (for teachers only). Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) A. 1.

Maktab Balyashiksha. M. A. Rahim. As. 1-6.

Elementary Bengali Grammar. (S. N. Kabyatirtha.) For teachers in classes IV-VII of Middle and Primary Schools for Girls.

The following Hand-books are recommended for the use of teachers in Vernacular Schools for boys in the Dacca, Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions:—

Classes VI and VII.—

Teachers' Hand-book on Science Lessons. J. A. Taylor, M A. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5. Also for Normal Schools.

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part II. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2. Also for Middle Schools for Girls.

Bengali Model Lessons in the History of India—Bharatbarsher Itihas Bishayak Pathmala (for teachers only)*. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12. Also for classes V—VII of Middle Schools for Girls.

Classes IV and V—

Teachers' Hand-book of Tenancies and Records-of-rights in Eastern Bengal. Rai Bahadur P. M. Basu. (Author.) As. 5.

Classes II to V—

Teachers' Hand-book of Geography, Part I. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2 Also for Elementary Training Schools. Also for classes III to V of Middle and Primary Schools for Girls.

Classes III to V—

Teachers' Hand-book on Nature Lessons, Part II (in two volumes). J. A. Taylor, M.A. (Macmillan & Co.) Re 1-4. Also for Elementary Training Schools.

Classes III and IV—

Teachers' Hand-book of Nature Lessons, Part II, for Girls. (H. N. Datta, Wari.) For Girls' Schools.

Classes I and II—

Teachers' Hand-book on Nature Lessons, Part I (Teachers' Hand-book of Correlated Lessons, Part I). (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-8. Also for Elementary Training Schools and classes I and II of Middle and Primary Schools for Girls.

Miscellaneous.

Senior Vernacular Teachers' Manual. Nowshere Ali Khan Eusofzi. (Nilambar Das.) Re. 1. For Training classes in the Normal Schools.

Kindergarten Boxes, Nos. 1—5. Pandit Devi Dutt Sarma, Kindergarten Karyyalaya, p.-o. Bhowali, district Nainital. U. P. For Primary Schools.

Nava Kindergarten Karma Sangit. Solamatulla Ahmed. (Author.) As. 2. Recommended for teachers in Lower Primary Schools.

* In addition to the above books the teachers will also use a book on the History of N.-E. India. "Aitihasik Path," Part I, by Kazi Imdadul Haq, B.A., or North-Eastern India, by S. N. Bhadra, M.A., should be used.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Prasanna Kumar Tagore Law Scholarship of Rs. 20 (Twenty) a month, tenable for one year, with effect from 1st June 1917, is awarded to Nalini Kanta Sen Gupta, who stood first at the Final B. L. Examination of the Calcutta University held in August 1918.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd November 1918.*

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE STATE MEDICAL FACULTY OF BENGAL.

I. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Intermediate Examination for the Membership of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal held in November 1918:—

(In alphabetical order.)

Chattopadhyay, Syamapada	...	Medical College, Calcutta.
Ray, Mohinimohan ...	...	Ditto.
„ Sarojkumar ...	...	Ditto.

II. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Primary Examination for the Licentiateship of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal held in November 1918:—

(In alphabetical order.)

	Name.		Age in years and months.	School.
	Basu, Debendranath	...	27	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Ramendranath	...	18-6	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Saktipada	...	21	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Bhutnath	...	21	Ditto.
	„ Ramcharan	...	25-6	Dacca Medical School.
	Chattopadhyay, Anilchandra (II).	...	20	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Manindranath		20	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Asutosh	...	20	Ditto.
	„ Nityagopal	...	19-3	Ditto.
10	Datta, Akshaykumar	...	27	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Manamohan	...	25-9	Dacca Medical School.
	Ghosh, Nripendranath	...	22	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Sitalchandra	...	20	Ditto.
	Kundu, Sasibhushan	...	22	Ditto.
	Maitra, Jogendranath	...	22-1	Ditto.
	Moyezuddin Talukdar	...	20	Ditto.
	Rahimuddin Biswas	...	21	Ditto.
	Ray, Narayanchandra	...	20	Ditto.
	Saha, Sachinandan	...	24-3	Dacca Medical School.
20	Sengupta, Kaliprasanna	...	20-6	Campbell Medical School.
	Sinha, Bhujangabhushan	...	22	Ditto.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,
Secy., State Medical Faculty of Bengal.

GROSVENOR HOUSE, *the 19th November 1918.*

B. G. TECHNICAL SCHOOL, RANGPUR.

Result of the Survey Final Examination held in September, 1918.

(In order of merit.)

First Division.

1. Dwijendra Mohan Bagchi.
2. Jogendra Nath Set.
3. Chuni Lal Lashkar.
4. Ramesh Chandra Dutta.
5. Hridoy Nath Chakravarty.

Second Division.

6. Kshitish Chandra Bose.
7. Prio Nath Das.
8. Labanya Gopal Ghose.
9. Torab Uddin Khan.
10. Narendra Nath Sarkar.
11. Satyendra Nath Bhattacharjee.
12. Naresh Chandra Sarkar.
13. Dhirendra Kumar Nag.

Third Division.

14. Mahamed Ismail.
15. Sabar Uddin Ahmed.
16. Kshitish Chandra Mukerjee.

Artisan Final Examination.

Carpenters' Class.

1. Khejer Uddin Ahmed.
2. Lalit Mohan Bagdi.
3. Esar Uddin Ahmed.
4. Nibaran Chandra Das.

Blacksmiths' Class.

1. Jnanendra Nath Somaddar.
2. Tarini Charan Das.

SIDDHESHWAR SHAHA,

Superintendent, B. G. Technical School, Rangpur.

RANGPUR, *the 23rd November 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

GRADUATES of the Calcutta University, who have not yet registered their names and who intend to take part in the ensuing election of two ordinary Fellows by Registered Graduates, are to register their names on or before the 30th of December 1918. No voting paper for the ensuing election which will take place on the 18th of January 1919, will be issued to such Graduates as will register their names after the 30th of December 1918.

K. L. DATTA, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 25th November 1918.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab-Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on the 21st day of December 1918, corresponding with the 6th of Paus 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and acres. B. K. Ch.	A. R. P.	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghorasal.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto.
3	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 0	0 0 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold.
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 3	0 1 24	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 19 15	0 1 12	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 3	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold.
18	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	4 0 15	0 9 26	Ditto ditto.
19	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 18 0	0 1 8	Ditto ditto.
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 32	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 0 18	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 3	0 3 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold.
24	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 2	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest is to be sold.

Dacca, the 25th October 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs A P.	Rs. A P	Rs. A. P.
491	Estate Joypur, ph. Bhuthara.	3,770 11 3	No ...	8a. 3g 3c. 1kr. 1½d. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mahiuddin Ahamed Chaudhury. Bibiron Nesa. Mahiuddin Ahamd Chaudhury.	1,418 13 1	.....	166 1 0

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 16th November 1918. P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
126	Estate Sidhore, pargana Baragaon.	4,757 2 5	No ...	2 annas residue share All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chowdhury	594 10 4	.....	52 0 6

P. H WADDELL, Collector.

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th November 1918

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		RS A. P.				RS. A. P.	RS. A. P	RS. A. P.
122	Estate Bhadail T. No. 122, pargana Baragaon.	5,171 8 6	No ...	2 annas residue share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chaudhury.	646 7 1	.....	65 10 7

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th November 1918 P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for September 1918 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
67	Gopalnagar, etc., pargana Jahangirabad.	2,047 2 9	.....	Residuary share 13as. 6g. 2k. 2kr. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nogendra Bala Dasi and others.	1,021 8 0	.....	49 5 10
135	Gouripur kismat, pargana Ohhutipur.	1,219 5 9	.....	Residuary share 12as. 19g. 2k. 2kr. [illegible]d. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	K. P. Basu and others.	989 1 9	.....	1 4 1
159	Asuri, etc., pargana Satsaika.	2,360 9 11	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Rameswar Aich and others.	.....	254 6 11	.....

Burdwan, the 20th November 1918. R. F. LODGE, Offg. Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
250	Taluq Panchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar.	3,683 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	...	170 1 0	...
5553	Nyamatulla, pargana Jalalpur.	1,558 9 10	No ...	Residuary—11as. 3gds. 2kts. 76½til 2,[illegible]dt. share. The following shares are excluded from sale :— Separate Account No. 1.—13gds. 2kr. 3½½tils. Separate Account No. 2.—16as. share of pargana Tappa Birmohan, 10as. 13gds. 1kr. and 1kt. share of pargana Rangpra. Separate Account No. 3.—3gds. 2kr. 60tils. Separate Account No. 4.—3as. 11gds. 1kr. 2kts. 1½dt. Separate Account No. 5.—3gds. 3kr. [illegible]dt.	Mohammad Maiuddin and others.	888 7 8	...	52 10 9
6773	Taluq Kumar Sasi Kanta Acherjee, pargana Kasimpur Shohalspatti.	1,485 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raja Sashi Kanta Acharjee Bahadur.	...	290 0 0	...
6786	Taluq Sashi Kanta Acharjee (alluvial accretion to Estate No. 9670), Dacca Collectorate, pargana Kartikpur Sujabad.	2,129 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	1,430 0 0	...

Faridpur, the 21st November 1918. BHABA TARAN CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pergana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4082	Kalupukhuria, pargana Jehanabad.	13,818	Nil ...	3a. 18g. 1c. 1kt., share of mauzas Kalupukhuria, Ghoshna, Ghoshpur, Debkhanda, Basantapur, Mamudpur, Joykrishnapur.	Kangali Charan Chowdhury and 5 others.	2,352 3 11	Nil ...	190 5 9

A. BANARJI, *for* Collector.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 22nd November 1918.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1725 / 1	Mauza Chikni Kanda, share 8a. 10g., pargana Chandradwip.	3,283 8 1	.....	Separate account No. 1 containing 9a. 2g. 0c. 3kt. 19/ dt share will be sold. Residuary share and separate accounts Nos. 3 and 5 will be sold separately.	Mr. G. J. Jordon	1,939 15 6	.....	868 7 8
2708	Zamindary Uttar Sabajpur, share 1½ anna, pargana Uttar Sabajpur.	1,494 6 5	Whole ...	.....	Akhaya Kumar Chatterjee	.....	131 3 3	.....
3865	Zamindary Abdullapur, share 10a. 18g. 1k., tappa Abdullapur.	2 347 11 11	.....	Residuary share containing 7a. 9g. 2c. 1kt. 1½dt. will be sold, the remaining 3a. 10g. 1c. 1kt. 1½dt. will be excluded from sale.	Radha Gobinda Banikya and others.	1,106 15 11	.....	310 9 3
4821	Char Kulai Jour Katali, pargana Chandradwip.	1,478 6 11	Whole ...	.....	Aswini Kumar Datta and others.	..	19 3 4	.....
1448	Mahal Darihat Rajbarigunj, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	725 13 0	Do ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakravarty.	.. ...	270 0 0	.....
1533	Taluk Krishna Prasad Guha, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	3,960 10 8	...	12 annas residuary share will be sold, the remaining 4 annas share will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Roy Choudhury, and others.	2,970 11 8	.....	293 12 8
1661	Taluk Sibjoy Banerjee, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	...	Residuary share containing 6a. 4g. 1c. 3kt. 1dt. will be sold, the remaining 9a. 15g. 2c. 2dt. share will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Pal Choudhury, and others.	2,384 8 1	.....	537 1 2

HARENDRA K. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Barisal, the 22nd November 1918.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
161	Estate Ramdebpur, pargana Phulbari.	3,188 1 0	No ...	5 annas residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rahimuddin Chaudhury, Kasiran Bibi, Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Azimon Nesa Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Amiron Nesa Chaudhurany, minor, Safiron Nesa Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salimon Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Safiran Nesa Chaudhurany and Latifan Nesa Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salimon Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Nehaluddin Chaudhury, Ismail Bibi Chaudhurany, Ismail Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Osmanuddin Chaudhury, Jobeda Khatun, Khodeja Khatun and Ohhara Khatun, minors, Saban Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Imamuddin Chaudhury, Rkramuddin Chaudhury and Abeda Khatun, minors, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Karimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Abiran Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Shaheban Nesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arsab Bibi Chaudhurany, Karimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Hasan Banu Chaudhurany, Gafuruddin Chaudhury, Kasiran Nesa, Nesamuddin Chaudhury, Saban Bibi Chaudhurany.	998 4 4	.....	74 14 2

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 20th November 1918.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
894	Estate Rampur, pargana Kardaha.	1,247 10 4	Yes	.....	Sayad Abu Abdar Rahaman, Molla Obedul Haque, Sarna Maye Chaudhurany, Kumoda Charan Nag, Kumoda Charan Nag, Rajani Kanta De Chaudhury, Radha Peary Chaudhurany and Krishna Kamini Chaudhurany, guardians for minors Dhruba Narayan De Chaudhury and Madhuri Narayan De Chaudhury, Chaudhury Mahamed Ibrahim Khodija Khatun Bibi.	.....	165 11 8	.....

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 20th November 1918.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th December 1918, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1918, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Raozan, Patiya, Town, Satkania. Kismat Ambica Babait, Taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 5 6	Whole ...	.....	Sm. Bama Sundari Lala, Sarada Kripa Lala.	... ..	221 4 0	.....
401	Thana Fatickcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Raozan, Patiya, Town. Kismat Balaram Sarcar, Babait Taraf Sonaullah Khan.	1,043 6 0	.....	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar and others.	.....	188 13 0	.....
478	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town, Fatickcheri, Taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 6 annas will be sold, excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 with an extent of interest 8-0-12½ krantis and Jama Rs. 1,236-14-6 and unpaid share No. 3 with an extent of interest 1-11-7½ krantis and jama of Rs. 299-2-7.	Himaganhu Bimal Rai and Ramesh Chandra Rai and others	922 8 6	.....	248 15 0
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Raozan, Town. Taraf Inas Alup	2,365 15 8	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 10 annas will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 with an extent of interest 5-4 pies and jama Rs. 757 10-10.	Sm. Mahamaya Ramdhan Chandhuri and others.	1,509 9 10	.....	190 1 9
1243	Thana Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, according to recent survey Anwara Taraf, Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Abdul Raup Khan, Sm. Bia Bibi.	....6.	206 15 0	.....
1279	Thana Satkania, according to recent survey Banskhali and Patiya Taraf Joy Ram Chowdhury.	1,416 5 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 share No. 1 with an extent of interest 8 annas belonging to Sarada Kripa Lala will be sold excluding the paid up residue share and jama Rs. 708-2 9	Sarada Kripa Lala, on behalf of Sri Sri Raghu Nath Chakra.	708 2 9	.....	210 3 9
1552	Thana Raozan, out-post Rangania, Taraf Kame Fernandez.	1,640 5 3	Whole ...	.....	Ram Govinda Bahadur, Sasti Charan Bahadur.	...,...	48 15 0	.....
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, Taraf Mahammad Ali, Rustum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Share ..	Separation of account being made under Act IX of 1859 residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding unpaid share No. 1 with an interest 4 annas and Jama Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta and others; Upendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	2,612 6 8	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1, with an extent of interest 4 annas belonging to Krishna Chandra Gupta will be sold excluding the unpaid residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas and jama Rs. 2,612-6-8 pies	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 6 2
1885	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Taraf Mahammad Rafi Khansama.	926 14 9	Whole ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan and others	...	182 6 4	.....

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3054	Thana Raozan, Hathzari, Patiya Town and Fatickcheri, taraf Sib Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,042 2 2	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 with an extent of interest 3-4-19 krantis belonging to Pratap Chandra Rai will be sold excluding unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5 with an extent of interest 2-10-[illegible] with jama Rs. 520-4-8 pies and paid up shares 1, 3 6-17 and residue share with an extent of interest 9-9-[illegible] krantis and jama Rs. 1,793-11-8.	Kamal Kumar Rai ...	628 1 10	...	186 7 5
23500	Thana Satkania, mauza Padua Kaimi Taluk Krishna Chandra Gupta, Daroga, c-o Ram Mohan Gupta of Padua.	1,627 3 0	Whole ...	.....	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, manager on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta, managar, on Sehalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	.....	254 2 0	...

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1918.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
404	Estate Haraguvindapur, pargana Gilahabari.	3,349 7 4	No	8 as. 17g. 3c. 1d. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Khedmatuddin Chaudhury, Hakimuddin Chaudhury, Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Asanuddin Chaudhury, Masleyuddin Chaudhury, Khej Mahamed Chaudhury, guardian for Baharuddin Chaudhury, Asaruddin Chaudhury and Basiruddin Chaudhury, Minors, Gafuran Bibi, Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Amiran, Masiran and Dalima, minors, Bibi Chaudhurany, Farimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Kamala Bibi, Khejmatuddin Chaudhury, guardian for Asrafuddin, Khetauddin, Eharuddin, Gazi Mia Chaudhuary and Ejaruddin Chaudhury, minors, Khejmatuddin Chaudhury, Nasaruddin Chaudhury, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Karimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury, Abiran Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Saheban Nesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kaliman Nesa Chaudhurany, Hason Banu Chaudhurany, Gafuruddin Chaudhury, Khejmatuddin Chaudhury, Ajmatuddin Chaudhury.	1,860 12 10	.....	46 2 9

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1918.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 16th December, the undermentioned estate or shares of estate in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 12 noon, for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Tauzi No.	Name of mahs and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold
		Rs. A. P.		A. P		Rs A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3186	Begamabad, pargana Begamabad	...	No ...	2 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale	Devendra Narayan Singha.	2 373 15	...	95 10 1	Attached under orders of the Sub-Judge of Nadia, dated the 17th April 1917. 95 10 1

Krishnagar, the 15th November 1918.

RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJI, *for* Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 19th November 1918.

LIABILITIES	Rs	A	P,
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs 2,26,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000 0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 2,05,78,473 8 1			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,40,48,777 4 3	3,46,27,250	12	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	27,09,86,148	6	4
Bank Post Bills, etc	12,00,222	2	5
Sundries	30,71,565	18	1
	35,24,85,187	2	2

ASSETS	Rs.	A.	P
Government Securities	6,27,59,142	0	0
Other authorized Investments	1,41,72,914	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	10,31,24,687	0	7
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	5,67,18,361	1	2
Bills discounted and purchased	1,80,35,207	9	7
Balances with other Banks	58,14,144	18	10
Bullion	. ...		
Dead Stock	28,10,360	6	5
Stamps	11,470	9	0
Sundries	20,43,352	8	2
	26,54 81,590	0	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 2,45,68,779 8 4			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs 6,24,31,817 14 1	8,70,00,597	1	5
	35,24,85,187	2	2

* Includes Sova & ½ Sova; value Rs 3,77,175 0 0
† Do do do „ 5,31,465 0 0

Rs 9,08,640 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent
Percentage 28 07

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 21st November 1918

H. FISHER,
Chief Accountant

N H. Y WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer

(2824—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON.

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th November 1918.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS— of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.
Balance of 31st October 1918	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,82,62,600	1,42,05,300	62,09,800	19,55,500
ADD—						
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 5th October 1918.	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	......	......	......	......	......	......
Total ...	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,82,62,600	1,42,05,300	62,09,800	19,55,500
DEDUCT—						
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	......	......	1,00,000	1,300	......	......
Balance on 15th November 1918	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,81,62,600	1,42,04,000	62,09,800	19,55,500

Particulars.	4 PER CENT.— Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	INDIAN WAR LOAN— 5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1922.	SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN— 5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.	Grand Total.
Balance of 31st October 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	5,400	5,800	9,50,000	7,43,20,300
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 5th October 1918.	......	......	......	800	10,000	......	10,800
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
Total ...	4,700	100	7,77,000	6,200	15,800	9,50,000	7,43,31,100
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	......	......	......	......	......	......	1,01,300
Balance on 15th November 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	6,200	15,800	9,50,000	7,42,29,800

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th September 1918—Enfaced from India, 12,422 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 13,036 lakhs.

" 16th September " 30th "	" " " " 7 lakhs;	" " "	...
" 1st October " 15th October	" " " " ...	" " "	...
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	12,479 lakhs.		13,038 lakhs.

T. A. VOICE.
Superintendent.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 18th November 1918.

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house, on Saturday, the 14th December 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the decree of the said Court, made in Suit No. 956 of 1916 (Martin & Co. *versus* Joseph Isaac Joseph Ilyam and Harry Jones), the following properties, subject to the mortgage, dated 13th July 1914, in favour of the General Family Pension Fund securing the principal sum of Rs. 9,00,000 and interest, and in respect of which a decree was made thereon, dated 22nd May 1916, in Suit No. 390 of 1916, General Family Pension Fund *versus* Joseph Isaac Joseph Ilyam and another.

All that the premises Nos. 1 to 8, Grosvenor House and No. 21, Old Court House Street, and No. 1, Larkin's Lane, the whole property being known as Grosvenor House, in Calcutta, containing by measurement 1 bigha 17 cottahs 4 chitaks and 22 square feet.

The abstract of title, the conditions of sale and the full Notification of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar, in the Court-house, or at the office of Messrs. Morgan & Co., the Plaintiff's Attorneys, at No. 1, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day prior to the sale, and they will be produced at the sale.

MAURICE REMFRY, *for* Registrar.

Morgan & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 10th September 1918. (2692—1—2777)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 152 OF 1917.

Re Iphegenia Frangopoulo, *ex-parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 3rd day of January 1919, except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 19th November 1918. (2783—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Jyotish Chandra Nag, son of Gopi Nath Nag, of Bankura town, thana and district Bankura, was adjudged an insolvent on the 30th September 1918.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Bankura, the 20th November 1918. (2823—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 49 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Abdul Rahaman, son of late Manu-Gazi, of Musajidya, police station Mirsarai, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 13th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th day of December 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 23rd November 1918. (2768—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 40 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 13th September 1918, filed by Samiruddin, son of Muhammad Badal, of Khurus-Khul, police-station Anwara, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, Pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 21st day of November 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2769—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 46 OF 1918.

WHEREAS (1) Khadimali, (2) Abdul Jobber, sons of Akharali, deceased, of Maliara *alias* Kaigram, thana Patiya, have applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 6th November 1918, to be declared insolvents under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all their creditors that the Court has fixed the 5th day of December 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 18th November 1918. (2789—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 47 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Barua Kumar Barua, son of Ratnamani Baidya, deceased, of Bagoan, police-station Raozan, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 7th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 7th day of December 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge

Chittagong, the 18th November 1918 (2790—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 48 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Madhab Chandra Pasari, son of Kailash Chandra Pasari, of Fatehabad, thana Hathazari, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 9th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 9th day of December 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 20th November 1918

(2831—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 43 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Abdul Aziz, son of Jinnat Ali, of Sultanpur, thana Raozan, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 2nd October 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 9th day of December 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 20th November 1918.

(2832—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 137, 138 AND 139 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Kartik Barai, Rajani Barai and Jaladhar Barai, sons of late Tapni Barai, of Boulgram, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 13th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 19th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2797—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 241 AND 242 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Rajani Kirtania and Kakaram Kirtania, of Sendia, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 13th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 19th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2798—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 244 AND 245 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Braja Barai and Golab Barai, of Palta, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 13th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 19th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2799—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 306 AND 307 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Gani Moral and Ebadulla Moral, sons of late Meher Moral, of Sonapara, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 6th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 19th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2800—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 308, 309, 310 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Faijuddi, Rajjab Bepari, and Isop Bepari, sons of late Rahimuddi Bepari, of Gobindapur, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 7th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 19th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2801—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 311, 314 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Hochan Karikar, Hachan Karikar, Mochan Karikar and Lochan Karikar, sons of late Sobanulla Karikar, of Aishar, police-station Kalkini, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 8th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 19th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2802—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 305 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Afajuddi, son of late Kalimuddi Bepari, of Nalgora, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 6th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 19th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2843—1)

In the Court of the District Judge at Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 315 AND 316 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Ukiluddi and Sheik Mahaddi, of Khairbhanga, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 8th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 19th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2844—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 317 AND 318 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sheik Basiruddi and Sabaruddi, sons of late Mafijuddi, of Sikimadaripur, police station Madaripur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 9th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions

Dated the 19th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2845—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 319 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Dulai Sardar, son of late Jamir Sardar of Madhyachak, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent and that 9th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 20th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2846—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 320 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Jabai Bepari, son of late Aradhan Bepari, of Hogalpatia, police station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 9th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 20th November 1918.

J. C. H MACNAIR. District Judge.
(2847—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 321 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Jiban Bepari, son of late Aradhan Bepari, of Hogalpatia, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 9th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 20th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2848—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 322 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Umedali Bayati, son of late Ratan Bayati, of Madhyachak, police station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 10th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 20th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2849—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 323 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Mahammed Soleman, son of late Hazi Hafez Nazumaddin, of Gobindapur, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 10th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition

Dated the 20th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2850—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 324 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Ukiluddin Munshi, son of late Chand Bepari, of Madhyachak, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 10th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 20th November 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2851—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 329 OF 1918

TAKE notice that Madan Hazi, son of late Lakhai Hazi, of Saidpur, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 20th November 1918.

J. C. H MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2852—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 330 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Reajuddi Matbar, son of late Lakhai Hazi, of Saidpur, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 20th November 1918.

J. C H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2853—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Mobarak Khan, son of Fakir Khan, of Baikuntapur, thana Arambag, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 68 of 1918, and that the 13th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 14th August 1918 (2150—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Hari Pado Mannah, son of Nabin Chandra Mannah, of Dudkomra, thana Chanditallah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 67 of 1918 and that the 13th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 14th August 1918 (2152—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 177 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Hari Dass Mistri, son of late Sreemanta Mistri, of Seorapuli, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was on the 10th August 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 13th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 11th September 1918. (2433—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 33 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Morik Dusad, son of Ram Yiad Dusad, of Serampore, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was on the 1st August 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 6th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 11th September 1918. (2434—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 29 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Kartic Chandra Sadhukhan, son of Mukunda Ram Sadhukhan, of Seorapuli, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was on the 30th August 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 6th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 11th September 1918. (2435—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 11 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Khetia Mohan Karmakar, son of Baikunta Nath Karmakar, of Mahes, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was on the 16th August 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 13th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 11th September 1918. (2436—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 38 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Lall Muhammad Khan son of late Sirdar Khan, of Mahesh, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was on the 16th August 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 6th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 21st September 1918

(2550—1—2775)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 61 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ahed Bux Mallik, son of late Aimadar Mallik, of Chapadanga, thana Haripal, district Hooghly, was on the 6th September 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 13th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 30th September 1918.

(2624—1—2773)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 79 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rajani Kante Mal, son of late Lall Chand Mal, of Deulpore, thana Panchla, district Hooghly, was on the 23rd September 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 30th November 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VERICH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 14th November 1918. (2736—1—2804)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Khulna.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Pramatha Nath Basu, son of late Bhagaban Chandra Basu, of Dighelia, in the district of Jessore, at present of Khulna town, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and that 3rd December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

H. A STREET, District Judge.

Khulna, the 20th November 1918. (2810—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 44 of 1918

(ACT III OF 1907)

In the matter of Ruddi Shaikh, of Ghola Kandi, police-station Samserganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the above named petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the case has been fixed for hearing on the 14th December 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 19th November 1918. (2791—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 46 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Sofi Sarkar, of Char Nabangola, police-station Bhagawangola, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the above named petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the case has been fixed for hearing on the 14th December 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 22nd November 1918. (2854—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 39 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Sayed Sahabaz Ali, of Sekhordighi, police-station Mirzapur, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the above named petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court dated the 9th November 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 23rd November 1918. (2863—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 43 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Gagan Haldar, of Baluachari, police-station Raghunathganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the above named petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court dated the 9th November 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 23rd November 1918. (2864—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 38 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 25th June 1918, filed by Bhusan Chandra Kotal, son of late Dwarakanath Kotal, of Latpatia, pargana Doro, police-station Sutahata, district Midnapore, debtor-petitioner, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Upendra Nath Manna, Pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 6th January 1919 has been fixed for the proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 18th day of November 1918.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2822—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Noakhali.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1918.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Jabedali Bhuian, son of Amiraddin Munshi, of Char Algi, station Hatiya, district Noakhali, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 10th day of August 1918.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Noakhali, the 19th November 1918. (2855—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Noakhali.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Dinabandhu Thakur, son of late Krishna Chandra Thakur, of Kadirpur, station Begumganj, district Noakhali, has, on the 26th day of August 1918, applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 30th day of November 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of this case.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Noakhali, the 22nd November 1918. (2872—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 109 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Korepali Joardar, son of late Komardi Joardar, of Rajapore, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 8th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 14th November 1918. (2811—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 110 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Bhola Pramanik, son of late Kutubulla Pramanik, of Amria, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 8th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 14th November 1918. (2812—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 80 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 9th September 1918 by Arip Bakas Akando, son of late Kudu Akando, of Nalsia, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Jitendrajit Bhoumik, Pleader, is appointed Receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 18th November 1918. (2813—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 37 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 25th April 1918 by Khudiram Roy, son of late Hari Charan Roy, of Sonatali, police-station Sahazadpore, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Mohendra Kumar Saha, a creditor, is appointed Receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 18th November 1918. (2814—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 45 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 11th May 1918 by Hriday Nath Dass, son of late Jaladhar Dass, of Raipore, police-station Sahazadpore, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Abinash Chandra Sarker, a Pleader, is appointed Receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 18th November 1918. (2815—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 83 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 13th September 1918 by Maniraddin Seikh, son of late Sultan Seikh, of Dattakusa, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Surendra Nath Saha, Pleader, is appointed Receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 18th November 1918. (2816—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 54 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 4th July 1918 by Abbasali Akando, son of Dinu Akando, of Jhakri, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent and Babu Jogendra Nath Kor, Pleader, is appointed Receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 18th November 1918. (2817—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 95 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Idan Mallik, son of late Kamiraddin Mallik, of Amritakunda, police-station Chatmohor, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 27th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 18th November 1918. (2818—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 98 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Kokan Mali, son of late Madhab Mali, of Dattakusa, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 30th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 18th November 1918. (2819—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 91 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Fazil Pramanik, son of late Imam Bakas Pramanik, of Kumulli, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 20th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 18th November 1918. (2820—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 97 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Raj Chandra Saha, son of late Gour Chandra Saha, of Kirtikhola, police station Serajganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 28th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 19th November 1918. (2821—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 108 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Sabderali Akanda, son of late Madu Akanda, of Nalsia, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 8th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 20th November 1918. (2865—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 106 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Bowl Seikh, son of late Ali Sarker, of Sumapore, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 8th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 20th November 1918. (2866—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 105 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Sukurali Pramanik, son of late Magundi Pramanik, of Akra, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 8th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 20th November 1918. (2867—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 104 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Rahimulla Sarkar, son of late Safar Akando, of Nalsia, police-station Atgharia, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 8th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 20th November 1918. (2868—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 103 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Mamin Mandal, son of late Saharuddin Mandal, of Chardhupil, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 7th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 20th November 1918. (2869—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 111 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Ebarat Pramanik, Haedali Pramanik and Rajab Pramanik, sons of late Sahedulla Pramanik, of Alinagar, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, have applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 14th November 1918, to be declared insolvents, this is to give notice to all their creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 20th November 1918. (2870—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 107 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Somer Mondal, son of late Panu Mondal, of Akra, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 8th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 13th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 20th November 1918. (2871—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 OF 1918.

Mani Lal Halusi, son of late Badlu Haluai, Chitpur, Bheritola Bazar, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Biswambhar Dayal Gajananda, creditor.

ON the 7th day of November 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 2nd day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 9th November 1918. (2708—1—2802)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 26 OF 1918.

Surendra Nath Mitra, son of late Brojo Nath Mitra, 22, Pitambar Ghatak Lane, Alipore, Calcutta, applicant.

To Kisory Mohan Das and others, creditors.

ON the 7th day of November 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 2nd day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 9th November 1918. (2709—1—2803)

FORM No. 14.

Summary Administration. Section 48.

(Title.)

Indu Bhusan Rai Karmakar, Debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that on the 12th day of September 1918, the above named debtor presented a petition to this Court praying to be adjudicated an insolvent and that on the 12th day of September 1918, the Court being satisfied that the property of the debtor is not likely to exceed Rs. 500, directed that the debtor's estate be administrated in a summary manner and appointed the 9th day of December 1918, for the further hearing of the said petition and the examination of the said debtor.

Also take notice that the Court may on the aforesaid date then and there proceed to adjudication and distribution of the assets of the aforesaid debtor. It will be open to you to appear and give evidence on that date. Proof of any claim you desire to make must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Court the 30th day of September 1918.

A. T. GUPTA, District Judge.

Khulna, the 30th September 1918. (2661—1)

WANTED a thoroughly competent Engineer with a high standard of mechanical and technical qualifications to hold charge of the Power Station, Centrifuges, Gas Plant, Water-supply, Miscellaneous Machinery and Apparatus, etc., at the Imperial Bacteriological Laboratory, Muktesar, Naini Tal district, United Provinces. The post is permanent and pensionable and of the status of a gazetted officer. The pay attached to it is Rs. 400—10—550 a month with rent-free accommodation. The selected candidate will be required to sign an agreement to serve for two years from date of confirmation subject to six months notice in the event of his service not proving satisfactory.

Applications stating age, qualifications and previous experience (with copies of testimonials which will not be returned) should reach the undersigned not later than the 30th November 1918. None but really capable, hard working, steady and strictly sober men possessing a high standard of qualifications need apply.

J. MACKENNA,

Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India.

Dated Pusa, the 7th November 1918.

WANTED a Matriculate for the post of an Assistant Sub-Inspector of Santhal Schools, in the district of Bankura, on a salary of Rs. 30—1—50 a month outside the grades. None need apply who are not Santhals or have knowledge of Santhali. The applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th December 1918.

P. K. BASU,

Offg Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

Chinsura, the 15th November 1918.

Notice.

WANTED a lady graduate, preferably a B. T. with a good knowledge of Hindi, for the post of the Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 250 per mensem, and in class VII of the Provincial Educational Service. The applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned on or before the 15th December 1918.

M V. IRONS,

Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.

P O. Ramna, Dacca, the 18th November 1918.

NOTICE.

Wanted one temporary Subdivisional Clerk on Rs 35 a month for the Public Works Department, Kishoregunj Subdivison. Preference will be given to one who has experience in works of a Public Works Department Divisional or Subdivisional Office and who passed the Matriculation Examination. The applications stating age, qualification and past services with copies of certificates will be received by the undersigned up to the 1st December 1918.

W. J. KERR, Executive Engineer,

Dacca Division.

Dated Dacca, the 21st November 1918.

Notice.

WANTED a Store Muharrir on Rs. 25 *plus* 30 per cent. as local allowance per month for the office of the District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Public Works Department. Candidates must be qualified Sub-Overseers in the Public Works Department having experience in office and outdoor works. Applications in candidates' own handwriting with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th December 1918.

G. A. BELL, District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Public Works Department.

Rangamati, the 1st November 1918. (2723—4)

Wanted

IMMEDIATELY, a Sub-Overseer for the Alipur Duar Local Board (district Jalpaiguri), on a monthly salary of Rs. 50, *plus* fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15, with free quarters, for a year as present with chance of being made permanent on approved service. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned up to 30th November 1918.

CHANDRA KUMAR SEN GUPTA,

Vice-Chairman, Local Board.

Alipur Duar, the 14th November 1918. (2748—2)

Wanted

A Sub-Assistant Surgeon on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 *plus* Rs. 5 English knowing allowance and servant allowance Rs. 5. None need apply who has not passed the Final Medical Examination from the recognized Medical School. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 30th November 1918.

DURGA DAS DUTTA, Vice-Chariman, District Board.

Chittagong, the 20th November 1918. (2835—1)

Notice.

WANTED at once, two Sub-Overseers for six months, for looking after the works of excavation of new tanks, on a consolidated pay of Rs. 45 each per month. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules and has no experience of District Board works.

Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned up to 7th December 1918.

K. D. GUPTA, District Engineer.

Alipore, the 21st November 1918. (2836—2)

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that the undermentioned treasure was found by (1) a boy Ramanujam and (2) a girl Sellai, of Maladichamangalam, Namilam Taluk, on 18th February 1918, while removing earth and grazing sheep in S. F. No 67-A. (natham poramboke) of the village :—

Description of the treasure.

Serial No.	Name of the article.	No. of the articles.	Weight in Vraha-nidais.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
1	Ear-ring made of gold wire (large) ...	2	1 1/4	6	12	0
2.	Ear-ring made of gold wire (small) ...	2	1	4	0	0
3	Koppukoy (gold with wax)	2	1/8	1	4	0
4	Poochikkoodu (gold) ...	2	1 1/8	2	12	0
5.	Navadam (gold) ...	1	1/4	2	4	0
6.	Karandi pottu (gold) ...	2	1/8	1	6	0
7.	Omapoo (gold) ...	2	1 1/16	5	12	0
8.	Screw pin (silver) ...	1	...	0	0	3
9.	Koppu (gold) ...	2	1 1/2	5	4	0
10.	Square pottu (gold) ...	1	1/16	1	5	0
11.	Hair catch (gold) ...	2	1/4	2	14	9
12.	Hair chain (silver) ...	2	1/8	0	2	6
13.	Valavu pottu (gold) ...	11	1 1/4	5	1	0
14.	Kodakkadukkan with pearls (gold) ...	2	1 1/16	5	12	0
15.	Arasalai (gold) ...	1	1/8	0	12	0
16.	Beads resembling wheat (gold)	42	2 1/8	11	13	0
17.	Ear ring made of red stones.	...	...	4	2	0
18.	Kozhi kanu (fowl coin) (copper)	16	1/4 sr.	0	1	6
19.	Padam (silver) ...	3	1 1/8 sr.	14	0	0
20.	Silver bangle ...	2	1/4 sr.	2	0	0
21	Upplika peeli (silver) ...	4	2 viraha-nidais.	0	4	0
22	Screw pin 3, Talisman (thazhthu) 1 (silver) ..	8	1 1/4 do.	0	2	6
23.	Rusty dappi (a little case) (copper) ...	1	1/4 sr.	0	1	0
	Total ...			77	15	6

All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore at his office on Thursday, the 10th April 1919, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. R. HUGGINS, Collector.

Tanjore Collector's Office, the 11th November 1918.

The Commissioners for the Port of Chittagong.

NOTIFICATION.

WHEREAS, owing to the heavy loss of traffic due to the War, it appears to the Commissioners for the Port of Chittagong and to the Governor in Council of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, that the ordinary revenue of the Trust will be insufficient to meet the working expenses and that it is, therefore, necessary to resort temporarily to further special measures of additional taxation on goods and shipping.

It is notified, for general information, under section 58 of the Chittagong Port Act, 1914 (Bengal Act V of 1914), as amended by the Bengal Act V of 1918, that, with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council, a temporary surtax of 12 annas per ton will be levied, as a temporary measure, with effect from the 1st December 1918, in addition to the river dues at present levied, on all goods landed from, or shipped into, any sea-going vessels lying or being within the limits of the Port of Chittagong (except bunker coal on which a temporary surtax of four annas per ton will be levied) whether such goods shall or shall not be landed or shipped at any wharf, quay, stage, jetty or pier belonging to the Commissioners.

A. H. CLAYTON,
Vice-Chairman, Port Commissioners.
for Chairman of the Commissioners
for the Port of Chittagong.

Chittagong, the 26th November 1918. (2877—1)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION No. 7.

IT is hereby notified for general information, as required by section 107 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890 (Bengal Act III of 1890), that, with a view to relieving the congestion that has recently arisen at the Calcutta Jetties owing to consignees not taking delivery of consignments of iron and steel within a reasonable time the following revised scale of charges payable as wharf rent on iron and steel, manufactured or unmanufactured, framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, with the approval of the Local Government, under section 103 of the said Act, and in modification of the notification dated the 20th May 1903, and of the second paragraph of the notification dated the 7th September 1914, shall remain in force as a temporary emergency measure till the 31st December 1918 :—

Iron or steel in plates, bars, rod, etc.

After the two rent-free days—

	Annas.	
(*a*) for the first 5 days, at the rate of	3	per cwt. per month.
(*b*) for the first succeeding week, at the rate of	1	per cwt. per day.
(*c*) for the second succeeding week, at the rate of ...	2	
(*d*) for the third succeeding week at the rate of ...	4	
(*e*) for the fourth succeeding week, and thereafter, at the rate of	8	

Iron castings or hollow-ware.

After the two rent-free days—

	Annas.	
For the first 5 days, at the rate of	8	per cwt per month.

Thereafter—Same rates as are prescribed in the case of iron or steel in plates, bars, rod, etc.

Iron galvanised.

After the two rent-free days—

	Annas	
For the first 5 days, at the rate of	4	per cwt. per month.

Thereafter—Same rates as are prescribed in the case of iron or steel in plates, bars, rod, etc.

Iron girders, columns, railings, etc.

After the two rent-free days :—

	Annas.	
For the first 5 days, at the rate of	8	per cwt. per month.

Thereafter—Same rates as are prescribed in the case of iron or steel in plates bars, rod, etc.

By order,

G. J. ALLEN,
Offg. Secretary.

The 26th November 1918. (2876—1)

Notice.

PURSUANT to the orders of Government, dated the 29th June 1881, particulars of the undernoted articles, held by the Calcutta Port Commissioners as Receivers of Wrecks, each article being of value exceeding Rs. 100, are published for general information in accordance with the provisions of section 76, Act VII of 1880 :—

Number and date in Recovery Register.	Description of articles.	Approximate value.	Where and when received.	Where lying.
		Rs.		
November, 13, 6.	One teakwood log measuring 22' 11"×26"×23" marked Steel 23 X. 1168 - 26 23	246	On the river Hooghly off Outram Ghat on the 1st November 1918.	Lying in the wreck and anchor yard at Kidderpore.

JAS. SCOTT, Offg. Harbour Master.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 18th November 1918. (2784—3)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Notification.

IT is notified, for general information, that the Tollygunge Bridge over Tollys Nullah will be closed to traffic for repairs from the 1st December 1918, until further notice.

C. P. M. HARRISON,
Executive Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division.

Calcutta, the 19th November 1918.

Indian Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Medical Department will be held on 3rd February 1919, at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital at these stations, and from—

Calcutta.	Simla.
Dinapore.	Rangoon.
Allahabad.	Madras.
Agra.	Bangalore.
Lucknow.	Trichinopoly.
Meerut.	Jhansi.
Bareilly.	Sialkot.
Jubbulpore.	Fyzabad.
Ambala.	Aden.
Lahore Cantonment.	Maymyo.
Rawalpindi.	Karachi.
Secunderabad.	Bombay.
Wellington.	Mhow.
Quetta.	Poona.
Shillong.	Kamptee.
Peshawar.	Mandalay.
Kasauli.	
Ajmere.	

(1) The Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service, Simla.

(2) The Personal Assistants to the Surgeon-General with the Governments of Bengal, Madras and Bombay.

(3) All Administrative Medical Officers and the Principals of the Medical Colleges at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

R. A. NEEDHAM, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 15th November 1918.

Notice.

IT is notified, for general information, that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Masters and Serangs of Inland Steam Vessels under Act I of 1917 will be held at the Port Office, Chittagong, on Monday, the 16th December 1918, at 10 A.M.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Port Office, Chittagong, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

A. E. MCKENNA, *for* Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 21st November 1918. (2856—1)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries. Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Lost or Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 126490 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1842-43 for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of Rakashakali Debi, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost or stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the advertiser—Srimati Sarojbasini Debi.

Residence—53, Puddopukur Road, Bhowanipur, Calcutta. (2697—3—2762)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 231504 and 209509 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 5,000 and Rs. 100, respectively, and Nos. 081082 and 086170 of the 3 per cents loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 5,000 and Rs. 100, respectively, all originally standing in the name of Gopaul Krishna Ghose, and the Government Promissory Notes Nos. 083283 and 083284 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 500, respectively, originally standing in the name of Keeran Bala Ghose, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned securities.

Name of the Advertiser—MONMOTHO NATH DUTT, Attorney, for Babu Gopaul Krishna Ghose, 10, Hastings Street, Calcutta. (2677—3—2776)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 175296, 175297 and 175298 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 100 each, originally standing in the name of Prosad Das Boral and Brothers and last endorsed to Santosh Kumar Mitra, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities

Name of the advertiser—SANTOSH KUMAR MITRA.
Residence—Gargaripara Road, Chinsura P. O., dt. Hugli.
(2765—3—2801)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 121922 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1854-55 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of Amiabala Debi, administratrix of Hrishicase Gangooly, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of the advertiser—Amiabala Debi, Administratrix of Hrishicase Gangooly.
Residence—C/o Panchanan Gangooly village Ayda, Guptipara Post, district Hooghly.
(2766—3—2806)

Eastern Life Insurance Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, a meeting of the members of the Eastern Life Insurance Co., Ltd., will be held on Thursday, the 2nd January 1919, at 3 P.M., to pass the final accounts.

S. K DAY & Co., Liquidators.
Calcutta, the 22nd November 1918. (2873—1—2807)

Reformed Theatre, Limited.

UNDER section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, a meeting of the members of the Reformed Theatre, Limited, will be held on Thursday, the 2nd January 1919, at 2 P.M.

S. K DAY A.S.A.A., Liquidator.
Calcutta, the 23rd November 1918. (2874—1—2808)

Reformed Theatre, Limited.

A MEETING of the creditors of the Reformed Theatre, Limited, will be held on Saturday the 7th December, at 5 P.M., at 6, Hastings Street.

S. K. DAY, A.S.A A., Liquidator
Calcutta, the 23rd November 1918. (2875—1—2809)

Under the Indian Companies Act, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, held on the 18th instant, at its registered office, No. 8, Old Court House corner, Calcutta, a special resolution has been passed sanctioning the voluntary winding up of the Company

N. N. DATTA, Managing Director,
for DATTA & Co., LD.
(2690—1—2810)

Notice.

IN supersession of previous orders, the subscription to, and postage for, the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part IC, will henceforth be at the following rates, payable in advance :—

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J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 31st October 1918

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails.	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Ceylon	Daily ...	3-0	3-30	2-30	3-0
Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo-China, China, Japan, etc.	Tuesday ...	4-0	...	3-30	...
Burma	Dec. 1st ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
Port Blair	„ 9th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
†South Africa	„ 27th ...	4-0	4-30	3-30	4-0
†Mauritius, Reunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Be ...	„ 7th ...	4-0	4-30	3-30	4-0

* The late fee is 4 annas for each registered and unregistered article to any place named above, except Aden, Burma, Ceylon and Port Blair, the late fee for which is ½ anna for unregistered articles and 2 annas for registered articles. Letters are accepted with late fee only on occasions when a direct mail is closed by the Calcutta G. P. O. for Foreign Countries.

† Correspondence for South Africa and Mauritius posted up to 6-15 P.M., in the Calcutta G. P. O., is dispatched to Bombay for transmission by the first available steamer, when there is no direct mail from Calcutta.

Calcutta G. P. O., the 25th November 1918. J. FISHER-RODERICKS, Presidency Post Master.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF SANSKRIT MANUSCRIPTS.

PARTS I, II and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts, the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

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For any quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „ „
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For quantities less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	„ 7 „ „

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council assembled under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1915.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber at Government House, Calcutta, on Thursday, the 14th November, 1918, at 11 A.M.

Present :

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble LAWRENCE JOHN LUMLEY DUNDAS, EARL OF RONALDSHAY, G.C.I.E., *Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, presiding.*

The Hon'ble SIR HENRY WHEELER, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.

The Hon'ble SIR SATYENDRA PRASANNA SINHA, KT., K.C.

The Hon'ble MR. J. G. CUMMING, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE, C.V.O.

The Hon'ble MR. L. S. S. O'MALLEY.

The Hon'ble MR. C. F. PAYNE.

The Hon'ble RAI PRIYA NATH MUKHARJI BAHADUR, I.S.O.

The Hon'ble SIR RAJENDRA NATH MOOKERJEE, K.C.I.E.

The Hon'ble SIR NILRATAN SARKAR, KT.

The Hon'ble MR. J. MACKENZIE, O.B.E.

The Hon'ble MR. W. H. H. ARDEN-WOOD, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. AMINUR RAHMAN.

The Hon'ble RAJA HRISHIKESH LAHA, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. J. W. HELY-HUTCHINSON.

The Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER.

The Hon'ble BABU SIV NARAYAN MOOKERJEE.

The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY.

The Hon'ble MR. ARUN CHANDRA SINGHA.

The Hon'ble SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI, KT., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble MR. F. W. CARTER, C.I.E., C.B.E.

The Hon'ble MR. W. E. CRUM, O.B.E.

The Hon'ble MR. E. B. EDEN.

The Hon'ble MR. G. A. BAYLEY.

The Hon'ble MR. H. R. A. IRWIN, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY.

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM.

The Hon'ble MR. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI.

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ.

The Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI.

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY.

The Hon'ble MR. ALTAF ALI.

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY.

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. K. B. DUTT.

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 1.

Oath of Allegiance.

The Hon'ble MR. G. A. BAYLEY made an oath of his allegiance to the Crown.

The President's address.

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I think it will be well if I say one or two words describing the procedure which I propose to follow in the course of the proceedings to-day. This meeting of the Council, as Hon'ble Members will remember, has been called at the request of the non-official members in order that they may have an opportunity of expressing their opinions upon the Reform Scheme. Under those circumstances since it is the opinions of the non-official members that we are to receive I have asked the official members of the Council either to abstain from attending or if they attend to take no part in the proceedings. At the same time Government are naturally anxious to give to the Council any assistance which they may require, and all the members of the Government are therefore present and should they be able to assist the Council in their deliberations by giving them informations as to facts upon any point which may crop up they will be very pleased to do so. But apart from that they will make no attempt of any kind to influence the decision of the Council. I should like to call the attention of Hon'ble Members before we start on our discussions to items Nos. 10, 11 and 12 which stand upon the agenda paper. The proposal there put forward is that the non-official members should resolve themselves into a Committee for the purpose of considering the Reform Scheme and submitting a report thereon to the Government of Bengal. I would point out to Hon'ble Members that if any such resolution is carried it would render any further proceedings in open Council to-day somewhat irregular. It would indeed be wholly contrary to the recognised practice of deliberative assemblies, for the Council to hold a debate and record its decisions upon the matters under discussion, and after having done so, to resolve itself into a committee for the same purpose. There is one obvious objection to such a proceeding which is, I think, of itself, conclusive. The authority of the Council is superior to the authority of any committee of the Council, so that the position would be this : the Council would have recorded its decisions and with those decisions the subsequent committee could either agree or disagree. There would be no other course open to it. If it agreed with them its formation would have been thereby proved to have been superfluous. If, on the other hand, it disagreed with them its formation would have been proved to have been both futile and mischievous—futile because its views could not prevail against the superior authority of the Council itself with which it disagreed, and mischievous because although its views could not prevail against those of the Council itself, they would obviously do much to stultify the decisions deliberately arrived at and recorded by the Council in open session. Under those circumstances it appears to me that there are only two courses open to the Council. If they decide to move item No. 10 on the agenda paper and if it is carried I should have to rule further proceedings in open Council to-day out of order. On the other hand, if the Council prefer to hold their discussion in open session to-day and to record their opinions in open session, then I shall have to rule that items Nos. 10, 11 and 12 should not be moved. I have no desire to influence the Council one way or the other. I have merely explained the position as it appears to me and I have informed you of the ruling which I shall have to give. I would suggest that Hon'ble Members should think over what I have said while we are proceeding with

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The President; Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari; Babu A. C. Mazumdar.

the first resolution which stands upon the paper and which is a resolution of a general character. In the event of the Council deciding not to move items Nos. 10, 11 or 12 but to hold their discussion in open Council to-day, I would point out that there are, of course, a large number of motions on the paper which are covered by others. Then again there are some motions standing on the paper which it will be more convenient to move as amendments to other substantive motions. I shall be prepared to give rulings on each item so far as that is concerned as it comes up for discussion. I will now call upon the Hon'ble Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur to move the first resolution."

The Hon'ble SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said :—

"May I, with Your Excellency's leave, say a few words so far as I am concerned. My lord, in sending this resolution I was only following the line which was followed in the Supreme Council at Simla with notable results. Having regard, however, to what Your Excellency has just been pleased to say and having regard to the discussion which I have just had with some of my European friends here, I am prepared to say that I would not wish to move my resolution if it really retards business. I do not know what my other colleagues would do....."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"Order, order. I think it would be more in order if the Hon'ble Member will make any observation on that point when I call on him when we reach item No. 10."

THE VICTORY RESOLUTION.

The PRESIDENT said :—

"An Hon'ble Member has asked my permission to move formally a resolution which he desires to submit to the Council and which under the exceptional circumstances at the present time I am prepared to admit."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"On behalf of the Indian members, I beg to submit the following resolution :—

'This Council receives with profound joy the happy news of the signing of an armistice between the Allies and Germany marking the final victory of the allied army after four long years of strenuous fighting for the vindication of the cause of liberty and freedom, and is grateful to His Excellency the Viceroy for his kind communication on behalf of India to His Majesty the King-Emperor of the exact feelings of His Majesty's Indian subjects at this hour; this Council further very gratefully appreciates the announcement that India will be represented and her interest protected at the Peace Conference.'

I need not say much on the resolution. It is a very happy hour no doubt. It is the final triumph of justice over violence. The Prussian militarism which it was sought at the very outset of the war to crush has been crushed, and, I believe, militarism with all the horrors of its vandalism has now come to an end; and I hope Your Excellency will accept our appreciation of the situation as well as the great faith which the Government has shown us particularly by receiving one of the representatives of India to represent her interests at the coming Peace Conference."

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Mr. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri; Mr. P. C. Mitter ; Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur ; Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari ; Mr. Crum ; Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri ; Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur.

The Hon'ble MR. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"On behalf of the Muhammadans especially I have the greatest pleasure in supporting this resolution and in expressing the sense of its extreme satisfaction at the conclusion of the peace."

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"As the representative of the landholders' interests in this Council I have much pleasure in associating myself with the resolution."

The Hon'ble RAI, RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"Representing the citizens of Calcutta in this Council I have much pleasure in associating myself with the resolution which has been so ably moved by the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar."

The Hon'ble SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said :—

"'We want King George'. That was the cry raised by the crowd which assembled before the Buckingham Palace when the terms of the armistice were announced. In the sense that I read the call. it was a fitting counterblast in advance to the world-wide revolutionary ideas preceding and following the armistice. His Excellency the Viceroy has done exceedingly well—if one may say so without impertinence—to give expression to the feelings of unalterable loyalty of India towards the Throne and the person of His Majesty the King-Emperor. India whole-heartedly rejoices with the Empire at the approaching peace and all that it would stand for towards progress, civilization, humanity and righteousness."

The Hon'ble MR. CRUM said :—

"I should like to associate myself with the resolution proposed by the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar. I am sure we are all unanimous in congratulating the Viceroy and the British Empire on the great victory that they have won."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"As a representative of the Municipalities in the mufassal I am glad to associate myself with the object of the resolution and I heartily support it."

The resolution was then put and unanimously agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM Nos. 2 AND 6.

RESOLUTIONS.

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR moved the following resolution :—

"This Council is of opinion that the Constitutional Reform proposals laid before this country and the Parliament in England, by His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State for India, are a genuine effort and a definite advance towards the progressive realization of responsible Government in India."

He said :—"Peace reigns over the earth. The world's tribulation has come to an end, and people of every land, except perhaps those of an accursed

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country, are beaming with joy. By the heroic part which England has played in the greatest war since the birth of humanity, she has more than justified the old saying, 'righteousness exalteth a nation.' Good will to mankind, especially to India, England has not only expressed in words and declarations during the progress of the war, but she has during that period made a serious effort to raise us in the scale of nations by devising a workable scheme of progressive self-government for this ancient land within the British Empire. Her promises will no doubt be fulfilled, and now that the distractions of war are over, we of the older generation will live the remaining span of our life, in the hope that, through God's blessing and England's generosity, we shall soon have the privilege of administering our own affairs to some extent. This hope we have been cherishing in our mind since the memorable declaration in the House of Commons made on the 20th day of August, 1917. There was then, however, one cause of uneasiness. With all our faith in the might of England and of her allies in the field at that time, there was no near vision of victory, and our political life was bound up with decisive success to their arms. This uneasiness did not trouble the Cabinet at Home and England's Minister and India's Viceroy who were commissioned to formulate a workable scheme have between them produced one which is certainly a genuine effort to give the people of this country a measure of self-government hedged in no doubt by conditions dictated by considerations of prudence and caution, but not of mistrust. It is a distinct, definite and substantial step towards the gradual and progressive realization of responsible government, as promised in the declaration of the Cabinet made in August 1917, for which we cannot be too grateful to the illustrious authors of the Reform proposals. The scheme will be as it were an inclined plane to us which is bound to lead us to full responsible government at no distant time. Probably there will be a weaker degree of efficiency in the administration of affairs connected with transferred subjects in the beginning, and probably there will be more mistakes than when their conduct was in the hands of British Civil Service men. Mistakes and the remedying of the evil arising out of mistakes are a part in the growth of a nation, and such a state of things in the near future has to be tolerated as a normal state leading to better things. The illiteracy of the masses for which the East India Company and subsequently the Crown are responsible, ought not to stand in the way of the introduction of representative government in this country. The political reforms of 1832 and 1868 in England were introduced when the masses there were no better. But this educational and social defect did not stand in the way of democracy in that country, and the democratic plunge made by Mr. Disraeli in 1868 led to the passing of Mr. Forster's Education Act in 1870. In the matter of mass education in India, with the fate of Gokhale's Education Bill of 1910 before our eyes, I can only say that not till there is some sort of self-government in the matter of finances and primary education, the dumb millions will ever see the light of knowledge, and it would be arguing in a circle and it would not be fair to say, you cannot approve of the introduction of representative government because in the beginning it will be an oligarchy and not democracy. People of the last conquering nation—the British—do not choose to live permanently in this land as their predecessors the Moguls and Pathans did. If they did that, they would have felt that their interests and our interests are identical, and this country would have got a representative and responsible Government long ago. As it is, the European commercial community, if they had their own way, would put off the introduction of any form of self-government in their day. People in England are more generous in instincts. I appeal to my European friends here—and they are all picked men—to forsake their narrowness, to rise equal to the occasion and join in the holy work of the inauguration of responsible government in this ancient land of the Aryans."

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The President; Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari; Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur; Rai Debender Chander Ghose Bahadur.

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I would call attention of the Hon'ble Members to the fact that items Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 are all covered by the motion which is now before the Council. It will not be in order, therefore, to move any of these motions but any Hon'ble Member, of course, can speak upon the motion which is now before us. There is a small difference in one or two of the motions to which I have referred in which one or two Hon'ble Members desire to point out that the Reform Scheme may be imperfect or defective in certain respects. It will be open, therefore, for the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar, if he wishes it, to move as an amendment to the motion now before us the following :—

'To insert after the words "Secretary of State for India" in line 3 of the original motion the following words—"even though they may be imperfect or defective in certain respects."'

If the Hon'ble Member wishes to move that as an amendment he should do so now."

The Hon'ble SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said :—

"May I suggest that if the resolution standing in my name is made a part of the original motion, then it will not be necessary for me to move an amendment."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"I beg to submit, my lord, that my resolution is differently worded. My resolution begins with the same words as his, but it is otherwise quite different."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I am prepared to accept the suggestion of the Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari. He will move his resolution as an amendment to the original motion."

The Hon'ble SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI moved, by way of amendment, that the following be added to the resolution, namely :—

"and also desires to record and offer its grateful thanks to His Excellency the Viceroy and the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India for their Reform proposals."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

"I accept the amendment."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My lord, while the Council welcomes the first modification on the resolution, I desire to draw attention to the second paragraph of the resolution."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"If the Hon'ble Member reads out the exact amendment which he wishes to move I will consider it. In the meantime the discussion on the main point may continue."

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Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar; Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur; The President; Babu Mahendra Nath Ray.

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"My lord, I have accepted the first portion of my hon'ble friend's resolution, but I have got another clause in my resolution which is 'and it is further of opinion that the Government should adhere to the policy and principle of responsible Government which have dictated those proposals and give effect to them, with such modifications and improvements as have been urged by the majority of the Indian public, in fulfilment of the memorable declaration of the 20th August, 1917.' This is my addition. If my hon'ble friend will accept it I believe the debate may go on upon his resolution as a whole."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

"I have felt some difficulty in accepting the proposed amendment : it appears to me to be a little vague and indefinite and that is why it is difficult to agree with my hon'ble friend."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"In that case, subject to Your Excellency's decision, I shall have to move it as an independent resolution."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I think the amendment which the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur is about to move will cover the point suggested by the Hon'ble Member. I understand that the Rai Bahadur would like to move the second part of item No. 7 as a separate motion. I think that will probably meet the Hon'ble Member's object."

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY said :—

"My lord, the motion which is before the Council and which, in terms, is similar to item No. 5 which stands in my name, and which is probably identical with the one before the Council, is made with a special point of view which I shall respectfully ask the Council not to overlook. The educated Indians who have expressed their opinion on the Reform proposals are generally agreed that they should be accepted, but they suggest that they should be accepted with certain important modifications, especially in the direction of the Government of India being made more responsible to the Representative Assemblies : but many of us are of opinion and hold that even if such modifications are not conceded at present we should be content with the reforms as proposed in the report as a substantial first instalment. It was with that point of view that I drafted the resolution which stood in my name, and I take it that is also the point of view from which my hon'ble friend, Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur, made his motion. Let it, therefore, be distinctly understood that the motion which has been put before the Council which is substantially the same as the motion of which I had given notice takes this position and takes this position with perfect clearness. So far as educated India has expressed itself, it has said that certain important modifications, specially in respect of the Government of India, are desirable, but it does not say that even if such modifications are not allowed at the present moment, the people do not desire to have the Reform proposals as they are embodied in the Report.

Your Excellency, the only additional observation which with Your Excellency's leave I would venture to make before the Council is this : We cannot ignore the chief objections which have been urged against the Reform proposals as embodied in the Report and with Your Excellency's leave I shall notice only two of them. It is said that the reforms are demanded only by a very small minority of people, the educated and the higher classes, and that

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India is not and ought not to be the home of democracy. Of the many eminent critics who have said so one may single out two very distinguished names—Lord Sydenham, a great Engineer and the ex-Governor of Bombay, and Sir John Hewett, a distinguished member of the Indian Civil Service and an ex-Lieutenant-Governor of the United Provinces. The *Times of London* never said a wiser thing than when it referred, in refutation of this view, to Japan. We all remember that before representative Government was granted to Japan 30 years ago the reformers who fought for it consisted of a very small proportion of the population, the Samurai, and a small band of young men and thinkers who had returned from a direct observation of the working of the constitutional system in Europe and America. I am quoting Captain Brinkley, the famous authority on Japan, who says 'The bulk of the people—the agricultural, the industrial and mercantile classes—remained outside the sphere of politics not taking any serious interest in the great questions of the time.' And Constitutional Government in Japan has proved a success. The lessons of the great war which is just over ought not to be lost upon us. It has brought home the triumph of responsible Government all over the world. The other objection which has been very strongly urged by the two distinguished statesmen I have just named and others appears to me to be this—that the proposals, if adopted, will lead to complications in the administrative machinery. It is said, for instance, that one of the most important reforms proposed—that dual system of reserved and transferred subjects—will lead to serious complications in practice, and the ex-Governor of Bombay actually said that as the Indian genius excels in intrigue Indian legislators will take advantage of such complications to oppress his fellow countrymen. I have no doubt that the British people would refuse to listen to such suggestions but will accept the unavoidable complications which are due to the very necessities of the case. These complications are a compromise between, on the one hand, the paramount duty of the Executive Government to safeguard the interests of peace, order and good government and, on the other hand, the necessity of at least a partial realisation of responsible government in India as a first step in accordance with the announcement of the 20th August. The people must be taught, as my hon'ble friend the mover has already said, in the art of self-government. Your Excellency, with these words I shall support the motion of my hon'ble friend Rai Dobendra Chunder Ghosh Bahadur, and the motion which stands in my name, No. 5, which is practically identical with No. 2, necessarily drops."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"My lord, I have already said in my note submitted to Government that it is impossible to rise from a calm and dispassionate perusal of the elaborate and masterly report of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State and His Excellency the Viceroy without being profoundly impressed with the sincerity and genuineness of the policy which have dictated the proposals formulated in it. It cannot be doubted that these proposals, however imperfect or defective they may be, are honestly intended to form the nucleus of a constitution which, if whole-heartedly and systematically fostered and developed, is purely calculated to prove at no distant time a real and substantial measure of responsible government in India. It is easy to point out defects of these proposals—in fact the illustrious authors of the scheme nowhere claim for perfection or finality for it. It may be also possible to say that some of these proposals in their present form even go to militate to some extent against the fundamental conception of the scheme; but it would be difficult for honest criticism not to admit that the constitution as proposed is a clear and decisive advance upon the existing unconstitutional constitution of the country, and to ignore the broad fact that underlying these defective proposals there is the germ of responsible government

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which may require only time and opportunities to grow and expand in the process of our national evolution. My lord, it is some of these defects which has evoked sharp criticisms from certain quarters ; but I sincerely believe that those of my countrymen who have assumed a hostile attitude towards this scheme have their eyes more upon these defects than upon the real principles underlying this scheme. To some of these defects I reserve my right to speak later on when my hon'ble friend, Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, will move his resolution as I have accepted it. But before I do so, I think I ought not to pass over some of the criticisms which have been made both here as well as in England against the scheme without a passing notice. My lord, the Reform proposals have been subjected to flanking attacks from two sides, each of which is diametrically opposite to the other. In the first place, those who are firmly wedded to the fetish of traditional prestige and are labouring under long-standing prejudices, shudder at the very idea of a change and would have none of it. The sum and substance of their opposition seems to be that they are afraid that any change in the present constitution would mean the beginning of the end of their only interests in this country and lead to the utter collapse of the British enterprise in India. My lord, I do not blame those critics. Any people similarly circumstanced and enjoying similar privileges, immunities and advantages during the lifetime of four or five generations, would be naturally seized with such fears. But is there any reasonable or rational ground for such fears? These fears were seriously expressed by the British settlers in South Africa on the eve of the South African Union, but to-day there are perhaps no more staunch supporters of the British Empire outside Great Britain than Generals Smuts and Botha, and British capitalists perhaps are now as safe in Pretoria as in London.

I admit that there is not much of cordiality at present between the two communities ; in spite of the repeated efforts of Government to bring them together, there are still lurking jealousy and distrust between the two communities, but the thing is that it is only among fellow citizens and not among fellow subjects that there can be mutual trust and confidence and it is only mutual trust and confidence which go to dissipate prejudices, harmonise relations between the different communities and inspire their minds with respect and regard for mutual interests. Those critics imagine that it would be a mistake to introduce responsible government in India at the present stage. It seems to me that not exactly knowing their own minds and having no clear idea as to when and under what circumstances they might be disposed to recommend such a change in the constitution, they simply want to take comfortable shelter under an indefinite postponement. My lord, is there any ground for such fears on their part ? It is nearly 70 years to-day that Macaulay in his prophetic vision foresaw the present situation when he said that the minds and ideas of Indian people widened by western education will aspire to western institutions, but he would not be sorry for it, for he said if that day ever came he would regard it as the proudest day of England. My lord, the 'proudest day of England' has come ; unfortunately, however, there are those who, with their judgment crowded by selfish considerations or through timidity, cannot appreciate their own national greatness and are not able to rejoice in their own triumph. It is really a day of triumph of England in the East. My lord, I will not argue with the Noble Lord who, having eaten the salt of India and after either ruling or misruling an Indian province for five years, is now leading a crusade against her in England and who has engineered an organisation whose very name is a deception and fraud and which has now come forward as a desperate effort to avert the inevitable, with a grotesque suggestion for the establishment of a few model farms in a few selected districts in each province for the cultivation and demonstration of responsible government in India. My lord, it is more regrettable than surprising to find that Lord Curzon, at the top of these reactionaries, has come forward with a statement which

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has startled the Indian public. Speaking in the House of Commons His ex-Excellency is reported to have said that the Government has not yet committed itself to the Reform proposals. I really wonder if His Lordship really means what he says. Was not the declaration of 20th August an act of Government? And I ask in the name of my countrymen—was not the expensive misson of Mr. Montagu in pursuance of that declaration, an act of the Cabinet in England, and are we to understand that a report of a Secretary of State and a Viceroy is to be treated as a mere 'scrap of paper' without any binding force? My lord, the fortunes of war have happily changed entirely in favour of the Allies and Teutonic militarism with all the horrors of Teutonic vandalism has come down on its knees begging for peace. The complete victory is now in our hands. At such a moment—at such a happy moment—to suggest anything so mischievous is to lead the people of this country to suspect that the Government may go back upon its own pledges or promises, and to whittle down the Reform proposals would be, to say the least of it, very deplorable if not disastrous. It is to be hoped that the British public will strongly repudiate any such unworthy suggestion and strongly denounce such a change in the angle of vision. Above all, it is to be hoped that the British statesmanship will rise to the full height of the occasion and vindicate British justice and British faith which more than anything else, even more than the Grand Fleet, is the strongest bulwork of this vast Empire.

My lord, I have done. I will not take up much of Your Excellency's time. After centuries of dismal darkness in which the people lay in deathlike slumber and during which a civilization more ancient than that of Greece and Rome and even older than that of Babylon and Niniveh was swept away by successive convulsions and revolutions unparalleled in the history of nations, the light which in the early morning of this world travelled from the East to the West has come back from the West to the East and revealed to the astonished gaze of modern civilization tha. if there is one India above, there is another India not far beneath its surface; at the touch of that magic light the people have been rudely awakened to a sense of self-consciousness and during the last thirty years or more they have struggled hard, though struggled in vain, to recover their long-lost birthrights. After years of weary wandering in the desert the hour of deliverance has at last come and we are in view of the promised land. A calamitous war, the most terrible recorded in history in ancient or modern times, has proved a great blessing in disguise to the world; to us it has furnished an opportunity of not only conclusively proving our reasoned attachment to the British connection, but also our capacity to share the burdens of that connection as equal partners of this vast Empire. To the British public it has revealed the fact that if the liberties of the great nations of the world have to be maintained, those of the smaller and the less fortunate ones must also be respected. It has been truly observed by the greatest political philosopher of Great Britain that a great Empire and a little mind go ill together. Let England extend the right hand of fellowship to us, and we shall grasp it with all the fervour and warmth of an Indian heart, and the Indian heart is as warm as the Indian sun. Let her raise us from the position of British subjects to the proud position of British citizens and she may rest assured that India and England will ever remain indissolubly bound together by hooks of steel."

The Hon'ble RAJA HRISHIKESH LAHA said :—

"Your Excellency, the memorable announcement made by His Majesty's Government on the 20th August, 1917, has been taken as the basis of the impending reforms, and we have to see as to how far the reforms now proposed seek to give practical effect to the announcement which has been

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truly characterised as 'making the end of the epoch and the beginning of a new one.' The changes proposed and the modifications suggested in the present system of administration are intended, as I understand, to place India in a position to reach the final goal of responsible government within a measurable distance of time. It is for the first time in the annals of British Administration in India that the desire for self-determination on the part of the people has been recognised by the authorities as the natural outcome of the work of a hundred and fifty years of British rule, and the aim of the illustrious authors of the Report in formulating the scheme which is now before the country is obviously that 'of enabling Indians in so far as they attain responsibilities to determine for themselves what they want done and how they want it to be done,' and for this the people have every reason to be grateful to them. It is but meet that my countrymen should be extremely grateful to His Excellency the Viceroy and the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India for the genuine spirit of sympathy with the hopes and aspirations of the people which they have evinced in this momentous document.

So far as the present system of Government is concerned, three defects have been pointed out in the Report, viz., (1) that the present machinery no longer meets the needs of time, (2) that it works slowly, and (3) that it produces irritation. The people fully endorse this view and the reforms proposed will be acceptable to them in proportion as they seek to or succeed in removing those defects from the body politic.

We have no desire to make any detailed criticism of the scheme, and while we reserve to ourselves the right to take exception to such of the details as may call for amendment, we cannot shut our eyes to the fact that the scheme as a whole, expressing as it does the intention of the illustrious authors, is to open wide to the people of this country the gates of opportunity, and if the educated classes would only show their fitness by their integrity, energy and public spirit in the faithful discharge of their public duties, the clear conception of India's future as summed up in paragraph 349 as stated below stands to be realised within a measurable distance of time.

> Our conception of the eventual future of India is sisterhood of States, self-governing in all matters of purely local or provincial interest, in some cases corresponding to existing provinces, in others perhaps modified in area according to the character and economic interests of their people. Over this congeries of States would preside a central Government, increasingly representative of and responsible to the people of all of them; dealing with matters, both internal and external, of common interest to the whole of India; acting as arbiter in inter-state relations, and representing the interests of all India on equal terms with the self-governing units of the British Empire.

We must always keep the above ideal in view and if at the commencement we can pilot the ship through the shoals and narrows and reach port in safety our claims to higher powers and preferment would be indisputable.

There are two points to which a brief reference is made in the Report but which have been unfortunately left out undisposed of as having been outside the purview of the Report, viz.: (1) the Army, (2) Industries and Tariffs. Both these are of vital importance to India, if she has to occupy and retain her position in the world as a self-governing unit of the British Empire. The two most essential conditions of a self-governing country must be fulfilled, namely, that it should be able to defend itself and secondly, that it should be self-contained. To achieve these ends it is absolutely necessary that the future military and the industrial policy of the Government must be radically changed and definitely settled: as for the military policy of the Government it has long been a source of great disappointment to the people, and the whole country is grateful to His Majesty's Government for the

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announcement that 'the bar which has hitherto prevented the admission of Indians to command ranks in His Majesty's Army should be removed.' I would rather suggest that it should be expressly provided that no racial bars shall henceforth exist in regulations for appointment to the military service, and that in accordance with the statement of the authors 'it is not enough merely to assert a principle, we must act on it' and 'that a considerable number of commissions should be given,' a liberal percentage should be fixed to satisfy popular demand.

With regard to the second point, namely, the question of industries and tariffs, I need only say that the authors of the Report have truly voiced the opinion of the Indian public on the subject in paragraph 342. India demands fiscal autonomy as nothing short of that will enable India to stand upon its own legs. As stated in the Report 'India rightly wishes to find another substantial base than that of the source for Indian Revenue and it turns to a tariff to provide one.' Unless fiscal autonomy is granted to India and until the Government of India is allowed to pursue its own policy with the sole object of improving India's own industries and commerce, the resources of the Indian Government could never be sufficiently developed to cope with the fresh responsibilities which the new reform scheme will entail. The demand for fiscal autonomy on the part of India is genuine and in the very interest of the country it is essential. It is hoped that His Majesty's Government and the British Parliament will realise this, and under the new scheme of reforms the Government of India will be authorised to control their own fiscal policy.

I cannot do better than conclude my remarks in the words of His Excellency the Viceroy 'Diversity of opinion there must always be; diversity indeed is the very law of life. But there is a higher law still, the law of unity. and it is the task of the Council to reconcile the many divergent interests of India into one whole and to bring her ever nearer to the goal towards which we are all striving.' I hope His Excellency's anticipation will be verified and that by a spirit of sympathy and co-operation the different races will do their utmost to bring about the happy consummation of the scheme which is expected to bring contentment to the people of the country. We must record our general approval of this epoch-making measure. It immediately gives us much that we had hardly dreamt of before and promises us more in the not distant future. It marks a satisfactory advance upon the past policy and professions of our rulers, and holds up before our eyes a glorious vision of the future which will mark the fulfilment of England's mission in India than which a nobler one has never inspired the energies of man or deserved to win the blessings of the Most High."

The Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY said :—

"I rise to support the resolution before the House. I have no hesitation in declaring that the Reforms constitute a distinct advance upon existing conditions and mark a substantial step towards the progressive realisation of the goal of responsible government. But I cannot lend my whole-hearted support to the resolution without inviting Your Excellency's attention to the keen sense of disappointment. dissatisfaction and dismay with which the Reforms are received by Muslims of all shades of opinion. I cannot sit down without placing prominently before Your Excellency the principal modifications which the Muslims demand and without which the Reforms lose their significance for them.

The Muslim demands have been placed before Government in forcible terms by the All-India Muslim Association, and the Central National Muhammadan Association, and I need not repeat them here. All that I need say is to declare my full concurrence with the views expressed by these two

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important Muslim Associations. But I shall, with Your Excellency's permission, dwell on one of the main demands in order to show that the Muslims are not an unreasonable people. that they have no desire to retard the progress and arrest the growth of national sentiment in India, but that they have a just cause for alarm and discontent. That demand is the demand for the adequate representation of Muslims through communal electorates. Let me briefly recount the history of this demand. It was in October 1906 that the first sign of the awakening of Muslim political consciousness became distinctly visible. It was in that year that the memorable Muslim deputation headed by His Highness the Aga Khan waited upon His Excellency Lord Minto and obtained from him those words of assurance of the protection of Muslim political rights and interests as a community that are justly regarded by them as the Magna Charta of the political rights and liberties of minorities. The assurance given by Lord Minto was confirmed by Lord Morley in the House of Commons in the following words :—

'The Muhammadans demand three things. I had the pleasure of receiving a deputation from them and I know very well what is in their minds.

They demand the election of their own representatives to these Councils in all the stages just as in Cyprus, where, I think, the Muhammadans vote by themselves . . . . . Secondly, they want a number of seats in excess of their numerical strength. These two demands we are quite ready, and intend, to meet in full.'

Your Excellency is well aware that in spite of the assurance thus given in clear and unmistakable terms statements were made by persons in authority both in India and in England which 'created a suspicion in Muslim minds that these promises were liable to violation, that the Government in England were deliberately trying to find a way out of redeeming the express pledges they had given to various Muhammadan deputations which attended upon the Viceroy and the Secretary of State." However, the Minto-Morley Reforms came and our own Council is a standing testimony of the way in which pledges given to Muslims were redeemed. In a province which may well be described a Muhammadan province we are given only five seats through communal electorates and we are given the very remote and distant chance of returning as many Muslims as we can through mixed electorates. The result is that there are only six elected Muslim members in the Council to-day against seventeen Hindu and five European elected members. It is thus that the Muslim demands have been met in full by Lord Morley. Far from assuring us a number of seats in excess of our numerical strength he has allotted us a number of seats far below it. Yet the Muslims acquiesced in the arrangement and accepted the Morley-Minto Reforms without murmur.

The Muslim attitude continued acquiescent till the fateful 12th of December 1911—a day which is the starting-point of that strong current of Muslim dissatisfaction and discontent which culminated in the Congress-League *Concordat* of December 1916. The annulment of the Partition of Bengal came as a severe shock to the faith of the Muslims in the Government. Whether the revelation of the dangerous secret that the pledges of a Governor-General or a Secretary of State can be broken by his successor, whether this breach of faith has inspired others with greater trust and confidence in the words of Ministers and Viceroys, I do not care to ascertain. But this unsettling of a settled fact has undoubtedly shattered the implicit faith of Muslims in Government and has made them extremely suspicious of Government promises. Then came the world-wide war which has happily just terminated in the unqualified triumph of the principles for which England arrayed herself on the side of the Allies—the principles of justice and humanity, the defence of the rights of small and weak nations and the sanctity of pledges and promises. The participation of Turkey in the war followed

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and with it there has grown 'a feeling among Muslims that Government is less mindful of their interests than in the past.' In the appointment of only one Muslim out of three Indians in the Secretary of State's Council, the absence of a Muslim representative from the War Cabinets and the Peace Conference although the future of the sacred places of Islam—Mecca, Medina, Baghdad, Kerbela and Jerusalem—is involved, the absence of a Muslim in the India Council to-day in the place of Sahibzada Aftab Ahmad—these, amongst others, are regarded as indications of Government's change of attitude towards Muslim.

The Indian Muslim Association in its address to the Secretary of State and His Excellency the Viceroy expressed itself as follows :—

In conclusion, we venture to express the hope that you will redeem in full the promise Lord Morley had given us and recognise the just claims of our community. We do not rest our claims on any concession or favour granted by the Great Moguls to the East India Company. We do not base our demands on any *Sanad* or *Firman* of Shah Jahan, Alamgir or Shah Alam—faded and forgotten parchments, grown musty with the march of time. But we do base and rest our claims and demands on the assurances given and accorded to us by responsible ministers of the Crown and representatives of His Majesty the King-Emperor whose utterances are fresh in the memory of living men. In considering our claims, we beg of you to remember that they rest not only on the numerical strength of the followers of Islam, great as it is in India, and greater still in the British Empire ; not only on their historic and political importance, great as it is in this country, and greater still in the history of three different continents, but also on our profound, continued and proved loyalty to the person and throne of the King-Emperor, a loyalty which has stood the severest of tests on many occasion in peace and war.

But to their great disappointment the Muslims find their loyalty strangely rewarded. They find a homily preached to them on the evils of communal representation : 'It is against the teachings of history.' The history of what nation, what country, one naturally asks? With due respects to the authors of the Report, I submit that their conclusions are due to a misreading of the teachings of history. If one goes to history for assistance one stands upon dangerous grounds. In the history of what nation, and of what country, have we got an example of the system of Government which is offered under the reforms scheme? We cannot find a historic precedent and example anywhere. The only reasonable reply to a demand for historic example would be that the conditions and circumstances of India are unique and unprecedented. It is on these unique and unprecedented conditions and circumstances peculiar to India that the Muslims base their claims for communal representation. 'It perpetuates class divisions.' This proposition provokes the smile of every student of Indian history. Class and caste divisions stereotyped in the adamantine mould of immemorial custom going back to the days of Asoka and Vikramaditya and beyond, do not, for their perpetuation, stand in need of a council election every three or five years, which touches only the barest fringe of the vast population of India. Finally the authors of the report take away with the left hand what they grudgingly give with the right. They plainly indicate that the communal representation granted to Muslims is temporary and liable to be withdrawn. Paragraph 262, line 8 of the Report reads as follows :—

'Lastly the Commission should consider the working of the franchise and the constitution of electorates, including the important matter of the retention of communal representation.'

Now, I ask the House, have not the Muslims just cause for alarm and discontent? My lord, I cannot do better than to conclude by quoting the words of the Raja of Mahmudabad which voice the feeling of the Muslims as truly to-day as they did in 1909 when quoted by Your Excellency in the House of Commons :—

'..... I can safely state that the general state of feeling amongst the Muhamadans at the present moment in regard to the question of their rights

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and privileges under the Reform Scheme. but specially in regard to the matter of a separate electorate, is one of utter confusion They fear, however. that a great wrong is about to be inflicted upon them ; that they are to be treated with an injustice wholly undeserved by them and undreamed of, and they are deeply disappointed. They are not politicians, they do not understand the language of diplomacy, they are a patient. loyal, God-fearing people, who have trusted in solemn pledge given to them by their rulers and who ask for a sign that that pledge is about to be fulfilled.'

My lord, on behalf of the Muslim community I urge that the Muslim demands be satisfied to the fullest extent possible, and that assurance be given to them in clear and unmistakable terms that this will be done. Otherwise I am afraid. with a sullen and discontented Muslim population the vast and bold experiment of responsible Government upon which we are about to embark is doomed to failure. I yield to none in my desire to see the dawn of responsible Government in India. But I know and realise that the path to responsible Government is long and weary and full of dangers and pitfalls. The Reforms, undoubtedly, mark a substantial step towards the goal of responsible Government. but it is long, long way to Delhi هنوز دلي دور است and one is liable to go astray. Let us not deviate from the path of right and justice, lest the words of the Persian poet come true :—

ترسم نرسي بكعبه اي اعرابي كين ره كه تو ميروي به ترکستان است

'I am afraid thou shalt never reach the Mecca of thy destination, O Bedouin, for the way thou wendest leads, not to Mecca but to Turkestan.'"

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My lord, I rise to explain the language of the resolution which stands in my name on this subject. I have stated in clear and unmistakeable language in submitting my opinion to Government that the proposals are a decided and distinctive improvement upon the existing machinery of Government, and we are grateful to the illustrious authors of this scheme. It has been suggested in several quarters that some modifications are necessary. They are necessary no doubt, but at the same time it is to be made clear to the Government that while we accept the proposals we suggest modifications only expressing a hope that there may not be any difficulty in the smooth working of the proposals and it may facilitate the early realisation of responsible government in the near future. It is better no doubt that there should be two resolutions on the subject. and I am grateful to Your Excellency in ruling that there should be one resolution for this and another in which we should suggest the modifications which we think will be necessary as I have just now stated. Doubts are expressed in some quarters that the scheme will not work well, and as stated by the previous speaker, the Moslems are not satisfied with the proposals and they apprehend that their rights and privileges will not be protected. It is to be borne in mind that this is an experimental measure and we must proceed cautiously. The announcement in the House of Commons was that this should be a progressive step towards responsible government in India and in that view the proposals have been submitted ; so that we may gradually demonstrate our ability to manage affairs and that we may gradually succeed in obtaining the privileges which will now be reserved. I do not for a moment think that there will be any deviation and that the Government will not adhere to the principles enunciated in the Report, and I fully believe that they will be worked out in a sympathetic

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spirit to make the experiment a success. When I submitted my resolutions, there were two things uppermost in my mind; one was the reports of the two Committees which have been constituted and upon which much of the success depends, are not known; and the other was: there may be long delay as has been expressed in paragraph 289, in the latter part of which it has been stated that full responsible government will be granted to the Provincial Government first and then a beginning will be made in the Government of India; that is not the question, but there is a natural desire and the natural aspiration of our countrymen that we should be placed on an equal footing with the other Dominions. We are proud of the achievements of India in the battlefield of Mesopotamia and their material contribution in other fields of war at a very great sacrifice, and it is but natural after the demonstration of the loyalty by the people and their participation with full responsibility in the defence of the Empire, we should be granted an equal position which every self-respecting man wishes to enjoy and in that hope we express a hope that there may not be delay, and therefore we suggested modifications. It is not in the spirit that unless these modifications are made we are not prepared to accept anything; we say clearly that it is a distinct advance; but at the same time we say that some further modifications are necessary and we express a hope that the working out of the scheme by the Sub-Committees will be made in the sympathetic spirit in which the proposals have been conceived. It is in that view that while drafting this resolution, I expressed a hope after stating that it is a real advance, that this might be done. The language may be misunderstood in some quarters, and therefore I rise to clear my meaning. In fact, I fully agree with the previous speakers, but I disagree with the speaker who has just spoken before me, that it will not be carried out in the spirit in which it has been conceived, but I hope that our suggestions about the modifications will be received in the spirit in which they are offered."

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ, said:—

"My Lord, although I heartily support that portion of the resolution which seeks to record the grateful thanks of this Council to the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State and His Excellency the Viceroy for the very genuine and earnest endeavours they have made towards liberalizing India's political institutions, I regret, I cannot subscribe to the terms of the resolution in the form in which it now stands before the Council. I agree generally with the remarks that have been made by the Hon'ble Dr. Suhrawardy regarding the Moslems' position in the proposed scheme of reforms, but I go a little further and say that although there has been a genuine effort and the sincerest appreciation of India's political aspirations, there have been reasons why the illustrious authors have not been able to succeed in propounding a scheme not only free from objections, but also free from very serious defects. My Lord, we have got to test the proposals that have been made in the light of the announcement of the 20th of August. We are all agreed that this announcement is one of the most momentous ever made in the history of India's political institutions; inasmuch as it embodies a solemn pledge that responsible government is the final goal of British rule in India. I think that if we are to accept this announcement as the fundamental basis of a scheme of reforms, we cannot go beyond the terms of the announcement itself. Looking to the terms of the announcement, we find that there is also a declaration that substantial steps towards the grant of responsible government should be taken as soon as possible, and it is in pursuance of that declaration that the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India and His

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Excellency the Viceroy have promulgated the present scheme of reforms. If therefore, the present scheme of reforms in the form in which they now stand do really constitute a substantial step towards responsible government I submit there is no reason why a substantial modification should be proposed, because on our own showing they fulfil the very terms of the announcement. In my opinion, once we take up that position, we stultify our own criticisms and from this point of view I beg to submit that the phrase which originally stood in the resolution which was going to be proposed by the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar, as regards the limitation to the scheme, should be clearly emphasized. In other words, the phrase that "although the proposals may be defective and imperfect in certain particulars" should be inserted in the resolution. My Lord, so far as the reform schemes are concerned, they have got to be taken with reference to the limitations which the distinguished authors themselves had not failed to recognise. There is the question of the communal representation. There are questions as regards limitations that have got to be placed even when some sort of responsible government is introduced, and I fully endorse the remarks of the Hon'ble Dr. Suhrawardy, that in many instances the distinguished authors have unfortunately and unconsciously it taken away with one hand what they have given with the other. After what has fallen from the Hon'ble Dr. Suhrawardy, I do not think that this Council can endorse the resolution in its present form, without some sort of limitation like the one which was suggested in the original motion of the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar. Without taking up the time of the Council, and without going into details, because occasion for a detailed discussion will come when individual resolutions are discussed, I propose that the words even though they may be imperfect or defected in certain respects, be added as was pointed out by Your Excellency. If this is done, I shall give my wholehearted support to the resolution. If this is not done, I shall deem it my painful duty to oppose the resolution. I do not know how my friends can say that the scheme in its present shape is a genuine and distinct advance towards the realisation of responsible government when it requires 240 resolutions in one provincial Council alone to set matters right. With these few words I beg formally to press that these words may be added to the original motion."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"Does any Hon'ble Member second the amendment?"

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"My Lord, I beg to second the motion moved by my hon'ble friend to my left, and I do not think it requires many words from me to recommend it to the Council. I agree in his statement that the very fact that we want so many modifications in the reform proposals show that it is neither perfect nor free from defects, and therefore I think the Council will accept the motion as has been moved by my hon'ble friend.

The PRESIDENT said :—

"To the original motion the following amendment has been moved :—

That the words 'even though they may be imperfect or defective in certain respects,' be added at the end of the resolution."

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A division was taken with the following result :—

Ayes—13.

The Hon'ble Sir Nilratan Sarkar, KT.
" " Mr. J. Mackenzie, O.B.E.
" " " W. H. H. Ardenwood, C.I.E.
" " " Aminur Rahman.
" " " Arun Chandra Singha.
" " Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy.
" " Mr. M. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri.
" " Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.
" " Khan Sahib Aman Ali.
" " Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray.
" " Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra, Bahadur.
" " Babu Surendra Nath Ray.
" " Maulvi Abul Kasem.

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The Hon'ble Sir Rajendra Nath Mookerjee K.C.I.E.
" " Raja Hrishikesh Laha, C.I.E.
" " Mr. J. W. Hely-Hutchinson.
" " Mr. Provash Chunder Mitter.
" " Babu Siv Narayan Mukherji.
" " Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray.
" " Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, KT. C.I.E.
" " Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur.
" " Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur.
" " Mr. F. W. Carter, C.I.E., C.B.E.
" " Mr. W. E. Crum, O.B.E.
" " " E. B. Eden.
" " " G. A Bayley.
" " " H. R A. Irwin, C.I.E.
" " " Altaf Ali
" " Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, C.I.E.
" " Mr. K. B, Dutt.
" " Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri.
" " " Ambika Charan Mazumdar.

The following members were absent :—

The Hon'ble the Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad.
" " Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri.
" " Rai Sri Nath Ray Bahadur.
" " Babu Akhil Chandra Datta.

The *ayes* being 13 and the *noes* 19, the motion was accordingly lost.

The resolution was then put in the following modified form and agreed to :—

"This Council is of opinion that the Constitutional Reform proposals laid before this country and the Parliament in England, by His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State for India, are a genuine effort and a definite advance towards the progressive realization of responsible government in India, and also desires to record and offer its grateful thanks to His Excellency the Viceroy and the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India for their Reform proposals."

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The following resolutions were held to be covered by the debate on the previous resolution as amended and were deemed to be withdrawn :—

By the Hon'ble Raja Hrishikesh Laha :—

This Council records its sense of gratitude to His Excellency the Viceroy and the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for the Reform proposals formulated in their joint report, which are in accord with the memorable pronouncement made on behalf of His Majesty's Government in the House of Commons on the 20th of August, 1917, and are calculated to lead, by gradual stages, to the attainment of responsible Government.

By the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar :—

This Council is of opinion that the Reform proposals formulated by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State and His Excellency the Viceroy, even though they may be imperfect or defective in certain respects, do constitute

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a distinct step in advance towards progressive realisation of Responsible Government in India; and it is further of opinion that the Government should adhere to the policy and principle of Responsible Government which have dictated those proposals and give effect to them, with such modifications and improvements as have been urged by the majority of the Indian public. in fulfilment of the memorable declaration of the 20th August, 1917.

By the Hon'ble Babu Mahendra Nath Ray :—

This Council is of opinion that the recommendations made by the Viceroy and the Secretary of State in the Report on Indian Constitutional Reforms constitute a substantial first step towards the progressive realization of Responsible Government in India.

By the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur :—

This Council tenders its grateful acknowledgments to His Excellency the Viceroy and the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India for their earnest endeavour to devise a scheme of Constitutional Reforms, such as, in their opinion, would fulfil the terms of the announcement of the 20th August, 1917, and for the deep and sincere sympathy with Indian political aspirations, and the large-hearted statesmanship which they have manifested throughout their report.

By Hon'ble Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri :—

This Council is of opinion that—

(*a*) the Report on Indian Constitutional Reforms is a genuine effort for improving the existing Government machinery; and

(*b*) that the scheme, if worked out in a sympathetic spirit with modifications to make it effective and to meet the natural aspirations of the country, will prove a real step towards the realization of responsible Government in India.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, by leave of the President, moved the following resolution, in place of the original resolution* which stood in his name :—

This Council desires, while welcoming the proposals generally, subject to such modifications as have been urged by the majority of the Indian public, to record its acceptance of the policy of the gradual realization of responsible Government.

He said :—

"My Lord, at the outset I desire to say one or two words with reference to what has fallen from my hon'ble friend Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq. I believe that I echo the voice of the entire Indian community when I say that we all desire some modification of the scheme as published, but even if there is no modification of the scheme we are not prepared to throw it away. In such a case will the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq say 'No, we discard the scheme altogether' : that is my question to him. What we want to say to the British people and the British Cabinet is that we welcome the scheme thankfully and whole-heartedly but that we should like to have some modifications

* The original resolution ran as follows :—

This Council welcomes the proposals generally, subject to such modifications as may appear feasible, and accepts the policy of the gradual realization of responsible Government.

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of the original scheme, but even if that is not granted we are prepared to accept it and that we will continue to urge modifications till they are granted and they are bound to come under the ægis of British rule. That is the position we have taken up.

The Report of His Excellency the Viceroy and the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State is one of the most thoroughly sincere documents ever placed before the Indian public. It deserves to be read, and re-read, and the more we read it, the more are we struck with the enlightened and generous statesmanship with which every line is instinct. The Report is not simply a blind plea for self-government for India. It contains a review of the past policy of the Government, takes stock of the present situation, of the present limitations and future possibilities. Even a national Government could not have written more frankly about India's political destiny and place in the Empire. I do not claim that the work of Government will in the first instance be done better than if it remained in the sole hands of Government officers. The present Constitutional Reforms have been put forward not for the improvement of administrative efficiency, but with a view to furnish an instrument of political and popular education, and to lead us on in course of time to the realisation of full responsible gov rnment. The policy hitherto has been to keep the people in perpetual leading strings, and to treat them as if they have no national rights as a political entity. It was left to His Excellency Lord Chelmsford and Mr. Montagu to inaugurate the new era of genuine self-government. To critics who point to the possibility of failures, I would reply in the words of Lord Ripon's resolution on local self-government as follows :—

'At starting, there will doubtless be many failures, calculated to discourage exaggerated hopes, and even in some cases to cast apparent discredit upon the practice of self-government itself. If, however, the officers of Government only set themselves to foster sedulously independent political life, if they accept loyally and as their own, the policy enunciated ; and if they come to realise that the system really opens to them a fairer field for the exercise of administrative tact and directive energy than the autocratic system it is proposed to supersede, then it may be hoped that the period of failures will be short, and that real and substantial progress will very soon become manifest. If it be said that in some cases the experiments in this direction have not been encouraging, there is reason to fear that previous attempts have been too often overridden and practically crushed by direct though well meant, official interference.'

After all, My Lord, democratic institutions are not altogether exotic in India. It has been said that the East is the parent of municipalities. From the early days of society, the people of this country have been acquainted with forms of local self-government. The village institutions which still survive in many parts of the country are living monuments of the national capacity in this respect. It is true as was observed by Lord Ripon that the people of India are remarkably tolerant of existing facts. The people of no other country are so mild, so patient, so uncomplaining as the people of India. Even the wildest caprice, the most arbitrary conduct and the bitterest antipathy are passed over by them with the coolness of a philosopher or an ascetic. The people of India, however treated, are loyal to the backbone to the powers that be. But the time has arrived when the educated classes of India ought to be allowed a better scope to their advanced thoughts and aspirations. It is England which has educated them, and it is therefore befitting that it should accord to them the rights of educated intelligence. By recognising such rights England will fulfil her mission in the East and Lord Chelmsford and Mr. Montagu are truly representing her in the fulfilment of that mission.

We are frequently reminded that the educated classes are only a handful, and that the vast mass of the population are illiterates. Critics who advance this argument conveniently forget history. I ask how far was England

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educated when the Reform Bill of 1832 was passed ; how far was she educated at the time of the passing of the Act of 1867. Only since 1867 which gave household suffrage, has England possessed a system of free and compulsory education. Then again how far was Japan educated when the Samurai renounced power and popular Government was introduced. Our masses may be illiterate, but they cannot be called ignorant. The educated classes are a minority everywhere, but they are not quite so small as the handful of Europeans in whose hands are centered all authority and power. The masses, will I have no doubt, gradually understand and appreciate their new role. It would be contradicting human nature to say that man, intelligent man, will not prefer freedom to fetters in the administration of national affairs. Those who are now in leading strings will be the first to appreciate their freedom when they will see that they are no longer the slaves of the official *huzur*, that as he is a tax-payer, he has the right to say how the tax paid by him is to be disposed of and that the district officer shall not be the perpetual keeper of his conscience. If once this feeling gets root in the popular mind, the people of India will become a new race of men altogether.

My Lord, it was Lord Cornwallis who reduced the chaos of British Indian administration to order by enacting the regulations. It was Lord William Bentinck who first recognised the right of the people of India to serve their country and sovereign in the higher offices of the State and this gave them a share in the practical administration of their fatherland. It was Lord Canning who established a mixed Legislative Council in which non-official members however few in number, were declared to be at liberty to discuss measures of State with the rulers of the land on an equal footing. It was Lord Ripon who accorded to the people of India the Magna Charta of local self-government. Although the Legislative Councils were expanded in the time of Lord Lansdowne it was not until about 16 years later that they were given a certain amount of representative character It was Lord Minto and the illustrious Lord Morley who gave practical and tangible proof of the theory which had too often been overlooked in practice that colour was no bar to the highest offices of the Crown by admitting a coloured man to a share in the executive Government of India. It was Lord Hardinge and Mr. Austen Chamberlian who secured the admission of Indians to the innermost councils of the British Empire. It has now been the proud privilege of His Excellency Lord Chelmsford and the Secretary of State, Mr. Edwin Montagu, to put a coping stone to the edifice by granting to us the first substantial instalment of self-government and to help us to realise by successive stages our political destinies as an integral part of the British Empire. Their names will for ever remain enshrined in our hearts. May they stay long to carry the schemes through and to nurse into a vigorous growth the magnificent experiment connected with our national advancement.

In a large scheme of political reconstruction, acute differences of opinion are inevitable. A section of my countrymen want responsible government all at once, some want larger subjects, while some are content with only a modicum of changes. I do not propose to enumerate all the differences of opinion that divide Indian public men into opposite camps. Suffice it to say that the country as a whole welcomes the measures generally, but legitimately expects some modifications in certain directions. For instance we want that the salary and status of Ministers should be the same as those of members of Executive Councils and that Ministers should be liable to removal on an adverse vote of a substantial majority of the Legislative Council. We want that the list of transferred subjects should embrace a wide field and include all departments which afford the greatest scope for local knowledge and initiative. We want that there should be greater representation of the elected element on the Grand Committees and that resolutions of

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the Council on transferred subjects should be binding. Some of us want that the constitution of the Government of India should be modified on the lines of the Provincial Constitutions. A large section of my countrymen consider that additional members of the Executive Government without portfolios are not necessary, that the proposed Council of State is not required and that there is very little use of a Privy Council for India. There are some of the principal items in regard to which Indian opinion demands a change.

In the discussions of the scheme, much is said about the Home Rule party being opposed to the scheme but on a critical examination it does not seem that there is much difference in the ideals of the Home Rule party and the non-Home Rule party. My Lord, in my view every Indian is and ought to be a Home Ruler. I am myself a Home Ruler, but Home Rulers may agree to differ among themselves as to the measure of our advance to reach the desired goal of full responsible government. I am proud to say that I am a keen aspirant after the political advancement of my country, but I sincerely believe that it is, in our own interests, necessary that we should advance by successive stages, that we should be educated, trained and drilled in the art of government at each stage, so that we may march onward with firm and unfaltering steps to the promised land. This is the difference, My Lord, between me a Home Ruler and my brother Home Rulers. But unfortunately the very words Home Rule stink in the nostrils of some people. A Home Ruler is shunned as a most dangerous, seditious and disloyal element. Time will arrive when this aversion will pass away and the Home Ruler, working with a devotion, energy and patriotism will be recognised as an indispensable factor in gathering up his distracted fellow-countrymen together into one fold of a happy, contented and prosperous self-governing nation under the ægis of England. I feel justified in hoping for such a consummation when I remember how the very name of the Congress was anathema, and how the bare sight of a *swadeshi* rivetted the attention of the C. I. D. Happily a marvellous change of attitude has come over. I hope for a similar change in the attitude of Anglo-Indians towards my educated countrymen, who have the interest of the country at heart, and whatever their differences with individual rulers or the bureaucracy, recognise the value and the necessity of the British connection and long to remain as an integral part of the British Empire.

My Lord, Sir John Hewett said the other day that India is a caste-ridden country and that, under the Reform Scheme, Brahmins will have everything in their own way. I do not know whether the statement refers to Bengal. I cannot speak of any other province, but so far as Bengal is concerned, I may say, that a more untrue statement has never been made. My Lord, I am connected with the political affairs of this country for two generations Pardon me for my egotism when I say that I bear a name which led the public opinion of Bengal for over a quarter of a century. The bearer of that name was not only the people's representative and the trusted interpreter between the rulers and the ruled and *vice versâ* but also the representative of the territorial aristocracy of the land and he was neither a Brahman nor a Kayastha but belonged to a humble trading caste. Another name which occurs to me, was the name of the late Dr. Mahendra Lal Sarkar, C.I.E. Your lordship is comparatively new to this country; otherwise you would have known that this great man, belonging to the agricultural class, was considered one of the leaders of thought in Bengal. He was one of our foremost public men and the Bengali public never grudged him his leadership. Then there was the Revd. Kali Charan Banerji—a convert who had renounced his caste and community—who led the public opinion of Bengal for very many years, and would have occupied the chair of the Indian National Congress had he not been cut off prematurely from among our midst. There was also the Revd. Dr. K. M. Banerji. He was persecuted when he first turned a Christian, but when the people

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found out the sterling qualities that were in him they chose him to be one of their leaders and he became the President of the Indian Association a public body consisting mainly of middle class and poorer middle class men. I need not multiply instances. These examples will show that so far as the Presidency over which Your Excellency presides is concerned there is no distinction between a Brahmin and a non-Brahmin in public life, and for Sir John Hewett's statement I see no justification in Bengal. Then it has been said with reference to the Indianisation of the public services that Europeans would not submit to medical treatment at the hands of Indian doctors. My Lord, in this connection I am reminded of the late Surgeon-Major Chandra, Dr. Goodeve Chakravarti and others, and how their services used to be in great demand by the European community. I don't know how Sir John Hewett in order to damn the Reform Scheme could make such a statement in the face of these facts. Let it go forth from this Council Chamber and I hope it would reach his ears, that I challenge him to contradict the statement that I make now. It has also been said that the scheme if given effect to would diminish the power and authority of the Civil Service. My Lord, are we to understand that we will always remain hewers of wood and drawers of water for the sake of seven or eight hundred members of the Indian Civil Service. My Lord, pride of race is a noble feeling—it is the mother of great deeds, but when it degenerates into a mere race antipathy it creates mischief. I know there are several members of the Indian Civil Service who can rise to the height of the occasion and can sympathise with our aspirations. I am sure the Indian Civil Service recruited as it is, from that great nation which has held aloft the standard of freedom for centuries, will adapt themselves to the altered circumstances of the time and will not grudge giving up some of the powers, which it has exercised for over a century and a half, to the Indian people who are devoted subjects of the British Crown.

In conclusion, my Lord. I welcome the scheme. I welcome it not because I hold that the bureaucracy cannot serve India any more, but because I believe that the time has come when Indians can, and should be allowed to, govern themselves under the fostering care and guidance of England. The bureaucracy has done splendid work in the past which I gratefully acknowledge, but the bureaucratic system has, as was observed by one of our public men, acted as a dead-weight on the soul of India, and cannot be prolonged without doing irreparable injury to the cause of our national development. It has been said that we lack experience, administrative capacity and the powers of initiative. But, my Lord, if we are ever to remain in our present position as irresponsible critics we will never learn to rely on our own initiative. The scheme furnishes a training ground for Indians in the art of self-government under adequate safeguards. We will learn by experience, and we will emerge stronger and wiser through our mistakes and failures and ere long develop a capacity for larger powers of responsibility in the administration of our own country."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

My lord, the first portion of the resolution which stood against my name, I have given to my hon'ble friend Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur and the second part to the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur. In connection with the second portion of my resolution which is covered by the resolution just moved before Your Excellency I wished to refer to certain defects of the scheme which have given rise to sharp criticisms among certain sections of my countrymen. To a very few of these vital defects I wish to refer very briefly. My lord, the minister with the transferred subjects included in his portfolio is the most important feature of the whole scheme.

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In fact to my mind it clearly foreshadows the future cabinet form of Government in India Unfortunately, however, it is proposed to make this minister entirely irresponsible to the Legislative Council during the tenure of his office. It is certainly not open to any reasonable objection that the minister will be appointed by the Governor ; for even under the British Constitution the Premier has to be chosen by the Crown, but once he assumes office he at once becomes responsible to Parliament. That, my lord, constitutes the essence of responsible government enjoyed by Great Britain. Of course the illustrious authors of this scheme appear to be fully conscious of this defect and it is therefore proposed to put the responsibility of this irresponsible minister to its test at each general election. In the first place, such an indirect test of responsibility is perhaps not recognised in the constitution of any country which enjoys self-government. In the second place, such a limited and shadowy responsibility over the head of the elected representatives of the people would, it seems to me, defeat the avowed objects of the scheme, would eliminate the very substance of responsible government, would weaken representation and would reduce the Legislative Council to the position of a mere deliberative body without any touch with the real administration, and the worst of all is, my Lord, that such a system will leave the elected representatives of the people exactly in the same position which they now occupy, namely, that of irresponsible critics of the Government without the sense of responsible partnership in the Government, with this difference perhaps that the target of their criticisms will henceforth be shifted from the members of Your Excellency's Executive Government to this newly created minister of your Government.

My Lord, the minister ought to be somewhat responsible to the Legislative Council. As an additional safeguard it may be provided that he shall not be liable to resign his office except by a very substantial majority of votes, say of two-thirds of the members and as a further safeguard it may be provided that he shall not be liable to resign his office except in certain important matters to be determined by the Governor or the President of the Council.

My lord, these safeguards ought to satisfy the most cautious Government. Without some such responsibility the minister, I am afraid, will only add one more irresponsible Indian official in the higher administration of the country. I therefore cannot too strongly urge the necessity of making the minister to some extent responsible to the Legislative Council.

My lord, it is justly proposed to make the electorates as large and as wide as possible and in a country like this where the electorates must be varied and many it would not be at all difficult even for the most unpopular minister, with his official prestige and support at his back, to get himself returned through one of these electorates. Last of all Your Excellency will consider that the hydra-headed mass in no country are ever so much guided by judgment but are led by various extraneous influences, and it would be too much to expect them to form a correct estimate of the work done by the minister after a lapse of five years. Under all these conditions and circumstances I earnestly hope that the great Reform may not be reduced to a disappointing minimum by making the minister entirely irresponsible to the Council.

My lord, as regards the Grand Committee I have been unable to satisfy myself as to the necessity for its introduction. It seems to me that it is going to be a grand nonentity. It will have no vote and it will simply encumber the machinery of the Government. If a difference arises in respect to any matter or Bill or motion referring to a reserved subject, the matter could be referred to the Supreme Government for their decision which should be final. My lord, I am one of those who are in favour of having a division between the reserved and transferred subjects at the very outset. You have

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'Law and Justice' as reserved subjects and I submit that the reservation should be preceded by a complete separation of the Judicial and the Executive functions. The scheme stands emphatically for good Government and I do not know what other measure can be given effect to for the purpose of good government more effectually than this separation. The matter has been before the Council for the last 30 years, and it is a matter of great regret to me that in the report which is now before us the matter has been altogether lost sight of both by the Secretary of State and the Viceroy. There is no mention of it in the scheme.

I find that there is another subject mentioned in the reserved list which is 'Appointment.' If I understand that all the appointments are meant to be reserved, then I submit that a serious injustice will be done to the minister. As regards appointments connected with the departments proposed to be transferred to him, I think he should have a potential voice, otherwise he will only be a more figurehead and his position will be an extremely awkward one.

The next point to which I would draw your attention is the Public Services. It is gratifying to find that it is proposed to increase the percentage of persons in the Public Services recruited in this country, but the report is silent as to the method of their recruitment. I hope and trust it will be by open competitive examination. Unless this is done then the ever-increasing percentage of recruitment in India will be a fruitful source of ever-increasing demoralisation in the public services.

My lord, these are some of the defects to which I draw the attention of the Hon'ble Members though there are other defects too. I believe however that they will be fully considered by the Committee which it is proposed to appoint in this House. However, I need not take the time of the Council any further. I hope and trust that this great experiment which is going to be made will prove success and I also trust that Government will not support any scheme which stands the risk of failure. My lord, I again repeat that it is apprehended that if we make the minister to some extent responsible to the Council the position would be very intolerable. But I do not think that there is any reasonable ground for any such apprehension. A House consisting of not less than 100 members cannot be so perverse as to oppose Government for the mere fun of opposition only. I appeal to Your Excellency to consider for a moment how often have we not in this very House in our present irresponsible position stood divided amongst ourselves, how many motions, resolutions and amendments have we not lost during the last 3 years and did we lose them all because of the loud cry of noes which invariably rises in an unbroken chorus from your right or because some of the left have gone over to the right to divide them? My lord, responsiblity is the strongest safeguard against lightheartedness and Co-partnership—a sovereign remedy for all political distemper. If you make the minister responsible the responsibility will be shared by all the members of the House and I daresay they will never show any vagary or lightheartedness merely for the sake of showing them. At the same time if no responsibility is attached the minister he will stand isolated, and he will be regarded in the same light as the Hon'ble Members of the Executive Council are regarded now. There will be no danger in making him responsible but there are positive dangers in making him irresponsible. With these few words I support the resolution."

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ said :—

"My lord, I did not intend to take any further part in the business of this Council to-day but I just want to say a word or two with reference to what has fallen from the Hon'ble Mover. I suppose I am expected to explain

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my position. But before I do that I would like the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur to tell me whether he is going to approve my speech before it is delivered. I do not know what the total number of elected members will be, I do not know what number of seats are going to be given to my community, and before I know all these, before I know that our interests are properly safeguarded, it is impossible to say whether I accept the Reform or not. That is my position. If then he insists on knowing whether I approve of the scheme in its present shape, without the slightest change or modification, I will say 'No'. So far therefore as his question to me is concerned, I answer it with a most unqualified and emphatic negative."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My lord, I have listened to the observations of my hon'ble friend Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq. The resolution which has been moved by my predecessor the Hon'ble Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur and the one moved by me are quite two distinct things as I have already explained. I want to ask the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq again—though I am sorry he will not have any chance of replying—whether he is prepared to accept the policy laid down in the report by the distinguished authors for the progressive realisation of self-government, whether the items to which we have referred are not acceptable to him and whether if he does not get all of them or some of them, having regard to our present position here, he will be quite content with the continuation of the existing situation. Of course I do not say that there are not defects in the scheme or that it cannot be improved, but I challenge my hon'ble friend to deny that definite steps are clearly laid down in the scheme—steps which if clearly followed will lead us to the goal of self-government. I do not know whether he will deny this fact but if he does, I could only attribute it to prejudice.

The Resolution was then put and agreed to.

The Council was then adjourned for lunch till 2-30 P.M.

AFTER LUNCH.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 9.

The Hon'ble Mr. F. W. Carter moved the following resolution :—

"This Council is of opinion while accepting the ideal of eventual self-government for India, that the present time is not opportune for making changes in the administration of the country."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE said :—

"My lord, after the acceptance by this House of some of the resolutions this morning, I do not know how the present resolution of the Hon'ble Mr. Carter can be considered by this House."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"The motion of the Hon'ble Member is in order. It does not negative the decision which has already been come to by the Council in respect of the other resolutions. The Hon'ble Mr. Carter in his motion proposes to accept the ideal of self-government for India, but he wishes to record an opinion as to the time at which these steps should be taken ; that does not negative anything which has already been decided by the Council."

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The Hon'ble MR. F. W. CARTER said :—

"My lord, my resolution was framed before the successful completion of the war and the position has therefore changed to a certain extent ; that being so with Your Excellency's permission I will withdraw the resolution as it stands, but I should like to say a few words on the question of the time at which these reforms should be brought forward. Although the war is over and does not now fully occupy the attention of the Government of Great Britain, I still think the time is inopportune as the Government of Great Britain will now be entirely occupied with the terms of peace. The war we will all admit has been without precedent and the peace which ends it will be of a character wholly unique. I speak not merely of the infinite number of questions, territorial and otherwise, which will have to be settled with : I have in mind chiefly the fact that this is to be what no other peace has been, a final peace, a permanent settlement of world-wide disputes, a complete chaining up of the forces which drive nations into war. It looks therefore as if the Montagu-Chelmsford Scheme *conceived* amidst the distractions of such a war as the world has never known, is to be *born* amidst the distractions of a peace equally beyond the experience of mankind.

In such circumstances *no* Cabinet can judge it rightly, *no* Cabinet can secure from Parliament a well-considered verdict on the scheme. I content that the reforms cannot be rightly judged now by the *Government* of Great Britain. Moreover, the unseemly haste which is being displayed in appointing the Committees to consider the details under the Reforms does not allow of full consideration being given to such momentous changes in the Government of this country.

I also consider the scheme inopportune because it was not produced in response to any general demand by the peoples of India. It is practically admitted in the report that the proportion of *politically* minded Indians to the total population does not exceed 5 per cent. Moreover, the authors of the report clearly admit that the changes they are introducing are not in response to *even* a minority demand but are due simply to 'the faith that is in us.' It is *this* faith, the report tells us, and *not* any demand, which constrains them to disturb what they describe as 'the placid pathetic contentment of the masses.'

Now, had there been a general and insistent demand for some such scheme as Mr. Montagu and His Excellency Lord Chelmsford have produced, there would have been some excuse for putting forward new constitutional reforms. But there was no such demand ; they expressly disclaim having acted in response to *any* demand ; they declare that even if the politically minded classes were 20 per cent. of the total population, instead of only about 5 per cent., that would not have counted with them. What justification, therefore, is there for the hasty introduction of these reforms ?

The people in general do not demand them and the British Parliament cannot, under existing circumstances, judge them. The authors of the scheme are the two highest representatives of the British authorities in India and therefore all criticism in regard to them must be done away with. Much of what I have said may not be pleasing to the ears of my Indian friends. We are in favour of progressive reforms. We fully realise the natural aspirations of Indians to take a large part in the government of the country. Put the discussion of those reforms off for a year and we are ready to listen to any proposal that may be brought forward. We are not narrow-minded as my hon'ble friend Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur has said."

The PRESIDENT said : "Do I understand that the Hon'ble mover is asking for permission to withdraw his resolution ?"

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The Hon'ble MR. CARTER said: "Yes, my lord."

The PRESIDENT: "Is it your pleasure that the resolution be withdrawn?"

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR at first objected to the resolution being withdrawn, but on reconsideration withdrew his objection.

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 10.

The Hon'ble SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI moved the following resolution:—

"This Council is of opinion that a Committee consisting of its non-official members should be appointed to consider the Reform proposals and submit their report thereon to the Government of Bengal at an early date."

He said: "My lord, after Your Excellency's opening remarks this morning and in view of some of the difficulties that Your Excellency pointed out, I was inclined to think that it would perhaps be best for me to withdraw this motion and to let the consideration of the 240 resolutions go on in Council. This morning's experience, however, has made me change my mind; and with Your Excellency's permission I propose to move the motion standing in my name.

My lord, there are on the business paper two other motions in similar terms. We had not had an opportunity of consulting one another, and yet three members independently thought that a matter like this is best considered in Committee. I am not acting without precedent. Such a procedure was followed with marked success in the Supreme Council and I am sure that if the Council adopts my motion there will be considerable economy of time and much needless heat will be spared. Of course as Your Excellency has pointed out, the authority of the Council is supreme and after we have done Committee work, all that would be necessary is for the report to go before the Council to be confirmed and forwarded to the proper quarter. Owing to Your Excellency's kindness we have had this debate adjourned longer than has been possible in the other Provinces. This delay had its advantages and probably its disadvantages also. But one advantage that can be claimed for the situation is that much—almost all that could be said on one side or the other—has been said in the Press, on the platform, here and in England, in Parliament and in the different Councils here, Imperial and Provincial, in the Congress and in the Conference at Bombay and various other Conferences that we have had over this question all over the country among different communities. There is hardly therefore much scope for a debate—far less a lengthy and acrimonious debate—such as is bound to be attendant upon the consideration of the question in full Council when there is so much difference of opinion. In Committees, my experience tells me—and that must be the experience of others—we get on much sooner and much more pleasantly round the table, away from limelight than in Council. If that is so, and having regard to what Your Excellency has pointed out, the overlapping nature of some of the resolutions, and the possibility of treating others as amendments would enable us to finish our work much quicker. Possibly we shall be spared some demonstrations, I shall not call of temper, but of indiscretion, of which we have had illustrations this morning—questionings and cross-questionings across the floor of this Council do not advance the deliberations such as those in which we are engaged. However

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fitting and necessary they may be deemed outside the Council they are useless and gratuitous in Council. Ours is not propaganda but consultative work. All that need be done in Committee is to enunciate the contending propositions and quietly to take the opinions of the members or to take their votes and formulate a business-like report amidst serene peace environments. We have all sent our individual opinions to the Government as Members of Council, to be forwarded to the authorities, and the resolutions of this council obtained in the way I indicate will be before the authorities; they must be put as majority resolutions as happened this morning, as we cannot expect to be unanimous with regard to all of them. Having regard to these circumstances, my lord, I should like to move that the Committee that I propose be appointed with instructions to submit an early report."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My lord, my motion stands on the same lines as those of my friend the Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari. The difficulty was this, my lord, that during the Puja time we were scattered in different places and therefore could not meet and come to a definite understanding as regards the resolutions to be moved, and that is why Your Excellency has before this Council 240 motions on the different items. I support the motion which is practically the same as mine to appoint a Committee of non-official members. In the Committee long speeches will be avoided, and as we have all got our views already settled one way or the other, we shall probably be able to submit a joint report even if there be some dissentients on some points. For these reasons I support this resolution and I do hope that our hon'ble colleagues of the European committee will cordially join and help us in drawing up a unanimous report for the consideration of the authorities. That will have a very marked effect on the country at the present moment as showing their practical sympathy with our aspirations to attain the goal of self-government within the Empire."

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY said :—

"My lord, as I understand the motion the report of the Committee is to be submitted to the Government of Bengal and not to this Council. I think I am right in this view."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"As the Hon'ble Mr. Ray has pointed out that is the form of the motion before the Council."

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY said :—

"I do not know, my lord, whether this is in order, but perhaps in order to save time it would be better if the Committee were permitted to submit their report direct to the Government of Bengal. I do not know however whether this is in order and whether the report of a Committee of this House can be submitted directly to the Government of Bengal."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I see no objection to that under the particular circumstances under which we are meeting now. This is not exactly a meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council in the ordinary sense, because I have asked the official members to take no part in the proceedings. Under the circumstances I see no objection if it is the desire of the non-official members to submit their report to Government instead of to the Council."

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The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHARI said :—

"My lord, I support the motion moved by my hon'ble friend. When I submitted my resolution it struck me whether I should state that the report should be submitted to this Council or to the Government of Bengal. Without saying anything I simply said 'to make their recommendations' in whatever shape it may be thought convenient. As Your Excellency has observed that is the real form—that the recommendations should be submitted to the Government of Bengal; and though my friend suggests that they may be put up before this Council again for confirmation, I think if all the non-official members form a Committee and make their recommendations they may be submitted to Your Excellency and then dealt with and submitted to the Government of India as Your Excellency thinks fit and proper. I support the motion as it would be convenient to deal with the recommendations in the Committee—probably no lengthy discussions will be necessary there, and that will be the more convenient form of dealing with the subject."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"My lord, I have welcomed the proposals though I have suggested a few modifications. I have suggested the modifications because I welcome the proposals and I welcome the proposals because I consider them to be susceptible of modification and gradual improvement. The motion which has been brought forward by Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari has my fullest support for the very reason which Your Excellency pointed out at the opening of this Council. The question raised by my hon'ble friend to the right was to clear up whether the recommendations of the Committee will again come up before this Council for discussion. If that is to be so I do not see any use whatever of going into Committee. It will bring us again into the same troublesome discussion which we want to avoid at this Council. I think that if a Committee is formed and the whole House of non-official members go into it they will have their suggestions there and the suggestions embodied in the report by the majority ought to be sufficient for the purpose of explaining our views before Government. I do not think it will be necessary and I think it would be positively harmful if after the recommendation is made we have to discuss it again in this Council. It will make confusion worse confounded. I heartily support the motion made by Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari that it should go into Committee and the Committee submit their recommendation to Your Excellency's Government and Your Excellency's Government will forward it to the Government of India and that I think is the proper procedure and in that view I heartily accept the motion which has been moved by my hon'ble friend."

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My lord, I heartily support the motion which has been made. I consider it necessary that the non-official members should sit together and discuss the various modifications which are in their minds and to be in a position to submit a representation to Government. We have already submitted our individual opinions on the various points that have been raised, and it would be far better if, by the light of the representations which we have individually put forward, we also jointly discuss the various questions at issue. It will be very convenient if this procedure be accepted by the non-official members, both Indians and Europeans, and to come to a conclusion which will be satisfactory to all. To my mind, this procedure is a simpler one; to discuss the various resolutions which have been brought forward before the Council will

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entail much time; but at the same time, if that procedure be adopted, we think that we will not be in a position to come to a satisfactory conclusion. In that view of the matter, I do support the motion which has been moved."

The Hon'ble MR. CRUM said :—

"My lord, when I came to this Council this morning I had a talk with the proposer on the question of the proposed Committee and I told him that it was my intention to oppose this motion. After this morning's debate I have however changed my mind, and I agree now that probably the most expeditious way of getting through the business would be to accept his motion. But I accept it with a proviso, and that proviso is very important. I understand Sir Deba Prasad to say that he proposes that the 'majority' report should come before the Council and be submitted to Your Excellency. Now, one advantage of discussing subjects in public, as we have been doing this morning, is that the views of the minority are also made public. If, as he suggests, the majority report is to be sent either to Government or to Council, as a report of the Committee, then I am not certainly prepared to accept the resolution, and I think that this will affect not only the position of my community which is in the minority, but also possibly all other communities which are in the minority. What I propose is that the House do go into Committee as is suggested; but not only the majority report be submitted, but that if any gentlemen wish to submit either separately or in agreement as bodies minority reports, they could be allowed to do so and these minority reports should really carry as much weight as the majority reports as representing the views of these particular communities."

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"My lord, as the Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari has framed his resolution it says that a Committee of the non-official members of this Council be appointed to consider the Reform proposals and submit their report to the Government of Bengal at an early date. Therefore so far as the resolution goes, he does not intend that merely the majority report should go in. No doubt in his speech he said that the majority report should go in. I entirely agree with the Hon'ble Mr. Crum that it is only proper that the majority report as well as the minority report, if any, should be sent in, and I do hope and trust that the Hon'ble Mover will accept this suggestion."

The Hon'ble SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said :—

"My lord, nothing was further from my mind than to exclude the minority report. When one talks of majority report, the minority report is always there. My resolution does not exclude minority reports being forwarded, and I fully appreciate what the Hon'ble Mr. Crum has said and I cordially accept his suggestion."

The resolution was then put and agreed.

The PRESIDENT said :—

"Under these circumstances the Council will now resolve itself into a Committee of non-official members. The Hon'ble the Vice-President of the Council will be glad, as soon as I leave the chair, to take my place informally,

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in case Hon'ble Members desire the assistance of Government before they start their deliberations. I shall also ask the Legislative Department and their staff to remain at the service of the Committee. It will be for the Committee to elect or nominate their own Chairman, and for the Committee to decide the hours at which they should sit. So far as the Government is concerned, there is no objection to the Committee commencing their sitting in this Chamber forthwith, and if the Committee desire the use of this Chamber on future days, they are at liberty to have it."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"Will your Excellency fix a date within which the report should be submitted ?"

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I think it would be preferable if the Committee would fix their own date, and they are at liberty to do so."

ADJOURNMENT.

The Council was then adjourned.

A. M. HUTCHISON,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council (offg.).

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PART V.

Acts of the Indian Legislative Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 26th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XX OF 1918.

An Act to take power to prohibit the alteration, except with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, of articles of association which restrict foreign interests in certain Companies, and to provide for other purposes connected therewith.

WHEREAS it is expedient to take power to prohibit the alteration, except with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, of articles of association which restrict foreign interests in certain companies, and to provide for other purposes connected therewith; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. This Act may be called the Indian Companies (Foreign Interests) Act, 1918.

Short title.

2. (*1*) In this Act—

Definitions.

(*a*) the expression "British subject" has the same meaning as in section 27 of the British Nationality and Status of Aliens Act, 1914, but shall include any person who holds a certificate of naturalisation as a British subject granted under any Act of the Governor General in Council for the time being in force, and any association incorporated in any part of His Majesty's dominions : Provided that the said expression shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to apply to any subject of a State in India ;

4 & 5 Geo. 5, c. 17.

(*b*) the expression "restrictive provision" means any provision in the articles of association of a company which, in the opinion of the Governor General in Council, is designed to restrict or limit or has the effect of restricting or limiting the share or shares or interest which may be held, or the rights, powers or authority which may be conferred upon or exercised by or on behalf of persons other than British subjects in the company, or in respect of the control, management or direction of the affairs thereof.

(*2*) All words and expressions used in this Act and defined in the Indian Companies Act, 1913, shall be deemed to have the meanings respectively attributed to them by that Act.

3. This Act shall apply to such companies as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, declare to be companies with restrictive provisions, and any such notification shall specify the restrictive provisions.

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Application of Act.

4. So long as a notification issued under section 3 is in force in respect of any company, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any other Act—

Alterations in restrictive provisions and winding up.

(*1*) no alteration of the articles of association of the company affecting either directly

or indirectly any restrictive provision shall be of any effect until it has received the consent in writing of the Governor General in Council;

(2) a resolution for the voluntary winding up of the company shall be of no effect unless the Governor General in Council authorises or ratifies it by a written consent;

(3) any Court which has jurisdiction to wind up the company may in its discretion refuse to make a winding up order. In the exercise of its discretion the Court shall be guided by the consideration whether the winding up is *bond fide* with a view to the discontinuance of the undertaking, or is with a view to continuing the undertaking freed either wholly or in part from any restrictive provision;

(4) the Governor General in Council in giving consent, or the Court in making a winding up order, as the case may be, may impose such terms or conditions for giving effect to the purposes of this Act as he or it thinks fit.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

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The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 26th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XXI OF 1918.

An Act to provide that certain persons deemed to be enrolled under the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, shall be liable to serve as well without the limits of India as within those limits, and that when so serving they shall be subject to the said Act.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide that certain persons deemed to be enrolled under the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, shall be liable to serve as well without the limits of India as within those limits, and that when so serving they shall be subject to the said Act, and that for this purpose, it is necessary further to amend the said Act; It is hereby enacted as follows :— III of 1917.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Indian Defence Force (Foreign Service) Amendment Act, 1918.

Amendment of section 1(2), Act III of 1917.

2. To sub-section (2) of section 1 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, (hereinafter called the said Act), the following words shall be added, namely :—"and to persons deemed to be enrolled under section 3 of this Act whether within or without the limits of India." III of 1917.

Amendment of section 6, Act III of 1917.

3. In section 6 of the said Act for the words "to serve in any part of India," the words "to serve within or without the limits of India" shall be substituted.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 26th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XXII OF 1918.

An Act to provide that certain bronze coins coined outside British India shall be legal tender in British India.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide that certain bronze coins coined outside British India shall be legal tender in British India; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title

1. This Act may be called the Bronze Coin (Legal Tender) Act, 1918.

Power to declare certain bronze coins coined outside British India to be legal tender.

2. (*1*) Where bronze coins of any of the denominations specified in section 8 of the Indian Coinage Act, 1906, are coined outside British India at the request of the Governor General in Council, and the Governor General in Council is satisfied that such coins are in accordance with the requirements of section 9 and of any notification for the time being in force under section 10 of the said Act, he may, by notification in the Gazette of India, direct the issue of any such coins, and thereafter any such coins shall be legal tender in payment or on account in the same way and to the same extent as were coins referred to in section 14 of the said Act, and the provisions of the said Act shall apply accordingly III of 1906.

(*2*) Every coin which is declared to be legal tender by sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to be Queen's coin within the meaning of section 230 of the Indian Penal Code. XLV of 1860.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 26th September 1918, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XXIII OF 1918.

An Act to take powers to provide for the cheap supply of cotton cloth to the poorer classes of the community.

WHEREAS it is expedient to take powers for the purpose of encouraging or maintaining the supply, at reasonable rates, to the poorer classes of the community, of cotton cloth manufactured in this country; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Cotton Cloth Act, 1918.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*a*) "Controller" means a Controller appointed under this Act;

(*b*) "Cotton cloth" means cotton cloth manufactured in this country; and

(*c*) "Standard cloth" means any kind of cotton cloth which a Controller may, from time to time, declare to be standard cloth.

Power to appoint Controllers.

3. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, appoint one or more persons as he may think fit to be Controllers for the purposes of this Act, and shall specify in any such notification the area in which any Controller so appointed shall exercise his powers.

Powers of the Controller.

4. (*1*) Whenever it appears to a Controller that such a course is necessary or expedient for the purpose of encouraging or maintaining the supply of standard cloth, at reasonable rates to the poorer classes of the community, he may (subject to this Act and the rules made thereunder and to the control of the Governor General in Council) make general or special orders regulating or giving directions within the area in which he is empowered, with respect to the manufacture, transport, distribution and sale or purchase of, or other dealings in, cotton cloth.

(*2*) Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, orders may be made by a Controller—

(*a*) declaring and defining the classes of standard cloth;

(*b*) prescribing distinctive indications which shall be woven into, impressed or otherwise displayed upon, different classes of standard cloth;

(*c*) requiring any person, who ordinarily manufactures cotton cloth, to manufacture, or provide for the manufacture of, standard cloth in such quantity, of such quality and by such date as the Controller may direct; and

(*d*) fixing the prices to be paid to the manufacturer for standard cloth or for any particular class of standard cloth, and providing for the payment thereof on delivery :

Provided that in fixing prices the Controller shall have regard to the cost of production and to the allowance of a reasonable profit, without necessarily taking into consideration the market-price, and if the Controller is satisfied that the manufacturer has incurred actual loss arising out of forward contracts entered into before the commencement of this Act, and that such loss is immediately attributable to an order under this Act, he may take such loss into account :

Provided further that the Controller may fix different prices in the case of different localities or, if special reasons exist, in respect of different manufacturers in the same locality.

Appointment of Advisory Committees.

5. Where a Controller is appointed in exercise of the power conferred by section 3, the Governor General in Council shall appoint a Committee consisting of such number of persons having knowledge of the cotton or cotton cloth trade as he thinks fit to assist the Controller with their advice in the performance of his duties. Before a Controller issues any order declaring and defining the classes of standard cloth or fixing the prices to be paid to the manufacturer, he shall consult the Committee, and he may consult the Committee on any other matter connected with his duties :

Provided that, if the opinion of the majority of members of the Committee who are present at any meeting is adverse to the issue of any order, the Controller shall, if he does not accept the Committee's advice, refer the matter for the decision of the Governor General in Council.

Manufacture and delivery of standard cloth.

6. Where, by an order made in the exercise of powers conferred by section 4, the Controller has directed a manufacturer to manufacture, or provide for the manufacture of, standard cloth and has fixed the price therefor, the manufacturer shall deliver the same at such time and place and in such manner as the Controller may specify from time to time, and the Controller shall pay or cause to be paid to the manufacturer the said price, together with the freight, if any, actually paid by the manufacturer.

Delegation of powers.

7. Subject to the control of the Governor General in Council, a Controller may, from time to time by order in writing, delegate all or any of his powers

subject to such conditions and restrictions as may be prescribed therein.

Penalty for disobedience of orders under section 4.

8. If any person acts in contravention of or, without reasonable cause, fails to comply with the provisions of any order made under section 4, or counterfeits upon any cloth a distinctive indication prescribed by the Controller, such person shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine or with both.

Power to fix prices of standard cloth.

9. (*1*) The Local Government shall, if standard cloth is sold in the province, by order in writing which shall be notified in the local official gazette, fix the price at which alone standard cloth or any class of standard cloth shall be sold to the public.

(*2*) Orders may be made fixing different prices for different localities or for different methods of sale.

(*3*) Every such order shall be published in such manner as the Local Government may consider to be best adapted for bringing the prices so fixed to the notice of the poorer classes.

Limitation of sale of standard cloth.

10. (*1*) No person shall sell or keep, offer or expose for sale to the public, standard cloth otherwise than at such price as may be fixed by the Local Government and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a license issued in this behalf.

(*2*) If any person contravenes the provisions of sub-section (*1*), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with one or with both.

Grant of licenses for sale of standard cloth.

11. A license for the sale of standard cloth shall be granted by such authority, in such form and subject to such conditions as the Local Government may prescribe by rules made under this Act.

Rule-making power.

12. (*1*) The Governor General in Council may make rules—

(*a*) prescribing the powers and duties of the Controller,

(*b*) prescribing the manner in which the Controller's orders shall be published or served, as the case may be, and

(*c*) generally giving effect to the provisions of this Act.

(*2*) The Local Government shall, if standard cloth is sold in the province, make rules prescribing the authority by which, the form in which and the conditions under which, any license or class of licenses for the sale of standard cloth shall be granted.

(*3*) Rules made under this Act shall be published in the Gazette of India or the local official gazette, as the case may be, and on such publication shall have effect as if enacted in this Act.

Protection for acts done under the Act.

13. No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against any person for anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done under this Act.

Powers of Act to be cumulative.

14. All powers given by this Act shall be in addition to and not in derogation of any other powers conferred by or under any enactment, and all such powers may be exercised in the same manner and by the same authority as if this Act had not been made.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
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PART VI.

Bills introduced in the Indian Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees, presented to the Council, and Bills published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Indian Legislative Council on the 26th September 1918:—

No. 24 OF 1918.

A Bill to provide that certain persons liable to military service under the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, should be liable to perform war work.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide that certain persons deemed to be enrolled for military service, under the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, may be called upon to perform war work; It is hereby enacted as follows:— III of 1917.

Short title and duration.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Industrial Compulsion Act, 191 .

(*2*) It shall remain in force during the continuance of the War and for a period of six months thereafter.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

"industrial worker" means any member of the Indian Defence Force who has been called upon to perform war work in accordance with the provisions of this Act;

"Government control" means any form of Government control by which an industrial concern is controlled in respect of outturn and profits;

"member of the Indian Defence Force" means any person deemed to be enrolled for general or local military service under section 3 or 4, as the case may be, of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, whether such person is or is not the holder of a certificate of exemption granted under that Act; III of 1917.

"prescribed" means prescribed by rules made under this Act;

"selection committee" means any authority constituted under the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, for the purpose of assisting in the selection of persons to be called out for general military service under that Act; and III of 1917

"war work" means work in connection with the prosecution of the present war which—

(*a*) requires special technical knowledge and training, and

(*b*) is work in an industrial concern carried on by Government or under Government control.

3. Subject to the provisions of this Act, every member of the Indian Defence Force who has been trained for any industrial work and has special technical knowledge thereof shall be liable to be called upon to perform war work.

Liability to perform war work.

4. (*1*) If the prescribed authority is of opinion that—

Selection of persons to perform war work.

(*a*) it is necessary in the public interest to call upon industrial workers and

(*b*) persons subject to the liability imposed by section 3 are resident in any area for which a selection committee has been or may hereafter be constituted,

such authority may, by order in writing, require the selection committee of that area to select such number of such persons for such war work as it may specify in the requisition.

(*2*) When any requisition is made under sub-section (*1*), the prescribed authority shall at the same time furnish the selection committee with all available information necessary to enable it to carry out its duties under this section.

(*3*) The selection committee shall, as far as may be, comply with any requisition under sub-section (*1*), and shall report the names of the persons selected by it to the prescribed authority, and shall indicate on what class of war work such persons should be employed.

5. Every member of the Indian Defence Force shall, if so called upon by notice in writing, attend the selection committee at such time and place as may be specified in the notice, and shall be legally bound to answer any question relating to himself or his employment which may be put to him by the selection committee for the purposes of this Act, and the selection committee when exercising its powers under this Act shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

Duty of a member of the Indian Defence Force to appear before and answer questions of selection committee.

XLV of 1860.

6. The prescribed authority may serve on any person whose name has been reported by the selection committee, in accordance with the provisions of section 4 (*3*), a notice in writing calling upon him to perform any war work of the nature indicated by the selection committee in respect of such person, and the service of the notice shall constitute such person an industrial worker.

Industrial workers.

7. Every member of the Indian Defence Force who at the commencement of this Act is employed on war work shall continue in his employment unless he receives the permission of the prescribed authority to leave the same and, until he receives such permission, shall be deemed to be an industrial worker.

Persons employed on war work at the commencement of the Act.

8. Every industrial worker shall be subject to the following liabilities, namely :—

Liabilities of industrial workers.

(*a*) If he is a person deemed to be enrolled for general military service under section 3 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, he shall be liable to perform war work in any part of India, and shall be deemed to have been called out for general military service under the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, and the Army Act, and any orders, rules or regulations made thereunder or under the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 shall apply to him accordingly with such modifications or restrictions as may be prescribed.

III of 1917.

III of 1917.

(*b*) If he is a person deemed to be enrolled for local military service, under section 4 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, he shall be liable to perform war work in the local area prescribed in pursuance of the proviso to section 7 of the said Act, and shall be deemed to have been called out for the purposes of actual military duty within the meaning of the said Act, and shall be liable to such further obligations as may be prescribed.

III of 1917.

9. If any question arises whether any work is war work within the meaning of this Act, a certificate signed by a Secretary to the Government of India shall be conclusive on the point.

Decision of disputes as to what is war work.

10. Every industrial worker shall receive such reasonable remuneration as the Governor General in Council may by general or special order in writing determine :

Remuneration for industrial workers

Provided that, in determining the rate of remuneration, the Governor General in Council shall have regard to the character and nature of the war work which the industrial worker has been called upon to perform.

11. No industrial worker shall, as long as he is engaged on war work, be required to perform any kind of military service.

Exemption of industrial workers from military service.

12. (*1*) The Governor General in Council may make rules for carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.

Power to make rules.

(*2*) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, rules under this section may provide for—

(*a*) the manner and form in which any order or notice under this Act shall be given or served,

(*b*) the procedure to be followed by selection committees in performing their duties under this Act, and

(*c*) any other matter which by this Act has to be prescribed.

(*3*) All rules made under this Act shall be published in the Gazette of India, and on such publication shall have effect as if enacted in this Act.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

Certain industries of national importance, which are essential to the maintenance of the forces in the field, are steadily expanding on a large scale, necessitating the employment of men with special technical knowledge and training on a scale commensurate with such expansion. It is becoming increasingly difficult to obtain the services of specialists from the United Kingdom, and it is proposed to utilise to the fullest extent the services of those who are in India. The Bill is designed to give effect to this proposal.

Briefly, the Bill provides for taking power by an order in writing to require any member of the European portion of the Indian Defence Force, whether in possession of an exemption certificate or not, to take up or continue any employment in any industry declared to be of national importance by the Governor General in Council. Persons in respect of whom such an order has been made will be deemed to have been called out for general military service, or to have been called upon to perform actual military duty, as the case may be, according as they belong to the general military service or local military service class.

It is not intended to exercise this power, except for the purposes of Government service and industrial concerns under Government control. It is proposed to make provision for the payment of reasonable salaries to persons employed on technical work, and to utilise the services of the Selection Committees formed under the Indian Defence Force Act for advising Government as regards individual cases.

SIMLA,
The 23rd September, 1918.

C. C. MONRO, *General*,
Commander-in-Chief in India.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th November 1918.*

RED SEA—ZEBAYIR ISLANDS.

Centre Peak Island—Rock reported eastward of.

No. 348 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1063 of 1918), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of $2\frac{1}{10}$ miles, 90° (*S. 89° E. Mag.*) from Centre Peak Island Lighthouse.
Lat. 15° 01¼′ N., long. 42° 11¼′ E.

Depth.—Not stated.

Note.—This rock, which was not examined, is to be indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet and marked "*Reported (1917).*"

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 453, Plan of Zebayir Islands.
„ 113, Jabel Teir to Perim Island.
„ 8*d*, Red Sea, Sheet IV.
„ 2523, Red Sea.

Publication.—Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1909, page 126.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 2372-18.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—PORT SEBU APPROACH.

Bantolinao Point—New Light established.

No. 349 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1071 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On edge of reef, and at a distance of 1 $\frac{3}{10}$ cables, 19° (*N. 18° E. Mag.*), from the former light on Bantolinao Point.
Lat. 10° 20¼′ N., long. 123° 59¼′ E.

Abridged description of new light.—Lt. Fl., *Red, ev. 2 sec., 30 ft., vis. 7 m.* (U).

Details.—The fixed red light has been discontinued and replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Characteristics :

Character.—A *flashing red* light *every two seconds.*
Elevation.—30 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete pillar.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected—No. 3193, Port Sebu and approches.
„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro Sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1179.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I., 1911, pages 394, 395.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1949 of 1918. (*H. 4819-18.*)

JAPAN, KIU SIU—NORTH-WEST COAST.

Omura Wan Entrance—Alteration in depth on shoal.

No. 350 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1078 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 18 cables eastward of Shira Se Lighthouse.
Lat. 33° 05½′ N., long. 129° 39½′ E.

Depth.—5½ fathoms, instead of 4½ fathoms hitherto shown on the chart.

Remarks.—The black and red horizontally striped buoy surmounted by a red ball, marking this shoal, is situated at a distance of 17½ cables, 86° (*East Mag.*), from Shira Se Lighthouse.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 2387, Io Jima to Madara Jima, etc.
„ 359, Nagasaki to Karatsu, etc.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 598

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 27 of 1918. (*H. 3323-18.*)

JAPAN—INLAND SEA, HARIMA NADA.

Shodo Shima—Wreck eastward of.

No. 351 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1083 of 1918), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of 10 miles, 81° (*N. 86° E. Mag.*), from Okado Banu Lighthouse.
Lat. 34° 27½′ N., long. 134° 31½′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck, believed to be that of a sailing vessel with masts showing about 10 feet above water.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3566, Izumi Nada and Harima Nada.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 26 of 1918. (*H. 3322-18.*)

CHINA SEA—BILLITON ISLAND.

Cheruchup Bay—Existence of a shoal.

No. 352 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1084 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 16½ cables north-westward from the northern end of Batu Tukal.
Lat. 2° 45′ 06″ S., long. 107° 30′ 24″ E.

Depth.—2½ fathoms.

Remarks.—The black can buoy with truncated cone topmark in this vicinity has been moved about 4 cables to the northward and is now situated in lat. 2° 45′ 00″ S., long 107° 30′ 18″ E.

Charts affected.—No. 3597, Approaches to Tanjong Pandan.
„ 2137, Gaspar Strait.
„ 2149, Banka and Gaspar Straits.
„ 2160, Carimata Strait.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 159.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1113 of 1918. (*H. 5020-18.*)

CHINA—EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay—Meteorological signals.

No. 353 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1091 of 1918), are republished :—

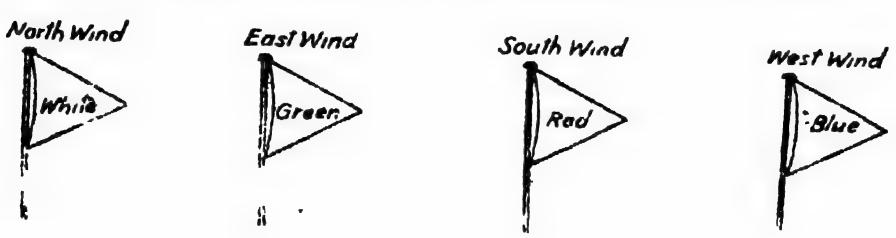
Former Notice.—No. 864 of 1918. (*This office No. 301 of 1918.*)

Position.—Tsingtau storm-signal station, lat. 36° 04¼′ N., long. 120° 19′ E.

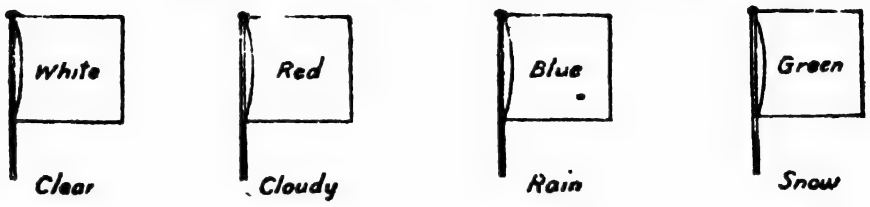
Details.—In addition to the storm-signals described in the former Notice, the following weather forecast signals are now in use at the above station :—

The weather forecast signals are of three kinds.—

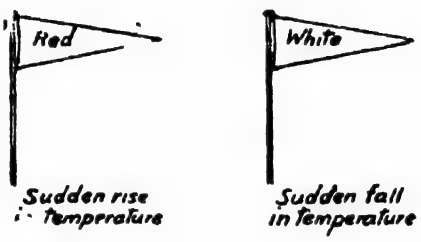
1. Indicating the direction of the wind. Triangular flags are employed for this purpose, as under.



2. Indicating the clearness, cloudiness, rain or snow. Square flags are used for this purpose, as under.



3. Indicating sudden changes of temperature. Long triangular flags are employed for this purpose, as under.



When more than one of the conditions "Clearness, Cloudiness, Rain or Snow" occurs in the forecast, only the most important feature is indicated in the signal. When the forecast is divided into two phases the signals are exhibited in the same order.

Note.—The weather predictions refer to the period of 24 hours from 6 p.m. to 6 p.m. the following day.
The forecasts will be shown before 5 p.m. every day, and, when necessary, alterations will be made thereafter.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 422.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 155 of 1918. (*H. 4907-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

North Solitary Island—Amended position and description of rock reported northward of.

No. 354 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1092 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1093 of 1917. (*This office No. 342 of 1917.*)

Position.—At a distance of about 6 cables north-eastward from position shown on charts and 6 cables, 353° (*N. 17° W. Mag.*), from north-west rock.
Lat. 29° 54′ S., long. 153° 21′ E.

Description.—A rock with a depth of 2 fathoms, reported in 1917.

Remarks.—This rock was formerly indicated on the chart by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet.

Variation.—10° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1026, The Solitary Islands and adjacent coast.
„ 1027, Coffs Islands to Evans Head.
„ 3622, Port Jackson to Cape Byron.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 81.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 4799-18.*)

JAPAN—INLAND SEA, GULF OF OSAKA

Kobe Bay—Mooring-buoy established.

No. 355 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1094 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Off Kobe Zaki, at a distance of 4 cables, 64° (N. 69° E. *Mag.*), from the red light on the outer end of No. 1 pier.
Lat. 34° 41′ N., long. 135° 12¼′ E.

Description.—No 17 mooring-buoy.

Variation.—5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 2265, Kobe and Hyogo Bays.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 280.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 21 of 1918. (*H. 3319-18.*)

INDIA—WEST COAST.

Bombay Harbour—Buoy temporarily laid.

No. 356 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No 89 M of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1·3 miles 121° (S. 59° E. Mag.) from Prongs Lighthouse.
Lat. 18° 52′ 00″ N., long. 72° 49′ 14″ E.

Description.—A can buoy painted black.

Details.—Marks the west side of the channel for ships entering and leaving the port.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No 2621, Bombay Harbour.
„ 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1909, page 217.

Authority.—Port Officer, Bombay, dated 14th October 1918.

PERSIAN GULF.

Henjam Sound—Prohibited anchorage.

No. 357 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 90M of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—R. I. M. Nos. 50M and 68M of 1918 (*This office Nos. 168 and 221 of 1918*) are hereby cancelled.

Position—(*a*) A cable house has been erected on the high line on the Kishm Island, at a distance of about 3¾ cables 317° (N. 45° W. Mag.), from Ras Khargu.
Lat. 26° 41′ 47″ N., long. 55° 55′ 12″ E.

(*b*) A cable house has been erected on the high line on Henjam Island at a distance of about 5¼ cables 140° (S. 42° E. Mag.) from Ras-al-Mashia beacon ;
Lat. 26° 41′ 08″ N.
Long. 55° 53′ 55″ E.

(*c*) A pecked line has been put on the chart joining these two positions bearing N. 61° E. (true). S. W.

Details—(1) Vessels are prohibited from anchoring to the southward of this pecked line, mentioned in (*c*), between the two new cable houses, and the remark "Prohibited anchorage south of this line" has been inserted on the chart; and, "Unadvisable to anchor on this line" shewn north-eastward of Ras-al-Mashia, on the chart, has been expunged.

(2) Vessels are also prohibited from anchoring to the southward of the pecked line bearing N. W. 57° S. E. shewn on the chart, to the north-westward of Ras-al-Mashia; the "Caution—Unadvisable to anchor westward of the pecked line" has been expunged, and "Prohibited anchorage south of this line" inserted on the chart, in lieu.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3559, Plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 209.

Authority.—Commanding Officer, I. G. T. S. "Patrick Stewart" dated 13th October 1918.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay Coast.

"*Whale Reef*" *Buoy—Replaced in position.*

No. 358 (*first publication*).—

With reference to this Office Notice to Mariners No. 199 of 1918, the Bombay Government has given further Notice (No. 1578 of 1918) that the Red Buoy on the north side of the "Whale Reef" off the Rajpuri Point, which was removed for the S. W. Monsoon, was replaced in position on the 24th October 1918.

INDIA, WEST—Travancore Coast.

Quilon—Buoys.

No. 359 (*first publication*).—

The Principal Port Officer, Travancore, has given Notice, dated the 12th October 1918, that the buoys marking the entrance to the Inner Anchorage at Quilon have been replaced and their position is as follows :—

Red Buoy bears from Tangacherry Lighthouse S. E. distance about 8¾ cables.

Black Buoy bears from Tangacherry Lighthouse S. E. ½ S. about 11¼ cables.

The attention of Mariners is drawn to the note appearing on the chart of the Quilon Road, Sheet XII, West Coast of India, with reference to these buoys.

The flagstaff and Messrs. Harrison and Crosfields' Tall Red Chimney in line leads into the Anchorage clear of both reefs.

INDIA, EAST COAST.—BAY OF BENGAL.

Madras Harbour—Temporary light removed.

No. 360 (first publication).—

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 377 of 1916 issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further Notice (No. 55 of 1918) that the temporary fixed red light has been removed and will not be replaced till about 1st January 1919 or thereabouts

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST.

North Channel, Wide Bay Bar—Navigation in.

No. 361 (first publication).—

The Portmaster, Brisbane, has given Notice (No. 9 of 1918) that, on the 25th September 1918, the square white beacons on Hook Point, carrying white lights by night, will be moved, and on and after that date the following directions are to be observed for the navigation of the channel :—

Keep the beacons and lights on Hook Point in line until the beacons (triangular) and lights on Inskip Point are open once their own width to the westward ; then steer for the Inskip beacons or lights, gradually bringing them into line before passing the Red Buoy off Hook Point spit ; after passing this buoy, proceed as formerly directed.

Charts affected.—Nos. 1030 and 1068, Australia Directory, Vol. II.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 11th November 1918.

AUSTRALIA, TORRES STRAIT—WESTERN APPROACH.

Light-Vessel to be established.

No. 347 (second publication).—

Subject.—A Light-Vessel will be established in the western approach to Torres Strait on or about 18th November 1918.

Position (approximate).—The Light-Vessel will be moored in about 20 fathoms of water, at a distance of 20 miles, 240° (S. 55° W. Mag.), from Merkara Shoal.

Lat. 10° 40′ S., long. 140° 55′ E. on Chart No. 447.

Characteristics.—

(*a*) *Light* :

Character.—*Group Flashing White Light*, showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *fifteen* seconds, thus :—

Flash.	Eclipse.	Flash.	Eclipse.	Flash.	Eclipse.
½ sec.	1½ secs.	½ sec.	1½ secs.	½ sec.	10½ secs.

Elevation.—32 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Power.—1,500 candles.

(*b*) *Fog Signal* :

Description.—A bell sounded by the motion of the vessel.

(*c*) *Vessel* :

Description.—The vessel has one mast carrying the lantern ; the hull is painted red and marked "Carpentaria" in white on sides.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 447, Torres Strait, Western approaches to.
„ 2759a, Australia, Northern portion.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918.
Australia Pilot, Vol III, 1916, page 245.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 24 of 1918.

The 4th November 1918.

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE—FARISIAN BANK.

Shab Jenáb and Shab Sahabak—Extension to northward.

No. 337 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 988 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Shab Jenáb, lat. 19° 55′ N., long. 39° 56½′ E.

Details.—The shoals known as Shab Jenáb and Shab Sahabak have been found to extend further to the northward than charted, the former for a distance of about 3 miles and the latter for a distance of about 1¼ miles. The charts are to be amended accordingly.

Caution.—See note in sailing directions with regard to the positions of the reefs westward of Abulát Island.

Charts affected.—No. 8c Red Sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red Sea.

Publication.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 337.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4435-18.*)

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 338 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative, to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 990 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 866 of 1918 (*This office No. 302 of 1918*); hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished :
Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir); Penang approaches.
All lights in the Persian Gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

2. Certain Ports closed by night :
Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6.0 a.m., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise. Vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part V, 1918, No. 2201.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4605-18.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Gebna Tenga to Pulo Katang Katang—Existence of Rocks.

No. 339 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1003 of 1918), are republished :—

	Position.			Depth.	
(1)	Lat. 1° 33′ 30″ S.,	long.	100° 29′ 06″ E.	10 fathoms	(rock).
(2)	„ 1° 34′ 36″ S.,	„	100° 27′ 24″ E.	6 „	(coral).
(3)	„ 1° 41′ 42″ S.,	„	100° 32′ 48″ E.	4 „	„
(4)	„ 1° 43′ 06″ S.,	„	100° 33′ 30″ E.	7 „	(rock).
(5)	„ 1° 45′ 48″ S.,	„	100° 31′ 36″ E.	2 „	(coral).
(6)	„ 1° 49′ 48″ S.,	„	100° 33′ 36″ E.	2 „	„

Charts affected.—No. 709, Ujong Masang to Ujong Indrapura.
„ 2760, Acheh Head to Chingkuk Bay.
„ 2761, Chingkuk Bay to Strait of Sunda.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 389.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 955 of 1918. (*H. 4330-18.*)

CELEBES, WEST COAST—MAKASSAR STRAIT.

Mampya Road—Alterations in Beaconage and Buoyage.

No. 340 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1005 of 1918), are republished :—

1. Alterations in beaconage :

(*a*) Beacon established :

Position.—On outer end of reef on western side of entrance, and at a distance of 2 miles 7½ cables, 147° (*S. 35° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Tanjong Mampya, lat. 3° 27′ S., long. 119° 17′ E.

Description.—An iron beacon surmounted by a black truncated cone.

(*b*) Alteration in position of beacon :

New position.—On outer end of reef on eastern side of entrance about three-quarters of a cable north-westward from former position, and at a distance of 3 miles 2½ cables, 139° (*S. 43° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Description.—An iron beacon surmounted by a white ball.

2. Alterations in buoyage:

(*a*) Buoys established:

(1) *Position.*—Marking the shoal south-westward of Lantora village, and at a distance of 2 miles 5¾ cables, 93° (*S. 89° E. Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Description.—A black can buoy.

(2) *Position.*—Marking the reef south-eastward of Lantora village, and at a distance of 3 miles 94° (*S. 88° E.-Mag.*), from the northernmost house on Tanjong Mampya.

Description.—A white conical buoy.

(*b*) Buoy withdrawn:

Details.—The white conical buoy, formerly situated on the eastern side of the entrance at a distance of about 2 cables westward from the beacon described in 1 (*b*), has been withdrawn.

Variation.—2° E.

Charts affected.—No. 3209, Plan of Mampya Road.
„ 2637, South part of the Strait of Makassar.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 401, 402.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 682 of 1918. (*H. 3020-18.*)

CELEBES, SOUTH COAST.

Gulf of Boni—Existence of Reef.

No. 341 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1044 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—Northern edge—Lat. 3° 51′ 07″ S., long. 121° 01′ 00″ E.
Southern edge—Lat. 3° 52′ 22″ S., long. 121° 00′ 48″ E.
Western edge—Lat. 3° 51′ 30″ S., long. 120° 59′ 40″ E.

Description.—This reef, which dries, is semi-circular in shape, with an opening at its eastern side between the northern and southern positions given above.

Remarks.—Tamboli reef has been found to be connected with the 4½-fathom reef situated at a distance of about 2 miles southward from it.

Charts affected.—No. 3616, Tamori Gulf to Salayar Strait.
„ 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago—Sheet 3.
„ 941*b*, Eastern Archipelago—Sheet 2.
„ 1263, China Sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 466.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 958 of 1918. (*H. 4295-18.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—OMBI ISLANDS.

Ombi Major—Reef northward of.

No. 342 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1051 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—Eastern end of reef, lat. 1° 20′ 00″ S., long. 127° 48′ 45″ E.

Description.—From the above position the reef extends in a westerly direction for a distance of about 6 miles. On the reef are two small sandy islets covered with trees.

Remarks.—The reef is to be indicated on the charts by a danger line and the area between this reef and the shore is to be marked "*Foul.*"

Charts affected.—No. 942*a*, Eastern Archipelago—sheet III.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, northern portion.
„ 1263, China Sea.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part III, 1911, page 77.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 576 of 1918. *(H. 2802-18.)*

CHINA SEA AND PACIFIC OCEAN.

Traffic Regulations, Extinction of Lights, and Discontinuance or Withdrawal of Aids to Navigation:

No. 343 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1054 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1018 of 1918 : hereby cancelled.

I. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

MANILA BAY.

The South Channel into Manila Bay is closed to traffic and is protected by mines ; this channel extends from Caballo Island on the north to Restinga Point on the south.

The North Channel between Corregidor Island and the shore of Bataan province to the northward is closed to inward bound traffic from sunset to sunrise, except to certain vessels engaged in public service. Vessels are, however, permitted to leave Manila Bay by the North Channel without restriction as to time.

Obedience to the above regulations will be enforced by vessels of the United States Navy and by the shore batteries.

Failure to comply with any of the above regulations may result in the destruction of the offending vessels.

SÚBIC BAY.

Súbic Bay is closed to traffic ; any unauthorised vessel attempting to enter the port does so at her peril.

II. HONGKONG.

Cape Collinson light is extinguished.

_____| |_____, _____| |_____. Green Island light is normally extinguished, but will be exhibited when the local Typhoon signals are hoisted, and will be shown until the signals are hauled down.

III. SWATAU.

The following Regulations have been made by the Local Military Authorities at Swatau with reference to the existence of mines in the approaches to that port, and are now in force :—

1. Vessels are forbidden to proceed by the channel northward of Sugar Loaf lighthouse.
2. All vessels, including men-of-war, must enter and leave the port by the channel to the southward of Sugar Loaf lighthouse.
3. All vessels, including men-of-war, when entering and leaving, must, when at a distance of 3 miles from Sugar Loaf lighthouse, slow down to a speed not exceeding 6 knots.
4. Vessels leaving or approaching Sugar Loaf lighthouse may not anchor within a distance of 4 miles outside and 2 miles inside thereof, nor throw overboard heavy articles, to do so being dangerous.

5. A guardboat will be stationed by the authorities, which, in case of changes in the minefield, will approach and guide incoming and outgoing steamers.
6. All incoming and outgoing men-of-war and armed steamers should give 24 hours' notice of their expected arrival or departure to the Swatau police.
7. If vessels, including men-of-war, disregard the above rules and thereby incur risks, the local authorities will not accept responsibility.
8. The time for leaving and entering the port is fixed for the hours between 6 A.M. and 6 P.M.

IV. RUSSIAN MARITIME PROVINCE.

All lights are liable to be extinguished and aids to navigation discontinued or withdrawn on the coasts of the Russian Maritime Province.

V. SANDWICH ISLANDS, HONOLULU.

All lights in Honolulu harbour are extinguished, and the harbour is closed by night.

VI. SOCIETY ISLANDS, TAHITI.

Leading lights for Papiete Pass are extinguished.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Publication.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 1508, 1525.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. U.S.A. Hyd. Office and Petrograd Notices of 1917. Hongkong Government Gazette and Shanghai Special Notice. (*H. 4960-18.*)

PORT OF ADEN—INNER HARBOUR APPROACH.

Traffic Regulations.

No. 344 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 88M. of 1918), are republished :—

The following Channel Control Signals are exhibited from the Port Signal Station as follows :—

By day.—One Red Flag at mast head ... } denoting Channel blocked.
By night.—Two Red Lights vertical ... }

These signals are hoisted when a ship inside the Inner Harbour has unmoored and is proceeding to sea.

Publications.—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 6th edition, 1909, after line 21, page 407.
List of Lighthouses and Light-vessels in India, etc., 37th Issue, 1918.

Authority.—Port Officer, Aden (No. 1055, dated 21st September 1918).

TASMANIA, NORTH COAST.

Emu Bay Light—Intended alteration in Position and Characteristics.

No. 345 (third publication).—

Subject.—The Occulting White Light on the Old Breakwater will be replaced by a Flashing White Light with Red Sector on the New Breakwater, on or about 14th October 1918.

Position.—On the parapet of the New Breakwater, 25 feet from the seaward end, and approximately 750 feet E. N. E. from the position of the existing Occulting White Light.

Lat. 41° 03′ S., long. 145° 57′ E. approx.

Details.—The new light will have the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—*Flashing White Light* with *Red Sector*, showing *one* flash every *three* seconds, thus :—

Flash,	Eclipse.
½ sec.	2½ secs.

Sectors.—*Red* from 111° (S. 78° E. Mag.) through South to 201° (S. 12° W. Mag.). *White* from 201° (S. 12° W. Mag.) through West and North to 21° (N. 12° E. Mag.). Obscured elsewhere.

Elevation.—39 feet.

Visibility.—*White*, 10 miles. *Red*, 5 miles.

Power.—*White*, 300 candles. *Red*, 100 candles.

Structure.—Former steel framework tower, painted white. Height, 30 feet.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.
No further notice will be given.

Note.—The existing Occulting White Light will be extinguished from 30th September 1918, in order that the necessary alterations may be carried out. In the interval, the temporary fixed Red Light on the Titan Crane on the New Breakwater will continue to be exhibited as heretofore, but will be extinguished on the establishment of the new Flashing White Light with Red Sector.

Charts affected.—No. 3717, Plans in Tasmania—Emu Bay.
„ „ 1079, Tasmania.
„ „ 1695B, Bass Strait, Western Sheet.
„ 2759b, Australia, Southern portion.
„ 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn, West Sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918, No. 2798.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 617.
Revised Supplement (2), 1916, page 70.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 23 of 1918.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced by buoy.

No. 346-I (third publication).—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 2nd January 1919 and replaced in March. A red conical buoy with staff and cage will mark the position during her absence.

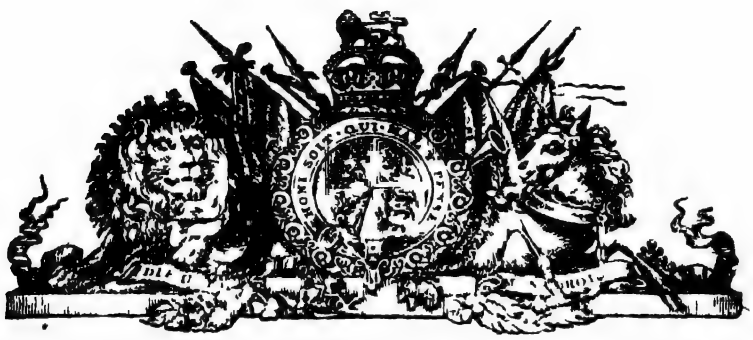
Position.—Lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.
„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.
„ 70. Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 630.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice, dated 26th October 1918

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Acting Port Officer of Calcutta.



APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1918.

BALANCE SHEETS AND STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE CALCUTTA PORT TRUST AND HOWRAH BRIDGE FOR THE YEAR 1917-18 AND THE AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

General Balance Sheet

ACCOUNT

Account No.	LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
II	**Capital Account—**		
	Credits on this account	.....	14,68,68,003 9 6
IV	**Revenue Account—**		
	Balance on this account	.....	2,41,483 7 10
V	**Sundry outstandings—**		
	Fixed general deposits	450 0 0	
	Ordinary deposits of Importers and Exporters	1,88,121 15 0	
	Fixed marine deposits	3,000 0 0	
	Marine dues payable to Government ...	31,080 14 0	
	Security and other deposits ...	4,21,528 7 5	
	Miscellaneous credits pending disbursement	23,391 0 0	
	Demands payable	9,82,052 5 6	
	Unclaimed wages and miscellaneous outstandings	22,613 4 3	
	Stores Purchase Account	1,482 6 9	
			16,73,720 4 11
	Debenture Interest Account—		
V	Unclaimed debenture interest ...	.....	4,37,791 5 4
	Miscellaneous Funds—		
V	Revenue Reserve Fund	21,75,320 8 9	
	Vessels Replacement Fund ...	11,74,697 13 0	
	Fire Insurance Fund	7,35,032 6 2	
	Fines Fund	1,205 3 2	
	Reserve Fund for depreciation of Provident Fund Investments ...	36,938 15 11	
			41,23,194 15 0
	Total ...	.....	15,33,44,193 10 7

N. G. PARK,

The 7th August 1918. *Chief Accountant.*

Subject to the corrections explained in the

T. H. WORGAN,

Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

at 31st March 1918.

No. I.

Account No.	ASSETS.					
II	**Capital Account—**					
	Debits on this account			.....		14,24,85,347 13 4
V	**Outstanding Bills Recoverable—**					
		Rs.	A.	P.		
	Coal, Petroleum and Marine charges ...	3,63,745	7	5		
	Rent and other miscellaneous charges ...	2,40,600	7	0		
					6,04,345 14 5	
V	**Outstanding Earnings**				59,685 5 8	
V	**Sundry Outstandings—**					
	Debits pending adjustment (including excess in the Sinking Fund) ...				3,12,085 3 1	
	Debits pending recovery (for stores supplied and works done)				63,525 10 9	
	Advances on imprest accounts ...				4,065 0 0	
	Advances to employees for investment in the Indian War Loan ...				63,006 2 0	
	Unadjusted workshop charges (pending completion of works)				15,489 7 4	
V	Bank of Bengal, Debenture-holders' Interest Account				3,81,451 5 4	
V	National Bank of India, Ld., sterling Debenture loan of £700,000 Interest Account				51,750 0 0	
V	Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, sterling Debenture loan of £500,000 Interest Account ...				4,590 0 0	
						15,59,994 0 7
V	**Investment of Miscellaneous Funds—**					
	Revenue Reserve Fund ...				15,84,181 0 0	
	Vessels Replacement Fund ...				7,14,332 8 0	
	Fire Insurance Fund ...				5,81,524 0 0	
						28,80,037 8 0
V	**Stock Account—**					
	Stores in hand				14,49,087 13 9	
	Stores in transit				13,654 5 6	
						14,62,742 3 3
	Howrah Bridge Account ...				.....	6,28,420 0 3
	Cash in Banks, in Sterling Treasury Bills and in hand—					
V	Coutts & Co., London, on current account				21,192 3 0	
V	London Agent				97,174 6 0	
...	Bank of Bengal on current account ...				1,97,703 9 10	
...	Fixed deposit with Bank of Bengal				31,00,000 0 0	
...	Sterling Treasury Bills ...				8,50,053 8 0	
...	Cash in hand				61,528 6 4	
						43,27,652 1 2
	Total ...				.....	15,33,44,193 10 7

S. C. WILLIAMS,
Vice-Chairman.

Audit Certificate dated 26th September 1918

U. L MAJUMDAR.
Accountant-General, Bengal.

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

Capital Account

Dr. ACCOUNT

	Expenditure to 31st March 1917.	Expenditure during 1917-18.	Total.
I.—To Block—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
* Cost price of land, works, etc., closed to Block Account ...	10,62,07,679 8 9	1,65,08,284 15 5	12,27,15,964 8 2
II.—To Works in Progress—			
Expenditure on works completed but not fully paid for and works under construction	3,32,54,427 1 11	Cr. 1,48,66,039 5 2	1,83,88,387 12 9
	13,94,62,106 10 8	16,42,245 10 3	14,11,04,352 4 11
III.—To Discount on Loans	13,21,345 0 5	.....	13,21,345 0 5
IV.—To Stamp duty on Debenture loans...	1,85,000 0 0	Cr. 75,349 8 0	59,650 8 0
Total ...	14,09,18,451 11 1	15,66,896 2 3	14,24,85,347 13 4
V.—To Balance...	.....	.....	48,82,655 12 2
Total ...	.....	.....	14,68,68,003 9 6

* Includes Rs. 11,53,214-8-6 book value of vessels, plant, machinery, material, etc., taken over by Government to be adjusted on replacement.

N. G. PARK,
Chief Accountant.
The 7th August 1918.

Subject to the corrections explained in the

T. H. WORGAN,
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

to 31st March 1918.

No. II. **Cr.**

	Receipts to 31st March 1917	Receipts during 1917-18	Payments during 1917-18	Total	Total
	Rs A P	Rs A P.	Rs A P	Rs A P.	Rs A P
I.—By Government Loans—					
Loan for Port	17,65,000 0 0	.....	.....	17,65,000 0 0	
Do. Docks	2,87,70,565 14 8	.....	.....	2,87,70,565 14 8	
Less—Repaid	22,60,562 5 1	3,57,053 10 4	.....	26,17,615 15 5	
	2,65,10,003 9 7	Dr 3,57,053 10 4	.....	2,61,52,949 15 3	
	2,82,75,003 9 7	Dr 3,57,053 10 4	.....	2,79,17,949 15 3	2,79,17,949 15 3
II.—By Debenture Loans—					
Debenture Loans to end of 1917-18	9,64,35,600 0 0	.....	.....	9,64,35,600 0 0	
	9,64,35,600 0 0	.....	.....	9,64,35,600 0 0	
Less—At credit of Sinking Fund	1,66,53,915 0 10	22,40,544 3 9	.....	1,88,94,459 4 7	
	7,97,81,684 15 2	Dr. 22,40,544 3 9	.....	7,75,41,140 11 5	7,75,41,140 11 5
III.—By Temporary loans in connection with Budge Budge Petroleum Depot extension ...	.....	2,27,691 0 1	.....	2,27,691 0 1	2,27,691 0 1
IV.—By Contributions and Transfers from Government—					
Contribution for road north of Aheeritollah	74,584 0 0	.....	.....	74,584 0 0	
Transfer of landing stage at Prinsep's Ghat	10,000 0 0	.....	.....	10,000 0 0	
Transfer of Port Approaches Block	3,91,661 0 0	.. ..	1,56,200 0 0	2,35,461 0 0	
War Material Suspense Account	.....	13,04,584 5 3	.....	13,04,584 5 3	
	4,76,245 0 0	13,04,584 5 3	1,56,200 0 0	16,24,579 5 3	16,24,579 5 3
V.—By Contributions from Revenue—					
Repayment of Consolidated Loan	60,25,100 0 0	... ..	.....	60,25,100 0 0	
Repayment of Debenture Loans	60,00,000 0 0	... .	.....	60,00,000 0 0	
New Works	40,12,916 1 10	18,272 14 6	2,43,836 6 8	37,87,352 9 8	
Sinking Fund on Debenture Loans	1,66,53,915 0 10	22,40,544 3 9	...	1,88,94,459 4 7	
Repayment of Kidderpere Dock Loan	22,60,562 5 1	3,57,053 10 4	...	26,17,615 15 5	
	3,49,52,493 7 9	26,15,870 12 7	2,43,836 6 8	3,73,24,527 13 8	3,73,24,527 13 8
VI.—By Vessels Replacement Fund—					
Amount Contributed to Capital Account for new works ...	19,22,635 0 2	2,56,782 5 9	... .	21,79,417 5 11	21,79,417 5 11
VII.—By Deposits—					
Amount received from the public for special works	10,793 6 6	.....	.....	10,793 6 6	10,793 6 6
VIII.—By sale of Structures—					
Old Army Remount Depôt ...	41,757 4 9	146 10 8	.. ...	41,903 15 5	41,903 15 5
Total ...	14,54,60,612 11 11	18,07,427 4 8	4,00,036 6 8	14,68,68,008 9 6	
				TOTAL ...	14,68,68,008 9 6

S. C. WILLIAMS,
Vice-Chairman.

Audit Certificate dated 25th September 1918

U. L. MAJUMDAR,
Accountant-General, Bengal.

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

Revenue

ACCOUNT

Dr.

EXPENDITURE.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
To	I.—Control and General—						
	(*a*) Offices of Vice-Chairman, Chief Engineer, Traffic Manager, Deputy Conservator, Chief Accountant and Store-keeper ...	5,84,417	15	8			
	(*b*) Pensions and Leave Allowances	1,93,999	2	1			
	(*c*) Miscellaneous, including London Agency ...	2,86,022	10	4			
					10,64,439	12	1
„	II.—Jetties				8,68,320	10	3
„	III.—Tea Warehouse				1,63,430	14	7
„	IV.—Petroleum Wharf				28,927	8	1
„	V.—Inland Vessels Wharves				1,88,255	14	1
„	VI.—Rentable Lands and Buildings				1,35,690	7	5
„	VII.—Port				6,46,932	4	0
„	VIII.—Port Approaches				8,31,480	14	11
„	IX.—Railway				12,02,577	5	10
„	X.—Wet Docks				27,78,162	11	10
„	XI.—Dry Docks				82,215	10	5
„	XII.—Ferry Service				3,13,320	2	4
„	Balance carried to Nett Revenue Account (page 9) ...				74,53,843	14	10
	Total				1,57,57,598	2	8

N. G. PARK,
Chief Accountant.

The 7th August 1918.

T. H. WORGAN.
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

Account for 1917-18.

No. III.

Cr.

INCOME

		Rs.	A.	P.
By	I.—Control	49,257	1	1
„	II.—Jetties	16,35,102	9	5
„	III.—Tea Warehouse	4,59,795	13	3
„	IV.—Petroleum Wharf	3,93,140	11	7
„	V.—Inland Vessels Wharves	1,23,308	13	3
„	VI.—Rentable Lands and Buildings ...	8,25,220	0	7
„	VII.—Port	4,12,514	8	7
„	VIII.—Port Approaches	5,21,494	15	9
„	IX.—Railway	13,47,245	10	11
„	X.—Wet Docks	36,62,894	8	6
„	XI.—Dry Docks	2,49,074	10	9
„	XII.—Ferry Service	4,08,776	13	2
„	XIII.—River Dues	12,12,954	1	11
„	XIV.—Special War Surcharges	39,90,286	8	1
„	Sale of unserviceable materials	1,05,354	3	4
„	Contribution from Howrah Bridge	22,692	12	6
„	Amount transferred from Capital to Revenue on account of haulage and maintenance of rolling stock including establishment employed on reclamation works chargeable to Capital ...	38,184	4	0
	Total	1,57,57,598	2	8

S. C. WILLIAMS,
Vice-Chairman.

U. L. MAJUMDAR,
Accountant-General, Bengal

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

Nett Revenue

ACCOUNT

Dr.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
To Interest on Government Loans—						
On Loan for Port (Book Debt) ...	79,425	0	0			
On Loan for Docks	10,56,864	15	4			
				11,36,289	15	4
To Interest on Debenture Loans—						
On Loans issued in India ...	24,25,342	9	5			
On £1,200,000 sterling loans issued in England*	7,20,000	0	0			
				31,45,342	9	5
To Sinking Fund Charges, etc.—						
On Government Loan for Docks ...	3,57,053	10	4			
On Debenture Loans	16,50,036	12	6			
				20,07,090	6	10
To Contributions to Funds—						
Contribution to Vessels Replacement Fund (Ordinary)	2,00,000	0	0			
Contribution to Vessels Replacement Fund (Special)†‡	3,00,000	0	0			
				5,00,000	0	0
To Depreciation of securities—						
Revenue Reserve Fund†‡ ...	1,76,589	12	0			
Vessels Replacement Fund†‡ ...	58,585	7	5			
Fire Insurance Fund†‡	1,17,076	14	0			
				3,52,252	1	5
To Reserve Fund for depreciation of securities of Provident Fund†‡	.....			34,620	2	7
„ War Bonus to clerical and menial staffs†‡	.....			1,50,000	0	0
„ Balance carried to General Balance sheet	.....			2,41,483	7	10
Total ...				75,67.078	11	5

* At 1s. 4d. the rupee.
† Sanctioned by the Commissioners at their 1688th meeting held on 29th April 1918.

N. G. PARK.
Chief Accountant.
The 7th August 1918.

‡These payments were not covered by sanction during the year 1917-18 whereas they should have been.

T. H. WORGAN,
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

Account for 1917-18.

No. IV.

Cr.

	Rs.	A.	P.
By Balances—			
Balance carried forward from 1916-17 ...	31 658	0	7
Balance brought forward from Revenue Account for 1917-18 (page 6)	74,53,843	14	10
By Interest—			
Interest on Revenue Reserve Fund Investments	81,576	12	0
Total ...	75,67,078	11	5

S. C. WILLIAMS,
Vice-Chairman.

Subject to the corrections explained in the audit certificate dated 25th September 1918.

U. L. MAJUMDAR,
Accountant-General, Bengal.

HOWRAH BRIDGE.

Balance Sheet as at 31st March 1918.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Contribution from Revenue—			Block of Howrah Bridge	.....	25,25,598 5 2
For repayment of Capital debt existing at the time of the transfer of the Bridge to the Commissioners ...	21,16,800 0 0		Reserve Fund Investment—		
			3½ per cent. G P. Notes for Rs. 5,12,500 at cost	.....	4,90,808 6 0
For new works ...	61,377 11 10		Reserve Section—		
		21,78,177 11 10	Value of Block ...	1,08,761 1 9	
			4 per cent. C. P. T. Deb. for Rs. 25,000 at cost	24,500 0 0	1,33,261 1 9
Contribution from Reserve Fund—					
For new works ...	.....	3,29,289 2 4	Pontoon Renewal Fund Investment—		
			Rs.		
Contribution from Pontoon Renewal Fund—			4 per cent. C. P. T. Deb. for 71,000		
For new pontoons...	.....	18,131 7 0	3½ per cent. G. P. Notes for 10,000		
			81,000		
Reserve Fund ...	.....	3,60,760 9 3	at cost ...	.....	79,144 9 7
Reserve Section Fund	.....	1,33,866 2 0			
			Suspense Account—		
Pontoon Renewal Fund	.....	1,00,468 15 6	Stock of battens ...	25,574 11 11	
Calcutta Port Commissioners ...	.....	6,28,420 0 3	Stock of mooring materials ...	28,937 12 1	
			Items pending adjustment	62,844 13 0	1,17,357 5 0
			Balance on Revenue Account at 31st March 1918	.....	4,02,944 4 8
Total ...	.....	37,49,114 0 2	Total ...		37,49,114 0 2

N. G. PARK,
Chief Accountant.

S. C. WILLIAMS,
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U. L. MAJUMDAR,
Accountant-General, Bengal.

T. H. WORGAN,
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

The 7th August 1918.

HOWRAH

Dr. *Revenue Account*

Grant No.	Expenditure.	Revised estimate.	Actuals.					
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
	ESTABLISHMENT.							
1	Office	3,708	3,505	6	9			
2	Bridge	35,500	34 515	4	3			
3	Ferry Steamer *Howrah* ...	9,756	10,046	0	6			
4	,, ,, *Buckland* ...	6,156	6,325	3	6			
5	Armenian Ghat landing stage	624	624	0	0			
6	Howrah landing stage ...	624	622	3	0			
7	Leave and acting allowances ...	240	336	1	6			
8	Compassionate allowances ...	444	332	3	6			
9	Police	2,948	3,178	15	8			
	Total ...	60,000				59,485	6	8
	STORES.							
10	For Bridge	8,000	5,406	9	11			
11	,, Steamer *Howrah* ...	3,500	4,351	12	7			
12	,, ,, *Buckland* ...	3,500	3,458	15	1			
	Total ...	15,000				13,217	5	7
	MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS.							
	Bridge—							
13	Metalled approaches ...	1,000	3,995	15	6			
14	Abutments							
15	Chief Officer's and lascars' quarters	100	203	13	0			
16	Pontoons, fenders and shieldings	20,000	20,051	8	4			
17	Superstructure ...	18,000	18,289	7	0			
18	Roadway surface and footpaths	55,000	53,800	5	0			
19	Watering roadway ...	2,000	3,270	8	8			
20	Bridge openings	...	2,049	15	6			
21	Damage repairs	...	2,931	4	1			
22	General charges	...	2,139	12	10			
23	Electric lamps	500	957	11	2			
24	Dredging	40,000	31,136	0	0			
	Vessels and Boats—							
25	*Howrah*	3,000	4,556	11	8			
26	*Buckland*	3,500	3,910	11	7			
27	Buoy boat	800	1,010	2	8			
28	Commission on workshop charges	5,000	2,848	15	2			
		1,48,900				1,51,182	14	2
	Carried over ...	2,23,900	.....			2,23,885	10	5

BRIDGE.

for the year to 31st March 1918. **Cr.**

Income.	Revised Estimate.	Actuals.	
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts from railway traffic (E. I. Ry.)	2,65,000	.....	2,63,963 7 3
Contribution from Bengal-Nagpur Railway ...	26,000	.....	26,000 0 0
Earnings of Ferry Steamers—			
Buckland ...	18,000	50 0 0	
Howrah ...		20,940 0 10	
			20,990 0 10
Interest on Investments ...	18,913	.. ...	18,913 10 0
Rent of Howarh Dockyard Land	7,055	.....	7,056 1 0
Miscellaneous receipts ...	32	.....	.....
Recoveries for damages ...	...	.....	6,360 12 7
Carried over ...	3,35,000	.....	3,43,283 15 8

HOWRAH

Dr. *Revenue Account*

Grant No.	Expenditure.	Revised estimate.	Actuals.	
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Brought forward ...	2,23,900	.....	2,23,885 10 5
	Miscellaneous.			
27	Contribution to the Calcutta Port Trust for administration	18.500	18,500 0 0	
28	Contribution to the Calcutta Port Trust for use of S. L. *Psyche*	1,500	1,343 13 4	
29	Lighting	6,000	7,445 11 6	
30	Advertising	3,000	3,821 13 9	
31	Stationery and Printing ...	500	472 5 7	
32	Rent of telephone ...	150	150 0 0	
33	Uniforms	700	704 5 0	
34	Taxes	804	818 1 6	
35	Sundry charges not classed ...	846	218 12 1	
36	Interest on advances from Port Trust	20,000	28,343 0 0	
		52,000	61,817 14 9	61,817 14 9
	Extraordinary Expenditure—			
	(*a*) Renewals to Bridge structure	1,31,619	1,21,299 1 10	
	(*b*) Repairs to Howrah Ferry Landing stage ...	...	20,192 12 4	
			1,41,491 14 2	1,41,491 14 2
	Total Expenditure ...	4,07,519	.....	4,27,195 7 4
			Total ...	4,27,195 7 4
				Revenue
	Balance brought forward from last year ...		...	3,19,032 13 0
	Deficit for 1917-18 brought down ...		...	83,911 7 8
			Total ...	4,02,944 1 8

N. G. PARK,
Chief Accountant.

The 7th August 1918.

T. H. WORGAN,
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

BRIDGE.

for the year to 31st March 1918. **Cr.**

Income.	Revised Estimate.	Actuals.	
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brought forward ...	3,35,000	.....	3,43,283 15 8
Total Income ...	3,35,000	.. ...	3,43,283 15 8
Deficit for 1917-18 carried down		... ...	83,911 7 8
		Total ...	4,27,195 7 4

Balance Account.

Balance at 31st March 1918 ...		... ...	4,02,944 4 8
		Total ...	4,02,944 4 8

S. C. WILLIAMS,
Vice-Chairman.

U. L. MAJUMDAR,
Accountant-General, Bengal.

Audit Certificate on the Accounts of the Calcutta Port Trust and of the Howrah Bridge for the year 1917-18.

CERTIFIED that the accounts of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta and of the Howrah Bridge for the year 1917-18 have been audited under our supervision. Exception must be taken in audit to a credit of Rs. 82,821 in the Revenue Fund Account, which represents a withdrawal of that amount from the Sinking Fund in excess of the amount available for withdrawal as certified by the Accountant-General, Bengal, under Section 24-A of the Calcutta Port Act: Certified also that the Balance Sheets and the Statements of Income and Expenditure prepared from the accounts have been checked and found to agree with the books. The balance of the Nett Revenue Account is in excess by Rs. 82,821 and the Miscellaneous and Suspense Accounts balance is short by the same amount. The value of half of the Block "Railway sub-way at Howrah Bridge", amounting to Rs. 1,94,691-6-11, created out of the H. B. Reserve Fund, has not been added to the balance of the H. B. Block and "Contribution from Reserve Fund". A separate communication will be addressed to the Commissioners and to the Local Government dealing with instances in which the financial provisions of the Calcutta Port Act appear to have been departed from.

U. L. MAJUMDAR,
Accountant-General, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th September 1918.

T. H. WORGAN,
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT ON THE WORKING OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES IN BENGAL, FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE 1918.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Agriculture Branch.

CALCUTTA, THE 20TH NOVEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 8646Agri.

READ—

The Report on the Working of Co-operative Societies in Bengal for the year ending the 30th June 1918.

THE principal features of the year ending the 30th June 1918 are first a very marked extension of the machinery for organization and control. and second the strain which has been put upon societies by the low prices

obtained by cultivators for their jute and rice. The total number of societies and members now stand at 3,643 and 162,986 ; and the working capital is rupees 1 crore 19 lakhs.

2. Three Deputy Collectors chosen for their experience in co-operation were deputed during the year to assist the Registrar. The powers of a Registrar have been conferred upon them, and they have been entrusted with the supervision of definite areas within which they reside. The number of inspectors has been raised from 22 to 41, and a chief auditor and 14 auditors, the former partly and the latter wholly paid by contributions levied from societies, have been appointed. The inauguration of the Bengal Provincial Co-operative Federation and that of the Bengal Co-operative Organization Society also provide a notable addition to the means for encouraging and controlling the movement. The Public Demands Recovery Amendment Act has provided improved facilities for liquidation. The Registrar's report contains evidence that the co-operative movement in Bengal stands in need of the most careful guidance by these new officers and organizations.

3. Though excellent crops of jute and rice were harvested, the shortage of transport resulted in abnormally low prices ; consequently recoveries were seriously affected, and societies showed caution in advancing loans. The Central Banks advanced Rs. 18 lakhs in 1917-18 compared with Rs. 26½ lakhs in 1916-17, while their recoveries fell from nearly Rs. 15 lakhs or 21·4 per cent. of the outstanding loans to Rs. 10¾ lakhs or 14·7 per cent. Similarly, agricultural societies advanced Rs. 23¾ lakhs compared with Rs. 26½ lakhs in the previous year, and recovered Rs. 15¼ lakhs compared with Rs. 18¾ lakhs ; and the overdue loans rose from Rs. 17 lakhs to Rs. 28 lakhs. It is satisfactory to learn that with the improvement in the price of jute in the current year collections are now progressing satisfactorily. The amount of overdue loans is serious, but there can be no question of the relief which co-operation has afforded in a season of unusual difficulty, and the increase in the reserve funds from under Rs. 11 to over Rs. 13 lakhs is a satisfactory feature.

4. The Provincial Bank, or, more correctly, the Provincial Co-operative Federation, began its operations on the 1st April 1918. Its main object is to assist its member societies in obtaining funds from outside their areas ; and within three months of its inauguration, 28 out of 52 Central Banks had joined. The depositors who had previously invested money in individual Central Banks have shown their appreciation of the improved security offered by the Federation, and Rs. 13 lakhs out of Rs. 20 lakhs thus invested have been transferred to it from individual banks at reduced rates of interest. The Federation has made a favourable start, and it affords excellent prospects for the economical utilization of surplus funds.

5. The number of Central Banks has increased from 47 to 52 ; their working capital from Rs. 59 lakhs to Rs. 67½ lakhs ; and their paid-up share capital from Rs. 8¾ lakhs to Rs. 10 lakhs. Only 11 of these banks have appointed paid secretaries or assistant secretaries. The number of supervisional unions is still 13, and the conditions of the year did not encourage rural societies to combine into unions and undertake the liabilities of others in addition to their own.

6. There are now 3,374 agricultural societies, compared with 2,857 at the end of 1916-17 and 2,067 at the end of 1915-16. The number of members has increased by 13·1 per cent. and is now 125,590, and the working capital by 20 per cent. to Rs. 80½ lakhs. The increase in the inspecting staff is reported to have resulted in a decrease of the misdeeds of office-bearers ; but the detailed classification of societies shows that there are still more than 400 societies which do not deserve the title of co-operative societies, and which must either mend their ways or be dissolved.

7. Among non-agricultural societies the most interesting development is that of weaving societies to which the high prices of cloth have directed special attention. The number of these societies increased from 34 to 65 ; and towards the end of the year the Bankura District Industrial Co-operative Union was registered with the objects of financing the industrial societies in Bankura district, of supplying raw material and of helping in the disposal of produce. The report shows that no pains have been spared in the

organization of these societies; but future prospects are uncertain, chiefly on account of the thriftless habits of the weavers. Fishermen's societies have increased from 16 to 25, but it has not yet been found possible to establish co-operative methods of fishing and disposal of fish. The six milk societies in Barasat subdivision which now send nine maunds of milk daily to Calcutta indicate one line of action in dealing with the difficult problem of milk supply in cities. The cost of management is high, and the most hopeful prospect of diminishing the cost is by combination among societies and the increase of their number. No relaxation of the methods adopted for ensuring purity of the supply should be allowed with a view to decreasing the cost of management. The Naugaon Ganja Cultivators Society has achieved a notable success on a large scale, making a profit of Rs. 5 lakhs during the year. In view of the opposition which it encountered at its inauguration this success is particularly gratifying.

8. The Bengal Co-operative Organization Society has been started with the object of developing general interest in co-operation. It has taken over the Co-operative Journal which is now shared with the province of Bihar and Orissa, and also publishes a monthly Bengali journal for the benefit of rural societies. A library has been opened, and a programme of public lectures has been arranged. The interest which this organization has evoked is only one out of many indications of the favourable attitude of the public towards the movement.

9. His Excellency in Council has read Mr Donovan's report with great interest and is satisfied that much valuable work has been done during the year. He records his thanks to all those who have given assistance and in particular, to Professors Coyajee and Mukharji for their work in connection with the Co-operative Journal. His Excellency had occasion during the year under report, when opening the Provincial Co-operative Conference, to express his confidence in the value of co-operation and his determination to give it all possible support. Each year shows more clearly the immense possibilities for good which co-operation offers in Bengal; but the full realization of these possibilities can only be achieved if all official and honorary workers are determined to tolerate no slackness or selfishness, and to be content only with the highest standards of co-operation.

By order of the Governor in Council,

M. C. McALPIN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR OCTOBER 1918.

I. **Character of season.**—The rainfall was much in defect throughout the province. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. **Progress of agricultural operations.**—Harvesting of jute was finished. Lands were being prepared for the spring crops. Sowing commenced, but the operations were impeded for want of rain and sufficient moisture in the soil.

III. **State of standing crops.**—Absence of October rains has adversely affected the winter rice crop.

IV. **Prospects and probable outturn.**—The prospects of the winter rice crop were unfavourable in Northern and Western Bengal, but fair in Eastern Bengal. The outturn of the crop is expected to fall below the normal.

V. **Damage to standing crops.**—Continued drought caused paddy to wither in many places of the province. Damage is apprehended to be considerable.

VI. **Condition of agricultural stock.**—Cattle-disease was reported from parts of Burdwan, Bankura and Cooch Behar. The condition of agricultural stock was fair.

VII. **Failure of pasturage and fodder.**—Fodder was insufficient in some tracts of Northern and Eastern Bengal, more especially in the flood-affected areas.

VIII. **Prices of food-grains.**—During the second fortnight of the month under review the prices of common rice rose in eleven districts, fell in six, and remained stationary in the rest. The prices varied from 10 seers per rupee at Jessore and the Chittagong Hill Tracts to 6 seers 8 chitaks at Darjeeling.

IX. **Condition of agricultural people.**—The condition of agricultural people was reported as fair.

N. GUPTA,

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 23rd November 1918.*

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during October 1918.

Division	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of October 1918.	Actual district rainfall for the month of October 1918.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	4·64	0·28	−4·36
	Calcutta ...	3·83	0·29	−3·54
	Nadia ...	3·66	0·07	−3·59
	Murshidabad ...	3·46	0·12	−3·34
	Jessore ...	4·32	0·23	−4·09
	Khulna ...	5·04	0·54	−4·50
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	2·61	0·10	−2·51
	Birbhum ...	3·19	0·30	−2·89
	Bankura ...	2·76	0·19	−2·57
	Midnapore ...	4·64	0·13	−4·51
	Hooghly ...	3·75	Nil	−3·75
	Howrah ...	3·55	0·07	−3·48
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	3·59	0·79	−2·80
	Dinajpur ...	3·54	0·76	−2·78
	Jalpaiguri ...	5·03	2·52	−2·51
	Darjeeling ...	4·52	0·93	−3·59
	Rangpur ...	4·72	0·45	−4·27
	Bogra ...	4·30	0·51	−3·79
	Pabna ...	4·21	0·17	−4·04
	Malda ...	3·41	0·52	−2·89
Dacca ...	Dacca ...	4·66	0·78	−3·88
	Mymensingh ...	4·95	1·50	−3·45
	Faridpur ...	5·25	0·39	−4·86
	Bakarganj ...	6·38	3·06	−3·32
Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	7·31	6·70	−0·61
	Tippera ...	5·17	1·28	−3·89
	Noakhali ...	8·06	6·33	−1·73
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	7·01	3·04	−3·97
	Cooch Behar ...	5·62	0·74	−4·88

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 21st November 1918.

Summary.—There was no rain during the week excepting light showers in some of the eastern districts. Rain is urgently wanted for the sowing and growth of the spring crops. Their prospects are unfavourable. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced. In some places the standing paddy crop is drying up and ripening prematurely especially in the western districts. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 2·3 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	7½	7 9/16	Rain is urgently wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced in Diamond Harbour subdivision. Harvesting of sugarcane continues in Basirhat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	7½	7½	
	Barrackpore	Nil	6½	6½	
	Barasat ...	Nil	9 7/16	9 1/16	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8	8½	
2	Nadia ...	0·10	7	6⅞	Prospects of standing crops are not favourable. Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	7½	7½	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	7½	8	Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable. *Aman* paddy has been greatly affected for want of rain.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8½	8½	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are poor. Damage by insects is reported from Sadar and Narail subdivisions.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	10½	10½	
	Magura ...	Nil	9½	11	
	Narail ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	7	7	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7½	9½	Weather cloudy. Condition and prospects of *aman* paddy are favourable. Harvesting has commenced.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8½	9	

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7	7	Weather warm. Winter paddy, sugarcane and other standing crops are suffering for want of rain. Harvesting of early *aman* paddy has commenced. Sowings of *rabi* crops and potatoes are progressing.
	Asansol ...	Nil	7¼	(*n*)	
	Katwa ...	Nil	7	8¼	
	Kalna ...	Nil	6⅞	6⅞	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	(*n*)	7	Report not received.
	Rampurhat	Nil	(*n*)	7¼	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of winter paddy has begun. A considerable part of the crop has been destroyed by drought. Prospects of *rabi* are poor.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7	7	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	$8\frac{1}{16}$	$8\frac{1}{16}$	Sowing of mustard, rape, linseed and tobacco is in progress. Washing of jute is going on. Prospects of winter rice are unfavourable.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	$6\frac{9}{16}$	$6\frac{9}{16}$	
	Contai ...	Nil	8	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	7	7	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are unfavourable. *Aman* paddy is drying up and becoming prematurely ripe.
	Serampore ...	Nil	6	6	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8	8	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced. Sowing of *rabi* crops is impeded for want of rain.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA)	Nil	8	9	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of winter paddy has begun. Prospects are unfavourable.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	9	9	
	Nator ...	Nil	8	9	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7⅞	8⅛	Rain is badly wanted. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Condition and prospects of the winter rice crop are not good.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	9	9	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	(*n*)	$9\frac{9}{16}$	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8¼	8	Prospects of *haimantic* paddy and other standing crops are fair.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	Darjeeling	Nil	7½	7½	Harvesting of cardamom is completed. *Marua* is being harvested. Winter rice and potatoes are progressing well. Harvesting has commenced.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7	
16	Rangpur ...	Nil	8	7	Weather seasonable. Sowing of potatoes and mustard is going on. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of winter paddy has just commenced.
	Nilphamari	Nil	7¾	8	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	0·05	6⅞	6¾	
17	Bogra ...	Nil	8½	8½	Sowing of *rabi* crops is almost finished. Prospects of standing crops are poor for want of rain.
18	Pabna ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are not good.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	7	7½	
19	Malda ...	Nil	8	8	Prospect of winter paddy and other crops is not good. Scarcity of fodder is reported from Bamangola thana.
20	Cooch Behar	Nil	8⅛	8⅛	Washing of jute continues in Tufanganj subdivision. Harvesting of *haimanti* paddy has commenced at places.
21	Dacca ...	Nil	7	7 to 8½	Weather cloudy. Rain is wanted for *rabi* crops. Prospects of spring crops are fair. Much damage was caused to winter rice crop by *ufra* disease which is steadily spreading in many parts of the district.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	old 7-0 new 8½	8½	
	Narayanganj	0·00	7	7	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	7¾	8	
22	Mymensingh	Nil	6 13/16	6 13/16	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Netrokona ...	Nil	(*n*)	8	
	Kishoreganj	Nil	7¾	8	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	0·33	8½	8½	Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8⅝	9	
	Madaripur ..	Nil	8	8	
	Gopalganj*...	Nil	8	8½	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0·00	6	7	Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Pirojpur ...	0·01	5(?)	7½	
	Patuakhali	0·26	7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	0·19	7	7½	
25	CHITTAGONG	0·26	8	8	Weather cloudy. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	0·91	9	9	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8	8	Weather hot and dry. Ploughing for *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced in Brahmanbaria subdivision The crop has been much damaged by insects in many parts of the district. Prospects are fair.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8⅝	8	
	Chandpur ...	0·30	8	8	
27	NOAKHALI ...	0·79	8	9	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ...	0·46	9 7/16	9½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS	1·85	6	7	Prospects of standing crops are fair Harvesting of cotton crops continues: outturn good.

* The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here

N. GUPTA,

DACCA, *the 24th November 1918*, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Sangor Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
		Diamond Harbour	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
		Budge-Budge	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...
		Canning Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barrackpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dum-Dum	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barasat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Basirhat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...
	Nadia	Ranaghat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Krishnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chuadanga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Meherpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haringhata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad.	Kandi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Berhampore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalbagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jangipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Akriganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Patkabari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumkal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliyaganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore	Narail	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jhenida	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Magura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bangaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khulna	Satkhira	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagerhat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·17	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·11	0·49	0·11	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliganj*	...												0·40							
		Nakipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumuria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalaroa*	...												0·08							
		Paikgachha	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·24	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...
		Mollahat	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·80	0·35	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Moreiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Burdwan	Kalna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Katwa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amnsol	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mankar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mangalkot*	...																			
		Roynа	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Monteswar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Birbhum	Suri*	...																			
		Hetampur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampur Hat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur*	...																			
		Murarai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Labpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bankura	Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Vishnupur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...
		Mallara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khatra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Indas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kotalpur*	...																			
		Onda*	...																			
		Gangajalghati	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Souamukhi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Taldangra*	...																			
		Saranga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Indpur*	...																			
		Arhra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barjora*	...																			
		Shulapal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mejia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Midnapore	Contai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tamluk	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ghatal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kukrahati	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amlagura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panskura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dantan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandrakona*	...																			
		Pachet*	...																			
		Bhagwanpur*	...																			
		Kultikri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nayabasan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sida (Belpahari)*	...																			
		Chandri*	...																			
		Goaltore*	...																			
		Salboni*	...																			
		Naraingarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Henria*	...																			
		Jenka (*Khajri*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nandigram*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Moyna*	...																			
		Pingla*	...																			
		Narajole	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1918.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st to 31st October 1918.	Average rainfall from 1st to 31st October 1918.	Station.	District.	Division.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4·5	0·11	4·10	0·11	0·11	4·10	Krishnagar.		
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												(a)		6·03			6·03	Nandigram.		
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(a) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Burdwan.	Hooghly	Serampore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Arambagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohesrekha	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Uluberia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi.	Boalia	Boalia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nator	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Naugaon*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bilmaria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahadebpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 05	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tanor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chengram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Nawabganj*	...																			
		Gangarampur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·57	...	0 49	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Churamon	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raiganj*	...																			
		Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Balurghat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Thakurgaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Setahganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Atwari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bliganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Parbatipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Alipur Duars	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...
		Falakata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·80	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Debiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Buxa	...	3·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·84	...	...	...	1·38	...	...	...	...
		Kalchini	0·04	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·36	0·48	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kumargram	0·23	0·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·03	...	0·63	...	...	...
	Darjeeling	Siliguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darjeeling	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·02	...	...	...	0·01	0·16	...
		Kalimpong	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mongpoo	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01
		Kurseong	0·07	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pedong	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangpur	Bhawanigan (*Gaibandha*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Pirganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Gobindganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagdogra (*Nilphamari*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Sundergan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Bogra	Sherpur*	...																			
		Nowshilla*	...																			
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		Panchbibi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khetlal*	...																			
	Pabna	Shahzadpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·03	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
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		Sara*	...																			
	Malda	Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Gomastapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Nawabganj	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·04	1·06	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayanganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·25	...	...	...	...	...
		Narsingdi	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·48	0·25	0·25	0·26	0·01	...	...	...	...
		Manikganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·45	0·30	0·12	...	...	...	...	...
		Joydebpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kapasia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·80	0·10	0·02	0·10	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	Kishorganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	...	0·35	0·15	1·90	...	...	...	...
		Atia (*Tangail*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·20	0·25	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Sarisabari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mymensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	1·07	0·13	...	...	...	...
		Jamalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Netrokona	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	0·02	2·61	0·11	...	...	...	...
		Pingna	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Sherpur* (*Town*)																				
		Dewanganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nalitabari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1918—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st to 31st October 1918.	Average rainfall from 1st to 31st October 1918.	Station.	District.	Division.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·7	...	4·98	...	...	4·98	Sherpur* (*Town*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·05	...	...	1	3·6	0·30	4·94	0·25	0·30	4·94	Dewanganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	1	5·1	0·55	4·89	0·55	0·55	4·89	Naltabari.		

(a) Not ascertained.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Dacca—concluded.	Faridpur...	Madaripur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·04	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
		Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·47	0·62	0·10	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari (Goalundo).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·30	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haridaspur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·06	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...
		Tashirhat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhanga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pangsa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ballakandi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhusna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palong*																				
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	3·02	0 60	0·14	0·09	0·03	0·06	...	...	...
		Barguna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·45	1·85	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirozpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barisal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·43	0·86	0·13	0·10	0·10	0·39	...	...	...
		Gaurnadi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·15	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhola	...	0·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	1·80	0·53	0·14	0 15	0·62	...	...	...	...
		Daulatkhan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	1·96	0·15	0·25	0·28	0·67	...	...	...	...
		Daulatkhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	2·75	0·32	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·25	0·54	4·24	3·38	0·25	...	...	...	...	...
		Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	0·04	0·86	4·91	0·07	...	...	...	...	...
		Kutubdia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·13	3·15	8·50	0·23	...	...	...	...	...
		Satkania	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	0·40	1·20	1·90	1·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kodala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	0·23	0·97	0·22	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mirsarai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·00	1·12	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tippera	Comilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·33	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·40	...	...	0·09	0·35	0·51	...	...	...	...
		Brahmanbaria	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·62	0·11	0·19	0·68	0·03	...	...	...	...
		Ramchandrapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 12	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·42	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daudkandi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kasba	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	0·08	0·05	0·80	0·40	...	...	...	...
		Laksam	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·02	0·85	0·21	...	...	...	...	...
	Noakhali	Noakhali	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·58	...	...	1·24	0·24	0·02	1·72	0·58	...	...	...	...	...
		Feni	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	3·88	2·49	...	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya	0·08	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·54	2·05	1·94	2·63	0·98	...	...	...	...	...
		Lakhimpur*																				
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	0·05	0·91	0·27	...	...	...	...	...
		Bandarban	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	1·45	0·06	0·50	1·65	0·06	0· 2	...	...	...	...
		Barkal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	0·30	0·01	0·02	0·50	0·25	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahalcheri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·06	0·05	2·63	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lama	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·17	2·15	0·56	0·48	0·10	...	...	...	...
		Ramgarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	1·40	1·35	0·40	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala	0·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·42	0·58	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
Cooch Behar.	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Cooch Behar	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·42	...	...	...	...	...
		Mekliganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...
		Mathabhanga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	...	...
		Fulbari	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

DACCA.
The 21st November 1918.

BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1918—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st to 31st October 1918.	Average rainfall 1st to 31st October 1918.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5·5	0·14	4·53	0·10	0·14	4·53	Madaripur ...	Faridpur	Dacca—*concld.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·4	1·19	4·50	0·62	1·19	4·50	Faridpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5·5	0·57	4·11	0·30	0·57	4·11	Rajbari (Goalundo).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	0·08	5·13	0·06	0·08	5·13	Haridaspur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	Nil	(a)	0·02	4·29	0·01	0·02	4·29	Takirhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(a)	6·06	5·67	0·41	0·66	5·67	Bhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	4·73	Nil	Nil	4·73	Pangsa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(a)	0·35	5·81	0·20	0·35	5·81	Balakandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	..	1	(a)	0·49	6·72	0·49	0·49	6·72	Bhusna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		(a)		6·99			6·99	Palong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·2	4·96	7.59	3·02	4·96	7·59	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	7·0	3·45	7·73	1·82	3·45	7·73	Barguna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6·1	0·58	5·46	0·34	0·58	5·46	Pirozpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6·3	2·32	5·84	0·86	2·32	5·84	Barisal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·3	0·55	4·56	0·27	0·55	4·56	Gaurnadi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6·4	4·18	6·14	1·80	4·18	6·14	Bhola.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7·1	4·36	7·05	1·96	4·58	7·05	Daulatkhan		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6·4	4·11	6·87	2·75	4·11	6·87	Bauphal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6·7	0·83	8·24	4·24	8·83	8·24	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·78	4	6·9	7·04	7·19	4·91	7·04	7·19	Chittagong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	0·59	7	6·3	12·77	7·13	3·50	12·77	7·13	Kurubdia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6·3	5·26	6·77	1·90	5·26	6·77	Satkania.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	6	7·4	3·02	6·69	0·97	3·02	6·69	Kodala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	4	6·9	4·30	7·82	2·00	4·30	7·82	Mirsarai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6·1	1·53	5·80	1·53	1·53	5·80	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6·2	1·28	5·51	0·51	1·28	5·51	Chandpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6·1	1·68	5·21	0·68	1·68	5·21	Brahmanbaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4·6	0·92	5·69	0·60	0·92	5·69	Ramchandrapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4·7	1·03	5·05	0·42	1·03	5·05	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4·6	0·40	4·05	0·40	0·40	4·05	Daudkandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4·8	2·18	4·41	1·20	2·18	4·41	Kasba.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4·8	1·19	5·87	0·85	1·19	5·87	Laksam.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7·3	5·60	7·88	1·73	5·60	7·88	Noakhali ...	Noakhali.	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7·4	6·45	7·40	3·88	6 45	7·40	Feni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·84	...	3	7·9	9 36	9·44	4 79	9·36	9·44	Harishpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	5	5·7	3·65	6·15	1·50	3·65	6·15	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7·0	4·37	8 60	3·25	4·37	8·60	Chhagalnaiya.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	8·5	8·55	9·79	2·63	8·55	9·79	Hatiya.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				6·3	...	7·15			7·15	Lakhmipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·2	1·41	6·44	0·91	1·41	6·44	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1·2	4·14	7·17	1·65	4·14	7·17	Bandarban.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·2	1 63	7·41	0·55	1·63	7·41	Barkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	(a)	2·93	(a)	2·63	2·93	(a)	Mahalcheri.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	7	(a)	4·29	(a)	0·58	4·29	(a)	Lama.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	5	(a)	3·84	(a)	1 40	3·84	(a)	Ramgarh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7	1·63	5·15	0·58	1·63	5·15	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	...	1	5	0 64	5·42	0·58	0·64	5·42	Dinhata ...	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	3	6	0·90	5·86	0·42	0·90	5·86	Cooch Behar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	2	7	0·50	4·96	0·30	0·50	4 96	Mekliganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	...	...	...	2	8	1·13	5·55	0·63	1·13	5 55	Mathabhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	0·56	6·31	0·50	0·56	6 31	Futbari.		

(a) Not ascertained

N. GUPTA,

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 23rd November 1918.

Names of Articles	Wholesale price per maund						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rice—												
Balam, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
Patnai, coarse ..	5	7	0	6	1	0	0	2	6	.....		
„ medium ...	5	14	0	6	8	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
Nagra, coarse ...	5	8	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0
„ medium ...	6	0	0	6	10	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
Dudhkalma ...	6	0	0	6	8	0	.....			.....		
Rangoon Boiled ...	..	...		.....			0	2	0	0	2	6
Kajla	4	10	0	5	2	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
Wheat, Dudhia	7	12	0	.....			...			.....		
„ Gangajali	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali	7	4	0	.....			..	...		.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	5	12	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ dal	6	12	0	7	0	0	0	3	0	.....		
Mung , (Hari)	9	8	0	10	0	0	0	3	6	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ..	10	8	0	11	8	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Arhar „	6	12	0	9	8	0	0	3	0	0	4	0
Masur „ (split)	4	8	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	.....		
„ „ (khanri) ...	6	8	0	7	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Kalai „	9	8	0	10	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Salt	3	1	6	.....			0	1	9	.....		
Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	8	0	.....			0	5	0	.....		
Gur, Bheli	.....			.....			.....			..	...	
„ Bhursut ...	8	4	0	8	12	0	0	4	0	.....		
Milk	10	0	0	12	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil	28	0	0	29	8	0	0	10	0	0	12	0
Flour (country)	9	8	0	11	4	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Atta No. 3	5	9	0	.....								
„ „ 2½	5	12	0	.....			0	3	0	0	4	6
„ „ B	11	4	0	.....								
Suji	11	10	0	11	14	0	0	5	0	.....		
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc) ...	79	0	0	80	0	0	2	0	0	2	4	0
„ (Patiram, Khuija, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	68	0	0	70	0	0	.....			.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	65	0	0	66	0	0	1	12	0	.....		
Maize	4	4	0	4	8	0	.....			.....		
Potato	8	0	0	8	4	0	0	3	6	0	5	0
Patal	.....			.....			0	5	0	.....		
Brinjal	2	12	0	3	0	0	0	1	6	0	2	6
Onion	4	12	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Fish, Rahu	16	0	0	20	0	0	.....			.....		
Mutton (2nd class)	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	4	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets —

Wholesale—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. RAY,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 25th November 1918.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 16th November 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks
1918.					
10th Nov.	7 A.M.	12·8	12·8	14·9	Zero is placed at mean sea-level
11th ,,	7 ,,	12·6	12·6	14 5	The bench-mark for the gauge is on
12th ,,	7 ,,	12·5	12·5	14 3	a pucca pillar between the passenger
13th ,,	7 ,,	12·3	12·3	14 1	ghat and Chandpore ghat.
14th ,,	7 ,,	12 1	12·1	13·9	Its reduced level is 22·41.
15th ,,	7 ,,	12·0	12·0	13·8	
16th ,,	7 ,,	11·8	11·8	13·6	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 9th August 1917.
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	4 8 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	... ...	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 18th March 1908.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 17th November 1918.

D C. SENGUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 16th November 1918.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B. M.	Remarks.
1918.						
10th Nov.	8 A.M.	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	47·92	40·60	53·50	B. M. on College step 63 42
11th ,,	8 ,,		46·82	40·50	53·10	
12th ,,	8 ,,		46 72	40·40	52·70	
13th ,,	8 ,,		46·62	40·30	52·40	
14th ,,	8 ,,		46·52	40·20	52·10	
15th ,,	8 ,,		46·32	40·00	51·75	
16th ,,	8 ,,		46·22	39·90	51·40	

			Value according to old gauge	Value according to new value of B M = 63·42
The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60·18
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	... 40·15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 38·88
Record ...	...	Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62·98
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62 76
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·30 on 25th August 1906	.. 61·98
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 61 89
Do. ...	...	Lowest ,,	... 37·68 on 25th April 1884	.. 31 81
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 38 18 on 14th-15th April 1888	. 31 81
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 39·02 on 21st-22nd Apr l 1897	.. 32 70
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 39 28 on 6th-7th May 1908	.. 32·96

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 16th November 1918.

M. SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 16th November 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water. Time.	At highest water. Readings.	At lowest water. Time.	At lowest water. Readings.	At 6 P.M.	Remarks.
1918.							
10th Nov	55·2	...	...	...	...	55·7	
11th ,,	55·2	...	...	...	...	55·5	
12th ,,	55·15	...	...	...	...	55·35	
13th ,,	55 2	...	...	...	...	55·4	
14th ,,	55·3	...	...	...	...	55·35	
15th ,,	55·4	...	...	...	...	55·3	
16th ,,	55·6	...	...	...	...	55 0	

NOTE — These reports must be posted on every Sunday addressed to the Subdivisional Officer, River Training Works, P. W. D., Ramna, Dacca

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·5	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69 86	
1st ,,	1911	68 46	
18th ,,	1912	67·16	
31st ,,	1915	69·7	
18th ,,	1916	68·1	
12th ,,	1917	67·1	
23rd February	1907	51 06	Taken at low tide.
13th ,,	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51 06	
6th ,,	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50 8	
15th ,,	1916	50·6	
3rd March	1917	51·0	

DACCA,
The 18th November 1918.

S. N. BANARJI,
Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 23rd November 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 23rd November 1918. Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Week ending Saturday, the 24th November 1917. Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage
		Mds	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	1,014	126,970	2,214	439	33,260	519
Jute	188	66,918*	855	230	79,687†	1,065
Firewood	196	123 800	1,913	52	34,420	519
Other articles	1,039	205,115	2,770	775	165,691	1,995
Total ...	2,437	522,803	7,752	1,496	313,058	4,098
Empty boats and rafts ...	896	...	2,057	435	...	792
GRAND TOTAL ...	3,333	522,803	9,809	1,931	313 058	4,890

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 70,162½
† Ditto ditto 36,062½

CALCUTTA.
The 26th November 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

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EXTRAORDINARY.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1918.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

The following notification is published for general information and guidance.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 27th November 1918.

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By Command,

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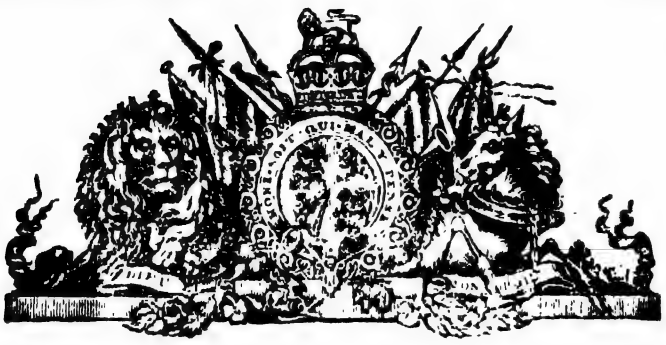

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Programme of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL'S TOUR, during December 1918.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
December.	HOURS.		
4th, Wednesday ...	9-0	Leave Bankura ...	By motor. Visit Bishnupur *en route.*
	16-0	Arrive Midnapore ...	Public arrival.

Date and day.	Standard time.	Station.	Remarks.
December.	HOURS.		
5th, Thursday ...	...	Halt at Midnapore.	
6th, Friday ...	13-30	Leave Midnapore ...	By special train. Private departure.
	14-30	Arrive Khargpur.	
	15-30	Leave Khargpur.	
	17-30	Arrive Howrah ...	Private arrival.

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Excellency will be—
The Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., Chief Secretary.
Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Offg. Private Secretary.
Captain R. W. Hyde, Aide-de-Camp.
Captain D. Balfour, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) All letters and telegrams for the party should be addressed to Governor's Camp, Bengal, without the addition of the name of any post town.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
CALCUTTA;
The 21st November 1918.

H. G. VAUX, CAPTAIN,
Military Secretary
to H. E. the Governor of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

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By Command,

R. VERNEY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

No 6851A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6718A.—The 28th November 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Rai Nikhil Nath Ray Bahadur, Additional District Magistrate, Midnapore, to be Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Midnapore. 24-Parganas.

No. 6722A.—The 28th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Srigopal Bhattacharji, Magistrate and Collector, on leave, to be Additional District Magistrate, Midnapore, for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Midnapore.

POLICE—*No. 6776A.—The 2nd December 1918.*—Maulvi Muhammad Yusuf, Inspector of Police, attached to the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, is appointed to be an Honorary Deputy Superintendent of Police.

Calcutta.

No. 6779A.—The 2nd December 1918 —Maulvi Arifuddin Ahmad Quadery, B.A., son of the late Maulvi Abiduddin Ahmad Quadery, is appointed to be a Probationary Deputy Superintendent of Police, and is posted to the Police Training College at Sardah, Rajshahi.

Rajshahi.

No. 6834A.—The 2nd December 1918.—Mr. T. Clear, Additional Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. M. Mackenzie, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 6835A.—The 2nd December 1918.—Babu Topendra Kumar Ghosh Chaudhuri, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Munshiganj, Dacca, is appointed to act temporarily as Additional Superintendent of Police, Dacca, and, under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Dacca.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6767A.—The 2nd December 1918.*—The following acting appointments are sanctioned in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors :—

Mr. A. Cassells, I.C.S., from the 21st October 1918 to the 1st November 1918, inclusive.

Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., from the 21st October 1918 to the 27th October 1918, inclusive.

No. 6796A.—The 2nd December 1918.—The officers, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of District and Sessions Judges, with effect from the 6th November 1918, until further orders :—

Mr. C. Bartley, I.C.S.

„ H. C. Maitland, I.C.S.

No. 6800A.—The 2nd December 1918.—The following acting appointments are sanctioned in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges :—

Mr. C. H. Moseley, I.C.S., with effect from the 6th November 1918, until further orders.

Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., from the 14th November 1918 to the 20th November 1918, inclusive.

LEAVE.

POLICE.—*No. 6833A.—The 2nd December 1918.*—Mr. J. M. Mackenzie, Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st December 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Dacca.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9013L.R.—The 2nd December 1918.—Babu Prabhat Chandra Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Mymensingh, under orders of transfer to the Midnapore Settlement, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for nineteen days, with effect from the 1st November 1918, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 7835L.R., dated the 23rd September 1918.

Mymensingh. Midnapore.

No. 9060L.A.—The 3rd December 1918.—Maulvi Tabibur Rahman, Subdivisional Officer of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Jessore.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8991L.A.—The 2nd December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Dufferin Out-door Dispensary in the Mitford Hospital, Dacca, in the mahalla of Nalgola, pargana Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·108 of an acre, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the remaining portion of the land of Jogendra Mohon Roy and others,

East—By the Nalgola road,

South—By the lane and compound wall and house of Kailash Chandra Saha and others,

West—By the compound wall and house of Kailash Chandra Saha and others, methar passage and remaining portion of the land of Jogendra Mohon Roy and others,

is required within the aforesaid mahalla of Nalgola.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9036L.A.—The 3rd December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Rajshahi for a brick-field for wells at Balubhara, in the village of Balubhara, pargana Kasimpur, zilla Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·82 of an acre, bounded on the—

Rajshahi.

North—By the lands of Mangon Saha and Kasimpur road,

East—By the lands of Kutub Saha and Molamdi Saha,

South—By the lands of Haria Saha, Molamdi Saha, Mahiruddin Saha and Nezamdi Saha,

West—By the lands of Haria Saha and Kasimpur road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Balubhara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Naogaon.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9039L.A.—The 3rd December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the range for target practice at Comilla, in the village of North Rasulpur, pargana Meharkul, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·404 of an acre, bounded on the—

Tippera.

North—By the Chittagong Trunk road,

South—By the acquired land,

East and West—By the nal lands of Alimea, Golam Nabi, Golam Ali and Somedali,

is required within the aforesaid village of North Rasulpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9042L.A.—The 3rd December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a public purpose, viz., for proposed Public Street No. II (Dharmatala extension), in Ward No. XIX of the Calcutta Municipality, a plan of which has been sanctioned by the Governor in Council under section 63 (*6*) of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, being portions of premises Nos. 48-2 and 48-3 (formed out of old holding No. 48-1), Tangra Road, measuring, more or less, ·3366 of an acre, bounded on the—

Calcutta.

North—By the passage belonging to Narayan Das Majumdar and the remaining land of premises No. 48-3, Tangra Road,

East—By premises Nos. 48-5, 48-4 and 48-1, Tangra Road,

South—By portion of a common passage, premises No. 48-1, Tangra Road, the remaining land of premises No. 48-2, Tangra Road, the common passage and the remaining land of premises No. 48-3, Tangra Road,

West—By a public drain,

is required within the aforesaid Ward No. XIX in the town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Collector, at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 9049Regn.—The 3rd December 1918.—Babu Jatindra Nath Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed Sub-Registrar of Darjeeling, with effect from the afternoon of the 1st November 1918.

Darjeeling.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9021Regn.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiyid Muazzam Hossain to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Harirampur (Lesraganj), in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 9022Regn.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiyid Muazzam Hossain to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Harirampur (Lesraganj), in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1495Edn.—The 2nd December 1918.—In General Department Notification No. 892Edn., dated the 8th July 1918 (published at page 1033, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th July 1918), regarding the creation of the Rani Dinatarini Debi Scholarship Fund—

for First Schedule to the said notification, *substitute* the following:—

FIRST SCHEDULE.

3½ PER CENT. PROMISSORY NOTES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

		Rs.
No. 160,001 of 1842-43	for ...	1,000
„ 283,050 of 1865	„ ...	4,000
„ 226,498 of 1900-01	„ ...	5,000
„ 173,013 of 1854-55	„ ...	10,000
	Total ...	20,000

No. 212Eccle.—The 2nd December 1918.—The Reverend Canon R. W. H. Stuart, Senior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, and Chaplain of the Presidency Jail, is granted combined leave for one year five months and nine days, under articles 593 and 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough without medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 583 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st December 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3234S.R.—The 27th November 1918.—Mr. C. H. Crosse, Second Collector of Income-tax, Calcutta, was on leave for thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Calcutta.

This cancels Notification No 192T.-S.R., dated the 30th September 1918.

No. 3235S.R.—The 27th November 1918.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Deputy Collector of Income-tax, Calcutta, acted in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. H. Crosse, as Second Collector of Income-tax, in the district of Calcutta, in so much of the district of the 24-Parganas as is under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, and in so much of the district of Hooghly as is comprised within the limits of the Howrah Municipality.

Calcutta.

This cancels Notification No. 192½T.-S.R., dated the 30th September 1918.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

No. 3256S.R.—The 2nd December 1918.—Applications for tickets of admission to the opium sale-room for the year 1919 should be made to the Finance Department of the Government of Bengal on or before the 16th December 1918.

Tickets for the year 1918, which have not already been surrendered, should be returned at the same time.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2706Medl.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 252 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and section 498 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following

amendments in the rules for the grant of certificates to compounders, published with Notification No. 1410Medl., dated the 7th July 1913, at pages 1087-1092 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, as subsequently amended, namely:—

1. After the clause (*b*) of rule 5 of the said rules, *insert* the following as clause (*bb*):—

"(*bb*) for students trained at the compounders' class at the Sadar Hospital, Mymensingh, at Mymensingh."

2. In rule 7 of the said rules, after the first item, *insert* the following item:—

At the place appointed under clause (*b*) of rule 5.	The Civil Surgeon, Mymensingh, *President*. The Assistant Surgeon attached to the district headquarters station, Mymensingh, and the teacher of the compounders' class, Sadar Hospital, Mymensingh, *Members*.

3. In clause (*l*) (*a*) of rule 10 of the said rules, after the words "the Medical School, Dacca," *insert* the words "the Sadar Hospital, Mymensingh."

No. 2715Medl.—The 2nd December 1918.—The undermentioned passed students of the Medical College, Calcutta, are temporarily admitted into the service of Government as Assistant Surgeons with effect from the dates mentioned against their names:—

(1) Babu Bankim Behari Roy, M.B., 18th October 1918.
(2) ,, Satyendra Nath Basu, M.B., 7th November 1918
(3) ,, Manindra Nath Mallick, M.B., 11th November 1918.

No. 2718Medl.—The 29th November 1918.—In the appendix to the Government Resolution No. 1088Medl., dated the 25th May 1915, allotting officers of the several departments of Government located in Calcutta to the Presidency Surgeons for the purposes of the grant of medical certificates, published at pages 660-69 of the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th *idem*, make the following amendment, viz.:—

Under the heading "Revenue Department of the Government of Bengal," *for* the entry "Office of Lady Assistant in Court of Wards, Lower Provinces," and the number of officers noted against it, *substitute* the following:—

Office and Department.	Gazetted.	Non-gazetted.	Total.	Designation of the Medical Officer.
Office of the Lady Adviser to the Court of Wards, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam.	1	2	3	Professor of Surgery, Medical College, Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6852A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6760A.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Katwa subdivision of the said district,

Burdwan.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Katwa Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language :—

Babu Brajaballabh Datta. | Babu Manmatha Nath Chatarji.

Babu Manmatha Nath Chatarji is also empowered to take cognizance, under clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 190 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of cases under section 34 of Act V of 1861 and under Act XI of 1890 during the absence of the Subdivisional Officer of Katwa from headquarters.

POWERS.

No. 6844A.—The 3rd December 1918.—Babu Rajmohan Gangali, Deputy Magistrate and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Tippera, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Tippera.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 4263J.—The 28th November 1918.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Ray, Munsif of Basirhat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Noakhali, *vice* Babu Ramesh Chandra Basu, deceased, to be ordinarily stationed at Lakhmipur. He is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Lakhmipur Munsifi.

24-Parganas. Noakhali.

No. 4266J.—The 28th November 1918.—Babu Kali Prasanna Piplai, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Basirhat.

24-Parganas.

No. 4271J.—The 28th November 1918.—Babu Surendra Nath Palit, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif, in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Brahmanbaria, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Phanindra Nath Mitra, or until further orders.

Tippera.

No. 4273J.—The 28th November 1918.—Babu Tejendra Nath Basu, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif, in the district of Faridpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Madaripur, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Baman Das Mukharji, or until further orders.

Faridpur.

No. 4304J.—The 3rd December 1918.—Babu Dhirendra Nath Basu, M.A., B.L., Vakil, High Court, Calcutta, is appointed to act as a Munsif, in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Raiganj, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Narendra Kumar Mukharji, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

LEAVE.

No. 4268J.—The 21st November 1918.—Babu Nata Bihari Ghosh, Munsif of Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for twenty-nine days, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th November 1918.

Tippera.

No. 4269J.—The 22nd November 1918.—Babu Phanindra Nath Mitra, Munsif of Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for twenty days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 9th November 1918.

Tippera.

No. 4270J.—The 22nd November 1918.—Babu Baman Das Mukharji, Munsif of Madaripur, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for forty-six days, under articles 272 and 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th November 1918.

Faridpur.

No. 4306J.—The 25th November 1918.—Babu Narendra Kumar Mukharji, Munsif of Raiganj, in the district of Dinajpur, is allowed leave from the 2nd to the 23rd December 1918, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Dinajpur.

No. 4307J.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Hem Chandra Basu, No. II, Munsif of Iswarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month, viz., one day under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 30th August 1918, in modification of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 23rd September 1918.

Mymensingh.

No. 4308J.—The 28th November 1918.—Babu Kshetra Nath Banarji, Munsif of Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave till the 23rd December 1918, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

24-Parganas.

No. 4309J.—The 28th November 1918.—Babu Rasik Mohan Bhattacharji, Munsif of Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave from the 18th November to the 23rd December 1918, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Mymensingh.

H. P. DUVAL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4244J.—The 27th November 1918.—Mr. C. E. Grey, Barrister-at-Law, Administrator-General and Official Trustee, Bengal, is allowed leave for five months, viz., furlough on medical certificate for three months and nineteen days, under article 548 (*a*) read with rules 6 and 9 of article 543 of the Civil Service Regulations, and extraordinary leave, under article 332 (*i*) of the same Regulations, for the remaining period in extension of the leave granted to him in Home Department Notification No. 962, dated the 25th September 1917.

H. P. DUVAL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3373P.J.—The 28th November 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 34 of Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend that section to the town of Shahzadpur, in the district of Pabna within the boundaries specified below:—

Pabna.

North—The straight line which commencing from the north-western extremity of the junction of Saktipur road and the District Board road from Shahzadpur to Ullapara and passing eastward along the northern side of the Saktipur road meets the old District Board track from Shahzadpur to Sirajganj at the south-east corner of Beni Dhuli's house in Khanjandiar.

North-east—The straight line which commencing from the above-mentioned corner and passing in a southerly direction meets the point at the south-west corner of Nandalal Ghosh's house in Pukurpar, where the Shahzadpur canal falls into Khandakar's *jola* and the straight line passing in an easterly direction from the south-west corner of the said Nandalal Ghosh's house to the point at the south-east corner of Panchoo Pramanik's house in mauza Shahzadpur where Khandakar's *jola* falls into the river Fuljore.

East—The straight line which commencing from the above mentioned point and passing in a southerly direction along the west bank of the Fuljore river meets the southern side of the *halat* forming the boundary between villages Ruppur and Bherua-dahapara of Ratankandi at the point which forms the north-east corner of Uzir Sarkar's house in village Ratankandi.

South—The straight line which passing from the above mentioned point in a westerly direction terminates in the south-west corner of the Dariapur burning-ghat.

West—The straight line which commencing from the above mentioned corner and passing in a north-easterly direction by the west of the house of Shyama Charan Majhi of Dariapur meets the northern side of the *halat* from Dariapur to Barabil at the point forming the south-west corner of Faraj Pramanik's house in Dariapur.

North-west—The straight line which commencing from the above point and passing in an easterly direction meets the point where the northern side of the aforesaid *halat* joins the District Board road from Shahzadpur to Ullapara; and the straight line passing therefrom to the north-west extremity of the junction of Saktipur road and the District Board road from Shahzadpur to Ullapara.

The eight corners forming the extremities of the above defined boundary lines are demarcated by brick pillars.

This cancels the notification No. 3605 J. of the 2nd July 1895, published at page 666, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th July 1895.

No. 3376P.J.—The 28th November 1918.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at *Kuliarchar*, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Bajitpur police-station, in the district of Mymensingh, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule which have hitherto been included in the Bajitpur police-station :—

Schedule.

Name of Village.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Bajitpur.	Name of Village.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Bajitpur.
Nazirdighi ...	... 245	Matikata ...	... 274
Kapasatia ...	... 246	Chhaysuti ...	... 275
Ali Rayerchar ...	... 247	Nanda Rampur ...	... 277
Bharadul ...	... 248	Kalakopa ...	... 278
Paltia Osmanpur ...	... 254	Madhabdi ...	... 280
Kumariakandi ...	... 255	Chhota Chhaysuti ...	... 281
Konapara ...	... 256	Dwaria Kandi ...	... 282
Rajibpur ...	... 257	Samai Kandi ...	... 283
Ramdi ...	... 259	Lokmankhar Kandi	... 284
Para Bhabanipur ...	... 260	Bhitigaon ...	... 285
Tarakandi ...	... 261	Kandulia Maijpara ...	... 286
Monoharpur ...	... 262	Bazra Masimpur ...	... 287
Char Kamalpur ...	... 263	Bazra ...	... 288
Jagat Char ...	... 264	Sinla ...	... 289
Agarpur ...	... 265	Ali Akbari ...	... 290
Gobaria Abdullapur	... 266	Kafaia Kandi ...	... 291
Bir Kasimnagar ...	... 267	Doaria ...	... 292
Dariguon ...	... 268	Kutubpur ...	... 293
Domrakanda ...	... 269	Barkhar Char ...	... 294
Salua ...	... 270	Gailkata Bethiar Kandi	... 295
Alalpur ...	... 271	Kharakmara ...	... 296
Napiter Char ...	... 272	Kuliar Char ...	... 297
Faridpur ...	... 273	Tatarkandi ...	... 298

Pabna.

No. 3385P.J.—The 3rd December 1918.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Atgharia, in the district of Pabna.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Pabna police-station, in the district of Pabna, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule, which have hitherto been included in the Pabna police-station :—

Schedule.

Names of Villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Pabna.	Names of Villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Pabna
Durgapur ...	1	Paikpara ...	112
Rameshwarpur ...	2	Nazirpur Dari ...	113
Durgapur Debottar ...	3	Chandpur ...	114
Kachua Rampur ...	4	Ujangaon ...	115
Darbeshpur ...	5	Raghunathpur ...	116
Mohanpara ...	6	Sirajpur ...	117
Chandipur ...	7	Chak Kazi Sukul ...	118
Sarabaria ...	8	Pustigacha ...	119
Chak Ananta ...	9	Srikantapur ...	120
Arazi Sonabaria ...	10	Chak Dhaneshwar ...	121
Naduria ...	11	Dhaneshwar ...	122
Rukanpur ...	12	Uttar Chak ...	123
Phulbaria ...	13	Atgharia ...	124
Uchit Kamalpur ...	14	Rastampur ...	125
Raghabpur ...	15	Nagdaha Kadimdanga ...	126
Ramchandrapur ...	16	Bisrampur ...	127
Purbapara ...	17	Chak Dhaneshwar ...	128
Majpara ...	18	Baruria ..	129
Gokulnagar ...	19	Radhakhantpur ...	130
Mathuranagar ..	20	Kalandpur Debottar ...	131
Par Khidirpur ...	21	Kandarpapur ...	132
Sonakandar ...	22	Baruria Ramchandrapur ...	133
Banshipara ...	23	Ramnagar ...	134
Dangapara ...	24	Kairabari ...	269
Par Sidhai ...	25	Jot Tarachand ...	270
Ramkrishnapur ...	26	Patasar ...	271
Par Sidhai ...	27	Garalia ..	272
Sartia ...	28	Arjyapara ...	273
Baroan ...	29	Chak Tarapasha ...	274
Chak Baroan ...	30	Tarapasha ...	275
Khodalia Khamar ...	31	Sujapur ...	276
Paikan ...	32	Nainagar ...	277
Par Kodalia ...	33	Beldaha ...	278
Miapara ...	96	Chauberia ...	279
Saharabari ...	97	Gobindapur Khurd ...	280
Hapania ...	98	Jamai Khiri ...	281
Haralpara ...	99	Maheshpur ...	282
Nauadapara ..	100	Krishnananda or Dangargaon ...	283
Ratipur ...	101	Hirananda ...	284
Bachamara ...	102	Haidarpur ...	285
Lakshanpur ...	103	Haripur ..	286
Bharatpur ...	104	Gopalpur ...	305
Baraipara ...	105	Khaderpara ...	306
Kumareshwar ...	106	Hedaskol ..	307
Chandra ..	107	Choukibari ...	308
Bashkhola ...	108	Chandipasha ...	309
Hashaikhali ...	109	Satgacha ...	310
Abhirampur ...	110	Sonahat ...	311
Sabdanga ...	111		

Names of Villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Pabna	Names of Villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Pabna
Chachkia Nagar	... 312	Dulampur	... 364
Chachkia Srirampur	... 313	Debpur Bilkulia	... 365
Ekdanta	... 314	Bankuri Haturia	... 366
Narjan	... 315	Ranigaon	... 367
Ekdanta Debottar Bajcafti	316	Nalkola	... 368
Ekdanta Barinpara	... 317	Nityanandapur	... 369
Kadim Bagdi	... 357	Dapania	... 370
Sibpur	... 358	Nalkola	... 371
Jatrapur	... 359	Sripur	... 372
Chandai	... 360	Hasimpur	... 373
Chachua Phulia	... 361	Kaijuri	... 374
Bankuri Khudra	... 362	Chak Joykrishnapur	... 375
Rajapur	... 363	Garbashi	... 376

Mymensingh. *No. 3402P.J.—The 3rd December 1918.*—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang ordinarily residing within the jurisdiction of Gaffargaon and Trisal police-stations, in the district of Mymensingh, and commonly known as Takur Bap's gang, are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences.

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a criminal tribe for the purposes of that Act.

Mymensingh. *No. 3403P.J.—The 3rd December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of Takur Bap's gang, which has been declared to be a criminal tribe by Notification No. 3402P.J., dated the 3rd December 1918, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals and notify his place of residence, any change or intended change of residence and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th November 1918.

No. 113.—Mr. G. G. Dey, Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, is granted privilege leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

No. 114.—Mr. B. G. Gwyther, Executive Engineer, Darjeeling Division, is appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of the Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Mr. G. G. Dey, Superintending Engineer.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 3rd December 1918.

No. 118.—The following promotions and reversions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment, with effect from the dates specified :—

Babu Ananga Mohan Pal, Sub-Engineer, first grade, temporary, Second Calcutta Division, to be Sub-Engineer, first grade, permanent, from 1st July 1918 (*a*).

Rai Sahib Krishnadhone Banarji, Sub-Engineer, first grade, temporary (Supernumerary), Sanitary Engineer's office, to be Sub-Engineer, first grade, permanent (Supernumerary), from 1st July 1918 (*a*).

Babu Satya Ranjan Khastgir, Sub-Engineer, second grade, Burdwan Division, to be Sub-Engineer, first grade, permanent, from 7th July 1918 (*b*).

Rai Sahib Ashutosh Guha, Sub-Engineer, third grade, Dacca Division, to be Sub-Engineer, second grade, permanent, from 1st July 1918 (*a*).

Mr. P. Bourne, Sub-Engineer, third grade (supernumerary), on deputation, to be Sub-Engineer, second grade, permanent (supernumerary), from 1st July 1918 (*a*).

Rai Sahib Ashutosh Guha, Sub-Engineer, second grade, Dacca Division, to be Sub-Engineer, first grade, temporary, from 22nd July 1918 (*c*).

Mr. P. Bourne, Sub-Engineer, second grade (supernumerary), on deputation, to be Sub-Engineer, first grade, temporary (supernumerary), from 22nd July 1918 (*c*).

Babu Nanda Lal De, Sub-Engineer, third grade, Central Circle, to be Sub-Engineer, second grade, provisionally permanent, from 7th July 1918 (*b*).

Babu Surendra Nath Bhattacharji, Sub-Engineer, second grade, temporary, Chittagong Division, to revert to Sub-Engineer, third grade, from 3rd July 1918.

Babu Surendra Nath Bhattacharji, Sub-Engineer, third grade, Chittagong Division, to be Sub-Engineer, second grade, temporary, from 22nd July 1918 (*c*).

Babu Surendra Nath Bhattacharji, Sub-Engineer, second grade, temporary, Chittagong Division, to revert to Sub-Engineer, third grade, from 21st August 1918.

Babu Jatindra Nath Ray, Sub-Engineer, third grade, Darjeeling Division, to be Sub-Engineer, second grade, temporary, from 21st August 1918 (*c*).

Babu Chitta Sukh Sanyal, Sub-Engineer, third grade, temporary, Second Calcutta Division, to be Sub-Engineer, third grade, permanent, from 1st July 1918 (*a*).

Babu Kedar Nath Majumdar, Supervisor, first grade, Cossye Division, to be Sub-Engineer, third grade, provisionally permanent, from 7th July 1918 (*b*).

Munshi Tafazzal Ahmad, Supervisor, first grade, Third Calcutta Division, to be Sub-Engineer, third grade, temporary, from 22nd July 1918 (*c*).

(*a*) In the chain of vacancies caused by the retirement of Babu Mahendra Nath Ghosh, Sub-Engineer, first grade.

(*b*) In the chain of vacancies caused by the retirement of Mr. W. M. Halloran, Sub-Engineer, first grade.

(*c*) In the chain of vacancies caused by the appointment of Mr. W. J. Traise, Sub-Engineer, first grade, to officiate as Superintendent, Governor's Estates, Bengal, in the place of Mr. Coryton, deputed to special duty.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Second publication.]

The 25th November 1918.

No. 5.—The following draft of a notification which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to issue, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 10th January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules for the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala, published with Notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904, at pages 744—746 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*, as amended by Notification No. 16, dated the 13th November 1916, namely :—

For rule 28 of the said rules, *substitute* the following rule :—

"28. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained."

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

CORRIGENDUM.

The 28th November 1918.

No. 119Mne.—In Bengal Government Notification No. 117Mne., dated the 22nd November 1918, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 27th November 1918, Part I, page 1647, *for* the words and figures "Notification No. 62Mne., dated the 2nd June 1918" in the last line of the Notification, *read* "Notification No. 62Mne., dated the 2nd June 1908."

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th November 1918.

No. 115.—Babu Indu Bhusan Das Gupta, a passed student of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, is appointed as Overseer, second grade, permanent, on probation, and is posted to the Central Circle.

No. 116.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Guha, a passed student of the Dacca School of Engineering, is appointed as Overseer, second gaade, permanent, on probation, and is posted to the Eastern Circle.

The 2nd December 1918.

No. 117.—Babu Binay Bhushan Mukharji, Supervisor, Burdwan Division, is granted privilege leave for five days, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 3rd December 1918.

No. 119.—The following promotions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment with effect from the dates specified:—

Babu Priya Nath Chakrabatti, Supervisor, second grade, Second Calcutta Division, to be Supervisor, first grade, temporary, from 13th May 1918.(*d*)

Conductor J. G. Harton, Supervisor, first grade, substantive *pro tempore*, on deputation to military duty, to be Supervisor, first grade, permanent, from 1st July 1918.(*a*)

Babu Surendra Lal Maitra, Supervisor, first grade, temporary, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, to be Supervisor, first grade, substantive *pro tempore*, from 1st July 1918.(*a*)

Babu Phanindra Nath Mukharji, Supervisor, first grade, substantive *pro tempore*, Nadia Rivers Division, to be Supervisor, first grade, provisionally permanent, from 7th July 1918.(*b*)

Babu Priya Nath Chakrabatti, Supervisor, first grade, temporary, Second Calcutta Division, to be Supervisor, first grade, substantive *pro tempore*, from 7th July 1918.(*b*)

Babu Kshitish Chandra Maitra, Supervisor, second grade, Third Calcutta Division, to be Supervisor, first grade, temporary, from 22nd July 1918.(*c*)

Babu Krishna Taran Mitra, Overseer, first grade, First Calcutta Division, to be Supervisor, second grade, temporary, from 13th May 1918.(*d*)

Babu Bhupati Banarji, Supervisor, second grade, temporary, Third Calcutta Division, to be Supervisor, second grade, permanent, from 1st July 1918.(*a*)

Babu Monmohan Seth Gupta, Overseer, first grade, Chittagong Division, to be Supervisor, second grade, temporary, from 1st July 1918.(*e*)

Babu Krishna Taran Mitra, Supervisor, second grade, temporary, First, Calcutta Division, to be Supervisor, second grade, permanent, from 7th July 1918.(*b*)

Babu Jogendra Kumar Guha, Overseer, first grade, Chittagong Division, to be Supervisor, second grade, temporary, from 22nd July 1918.(*c*)

Mr. C. H. Trusler, Overseer, first grade, on deputation to military duty, to be Supervisor, second grade, provisionally permanent, from 26th August 1918.(*f*)

Babu Manindra Nath Sadhu, Overseer, first grade, on foreign service, to be Supervisor, second grade, temporary, from 26th August 1918.(*f*)

(*a*) In the chain of vacancies caused by the retirement of Babu Mahendra Nath Ghosh, Sub-Engineer, first grade.

(*b*) In the chain of vacancies caused by the retirement of Mr. W. M. Halloran, Sub-Engineer, first grade.

(*c*) In the chain of vacancies caused by the appointment of Mr. W. J. Traise, Sub-Engineer, first grade, to officiate as Superintendent, Governor's Estates, Bengal, in the place of Mr. Coryton, deputed to special duty.

(*d*) *Vice* Babu Hari Das Das, Supervisor, first grade, on leave on medical certificate.

(*e*) *Vice* Sub-Conductor F. E. Chapman, Supervisor, second grade, deputed to military duty.

(*f*) *Vice* Babu Surendra Nath Basu, Supervisor, second grade, deceased.

F. A. A COWLEY,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6853A.

No. 6648A.—The 26th November 1918.—Babu Debendra Nath Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Birbhum, is allowed leave for twenty-three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st December 1918.

Birbhum.

No. 6704A.—The 26th November 1918.—The orders of the 8th November 1918, transferring Babu Suresh Chandra Nandi, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kalna, Burdwan, to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district, are cancelled.

Burdwan.
Midnapore.

No. 6751A.—The 2nd December 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Ali Ahmad, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Bogra district.

Bogra.

This cancels so much of the orders of the 8th November 1918, as relates to his transfer to the Burdwan Division.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No 468.—The 28th November 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Hasan, Sub-Registrar of Ratua, in the district of Malda, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Malda.

No. 469.—The 28th November 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Halim, Sub-Registrar of Guskara, in the district of Burdwan, is allowed combined leave for one month, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 15th November 1918, viz., privilege leave for twenty-nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for one day, under article 336 of the same Regulations.

Burdwan.

No. 470.—The 28th November 1918.—Babu Krishnadhan Mallik, Sub-Registrar, grade II, is allowed leave on medical certificate for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 239, dated the 1st July 1918.

No. 471.—The 2nd December 1918.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Mukharji, second Joint Sub-Registrar of Dacca, is allowed leave for twenty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th December 1918.

Dacca.

No. 472.—The 2nd December 1918.—Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Siddiq, Sub-Registrar of Cossipur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, with effect from the 20th November 1918.

24-Parganas.

No. 473.—The 3rd December 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Irtaza, Probationer of Bankura, was allowed leave on medical certificate, under rule (*1*) to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 28th October 1918 to 14th November 1918.

Bankura.

No. 474.—The 3rd December 1918.—Babu Bhababhuti Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Nalhati, in the district of Birbhum, is allowed leave for one day, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 460, dated the 23rd November 1918.

Birbhum.

No. 475.—The 3rd December 1918.—Maulvi Shaikh Yusuf Ali, Sub-Registrar of Rajganj, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Adamdighi, in the district of Bogra, with effect from the afternoon of the 25th November 1918.

Jessore.
Bogra.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 16616, dated Calcutta, the 26th November 1918.—The following Sub-Assistant Surgeons of the Bengal Establishment, having passed the Professional Examination held on the 21st October 1918, are promoted to the next higher grades with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Third grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Praphulla Chandra Gupta, Additional Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital, promoted to 2nd grade, with effect from the 21st October 1918.

Third grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Kali Prasanna Chakravarti, Sadar Hospital, Berhampore, promoted to 2nd grade, with effect from the 16th January 1919. Passed with great credit.

Third grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Satindra Mohan Ghosh, Jail Hospital, Howrah, promoted to 2nd grade, with effect from the 22nd January 1919. Passed with credit.

No. 16665, dated Calcutta, the 26th November 1918.—In supersession of this Department: Notification No. 1528-D., dated the 16th October 1918, Temporary Assistant-Surgeon Nabajiban Banarji is appointed to act as Demonstrator of Biology, Medical College, Calcutta, with effect from the 5th September 1918, during the absence, on leave, of 2nd grade Assistant-Surgeon Bibhuti Bhusan Barat, or until further orders.

No. 16745, dated Calcutta, the 28th November 1918.—The following candidates passed the Compoundership Examination held at the Campbell Medical School on the 24th October 1918 and subsequent days :—

Campbell Medical School.

1. Sishir Kumar Mandal.*
2. Surendra Nath Choudhury.*
3. Sarat Chandra Pal.*
4. Gostha Behari Bera.
5. Bhola Nath Sarkar.
6. Dunnar Chand Sutradhar.*
7. Ratiranjan Banerjee.
8. Januki Nath Dey.*
9. Kedar Nath Boyal.*
10. Noor Ahmad.
11. Mohabed Nandy.
12. Ashit Chandra Roy Choudhury.*
13. Kalipada Chakravarty.*
14. Sultan Ahmad.
15. Prokash Chandra Mitra.
16. Bejoy Krishna Palmal.*
17. Chandra Sekhor Gupta.
18. Jotindra Nath Roy.*
19. Rampada Mukherjee.
20. Upendra Nath Roy.*
21. Jotindra Nath Sen Gupta.*
22. Sital Chandra Banerjee.*
23. Durga Prasanna Chakravarty.
24. Mesbahuddin.
25. Sita Nath Das.*
26. Amulya Chandra Chakravarty.
27. Bhoirab Chandra Banerjee.*
28. Paritosh Mukherjee.*
29. Shyama Prasanna Singha.
30. Ashutosh Dey.*
31. Jagabandhu Nandy.*
32. Hrishikesh Singha.*
33. Sudhir Kumar Banerjee.*
34. Krishnasadhan Chatterjee.*
35. Jogesh Chandra Shome.*
36. Nasiar Rahaman.*
37. Kshitish Chandra Roy.*

Charitable Dispensary, Midnapore.

38. Sarat Chandra Nandy.

Globe Pharmacy, Midnapore.

39. Gobinda Chandra Pramanik.

Messrs. B. K. Paul & Co.

40. Sukumar Banerjee.

Charitable Dispensary, Bankura.

41. Bhuban Mohan Das.
42. Ishan Chandra Tewary.

Charitable Dispensary, Dinajpore.

43. Dukhi Mohammad.

Messrs. Bathgate & Co.

44. Mohar Ali.

* Also passed examination qualifying for the duties of a hospital dresser and for nospital ward work generally.

W. H. B. ROBINSON, I.M.S.,
Surgeon-Genl. with the Govt. of Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU HEM CHANDRA MITRA, Munsif of Burdwan, is vested, under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), as amended by the Decentralization Act, 1914 (IV of 1914), with powers to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000, arising within the local limits of the district of Burdwan.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL.
The 25th November 1918.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

BABU GOBINDA CHANDRA CHAKRABATTI, Munsif of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Comilla Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL,
The 25th November 1918.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

BABU HARIPADA MAJUMDAR, Munsif of Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Dacca.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 28th November 1918.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act), for the month of January 1919, or until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore and Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly, will hold his sittings as detailed below:—

Hooghly—From 1st to 11th January 1919.

Serampore—From 12th to 21st January 1919.

Howrah—From 22nd to 31st January 1919.

[Sundays and holidays are excepted.]

MONMOHAN NEOGI, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

SERAMPORE, *the 20th November 1918.*

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD POST OFFICE, MANBHUM.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

AN examination for first class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held on the 17th, 18th and 19th February 1919. An examination for second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency will be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th February 1919. Both examinations will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, " these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office " The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad Post Office, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 17th January 1919.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 30th October 1918.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4537J.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Siliguri Sub-Jail in the district of Darjeeling.

Mr. M. W. S. Pemberton.
Babu Saradindu Bose.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 27th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the power vested in me under Government order No. 168P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, I appoint Babu Satyendra Nath Addya to be a non-official visitor of the Arambagh Subsidiary Jail, in the district of Hooghly, for a period of two years in place of Babu Bhudeb Banerji, deceased.

D. H, LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR'S. OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 26th November 1918.*

ERRATUM.

No. 3068M.—In the notification No. 2851-M., dated the 1st November 1918, published at page 1560, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 6th November 1918 and two subsequent issues—

for Mr. Robert Baron Addis *read* Mr. Robert Bawn Addis.

J. SEN, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 27th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4525J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the general election of Commissioners of the Madaripur Municipality, in the district of Faridpur, will be held on the 13th March 1919.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 21st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN modification of this office notification published at page 1584, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th November 1918, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the 6th January 1919 has been fixed for holding the bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. I of the Chandrakona Municipality in the place of Pandit Bharat Ramanuj Das Mahanta, deceased.

G. P. GHOSE, *Persl. Asst. to Commissioner (on tour).*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4575J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the Munshiganj subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1.	Khan Bahadur Maulvi Khabirullah ...	Kolapara.
2.	Babu Annkul Chandra Ghose ...	
3.	,, Akshoy Kumar Guha ...	
4.	Maulvi Muhammad Ali	
5.	Babu Apurba Kumar Hazra ...	
6.	,, Nanda Lal Shaha	
1	Babu Ramesh Chandra Chakravarty ...	Madhyapara.
2.	,, Man Mohan Das	
3.	Munshi Abdul Bepari	
1.	Munshi Reajuddin Bepari	Kshidirpara.
2.	Babu Hari Bhusan Nag	
3.	,, Lalit Mohan Barari	
4.	,, Bhuban Mohan Choudhury ...	
5.	,, Aditya Chandra Das ...	
6.	Munshi Abdul Hakim	
1.	Munshi Nazimaddi Bhuian	Baultali.
2	,, Ahmed Islam, *alias* Amdu Mia	
3.	,, Imamaddi Bepari	
4.	,, Najimmaddi Serang ...	
5.	Babu Sadhu Charan Bose	
6.	,, Umesh Chandra Kar	
1.	Babu Sital Chandra Sen	Sonarang, Tangibari.
2.	,, Braja Nath Sen	
3.	Munshi Ahmed Bepari	

2. The undersigned hereby appoints. under section 40 of the said Act, the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the aforesaid subdivision :—

1.	Babu Koruna Kumar Sen	Madhyapara.
2.	„ Har Chandra Chakravarty ...	
3.	„ Janaki Nath Chakravarty ...	
1.	Babu Monoranjan Roy	Rarikhal Maijpara.
2.	„ Kedar Nath Mukherji ...	
3.	„ Rai Mohan Ghose	
4.	„ Protap Chandra Gun ...	
5.	„ Pyari Mohan Das	
6.	Munshi Samiruddin Mia	
1.	Babu Kali Chandra Chakravarty ...	Sonarang, Tangibari.
2.	„ Girish Chandra Chakravarty ...	
3.	„ Raj Mohan Datta	

3. The undersigned also appoints, under section 41 of the said Act, the following gentlemen to be members of the Union Committees noted against their names in the said subdivision :—

1.	Munshi Abdul Gani of Brahman Paiksha	Kolapara.
2.	„ Muhammad Siddik ...	
3.	Babu Bankim Chandra Majumder of Dakshin Paiksha	
1.	Babu Rebati Mohan Das Gupta ...	Madhyapara.
2.	Munshi Muhammed Kal	
3.	Babu Anukul Chandra Chakravarty ...	
1.	Munshi Aftabuddin Bepari ...	Kshidirpara.
2.	Babu Aswini Kumar Chanda ...	
3.	„ Gopi Nath Kapali	
1.	Babu Nanda Kumar Naha	Baultali.
2.	„ Pran Kumar Choudhury ...	
3.	Munshi Mafizuddin Bepari ...	
1.	Babu Satish Chandra Bose ...	Rarikhal Maijpara.
2.	„ Rakhal Chandra Mitra ...	
3.	„ Bepin Chandra Chakravarty ...	
1.	Babu Suresh Chandra Das	Sonarang, Tangibari.
2.	„ Apurba Chandra Sen	
3.	„ Hara Nath Das	

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4572J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Hazratpur Union Committee in the Sadar (South) subdivision of the district of Dacca :—

1. Maulvi Aftabuddin Ahmed.
2. Babu Gaur Chandra Shaha.
3. Munshi Golap Khan.
4. Munshi Nayan Sircar.
5. „ Golamoula.
6. „ Dagu Sircar.

Under section 41 of the said Act the undersigned hereby appoints the following gentlemen to be members of the said Union Committee :—

1. Munshi Abdul Hakim.
2. Munshi Abdul Razak.
3. Munshi Dulal Bhuyan.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 53L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 43 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, Munshi Abbas Ali *alias* Panchu Shaik and Ohabuddin Shaik have been duly elected to be members representing Ward No II of the Fakirhat Union Committee, in thana Bagerhat, in the Bagerhat subdivision of the district of Khulna, in the place of Babu Mati Lal Sen and Munshi Aminuddi Shaik, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 26th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4533J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Aricha, in the district of Dacca, in addition to those whose names were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* by this office Notification No. 3247J., dated the 10th August 1918:—

1. Maulvi Abdul Kasem. | 2. Munshi Earuddin.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 21st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4530J.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Teghoria, in the district of Dacca, in addition to those appointed by this office Notification No. 1691J., dated the 8th April 1918:—

1. Babu Chandra Kanta Basu. | 2. Babu Binodini Kanta Kar.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 21st November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 558P.W.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I order the establishment, under section 6(*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, of a temporary ferry at Lalchamar over the break at the 7th mile of the District Board Road No. 68 (Kamarjani to Haripur) across the Dhurdhuri Khal in thana Sunderganj in the Gaibandha subdivision of the Rangpur district.

2. In exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G, dated the 12th January 1905, I also direct, under section 35 of the same Act, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Rangpur and that all the proceeds of the said ferry and all the fines levied and the compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund with effect from the date of this notification.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 26th November 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 13887.—The 25th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Ahmadpur Gramya Dharma Bhandar No. I (registered No. 92 of 1909), in the district of Pabna, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna Circle, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 14081A.—The 26th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Kusiara Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 146 of 1911), in the district of Pabna, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 14140.—The 27th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Konabaria Gramya Rinadan Samiti (registered No. 19 of 1910), in the district of Pabna, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna Circle, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 14146.—The 27th November 1918.—Whereas I am opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Bhasanchar-Dadpur Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 73 of 1910), in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912. that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 14161.—The 27th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Amashawarpur Gramya Samiti (registered No. 684 of 1910), in the district of Midnapore, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Nani Gopal Chaki, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Midnapore, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 14174.—The 27th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Edrakpur Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 46 of 910), in the district of Pabna, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 14183.—The 27th November 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Chakpatta Gramya Rindan Samiti (registered No 83 of 1911), in the district of Pabna, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following resolutions, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 23rd November 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1-D., dated Delhi, the 18th November 1918.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

THE following paper is published in accordance with Rule 29 of the Assam Labour Board Rules:—

Annual Report on the working of the Assam Labour Board during the year ending the 30th June 1918.

I.—ADMINISTRATIVE.

Membership of the Board and Executive Committee.

1. Mr. R W. Davies, I.C.S., Madras, continued to act as Chairman till the 10th September 1917, when he was relieved by Lieutenant-Colonel W. M. Kennedy, C.I.E, I.A., the permanent incumbent, on the termination of the latter's deputation to England. The triennial period for which the elected members were appointed having expired on the 13th April 1918 a general election was held, which was followed by a fresh election of members to serve on the Executive Committee for the ensuing three years. The changes in the elected *personnel* of the Board and of the Executive Committee are given in detail in Appendix A.

Chairman appointed Tea Commissioner for India.

2. With effect from the 20th November 1917 Lieutenant-Colonel Kennedy was appointed Tea Commissioner for India in addition to his duties as Chairman. In view of the fact that the Food Controller's scheme for the purchase in India of tea for the United Kingdom occupies the greater portion of Lieutenant-Colonel Kennedy's time and greatly restricts his touring as Chairman, the Government of India have ruled that half his salary as Chairman of the Board should be chargeable to the Food Controller, and that the Government of India and the Board should contribute the remaining half in equal shares.

Alterations in the Act and Rules.

3. Owing to a technical account objection to refunds of cess being made by the Board, a new rule, number 24A, was prescribed under section 116F(*d*), Act VI of 1901, regulating the purposes to which the cess may be applied. The rule, which was published under Notification No. 990, dated the 6th April 1918, of the Government of India, in the Department of Commerce and Industry, authorises the application of the cess to the payment of—

(*a*) Such portion of the salary and allowances of the Chairman as the Governor-General in Council may direct;

(*b*) Allowances to members of the Board to meet their expenses in attending meetings of the Board, or on other journeys performed on the business of the Board;

(*c*) The salary and allowances of the supervisors and other establishment appointed by the Board, including any leave allowances, pensions and contributions towards a Provident Fund sanctioned by the Board, and including also such contributions towards the leave allowances and pensions of officers whose services have been lent by Government as the Governor-General in Council may direct;

(*d*) Contingent and other incidental expenses, including tour charges, connected with the maintenance of the Board's office and of the offices of the officers appointed by them;

(*e*) Rewards for the detection or prosecution of offences under the Act;

(*f*) Refunds of the cess realised in respect of:—

(*i*) Garden-sardars and emigrants on whom it has been erroneously realised;

(*ii*) Emigrants whose services as labourers have, in the opinion of the Board, for any reason not become available or fully available to employers;

(*g*) Interest which may fall due on any loan contracted by the Board or on any overdraft of the Board's account with the Bank of Bengal sanctioned by the Board;

(*h*) Such other charges as the Board may, with the general or special sanction of the Government of India, direct.

Meetings of the Board.

4. The two statutory meetings of the Board were held respectively on the 11th October 1917 and the 7th March 1918, and were attended by all the members except the following who were unavoidably absent:—

September Meeting—Messrs. C. Wood and N. M. Ross

March Meeting.—Messrs. H. W. Carr, E. H. Hannay, the Hon'ble Sir E. H. Bray, and the Hon'ble Lieutenant-Colonel W. Mason.

Meetings of the Executive Committee

5. After each of the meetings of the Board a meeting of the Executive Committee was held both being attended by all the members.

Tours of Chairman.

6. The Chairman was on tour for 33 days, and the acting Chairman for 45 days. Details of the places visited will be found in Appendix B. Owing to his duties as Tea Commissioner, the Chairman's touring had to be greatly restricted. With the exception of two hurried visits to Madras in connection with the tea purchase scheme he was unable, because of press of work, to leave Calcutta from November 1917 to the end of April 1918.

Supervisors.

7. The following table shows the touring and inspection work of Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart, supervisor:—

Number of days on tour.	Number of Stations visited.		Number of local agencies inspected.		Number of transport agencies inspected.	
	Once.	More than once.	Once.	More than once.	Once.	More than once.
203	15	24	9	15	...	12

As explained in last year's report, Mr. Stewart is now single-handed and he had to carry out, in addition to his own duties, those of the two supervisors whose services were lent to Government for employment with war Labour Corps. Mr. Stewart was most active in his inspection work, as also in investigating reports of illegal or irregular recruitment and did much useful work in removing local difficulties in the recruiting districts. Towards the close of the year, however, owing to the further combing out of the Government services in order to supply recruits for the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, the Inspector-General of Police, Central Provinces, informed the Board that he is unable to spare Mr. Stewart's services to the Board any longer. Latter has, accordingly, applied for a commission in the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, which, it is expected, will shortly be granted.

As a temporary measure, for the period of the war, the Board have since the close of the year under review sanctioned the appointment of Mr. P. D. Kirkham to act as supervisor *vice* Mr. Stewart. Mr. Kirkham retired last year from the Government service as Superintendent of Police, Central Provinces, and has since been working under the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association as local agent at Bilaspur.

Difficulties having been experienced by supervisors owing to their not being empowered to record evidence in cases of illegal recruitment under investigation by them, or to order the arrest of persons actually engaged in their presence in the offence of illegal recruitment, the Board enquired of local Governments whether there would be any objection to the investiture of Mr. Middleton Stewart with powers of a Magistrate of the third class for purposes of the investigation but not of the trial of cases under section 164, Act VI of 1901. Except the Chief Commissioner of Assam, who for technical reasons was unable to accept the Board's recommendations, all the local Governments concerned agreed, as an experimental measure for one year, to accede to the request of the Board, and have vested Mr. Stewart with powers of a Magistrate of the third class for purposes of the investigation but not the trial of cases of illegal recruitment. It is too soon yet to estimate the practical effect of this concession.

Appointment of subordinate investigating agency.

8. Since it seemed desirable that the supervisor should, as an experimental measure, be allowed a reliable assistant in order to help in the investigation of cases of illegal recruitment, which often require a good deal of detailed work, including prolonged watching for the despatch of illegally recruited gangs of coolies and the following up of such gangs from the recruiting district to the tea estate, the Board decided to enquire from local Governments whether they would have any objection to the appointment of a reliable inspector or sub-inspector of police to work under Mr. Stewart. All the local Governments concerned agreed to the appointment being made except the Government of Madras who were inclined to the opinion that the appointment is not necessary in that province in view of the absence of reports of cases of abuses in recruitment. The Board, accordingly, decided to obtain a suitable officer to work under Mr. Stewart in all the provinces concerned except Madras, and an inspector of police, whose services have kindly been lent to the Board by the Government of Bihar and Orissa, was towards the close of the year appointed to the post on salary equivalent to that which he received from Government, *plus* a deputation allowance of Rs. 50 a month, the Board paying in addition the usual contribution towards his leave and retiring allowances. The inspector makes detailed investigations under the orders of Mr. Stewart and patrols the transit routes. A better idea will be gained of the utility of the appointment after a year's experience.

II.—SUPERVISION OF LOCAL AGENTS.

Appointment of local agents.

9. Fifty-nine applications for the grant or renewal of licenses as local agents were received, all of which the Board recommended to be granted. No applications were pending at the close of the year. Superintendents of Emigration in all cases accepted the Board's recommendations.

Of the 59 persons who held licenses as local agents at the close of the year, 53 were employés of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, the

remainder being appointed by individual estates or firms or combinations thereof.

Number of local agencies.

10. On the 1st July 1917 there were altogether 35 local agencies at work, distributed as follows :—

Bengal two, Madras five, Bihar and Orissa eighteen, United Provinces six, Central Provinces four. Of these thirty were under the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association and five under individual firms or estates.

In the course of the year the Makum and Namdang Tea Companies closed their local agency at Ranchi but later on the Namdang Tea Company opened a new agency there under Mr. Halford, who was till recently local agent at Dumka for the estates represented by Messrs. Williamson Magor and Company, Messrs. Balmer Lawrie and Company, and Messrs. Barry and Company. These firms closed down their separate local agency at Dumka in the month of December 1917.

The Scandinavian Home Mission to the Santals opened a local agency at Dumka, in charge of the Reverend Boe Bojeson Bogh, M B., in the interests of the mission's tea estate at Ding Dinga in the Goalpara district.

The Tea Districts Labour Supply Association closed their local agency at Baidyanath in the Santal Parganas, as the results did not justify its maintenance. In Madras they transferred the Bezwada local agency to Rajahmundry in the district of Godavery. Bezwada is a large railway junction. No *bonâ fide* local coolies are available there, those picked up by the garden-sarders being of the waif and stray type. It was, moreover, difficult for the local agent effectively to control the garden-sarders in a place of this description. The local agency at Parvatipur in Vizagapatam district was, also at the desire of the District Magistrate, transferred from that place to Waltair, the headquarters of the district. The most convenient location for the local agency in that district would probably be Vizianagram. Two special local agencies to supervise recruitment in the Ganjam and Vizagapatam Agency tracts were opened, but have since been amalgamated with the local agencies at Berhampore and Vizagapatam.

Mr. White, local agent of the Salonah Tea Company, Limited, at Cuttack, died towards the end of the year, and the agency has remained closed up to the present.

The above changes left thirty-two local agencies at work at the close of the year.

Conduct of local agents.

11. The work of the different local agencies was carried on generally to the satisfaction of the Board. One local agent, of whose methods of working the Board did not approve, resigned his license.

Tea Districts Labour Supply Association.

12. Owing to the war and causes connected therewith, there has been a great drain on the European staff of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association. A number of their agents have joined the army; Mr. H. A. Pickford, one of the oldest and most respected of the local agents, died when on sick leave and several others have been incapacitated owing to illness. It is practically impossible to secure suitable men to fill the vacancies. The shortage of men has greatly handicapped the Association in their work during the past year. The decrease in recruitment, also, has hit the Association hard financially As mentioned in paragraph 10 of last year's report, negotiations are in progress with the object of reorganising the constitution of the Association and of broadening the basis of membership, and the general principles on which it is proposed that the scheme should be worked have been formulated. The detailed scheme, however, has not as yet been prepared.

Temporary appointment of local agents in emergent cases.

13. As it not infrequently happens that acting local agents have to be appointed for a month or so in temporary emergencies, due to the illness of the permanent incumbent or other urgent causes, it has been arranged with local Governments that Superintendents of Emigration should issue temporary licenses in such cases, informing the Board of the action taken, since if the applications were to be submitted through the Board much delay would be occasioned.

III.—RECRUITMENT.

General results of the year.

14. In paragraph 12 of last year's report it was mentioned that the prospects of recruitment for the year 1917-18 were not bright. This forecast has unfortunately proved to be correct. The cess returns (including those for June 1918, which for financial purposes appertain to the succeeding year) show that 13,452 garden-sardars obtained 12.849 labouring recruits from the 1st July 1917 to the 30th June 1918, the figures for the previous year being 28,317 garden-sardars and 33,759 labouring recruits respectively. Taking the figures of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, under whose supervision almost the whole of the recruitment for Assam is carried out, these show that, including garden-sardars still in the recruiting districts at the beginning of the year 1917-18, there were altogether 15,384 at work as against 28,521 in the year 1916-17, and that in the past year 13,970 adults or 17,735 souls were recruited, the figures for the previous season being 26.828 adults and 36,315 souls respectively. It may be explained that the Association's year begins on the 1st September and that their system of classifying adults for the purpose of the levy of their fees is different from that on which the cess is assessed. The reduction was shared by all the recruiting areas. Results were best in Ranchi and the United Provinces Except in the latter area the number of recruits per garden-sardar fell short of the 1916-17 standard, which itself was lower than that of the previous year. The causes for the less satisfactory results were various, one of the chief being that agricultural conditions were good, so the poorer people were not obliged to emigrate under stress of want. In this connection it is interesting to note that the Chairman and supervisor, in the course of their inspections of local agencies, have drawn attention to the large proportion of the recruits which were related to the garden-sardars, a fact which indicates that the latter had not much success outside of their immediate *clientèle*. Had there been famine or scarcity in any area their operations would have been more widespread. An explanation of the shortage of recruits, which is almost universally put forward by local agents and which is undoubtedly correct, is that garden-sardars were deputed in fewer numbers and too late in the season. As explained in the report for 1916-17, this was due to the uncertainty of the outlook for tea during the opening months of the season. The Food Controller's tea purchase scheme, however, had a most reassuring effect, and from January onwards garden-sardars were sent down in increasing numbers, with the result that there was a marked recovery in the numbers of labourers and dependants engaged. The greater demand for recruits for war purposes, both combatant and especially non-combatant, also affected results. Speaking generally the good pay offered for military service, the temporary nature of the employment and the prestige which attaches to service under Government are attractive to the emigrant coolie. In some directions, also, recruitment for Assam was directly restricted owing to the needs of the war. In the Ganjam Agency Tract the engagement of labourers and dependants was stopped altogether for three months, in order not to interfere with recruitment for the local Labour Corps. In Saran the emigration of males of the sweeper caste was temporarily forbidden, as efforts were being made to obtain them for Mesopotamia. The embargo was, however, eventually removed since the attempt to induce these people to enlist in a sweeper's corps failed. More seribus has been the complete stoppage of the recruitment of Nepalese in the Gorakhpur district for the coal mines of the Assam Railways and Trading Company at Margherita, which used to draw from this area a considerable supply of short-term labour consisting of immigrant Nepalese. Under previous arrangements recruits used to be produced before the local military Recruiting Staff Officer, who selected those suitable for army purposes, the remainder being allowed to proceed to Assam. But at the instance of the Nepal Durbar, who wish to conserve their man-power for purely military purposes, the Government of the United Provinces requested that the recruitment of Nepalese should be discontinued, and this has been done. The Board and the tea industry recognise that recruitment for war purposes has the paramount claim, and are always ready to assist in the promotion of all reasonable measures which Government may consider to be necessary in order to secure recruits for the army or subsidiary war services in the field. All that is asked is that measures should not be adopted which would injure recruitment for Assam,

without conferring a corresponding benefit on recruitment for war purposes. Apart from the demands of the Army Department, the growth of local industries in the recruiting districts as the result of the war constitutes an additional drain on the available supply of labour. Chota Nagpur and the Feudatory States of Bihar and Orissa are the main recruiting grounds for Assam. In this area there is the promise of great industrial development. Large industries, such as the Tata Iron and Steel Works at Sakchi, already employ great numbers of unskilled labourers at high rates of pay. In the Tata Works alone it is stated that 10,000 coolies are employed, and the Board understand that many new applications are being made for mining and other concessions. There are also numerous small industrial concerns which employ unskilled labour. These sources of employment, paying good wages and close to the homes of the coolies, cannot but prove a powerful counter-attraction to comparatively distant Assam, and contribute to some extent to the ill-success of the garden-sardar. At Chaibassa, for the last two or three years, several estates secured a connection by employing short-term labour, which was going forward fairly freely. This short-term emigration has now, however, unfortunately ceased, but the Board hope that the cessation is temporary only, and that it will be possible before long to revive this type of emigration, which provides a useful means by which gardens, and especially new gardens, can establish a recruiting connection. The Tea Districts Labour Supply Association have arranged that their local agents should send reminders to managers a few weeks before short-term coolies are due to return to their home districts, since it is absolutely essential for the success of the short-term system that managers should insist upon coolies, whose period on the garden has expired, returning to their homes, whether they wish to remain or not. This is necessary in order to give confidence and to show the village people that promises are kept. Such emigrants can after a short stay in their villages be returned to the garden to settle there permanently if they wish to do so. Managers who omit to insist upon the return of short-term labour not only damage their own recruiting, but injure that also of all other estates wishing to employ this class of labour.

Measures affecting recruitment.

15. The acting Chairman, after personal consultation with the Agents to the Governor in Vizagapatam and Godavery, addressed these officers in connection with the extension of recruiting facilities in the Agency Tracts of those districts. In the case of the Vizagapatam Tract the Agent was unable to support the proposals, except as regards the expatriation of the families of coolies now in Assam, and he thought that the castes, the recruitment of which in the open area is now permitted, should still further be restricted. The Government of Madras, however, decided to leave matters as they are in the latter respect, but accepted the recommendation of the Agent and acting Chairman as regards the expatriation of the families of coolies from the Vizagapatam Tract now in Assam, namely, that a coolie wishing to take his family from the closed area to Assam should be sent down to the local agent, who would then be in a better position to ascertain their whereabouts by personal enquiry from the coolie than the taluk officer, who, under the existing orders, has only the lists, generally erroneous, supplied by the tea garden manager to guide him.

From the portion of the Ganjam Agency Tract recently thrown open some 103 souls were recruited by 153 garden-sardars last season. Only 20 souls were obtained by 16 garden-sardars this season, but, as explained above, recruitment was stopped altogether for three months. On the whole, the results are encouraging and give grounds for the hope that an extension of the area of recruitment would yield a welcome addition to the Assam labour force, as the people are reported to be poor and ready enough to emigrate in order to better themselves. From the experience gained however, the Board have come to the conclusion that the opening to recruitment of small areas, hedged round with restrictions, while adjacent areas remain closed, leads to much confusion, considerable expenditure and small results. It is exceedingly difficult for managers in Assam and even for the local agent to be certain what villages are within the open area, as the definition of boundaries is inevitably vague, and this applies with greater force to the garden-sardars themselves who are apt to stray beyond the prescribed boundaries, thereby tending to the creation of cases of misdescription and illegal recruitment with the active connivance of the recruits themselves, who are anxious to emigrate. Much unnecessary

trouble, also, is caused to the local officers of Government dealing with emigration who have to decide whether intending emigrants come from the open or closed area. The Board, therefore, are of opinion that, in the interests of all concerned, it is desirable that, if any extensions of the recruiting area are granted in the future, they should comprise either whole Tracts or a substantial proportion thereof, and that special restrictions should be reduced to a minimum; in fact they think that recruitment should be carried on under ordinary conditions or not at all. Since the close of the year the Chairman has had the advantage of discussing this difficult question with the Government of Madras and with the Agent to the Governor in Ganjam, and the Board hope to be in a position before long to submit proposals as regards the Ganjam Tract, which will, at any rate, ameliorate the difficulties now being experienced in that area.

The rules for the regularization of recruitment in the Feudatory States of Bihar and Orissa are still under the consideration of the Government of that Province. Their promulgation is expected shortly.

Speaking generally, the present is not a favourable time for pressing for extended facilities for recruitment or for the opening of new local agencies, in view of the strenuous attempts of Government to obtain recruits for the combatant and non-combatant war services.

16. This question, as mentioned in paragraph 14 of the report of last year, has been under the consideration of the Indian Tea Association with a view to the limitation of advances and bonuses paid to garden-sardars. Owing to the disturbed and unusual conditions which are concomitants of the war, the Association have decided that the time is not opportune for arriving at a definite decision as to the limitations to be imposed. Further consideration of the matter has, therefore, been postponed until normal conditions shall be restored. As a result of the inspections of the Board's officers, however, the Board are satisfied that the advances made to garden-sardars are generally moderate and are insufficient to enable them to lay out money in the purchase of coolies, at any rate to any appreciable extent. The practice of paying *per capita* bonuses through local agents has been stopped, and the utmost vigilance is exercised in order to insure that garden-sardars are not financed direct by the estates. In one respect it has been unfortunately necessary to increase expenditure since the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, owing to the falling off in recruitment, have been obliged to raise the fees to Rs. 20 per adult, the income of the Association being derived from fees charged on the persons recruited. But the enhancement of the fees is, it is hoped, temporary, and the situation would be eased were all estates to pay more attention to recruitment and to depute garden-sardars earlier in the season and in larger numbers. The payment of a bonus to the immigrant to be taken with him or left with his family has been suggested as a stimulus to recruiting. It is understood that such bonuses have been paid to recruits for Labour Corps and in Ranchi small payments of this description have to be made to intending emigrants, as it is the local custom, the practice being somewhat similar to that obtaining at hiring fairs in Ireland. No one objects to the coolie being granted a bonus, provided that it can be insured that he actually receives it and that it is not filched away from him or his family and applied to improper purposes, and provided, also, that the practice does not tend to bring into existence the professional emigrant who accepts the bonus and turns "unwilling" when in transit, knowing well that it is practically impossible to recover the bonus from him or to secure his conviction in a court of law for cheating.

Cost of sardari recruitment.

17. Notwithstanding the activity in recruitment for war purposes, the prospects for the ensuing season in many of the recruiting areas are distinctly good, so far as can be judged at present. In a number of districts the rainfall has been deficient, and an early cessation of the rains seems to be probable. These conditions may result in a partial failure of the crops in portions of the recruiting districts. Garden managers may, therefore, depute garden-sardars freely in the reasonable hope that results will be substantially better than those of last year. There is, however, no reason to apprehend that the results should be worse than in the past season, and, indeed, if concerns send down their garden-sardars in good time, there is every reason to believe that last year's figures will be improved upon. But looking beyond the

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immediate future, there are indications that it will be necessary for the tea industry to take stock of its position if it is to hold its own in the face of other competing interests. Allusion has already been made to the ever-growing industrial activity in the areas from which Assam draws its labour, which is providing increased employment on liberal rates of pay, close to the home of the emigrant coolie. In view of these developments it will probably be necessary for the tea industry in the near future to consider whether additional inducements in the matter of pay should not be offered. It is true that the outdoor employment on tea estates, the easy conditions as regards leave, etc., the provision of rice fields and the good prospects of eventual settlement on Government land as peasant proprietors tend to attract coolies to and to keep them in Assam. It is true, also, that actual pecuniary inducements have in many cases at present little or no influence on the coolie's decision to emigrate. Many of them pay little regard to the terms offered and leave their homes either to join their relatives in Assam or simply because they wish to get away for one reason or another. Nevertheless, with the growth of local industries, attended by a rise in the local rate of wages and extended local employment, it is reasonable to suppose that the coolie will, in time, be more and more influenced by financial considerations, and will learn to weigh the relative advantages of employment nearer his home, which will not entail the break up of his household, and emigration to Assam. It is unfortunate that under the Assam system wages are presented to the would-be emigrant in the most unfavourable light. What may be described as the standard wage is admittedly low, and it is difficult to explain to the coolies that this can be earned by a few hours' work, and that the diligent coolie can, if he wishes, earn additional wages which compare favourably with those paid by other industries. Even without raising the standard wage the Board think that an improvement would be effected if each estate were to furnish its garden-sardars with a statement in the vernacular of the recruiting district setting forth the advantages which it has to offer, not only in the matter of regular wages, *ticca*, and bonuses, but also as regards housing, medical attendance, leave, sick and pregnant allowances, fuel, the supply of rice at reduced rates when prices are high, the provision of garden plots and rice lands, and facilities for the formation of hamlets of coolies of the same caste. This has often been recommended and the Assam Labour Enquiry Committee laid considerable stress on the advantages of advertisement in paragraph 65 of their report. The suggestion has not. however, been acted upon up to the present, at least to any great extent. The Board have thought it right to put forward the above considerations, in the hope that the tea industry will give the matter thought with a view to timely measures being taken to meet difficulties in recruitment which may arise in the future. With wages and the cost of living rising on all sides the tea industry can scarcely afford to stand still much longer.

IV.—ILLEGAL RECRUITMENT.

Recruitment by arkatties.

18. It is with much pleasure that the Board have to record a great improvement under this head. Only one important case of attempted illegal recruitment was brought to light. It concerned one Banerji, who, with the assistance of one Chakrabarty, a Duars recruiter, engaged to supply coolies to a certain estate in Assam on the *per capita* payment basis. The investigations of the supervisor and inspector disclosed the fact that Banerji had obtained from the manager a letter appointing him local agent of the estate. This letter, of course, had no legal effect. The case was detected in time to prevent the supply of any coolies, though it is believed that some were collected ready for despatch. The manager, when called upon for an explanation, readily admitted his fault and assisted the Board by furnishing all the information at his disposal. The Board, accordingly, dealt with the case by a reprimand which has been published in the proceedings of the local Branch of the Indian Tea Association. A case has been instituted against Banerji and Chakrabarty.

Two other cases of suspected dealings with arkatties are under investigation, one in the Balaghat district and the other at Buxar in the Saran district. In the latter case suspicion has been aroused regarding a gang of coolies who turned unwilling at Goalundo. There are grounds for the belief

that they were not *bonâ fide* emigrants and that the garden-sardar obtained them from a well-known arkatti at Buxar. Unfortunately the Magistrate at Goalundo released the coolies without referring to the local agent or the Board, so it is difficult to trace them, but the supervisor and the inspector have the matter in hand.

Taking it all round, the Board consider that the position as regards illegal recruitment is now satisfactory. Doubtless there are occasionally isolated cases of garden-sardars obta ning coolies from petty arkatties, which are generally detected owing to the vigilance of local agents, but the organised gangs have been broken up and are no longer at work. This happy result is due in a great measure to the loyal support which the Board have received from employers, who as a body refuse to have any dealings with illegal recruiters. It was mentioned in paragraph 15 of last year's report that the Central Provinces Administration had prohibited recruitment by garden-sardars not working under a local agent. Similar notifications have been published by the other local Governments in the recruiting districts. Thus a definite stop has been put to recruitment by independent garden sardars, who generally either were themselves arkatties or obtained their recruits through the latter.

Offences of garden-sardars.

19. Garden-sardars are not always free from blame, their most common offence being misdescription at which the emigrants themselves actively connive. Such cases are reported by the local agent to the Magistrate, with the result that the garden-sardar is generally convicted and imprisoned. In comparison with the large number of garden-sardars at work the cases are not numerous.

V.—FINANCIAL.

Collection and refund of cess.

20. By Department of Commerce and Industry Notification No. 1092, dated the 6th April 1918, the rate of cess during the year under review was fixed at Rs. 2 per garden-sardar and labouring emigrant. The cess was punctually collected, collections by local agents being checked locally by the supervisor in the course of his inspections as provided in revised rule 24 (4). The Chairman also checked collection work in some cases A total sum of Rs. 1,500 was refunded, viz., Rs. 1,128 on 564 garden-sardars and Rs. 372 on 186 emigrants.

Receipts and expenditure.

21. In Appendix C will be found the auditor's report and the audited statement of accounts. In the budget estimate for the year an income of Rs 2,93,395-9-8 was estimated for, comprised of an opening balance of Rs. 1,59,000 which included Rs. 1,25,000 invested (the actual opening balance being Rs. 1,59,414-0-10), a Government grant towards the Chairman's salary of Rs. 14,145-9-8, a sum of Rs. 1,18,000 being the cess on 26,000 garden-sardars and 33,000 emigrants, and Rs. 2,250 as interest on investments. The actual income amounted to Rs. 2,33,499-10-10, including the above opening balance, but excluding receipts due to withdrawals of fixed deposits and realisations from matured Treasury Bills, other than a sum of Rs. 312-8-0 being the interest thereon which is included in the sum of Rs. 25 000 shown as matured on the receipt side of the audited statement of accounts, the decrease being due to lower realisations from cess on garden-sardars and emigrants which fell short of the estimate by Rs. 65,398. The apparent large reduction in the opening balance, as shown in the audited statement of receipts and expenditure, is due to the exclusion of Rs. 75,000 invested in 5½ per cent. War Bonds and Rs. 50,000 placed in fixed deposit with the Bank of Bengal. It may be explained that the audited statement of accounts is prepared from the cash-book and, therefore, differs from the budget estimate, which includes in the opening balance sums invested and on fixed deposit at the close of the previous year, but excludes fixed deposits and purchase of Treasury Bills which are made and which mature during the course of the year. The expenditure, excluding sums invested, amounted to Rs. 72,334-12-5 against an estimate of Rs. 1,21,116-7-9 the reduction being due chiefly to the fact that the staff of supervisors was reduced to one. There were also economies under almost all other heads. The closing

balance amounted to Rs. 1,61,164-14-5, as compared with the budget estimate of Rs 1,72,279-1-11. The closing balance was comprised as follows :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Cash balance	11,477	6	5
Fixed deposit with Bank of Bengal ...	50,000	0	0
5½ per cent. War Bonds	75,000	0	0
Three months' Treasury Bills	24,687	8	0
Total ...	1,61,164	14	5

The adjustment of the shares of the Chairman's salary from the 20th November 1917 to the 30th April 1918, between the Ministry of Food, the Government of India and the Board will bring in a further sum of Rs. 4,830-7 to the Board.

Budget estimate for 1918-19.

22. The budget estimate for 1918-19, as passed at the meeting of the Board held in March 1918, provides for an income of Rs. 2,49,134-3-6 made up as follows :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Opening balance	1,64,454	0	0
Cess at Rs. 2 on garden-sardars and emigrants	64,000	0	0
Government of India's contribution (which will now be reduced as the result of the redistribution of the contributions towards the Chairman's salary).	15,679	3	6
Interest on investments	5,001	0	0

An expenditure of Rs. 90,926-3-0 has been budgetted for, leaving an estimated closing balance of Rs. 1,58,208-0-6.

VI.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Certificates of garden-sardars.

23. Doubt having arisen as to whether the currency of the certificates granted to garden-sardars is governed by the endorsement signed by the countersigning officer to the effect that the certificate ceases to be in force on the expiry of twelve months from the date of countersignature, or by the entry made by the employer in column 12, specifying the period within which the garden-sardar is required to return to the garden, the question was referred to the Assam Administration, who ruled that the period is governed by the endorsement and that all certificates are, therefore, in force *proprio vigore* for one year from the date of countersignature, the entry in column 12 by the employer being merely an instruction. In order to make this quite clear a revised certificate and endorsement have been prescribed by the Chief Commissioner. The matter is of importance since courts, as a rule, were under the impression that the currency of the certificate depended upon the entry in column 12, with the result that garden-sardars bringing in recruits after the expiry of the period specified in that column were often prosecuted and in some cases sentenced to substantial terms of imprisonment. Countersigning officers in Assam used frequently, also erroneously, to correct the endorsement so as to bring the period into conformity with that specified in column 12. Garden-sardars are generally ignorant people with a very hazy idea as to dates, and when they visit their villages are rather apt to take their own time in returning. If they bring in coolies after their certificates have expired a technical offence has undoubtedly been committed, but as long as the recruits are

produced before the local agent for registration no actual harm is done to any one, so the Board are of opinion that sentences of imprisonment in such cases are to be deprecated as an unduly harsh punishment.

A minor matter in connection with these certificates, which often occasions trouble and delay, is the fact that technical mistakes are not infrequently made by employers in filling them up, and this is especially the case when a local agency comprises more districts than one. In strict law the certificates must be returned to the labour district for amendment, and countersigning officers often require the reappearance before them of the garden-sardar when attesting the correction. This entails considerable expense and delay as well as harassment to the garden-sardar. The Tea Districts Labour Supply Association accordingly suggested that Magistrates in the recruiting districts might be authorised, as an executive measure, to make the necessary corrections. The Board recommended this suggestion to local Governments in the recruiting districts and favourable replies have been received from the Governments of Madras, Bengal, the United Provinces, and the Central Provinces. The Government of Bihar and Orissa were unable to agree to the proposal on the technical grounds already mentioned, but have suggested that the necessary corrections can be made by the countersigning officer in Assam under section 60 of the Act without requiring the reappearance of the garden-sardar. A reference has been made to the Assam Administration on this point.

Transit arrangements.

24. Transit arrangements are generally satisfactory. The rest-houses maintained by the forwarding agents were inspected by the Board's staff. who found the arrangements, including those for the supply of food, to be adequate. Several conferences have been held with the administration of the Eastern Bengal Railway, with a view to the improvement of transit facilities on the Amingaon route, and the Board wish to acknowledge the sympathetic consideration given to the subject by the Agent and his staff. The revised arrangements, when completed, will place the transit facilities on this railway on a very satisfactory footing. The route is one which is likely to become increasingly popular owing to the saving of time effected.

Thanks of Government.

25. The Board received the thanks of the Government of India, Army Department, and of the Government of Bihar and Orissa for the assistance rendered by them in raising Labour Corps in Chota Nagpur and the Santal Parganas.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the year 1917-18.

RECEIPTS.

Particulars.	Budget.	Actuals.	Short.	Excess.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Opening Balance	1,59,000 0 0	34,414 0 10	1,24,585 15 2	.....
1. Cess received from employers of garden-sardars and emigrants ...	1,18,000 0 0	52,602 0 0	65,398 0 0	.....
2. Contribution from the Government of India on account of Chairman's salary.	14,145 9 8	*14,145 9 8	.....	.....
3. Interest on fixed deposits :—				
On Rs. 75,000 ... ... Rs. A. P. 1,312 8 0				
On ,, 50,000 ... ... 875 0 0				
Total ... 2,187 8 0	2,250 0 0	1,766 4 4	483 11 8	.....
Less interest on Rs. 25,000 Borrowed from Bank 421 3 8				
4. Interest on Rs. 75,000 invested in the 5½ per cent. War Bonds ...	.....	2,062 8 0	.....	2,062 8 0
5. Withdrawal of Fixed Deposits :—				
Rs. 75,000 50,000 1,25,000	.....	1,00,000 0 0	.....	.....
Less amount of loan repaid to the Bank of Bengal ... 25,000				
6. Three months' Treasury Bill matured on 9th June 1918	.....	25,000 0 0	.....	25,000 0 0
7. Recoveries from the salary of Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart towards repayment of motor car advance.	.....	1,333 5 0	.....	.....
8. Miscellaneous recoveries	.....	†1,863 7 0	.....	1,863 7 0
Total ...	2,93,395 9 8	2,33,187 2 10	1,90,467 10 10	28,925 15 0

* Contribution by the Government of India towards the salary of Chairman from 1st March 1917 to 28th February 1918.
† Includes recovery of Rs. 800 advanced to R. W. Davies, Esq., I.C.S., Acting Chairman.

EXPENDITURE.

Particulars.	Budget as sanctioned by Government of India.	Re-appropriation.	Budget after re-appropriation.	Actuals.	Savings.	Excess.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Salary of Chairman	28,680 7 0	.....	.....	*28,640 3 4	40 4 8	.....
2. Travelling allowance of Chairman ...	4,000 0 0	.....	.....	2,970 8 0	1,029 8 0	.....
3. Travelling allowance of Members of Board.	3,000 0 0	.....	.....	2,314 7 6	685 8 6	.....
4. Salary of Board's office	4,798 0 0	.....	.....	4,016 12 2	781 3 10	.....
5. Travelling allowance of Board's office ...	1,500 0 0	.....	.....	732 6 0	767 10 0	.....
6. Grain compensation allowance of Board's office.	48 0 0	.....	.....	56 14 10	.....	8 14 10
7. Purchase of books, maps and periodicals	500 0 0	.....	.....	40 10 0	459 6 0	.....
8. Stationery and printing	700 0 0	.....	.....	685 12 5	14 3 7	.....
9. Forms	700 0 0	.....	.....	198 15 0	501 1 0	.....
10. Postage and Telegrams	600 0 0	.....	.....	296 11 0	303 5 0	.....
11. Office rent	2,100 0 0	.....	.....	2,100 0 0	.....	.....
12. Telephone charges	350 0 0	.....	.....	375 0 0	.....	25 0 0
13. Electric lights and fans	275 0 0	.....	.....	91 11 0	183 5 0	.....
14. Board's office contingencies	500 0 0	.....	.....	296 14 3	203 1 9	.....
15. Purchase of furniture	200 0 0	.....	.....	106 9 0	93 7 0	.....
16. Temporary establishment and job typing	400 0 0	.....	.....	138 11 7	261 4 5	.....
17. Liveries	220 0 0	.....	.....	212 9 6	7 6 6	.....
18. Tour charges	400 0 0	.....	.....	148 1 3	251 14 9	.....
19. Unforeseen charges	1,000 0 0	.....	.....	47 8 0	952 8 0	.....
20. Refund of cess	1,500 0 0	.....	.....	1,500 0 0	.....	.....
21. Board's contribution towards Provident Fund.	500 0 0	.....	.....	428 14 0	371 2 0	.....
22. Rewards	500 0 0	.....	.....	.....	500 0 0	.....
22(a). Amount kept in the fixed deposit ...	.....	.....	.....	50,000 0 0*	.....	50,000 0 0
Supervisors.						
23. Salary of supervisors	34,250 0 0	.....	.....	18,425 12 10†	10,824 3 2	.....
24. Contribution towards pension and leave allowances.	6,450 0 0	.....	.....	2,346 2 9‡	4,103 13 3	.....
25. Travelling allowances of supervisors ...	15,000 0 0	.....	.....	4,871 9 0§	10,128 7 0	.....
26. Salary of supervisor's office	1,744 0 0	.....	.....	559 7 5	1,184 8 7	.....
27. Grain compensation allowance	72 0 0	.....	.....	22 5 4	49 10 8	.....
28. Travelling allowance of supervisor's office.	3,000 0 0	.....	.....	1,233 10 3	1,766 5 9	.....
29. Contingent expenditure, including stationery and tour charges.	2,000 0 0	.....	.....	291 10 0	1,708 6 0	.....
30. Office rent	1,080 0 0	.....	.....	129 0 0	951 0 0	.....
31. Purchase of furniture	200 0 0	.....	.....	.....	200 0 0	.....
32. Purchase of books	300 0 0	.....	.....	.....	301 0 0	.....
33. Liveries	240 0 0	.....	.....	43 0 0	197 0 0	.....
Total ...	1,21,116 7 9	.....	.....	1,22,334 12 5	48,815 10 2	50,033 14 10
Add ...	.....	.....	.....	(a)49,375 0 0	.....	.....
Add ...	.....	.....	.....	(b)50,000 0 0	.....	.....
Add ...	.....	.....	.....	(c)11,366 0 0	.....	.....
Add ...	.....	.....	.....	(d)111 6 5	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,21,116 7 9	.....	.....	2,33,187 2 10	48,815 10 2	50,033 14 10

* Since matured on 25th February 1918 and shewn on the receipt side.
† This includes Rs. 558-14-0 salary of the Inspector.
‡ This includes Rs. 64-14-9 contribution towards pension and leave allowances of the Inspector.
§ This includes Rs. 401-7-6 travelling allowance of the Inspector.

(a) Purchase of three Treasury Bills, one of which to the value of Rs. 25,000 cost matured on 9th June 1918, and the amount has been shown on the receipt side.
(b) Kept in Fixed deposit.
(c) Cash with Bank on 30th June 1918.
(d) Cash with Chairman on 30th June 1918.

T. H. WORGAN,
Examiner, Outside Accounts.

W. M. KENNEDY, *Lt.-Col.*,
Chairman. Assam Labour Board.

ORDERED that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations noted in the margin* and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

*Government of Bengal
Government of Bihar and Orissa
Government of the United Provinces
Government of Madras
Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces
Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 12814, dated Simla, the 18th November 1918.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

THE following review by the Actuary to the Government of India of the working of the Indian Life Assurance Companies Act, VI of 1912, for the year 1917, is published for general information.

Report by the Government Actuary on the working of the Indian Life Assurance Companies Act, 1912, for the year 1917.

There are at present 68 companies subject to the Indian Life Assurance Companies Act. Of these 44 are Indian, 17 British, 1 Colonial, 2 are constituted in Shanghai and 1 is an American Company. The summaries relating to these concerns are now published in a form which has been found much more convenient than the former cumbrous method. The particulars of each company's accounts are now set forth so as to facilitate comparison not only with the corresponding particulars of other companies for the same year, but what is frequently more important, with the returns from the same company in previous years. Summaries of all the valuation returns submitted since the passing of that Act are also published, together with fairly lengthy extracts from the triennial or quinquennial valuation statements submitted since the previous year's issue of these returns. The valuation statements are usually of considerably greater importance than the annual accounts, and as in the majority of cases it will be another five years before the next valuation falls to be made, it has been considered desirable to publish such portions as would for the next few years clearly show the financial position of a company as last ascertained. The impossibility of ascertaining the relation of liabilities to assets from an examination of ordinary accounts and balance sheets is possibly more pronounced in the case of life assurance than any other class of business, and forms consequently an additional reason for the publication of the more interesting portions of the valuation statements

The returns from the Indian Companies show a marked improvement in many respects. The new sums assured are nearly 35 lakhs in excess of the amount in either of the previous two years, and although the amount is not equal to the pre-war figure it is satisfactory to see such a marked recovery. The total sums assured remaining in force also show a marked increase and now amount to nearly 21 crores of rupees. This is more than one crore in excess of the amount in any previous year. It is interesting to observe the variation in each of the past three years in the ratio to the new sums assured which is borne by the total sums written off from all causes including claims, surrenders, lapses, etc. In 1915, the sums assured written off exceeded the new business. In 1916 they were only slightly less. But last year they did not amount to half of the new sums assured and were nearly 1 crore less than the 1915 amount. Each year since the Act came into force there has been a decrease both in the expense ratio and in the amount of the sums falling due under claims by death. As was to be expected, the rate of interest earned on these Life Funds again shows an increase. Since the outbreak of war the net interest rate has increased from under 4½ to over 4¾ per cent. and a further increase may be expected. This is a very important consideration in view of the fact that Indian Companies issue mainly endowment assurances and under that class of policy the principal source of profit is generally surplus interest.

Depreciation.

The amount written off to depreciation or transferred to the Investment Reserve Fund for the purpose of meeting the decreased value of securities has since the outbreak of war been nearly one crore, but notwithstanding this the total amount of the Life Assurance Funds shows an increase each year and is now more than one-third greater than it was five years before.

The Directors of a company need not necessarily be alarmed if, owing to depreciation of securities, the Actuary's valuation report does not permit of a bonus being paid, provided the valuation proves the company to be solvent. The fact that securities stand at a low price has the effect of forming a contingent reserve fund, and a company's financial position will be all the stronger for any prudent action which may be taken now.

Although the decrease in the value of the securities may make it seem prudent in some cases not to pay any bonus or dividend, the effect of the decrease may not be so serious as many may imagine. The income in most cases exceeds the company's outgo and, consequently, there is seldom any question of the securities having to be realised at the present low prices. Moreover, in the case of Indian companies they consist mainly of Indian Government securities; hence no question arises of any decrease in the rate of interest income. At the outbreak of War, 3½ per cent. Government Promissory Notes were worth about 95½ per cent. of the face value and at that price they yielded a return of about 3⅝ per cent. to the purchaser. Recently the price was under 64 or about one-third lower than it was before the War. At this low value the yield has increased to nearly 5½ per cent. This year's War Loan gives a still larger return. Allowing for repayment at a premium ten years hence the return is nearly 5·9 per cent. free from income tax. This is about the same as a 6¼ per cent. return subject to a one anna income-tax. This increased rate of interest is of great importance to Indian companies, and in many cases will go far to counterbalance the decrease in capital values at the time of an actuarial valuation of the company's financial position. With British Companies, however, the case is different, as owing to the very heavy rate of income-tax to which they are now subject, any increase in the gross rate of interest return is generally counterbalanced by an increase in the rate of income-tax. Notwithstanding this, the financial position of the British Companies was so strong that, after providing for depreciation, they have been able to show good results by valuations based on the same interest rates as formerly. The following table culled from an article in one of the English papers shows the results of all valuations of British Companies announced in 1916 and 1917 :—

Basis of valuation.	Number of valuations which resulted in bonus being		
	Maintained at former rate.	Paid at a reduced rate.	Passed altogether.
Unaltered	7	4	21
Weakened	2	3	5

It will be seen that only 10 out of the 42 adopted a weaker basis of valuation. This was done generally by increasing the rate of interest assumed in the valuation. Although 26 of these 42 decided to pay no bonus, many of these valuations disclosed large surpluses but which the companies with their accustomed prudence decided to carry over until more settled times.

War Risk.

Some interesting statistics were recently published by the Prudential Assurance Company of London showing how the war had affected the rate of mortality amongst the male industrial lives assured. In 1917 the rate of mortality at age 20 was nearly 5 per cent., which is more than twelve times as great as it was before the war. The rate of mortality decreased for each higher age and reached a minimum at age 44 when it was less than a

quarter of the rate at age 20. At ages over 44 the 1917 mortality rates were less than normal and, although increasing from age to age, it was not till about age 65 that the rate equalled the high rate for age 20. At ages under 20, the 1917 rates were less than those for the two previous years, thereby indicating the benefit to health which results from military training. As the data did not relate exclusively to those in the Army, it does not show what extra premium should be charged for war risk.

The majority of the companies transacting life assurance business in India are unwilling to issue policies to combatant officers at the front. Some companies accept the risk on the condition of charging extra premiums, others of reducing the sum payable at death; but whichever method be adopted it seems that if a combatant officer under orders to proceed to the front were to insure now, he would be required to pay each year, in ordinary and extra premium combined, a sum of not less than about 20 per cent. of the net amount payable at death. This of course is different from charging an extra of 20 per cent., as, if for instance the insurance be made payable at the end of 20 years or at previous death, the annual extra would be about 15 per cent. of the sum assured. For endowment assurances of shorter terms the extra would be less.

Indian Mortality Rates.

The companies should keep a permanent record of every life insurance policy they have issued, in order that, when their mortality experience becomes more mature, they may be in a position to have an investigation made into the rate of mortality they are experiencing. In the meantime, the valuation might suitably be made on the assumption that the mortality likely to be experienced will be that given in the $O^{m(5)}$ table with an addition of 7 years to the age of the life. A more accurate approximation to represent the mortality of the better class of Indian lives which are insured in the companies subject to the Life Act would be that the Indian $\mu_{[x]+n} = O^{[m]}\,\mu_{[x]+6+n} + \cdot0015$. This approximation is however less easy to apply than that previously mentioned. If there has been no medical examination at the time of insurance the rate of mortality has been found to be very much higher. In such circumstances the rate of mortality might reasonably be assumed to be equal to $H^m q_{x+7}\,(1 - \cdot0095) - \cdot0095$. This approximation has the advantage of enabling the annuity values based on this heavy rate of mortality to be represented by using the annuity values from the H^m table with an addition of 7 years to the age of the life and at a rate of interest one per cent. higher than the valuation rate. This well known method may be demonstrated in the following way. If p_x represents the probability of a life aged x living till age $x+1$, and q_x the probability of his dying in that year, the value of an annuity at 4 per cent would be

$$= \frac{p_x}{1\cdot04} + \frac{p_x \times p_{x+1}}{(1\cdot04)^2} + \frac{p_x \times p_{x+1} \times p_{x+2}}{(1\cdot04)^3} + \text{etc.}$$

$$= \frac{1\cdot05}{1\cdot04} \times \frac{p_x}{1\cdot05} + \frac{1\cdot05}{1\cdot04} \times \frac{p_x}{1\cdot05} \times \frac{1\cdot05}{1\cdot04} \times \frac{p_{x+1}}{1\cdot05} + \text{etc,}$$

$$= \frac{p'_y}{1\cdot05} + \frac{p'_y \times p'_{y+1}}{(1\cdot05)^2} + \text{etc.}$$

=an annuity at 5 % interest at a different rate of mortality represented by the equation $\frac{1\cdot05}{1\cdot04} p_{x+n} = p'_{y+n}$ and $\therefore$ by $p_x = \frac{1\cdot04}{1\cdot05} p'_y$

$$\therefore \text{by } 1 - p_x = 1 - \frac{1\cdot04}{1\cdot05}\, p'_y \;\therefore \text{by } q'_y = 1 - \frac{104}{105}\,(1 - q'_y) = \frac{104}{105}\, q'_y - \frac{1}{105}$$

$$= q'_y\,(1 - \cdot0095) - \cdot0095.$$

Fortunately very few Indian companies now issue policies without requiring a medical examination: so the question of the mortality likely to be

experienced under them is one of decreasing importance. I am of opinion that in India the mortality varies with the class of policy to a greater extent than is the case in the United Kingdom, being very high under temporary insurances for short periods and low under annuity contracts.

Actuarial Valuations.

Since the issue of the previous Blue Book, valuation particulars have been received from the following nine Indian companies :—

Name of Company.	Head office in	Result of valuation.
Indian Life	Karachi	Divisible surplus.
United India	Madras	
Empire of India	Bombay	Surplus carried forward.
B. B. and C. I.	Bombay	
Aryya	Silchar	
National Indian	Calcutta	Deficits mainly covered by paid-up capital.
British Indian	Lahore	
Unique	Calcutta	
Goan Mutual	Bombay	Deficit removed by reduction of sums assured.

Extracts from the returns made by each of these companies under the Fourth Schedule to the Life Act are published in this issue. The Balance Sheet of each is also published in order that the assets as well as the liabilites may be fully shown.

Up till now 32 of the Indian companies have submitted the results of actuarial valuations of their assets and liabilities. Exactly one half of these valuations disclosed a surplus. In 10 of the remaining sixteen, the deficit was covered by the paid-up capital, thus proving solvency but precluding the payment of either bonus or dividend. In five cases solvency was restored by reduction of sums assured or by calling up further capital. In one case the degree of insolvency necessitated the winding up of the concern. Many of the other companies which went into liquidation without an actuarial valuation being made, adopted this course as the unsoundness of their financial position could be clearly demonstrated without it.

Mutual companies.

With two exceptions, all the Indian companies shown as established within the last 21 years are proprietary companies with a share capital ; but of the older companies, the great majority are mutual companies. These mutual companies generally have very small funds and it is found that payment of the full deposit prescribed in section 4 of the Life Act sometimes presses unduly on their resources, and as payment of the full deposit also interferes with the formation of new mutual companies, Government will be prepared to consider any application from an Indian mutual company for permission to pay a smaller deposit. Another privilege which Government have decided to extend to mutual companies is with regard to the audit of their accounts. While life assurance companies having a share capital may employ as an auditor only the holder of an unrestricted certificate or the member of one of the six exempted societies of accountants, mutual life assurance companies may, alternatively, employ the holder of a restricted certificate. One or two of the existing Life Offices are called Mutual Companies even although they have share capital · such nomenclature should be avoided in the case of companies established hereafter, as there is generally a recognised technical meaning attached to the use of the word " Mutual " in connection with life assurance, in consequence of which its use by a company having a share capital is likely to be misleading.

Provident Funds.

Although some of the Indian Life Assurance Companies which formerly issued policies may deservedly have bad records, it must be remembered that a great deal of discredit has been brought on the better class of such companies owing to a large number of the unsound Provident

Societies having names which suggested that they were ordinary Life Assurance Companies. This confusion is certain to decrease, as it is probable that some of the existing Provident societies which call themselves Life Assurance Companies will disappear. Moreover, the rules under the Provident Insurance Societies Act which have been adopted by nearly all the local Governments provide that no new Society subject to that Act may be started with a name in which the words "life insurance" or "life assurance" occur. About twelve years ago there were about 1,200 Provident Insurance societies in existence in India. Now about 45 remain. The unsound ones were very similar to the dividing societies whose methods I have dealt with in previous issues of these returns. The essential difference between a Life Assurance Company and a Provident Insurance Society is that the company is subject to the Life Act and not to the Provident Act, if under insurances payable at the death or survivance of any one life, it undertakes either to pay sums which in the aggregate exceed Rs. 500 or receive premiums which in the aggregate exceed Rs. 25 in any one year where the period for which the premiums are payable is unlimited, or Rs 250 altogether where such period is limited. If, as may happen in the case of a dividing society, the sum assured is not fixed but may in certain contingencies exceed Rs. 500, the society is subject to the Life Act.

New Companies.

The Mysore Government Security Life and Marriage Assurance Company, Mysore, has become subject to the provisions of the Life Act This Company's head office is in the Native State of Mysore. The Mysore Government is, however, in no way concerned with the Company and by a Notification, dated the 23rd December 1914, published in the Mysore Gazette, it announced that the use of the words "Mysore Government" in the name of the company did not mean that the Mysore Government authorized its formation or in any way supervised its business.

This Mysore company for about a year past has endeavoured to transact insurance business of the Dividing Society type in British India. By keeping its life assurance contracts within the limits prescribed for Provident Societies, it first of all escaped compliance with the Life Act and by only having canvassers working in British India and so restricting their powers it endeavoured to escape compliance with the provisions of the Provident Insurance Societies Act. On being informed that this could not be done it has decided to issue policies which make it subject to the Life Act.

Only one other company, viz., the Indian Allied Life Insurance Company, Limited, which has recently been established at Allahabad, has become subject to the Life Act during the year. This issue, however, contains no particulars of either of the above mentioned companies.

Agents.

The greatest possible care should be taken by the less experienced companies in selecting as agents only those of whose integrity they have no doubt, as thereby they would lessen the risk of policy-holders being defrauded. Possibly more care would be exercised in this matter if companies realised that they were greatly responsible for the action of their agents. The following extract from a recent article in one of the English Insurance papers will possible indicate the extent to which the company may be responsible :—

"The contract of insurance is in most cases made through the intervention of agents whose acts bind their principals in the same way as other business transactions. All incorporated companies must necessarily act through agents, and their officers are specially appointed and clothed with powers more or less specific to facilitate the transaction of business. To these in cases of emergency are added special or general agents who at home and abroad exercise very extensive powers. What is the fair scope

of the authority of these agents, now so numerous, to whom are entrusted the duties partly or wholly of soliciting risks, receiving and forwarding applications, being supplied with blanks for the purpose, receiving premiums and deposit notes and delivering policies? This question has given rise to some of the most perplexing difficulties, and to a larger proportion, perhaps, than any other of the controversies in Courts of Law. An agent acting within the general scope of his authority binds his principal, notwithstanding that he may have departed from his instructions, provided the party with whom he contracts had no knowledge of those instructions. And even in cases where the contract might be avoided in consequence of the agent departing from his instructions, a subsequent ratification by his principal, even after a loss, makes it binding. As a corporation can act only through agents, it is responsible for the acts and contracts of such agents within the scope of their authority. The declaration, too, of its agents acting within the scope of their authority is evidence against the company. If these agents in the line, of their employment are guilty of falsehood and fraud, their principal is liable for the consequences which may flow therefrom. If they commit a fraud in the course of their employment and while acting in the business of their principal, the parties injured by their misconduct or fraud can resort for redress to the persons who clothed them with power to act on their behalf, and who have received the benefits resulting from their agency."

Liquidation.

Since the passing of the Life Act the following eighteen Indian Life Assurance Companies have gone into liquidation. This was rendered necessary in the majority of the cases by financial difficulties brought about by insurance business having been transacted on the dividing society principle. Under this system the sum assured is not fixed but depends each year on a division of a portion of the premium income amongst the policies which have become claims; usually the premium is the same for all ages at entry and there is no medical examination.

	Name of company	Place of Head Office.	Date of resolution to go into voluntary liquidation.
1.	Indian Mutual Provident Fund...	Bombay ...	April 1913.
2.	Catholic Death Benefit ...	Bombay ...	8th June 1913.
3.	National Relief Corporation ...	Shikarpur ...	8th June 1913.
4.	Mutual Beneficial	Rangpur ...	1st December 1913.
5.	Crown	Bombay ...	11th December 1913.
6.	Doaba	Jullundar ...	14th December 1913.
7.	Pioneer	Bombay ...	January 1914.
8.	All India Banking and Insurance	Lahore ...	March 1914.
9.	Aswini	Bimlipatam	4th April 1914.
10.	Imperial Guaranteed ...	Calcutta ...	November 1914.
11.	Northern Circars	Calcutta ...	28th December 1914.
12.	Capital	Calcutta ...	12th March 1915.
13.	National Insurance and Banking	Amritsar ...	13th June 1915.
14.	Victoria	Calcutta ...	13th March 1916.
15.	Coromandel	Bimlipatam	8th September 1916.
16.	Eastern	Calcutta ...	20th September 1916.
17.	Star of India	Calcutta ...	7th April 1917.
18.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong...	22nd April 1918.

The Universal Assurance Company, Ltd., of Calcutta, which at my suggestion has not issued any policies since June 1916, states that it is taking steps to go into liquidation; but its account books which have had to be produced in connection with a criminal action against Jogesh Chandra Sarker, Secretary, and Shayama Charan Sarker, Director of the Company, have not yet been received back from the Court.

Dividing Insurance business.

The following existing companies have ceased to issue policies on the dividing principle :—

1. India Equitable
2. Popular
3. Universal
4. Bengal Mercantile

} which issued policies payable at Death and on Marriage.

5. Aryya, which issued policies payable at Death, on Marriage and at Upanayan ceremony.
6. Unique, which issued policies payable at Death, on Marriage, at Birth and at Upanayan ceremony.

Many of the above mentioned companies must regret that they ever undertook such business. Notwithstanding the protestations contained in the prospectuses of the companies as to the soundness and advantage of the various schemes of dividing insurance, it has, I consider, been the curse of insurance enterprise in India. I trust that the well-wishers of Indian insurance companies will impress on Directors the necessity of avoiding all forms of dividing society business and other forms of insurance not based on actuarial principles. The following three† Life Assurance companies are the only ones which now issue policies on the dividing principle :—

1. All India and Burma Provident Fund of Bangalore.
2. Hindustan Assurance and Mutual Benefit Society of Gujranwala.
3. Sind Hindu Provident Funds Society of Hyderabad, Sind.

In every case where any of these nine companies has guaranteed a minimum benefit in respect of each policy, that minimum amount is all that is now being paid. Although this is very much less than many policyholders were originally led to expect, it is more than some of the companies can now afford to pay. Companies transacting life insurance on the dividing principle must realise that it entails more than a liability for the period ordinarily covered by the premiums paid and that it is imperative to build up a reserve on actuarial principles to ensure payment of the benefit guaranteed at death or on survivance. In the early years the premium should be more than sufficient to meet the risk run by the Company after meeting current expenses; in the later years, however, the risk increases as the life assured becomes older and ultimately exceeds the amount of the premium. Unless therefore a reserve has been formed in the early years, the company will get into financial difficulties.

Of the Indian companies now working, 7 were established over 42 years ago. This is shown in the following list where the names of the existing Indian life assurance companies have been arranged, according to their respective dates of establishment as also with reference to the Province in which the Head Office of each is now situated.

[The names of Mutual companies are printed in bold types.]

Year when established.	Madras Presidency.	Bombay Presidency.	Bengal.	Punjab.	United Provinces, Assam, Ajmer-Merwara and Civil and Military station of Bangalore.
1829 ...	**Madras Equitable.**	...	...	...	...
1833° ...	**Madras Widows**	...	...	...	...
1847° ...	...	...	...	**Christian Mutual.**	...
1849° ...	**Tinnevelly C. M. S.** widows.	...	...	...	...
1871° ...	...	**Bombay Mutual**	...	...	...
1874° ...	...	Oriental ...	...	...	...
1876° ...	...	**Bombay Widows**	...	...	..
1885° ...	...	**Goan Mutual Help.**	...	...	...
1883 ...	...	...	...	...	...

† The Mysore Government Security Life and Marriage Assurance Company, which has only recently been brought under the operation of the Life Assurance Companies Act, also transacts insurance business on the dividing society plan.

Year when established.	Madras Presidency.	Bombay Presidency.	Bengal.	Punjab.	United Provinces, Assam, Ajmer-Merwara and Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.
1887 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1888 ...	**Mangalore** Roman Catholic.	**B. B. and C. I. Zoroastrian.**	...	...	...
1889 ...	...	**Bombay Zoroastrian.**	...	...	...
1890 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1891 ...	...	**Gujarat Zoroastrian.**	**Hindu Provident Fund.**	...	...
1892 ...	...	Indian Life ...	...	...	...
1893 ...	...	...	...	...	**Rechabites** (United Provinces.)
1894 ...	...	**Sind Hindu Provident.**	...	...	...
1895 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1896 ...	...	Empire of India ...	...	Bharat ...	...
1897 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1898 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1899 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1900 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1901 ...	...	...	...	**Simla Mutual.**	...
1902 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1903 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1904 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1905 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1906 ...	United India ...	All India United ...	National Indian ; National.	Co-operative	...
1907 ...	...	...	Hindusthan Co-operative.	...	...
1908 ...	...	Bombay Life ...	India Equitable	Hindustan of Gujranwala.	General (Ajmer-Merwara).
1909 ...	...	...	...	...	...
1910 ...	...	...	Bengal Mercantile	Popular ...	Aryya (Assam).
1911 ...	...	Asian Commercial ...	Universal ...	...	...
1912 ...	...	...	Unique ...	...	...
1913 ...	...	Industrial and Prudential ; Western India ; East and West.	Light of Asia ; Provincial.	...	...
1914 ...	...	...	...	British Indian.	...
1915 ...	...	...	...	...	**All India and Burma** (Bangalore).
1916 ...	...	Zenith	...	...	...
1917 ...	...	Britannia ...	...	...	...

Business other than Life Assurance.

Since the Life Act was passed in 1912, there has been a considerable reduction in the number of Indian companies transacting other classes of business in addition to life assurance, the number having decreased from twenty-one to the nine noted below:—

1. All India United which transacts Fire Insurance.
2. Bharat
3. Empire
4. National
5. National Indian

„ Fidelity Guarantee Insurance.

6. Rechabites „ Sickness Insurance.
7. Hindustan of Gujranwala
8. Sind Hindu Provident Funds Society.

„ Marriage Insurance.

9. Christian Mutual „ Capital Redemption Business.

Statistical Information.

For the convenience of those not conversant with the Indian monetary system, it may be pointed out that, on the basis of a gold mohur being equal

to a pound, the sterling equivalents of various sums in Indian currency are as follows :—

	1 Pie	= Rs. 0·0052 = ½ of a penny	= £0·00035.
3	Pies = 1 Paisa	= „ 0·0156 = 1 farthing	= £0·00104.
12	Pies = 1 Anna	= „ 0·0625 = 1 penny	= £0·00117.
16	Annas = 1 Rupee		= 1 shilling and 4 pence.
15	Rupees = 1 Gold Mohur		= £1.
	1 Gold Mohur and 12 annas		= £1-1-0= 1 Guinea.
1,00,000	Rupees = 1 Lakh		= £6,666-13-4.
1,00,00,000	Rupees = 1 Crore		= £666,666-13-4.
1,50,00,000	Rupees = 1½ crores=1 million pounds sterling		= £1,000,000.

The new sums assured by Indian companies under ordinary life assurance policies during the year under review show a considerable increase, the total amount being nearly 2¼ crores as against one crore and ninety lakhs in each of the two previous years.

Whole Life policies were issued last year for	17½	lakhs, or	7·8	of the total.	
Limited Payment policies „	„	„ 19	„	„ 8·4	„
Endowment Assurance policies	„	„ 172	„	„ 77·0	„
Children's Endowments	„	„ 6	„	„ 2·6	„
Other classes of policies	„	„ 9½	„	„ 4·2	„
Total		... 224	„	100	

The total sums assured, including bonus additions, under ordinary life assurance policies issued by Indian companies, have increased by over 5 per cent. during the year and amount to over 24 crores of rupees, or about 15 million pounds sterling.

Neither the total sums assured remaining in force nor the total amount for which policies are issued each year in India by all companies can be stated, as unfortunately particulars of this nature are not required to be submitted by the British companies and by some of the other companies which transact business both in United Kingdom and in India.

The average rate of annual premium payable under the policies issued by Indian companies exceeds 5⅓ per cent. of the sum assured. This is slightly higher than the rate in either of the previous two years.* The corresponding rate deduced from the returns of the British Board of Trade is about 1 per cent. lower. This difference between these two rates is largely due to the fact that endowment assurances constitute nearly twice as large a proportion of the policies issued by Indian as by British companies.

The average amount of sum assured under the policies issued by the more soundly established Indian Companies is only about Rs. 1,800 or £120. In the United Kingdom the average sum assured under ordinary policies is nearly twice as large. Under most of the Indian companies' policies, the premiums are payable by monthly instalments. In the United Kingdom a much larger proportion of the premiums are renewable yearly and half yearly than monthly.

The Life Assurance revenue accounts for 1917 of the Indian Companies show that—

110 lakhs	or 76·6 per cent.	of the total income was derived from Life Assurance premiums.
33 lakhs	or 22·8 per cent.	of the total income was derived from interests and rents (less tax).
1 lakh	or ·6 per cent.	of the total income was derived from other items.
Total ... 144 lakhs	100	

* In previous years the classification was based according to the calendar year in which the accounts were due for submission to Government. Now it is based according to the calendar year to which the accounts relate.

For each of the past 5 years the total life assurance income of the companies now working was—

130 lakhs in 1913	137 lakhs in 1916
135 „ 1914	144 „ 1917
141 „ 1915	

The manner in which this income was disposed of is shown in the following interesting table :—

Nature of payment.	In 1913.	In 1914.	In 1915.	In 1916.	In 1917.
	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
Claims by death ...	31·4	27·3	25·0	26·2	23·9
Claims by survivance ...	9·5	10·0	10·4	9·9	13·1
Surrenders	1·2	2·	2·0	2·2	2·9
Annuities	·8	·8	·8	·8	·6
Bonus in cash and reduction of premium.	1·2	1·6	1·1	1·0	1·1
Dividends to shareholders ...	·5	·4	·4	·4	·5
Expenses	18·8	17·4	16·0	16·0	15·4
Written off to depreciation of investments, etc.	1·0	·7	14·9	37·8	18·9
Increase to Life Funds ...	35·7	39·5	29·4	5·7	23·6
Total ...	100·	100	100·	100·	100·

The ratio of the total expenses to the life assurance premium income was—

23·8 per cent. in 1913	20·5 per cent. in 1916
21·6 „ 1914	20·2 „ 1917
21·1 „ 1915	

These rates as well as those in the previous table would have exhibited a more marked improvement each year, if the figures relating to companies which have gone into liquidation in the meantime had not been entirely omitted.

In the United Kingdom the ratio of expenses to life assurance premium income is 13 per cent. for ordinary business and 43 per cent. for industrial business.

The satisfactory manner in which the amounts both of the Life Assurance Funds and of the interest realized thereon have increased may be seen from the following table :—

Year.	Life Fund.	Net interest income.	Rate per cent. of interest realised.
	Lakhs.	Lakhs.	
1913	583	23½	4·29
1914	636	25	4·21
1915	677	27½	4·29
1916	686	29½	4·43
1917	720	33	4·78

The total assets of the Indian Companies consist mainly of Indian Government securities which at their face-value amounted to the large sum of Rs. 5¾ crores. The only other stock exchange securities consisted of nearly 1½ crores of Municipal and Port Trust Debentures and only 19 lakhs in Railway and other shares. At the time of the periodical actuarial valuation, the Life Act requires not only a statement of how the values of stock exchange securities are arrived at, but also a certificate to the effect that the assets set forth in the Balance sheet are in the aggregate fully of the value stated therein less any Investment Reserve Fund taken into account. In arriving at this value Government advise that the stock exchange securities shall not be given a rate in excess of the market value

at the close of the valuation period. Applying the Investment Reserve Funds to meet the depreciations of these securities they are shown in the accounts at a value of Rs. 614 lakhs. On this basis the total assets would be as follows :—

	Lakhs
Indian Government securities, Indian Municipal and Port Trusts Debentures, and other Indian stock exchange securities	614
Mortgages on property in India	30
Loans on Companies' policies within their surrender values	68
Loans in personal security, etc	2
Land and house property	51
Agents' balances, outstanding premiums and outstanding interest	14
Accrued interest	10
Deposits, cash, stamps, etc.	24
Stationery, furniture, etc.	2
Sundry debtors and other miscellaneous assets ...	2
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Capital outlay for preliminary and organisation expenses, etc., is not included in the above statement; it amounted to 15 lakhs, due mainly to the capital expenditure of the Hindusthan Co-operative Insurance Society.

British, Colonial and Foreign Companies.

There are at present 24 British, Colonial and Foreign Life Offices which have a place of business in India. Of these, 17 are constituted in Britain, 2 in Canada, 1 in Australia, 1 in the Straits Settlements, 2 in Shanghai and 1 in the United States of America. Nearly all are partially exempt from the operation of the Indian Life Assurance Companies Act of 1912, on the ground that, when it came into force, they were carrying on business in the United Kingdom in conformity with the provisions of the British Assurance Companies Act of 1909.

The classes of business, in addition to ordinary life assurance, transacted by these 24 companies are shown in the following statement :—

	Name of Company	Year when established.	Place of head office.	Business done.						
Constituted in the United Kingdom.	1. Alliance	1824	London ...	A	F	M	C	S	E	G
	2. Atlas	1808	London ...	A	F	...	C	S	E	G
	3. Commercial Union	1861	London ...	A	F	M	C	S	E	G
	4. Gresham	1848	London ...	A	...	...	C	...	...	...
	5. Law Union and Rock ...	1806	London ..	A	F	...	C	S	E	G
	6. Liverpool and London and Globe	1836	Liverpool ...	A	F	M	C	S	E	G
	7. London Assurance Corporation ...	1720	London ...	A	F	M	C	S	E	G
	8. North British and Mercantile ...	1823	Edinburgh ...	A	F	...	C	...	...	...
	9. Northern	1836	Aberdeen ...	A	F	...	C	S	E	G
	10. Norwich Union	1797	Norwich ..	A	...	...	C	...	...	...
	11. Phoenix	1782	London ...	A	F	M	C	S	E	G
	12 Royal	1845	Liverpool ...	A	F	M	C	S	E	G
	13. Royal Exchange	1720	London ...	A	F	M	C	S	E	G
	14. Royal London Auxiliary ...	1910	London ...	A	F	...	C	S	...	G
	15. Scottish Union and National ...	1824	Edinburgh ...	A	F	M	C	S	E	G
	16. Standard	1825	Edinburgh ...	A	...		C		...	...
	17. Yorkshire	1824	York ...	A	F	M	C	S	E	G
Not constituted in the United Kingdom.	18. Manufacturers	1887	Canada ...	A	...	...	...	...		...
	19. Sun of Canada	1865	Canada ...	A	...	...	C	S	...	...
	20. National Mutual of Australasia...	1869	Australia ...	A	...	...	...	...	...	...
	21. Great Eastern	1909	Singapore ...	A	...	...	...	...	...	...
	22. China Mutual	1898	Shanghai ...	A	...	...	...	...	..	...
	23. Shanghai	1905	Shanghai ...	A	...	...	...	...	...	...
	24. New York	1845	United States of America.	A	...	...	...	...	...	...

A = Life Annuities ; F = Fire insurance ; M = Marine insurance.
C = Annuities certain, Capital redemption, etc. ; S = Sickness and accident.
E = Employers' liability ; G = Burglary and Fidelity Guarantee, etc.

The principal effects of the exemptions allowed to these British Colonial and Foreign companies are that they are freed from the necessity either of making a deposit with the Controller of Currency or of stating the amount

of business they do in India. Those granted exemptions are allowed to submit their accounts in the form required by the British Assurance Companies Act of 1909. That Act is very similar to the Indian one.

Accounts and Valuation Statements of Non-Indian Companies.

A summary of the Revenue Accounts of each of the non-Indian companies for each of the past three years, so far as available, has been given in this publication. Since the issue of the last Blue Book no companies have published their quinquennial or triennial valuation returns except the Great Eastern Life Assurance Company of Singapore. This issue contains a summary of and abstracts from the valuation returns of that company together with its full balance sheet, along with a summary of the valuation returns previously received from the 23 other non-India companies.

The China Mutual, Manufacturers, New York, Shanghai and Sun of Canada have their valuations made annually, and as their previous returns were fully printed in the earlier editions of this publication, the returns received in the year under review have been omitted, except to the extent of the particulars shown in the general summary of the valuations of non Indian companies.

Exemptions.

During the year under review, complete exemption from the operation of the Act was not granted to any company.

The following companies and pension funds were previously granted complete exemption from compliance with the Act. This publication therefore contains no particulars relating to any of them except the Madras Equitable:—

(*a*) Companies no longer issuing policies in India—
English and Scottish Law Life Assurance Association, Edinburgh.
London and Lancashire Life and General Assurance Association, London.
National Mutual Life Assurance Society, London.
Scottish Metropolitan Assurance Company, Edinburgh.
Star Assurance Society, London.
Sun Life Assurance Society, London.
Madras Equitable Assurance Society. (This Indian Society is governed by a separate Act passed by the Madras Legislature and has not issued any policies since 1910.)

(*b*) Funds connected with Indian Government services—
Postal Insurance Fund.
Bengal Civil Fund.
Indian Civil Service Family Pension Fund.
Bengal and Bombay Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund.
Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund.
Indian Civil Service Annuity Fund.
Indian Military Service Family Pension Fund.
Queen's Military Widows' Fund.
Madras Civil Fund.
Madras Military Assistant Surgeons' Fund.

(*c*) Other Funds—
Bengal Christian Family Pension Fund.
General Family Pension Fund.
Hindu Family Annuity Fund.

SIMLA; *The 14th September 1918.*

H. G. W. MEIKLE, F.F.A., *Actuary to the Government of India.*

The summaries and abstracts referred to in the above report are not reproduced here. They have, however, been appended to the report and published separately in the form of a book which can be had of the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, 8, Hastings Street, Calcutta (at the price of Re. 1-8-0 per copy).

ORDER—Ordered that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations for information and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India.*

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 30th November 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS—WAR.

Delhi, the 30th November 1918.

No. 251-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 3075, dated the 11th May 1918, as subsequently amended :—

Delete the entry :—

(*A*) Plates, tin and receptacles made from tin plates.

No. 257-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in this Department Notification No. 3075, dated the 11th May 1918, as subsequently amended :—

In the preamble—

Delete the words "Norway, Denmark, Sweden, Holland, Switzerland, Greece."

Insert the following—

(*a*) after the words "British India," the words "of coffee and tea to the United Kingdom, and"

(*b*) after the word "Mokalla," the words "and to all destinations in European and Asiatic Russia and in other foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas other than France and French Possessions, Italy and Italian Possessions, and Portugal."

From the Schedule—

Delete the following—

(*a*) the entry "(*iv*) Goods marked (D) to all destinations in European and Asiatic Russia and in other foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas other than France and French Possessions, Italy and Italian Possessions and Portugal ;"

(*b*) all goods marked (D) with footnotes thereto.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Indian Munitions Board, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 30th November 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION

Simla, the 30th November 1918.

No. H-524.—In pursuance of Rule 11EEE of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that the provisions of the said rule shall apply to the Province of the Punjab and to the Central Provinces.

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

OFFICE OF THE BRITISH REMOUNT TRAINING DEPÔT, BANGALORE.

The 21st November 1918.

Joined the British Remount Training Depôt, Bangalore, on the 8th September 1918 from the Royal Artillery Depôt, Trimulgherry and deserted on the morning of the 5th November 1918. This driver was previously absent from his duty from 27th September 1918 until the 30th September 1918.

1. No. 45146, Indian Driver, Halku
2. Father's name, Puran.
3. Caste, H. Gond Raj.
4. Village Patna, thana Nohta, tahsil Damoah, district Demoh.
5. Date of enrolment, 19th March 1918.
6. Age on enlistment, 20 years.
7. Height, 5 feet 3½ inches.
8. Chest measurement, 33"—35".
9. Identification marks on body, Big scar on stomach. Scar back of left wrist.

V. H. SECKER, *Captain and Adjutant,*
British Remount Training Depôt, Bangalore.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2893L.S.-G.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 2009L.S.-G., dated the 27th July 1914, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union that three of the members of the Dantun Union Committee, in the district of Midnapore, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of said Act.

Midnapore.

No. 2895L.S.-G.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 3 of Government Order No. 151T.M., dated the 15th June 1895, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union that three of the members of the Kalia Union Committee, in the district of Jessore, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Jessore.

No. 2897L.S.-G.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 2358L.S.-G., dated the 29th October 1915, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that two of the members of the Dupchanchia Union Committee, in the district of Bogra, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, and five of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Bogra.

No. 2899L.S.-G.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 2551L.S.-G., dated the 13th November 1915, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Nilphamari Union Committee, in the district of Rangpur, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2900L.S.-G.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in modification of paragraph 2 of Government Notification No. 2555L.S.-G , dated the 13th November 1915, and in order to ensure the representation of all important interests in the Committee of the Union, that three of the members of the Kurigram Union Committee, in the district of Rangpur, shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Rangpur.

No. 2905M.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Bazitpur Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, under section 23 of that Act, electing Rai Chandra Kishore Kar Bahadur to be their Chairman.

Mymensingh.

No. 2907M.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Bankura Municipality, under section 27 of that Act, electing Babu Rajendra Lal Mukharji to be Chairman of that Municipality, *vice* Babu Rash Bihari Banarji, on leave.

Bankura.

No. 2909M.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Ramani Mohan Sen, to be their Chairman.

Murshidabad.

No. 2911M.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Azimganj Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, under section 23 of that Act, electing Raja Bejoy Singh Dudhoria to be their Chairman.

Murshidabad.

No. 2913M.—The 2nd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Tamluk Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Sharat Chandra Mukharji to be their Chairman.

Midnapore.

No. 2903M.—The 2nd December 1918.—Under rule 7 of the Local Authorities' Loans Rules, 1915, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Governor in Council intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Dacca Municipality for a loan of Rs. 1,06,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, and repayable in forty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 4,585-13 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said Municipality.

Dacca.

Application from the Commissioners of the Dacca Municipality for a loan of Rs. 1,06,000 for the improvement of the Water Works, Dacca.

The work or works for which the loan is required and the estimate of the cost thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied received or held.	RECEIPT OF LOAN. (a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) The rate of interest at which it is proposed to borrow.	(c) The number of instalments in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The date proposed for for receiving each.	REPAYMENT OF LOAN. (f) The number of instalments in which the loan is repayable and the dates of payment thereof.	(g) Amount for each instalment.	FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE LOCAL BODY. REVENUE (DETAILS OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS). Sources from which the revenue is derived.	AMOUNT FOR— 1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	EXPENDITURE (DETAILS OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS). Object on which the expenditure is incurred.	AMOUNT FOR— 1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	The normal surplus which may be expected in future, i.e., the difference between the average ordinary income and the average ordinary expenditure calculated on the figures in columns 18 to 18 and 17 to 19, respectively.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
For the improvement and extension of the Dacca Water Works, estimated amount, Rs. 2,12,248.	Rs. 1,06,000.	Dacca Municipal rates and taxes.	Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884 as amended by Act III of 1886 and Acts VI and IV of 1894 B.C.	20 years.	6 per cent.	One instalment.	Rs. 1,06,000.	15th March 1919.	40 equal instalments payable on 20th January and 20th July.	Rs. 4,666-12-11-8, say, Rs 4,665-13		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. 6,238.	
											(a) Municipal rates and taxes ...	2,99,228	3,16,071	3,37,255	(1) General Administration and collection charges.	18,565	19,461	20,067		
											(b) Realization under special Acts.	2,292	2,514	2,213	(2) Public safety	17,084	20,527	21,628		
											(c) Revenue derived from municipal property and power apart from taxation.	31,040	28,487	25 793	(3) Public health and conveniences (including expenditure from loan funds and from grants other than ordinary).	2,76,392	2,51,268	3,12,363		
											(d) Grants and contributions for general and special purposes (ordinary).	17,089	19,430	23,115	(4) Public Instruction	7,132	6,967	11,236		
															(5) Miscellaneous	29,313	24,949	26,814		
															(6) Repayment of loans ...	16,388	17,060	17,[illegible]		
											(e) Miscellaneous	11,094	10,356	15,743	Total ordinary expenditure ...	2,64,874	3,40,272	4,19,799		
											Total ordinary income ...	3,60,743	3,78,858	4,04,119	(7) Extraordinary and debt excluding repayment of loan.	40,492	36,247	63,915		
											(f) Extraordinary and debt ...	23,672	37,833	1,72,243	(8) Expenditure from Loan Funds and from grant included, under the head "Receipts of abnormal character."	...	...	...		
											(g) Receipt of abnormal character.	...	..	...						
											Total ...	3,98,415	4,16,691	5,76,362	Total ...	4,05,366	3,76,519	4,83,714		
											Opening balance ...	1,08,816	92,865	1,33,037	Closing balance ...	92,865	1,33,037	2,25,685		
											GRAND TOTAL ...	4,98,231	5,09,556	7,09,399	GRAND TOTAL ...	4,98,231	5,09,556	7,09,399		

In addition to the details required on the reverse, clear information should be given below under the following heads :—

(*a*) If the ordinary surplus is insufficient to meet the charge of the proposed loan, the particular steps which the Municipality has taken, or has agreed to take, in order to make good the deficiency.

(*a*) Particulars explained in this office No. 1856 of 13th September 1917. Copy submitted to Government with the Commissioner's No. 4131J., dated the 21st September 1917.

(*b*) The reserve of taxation or other possible means of increase in the revenue of the Municipality.

(*b*) In 1917-18 by increasing the latrine rate the income under latrine head has been increased. After the completion of the water-works improvement, fee for house connection will be increased.

(*c*) A statement of all outstanding loans specifying in respect of each loan, the date when taken, the purpose (very briefly), the amount, the annual charges involved, and the amount still payable.

(*c*)

Outstanding loan and how payable.	Purpose of loan.	When taken.		Instalments paid.	Balance outstanding on 31st March 1918.
					Rs. A. P
1. Loan of Rs. 1,25,000 from Government payable in 60 half-yearly instalments.	Water-works improvements and extension.	Taken in 1889-90 in instalments.		Half-yearly Rs. 3,816-14-8 or annually Rs. 7,633-13-4.	24,467 3 3
			Rs.		
2. Loan of Rs. 75,000 from Government payable in 40 half-yearly instalments.	Conservancy improvement, construction of tram lines, etc.	On 5th November 1908, and	25,000	Half-yearly Rs. 2,157-9-5 or annually Rs. 4,315-2-10.	60,919 8 1
		On 5th December 1908.	50,000		
3. Loan of Rs. 2,00,000 from Government payable in 40 half-yearly instalments.	Water-works remodelling and extension.	On 6th January 1910, and	1,00,000	Half-yearly Rs. 7,311-1-7 or annually Rs. 14,622-3-2.	1,38,253 7 7
		On 9th February 1910.	1,00,000		
4. Loan of Rs. 20,000 from Government payable in 40 half-yearly instalments.	Improvement of conservancy tram line.	On 19th September 1911.	20,000	Half-yearly payment Rs. 731-11 or annually Rs. 1,463-6.	15,180 11 5
5. Loan of Rs. 1,00,000 from Government payable in 40 half-yearly instalments at 6 per cent.	For water-works improvements.	On 1st March 1918.		Half-yearly payment, Rs. 4,326-3-9 or annually Rs. 8,652-7-6.	1,00,000 0 0

(*d*) Any explanation in regard to receipts and expenditure to show the true financial position of the Municipality when such position is otherwise than the ordinary surplus would indicate.

(*d*) Ordinary surplus as shown in column 20 of the application indicate the financial position of the Municipality.

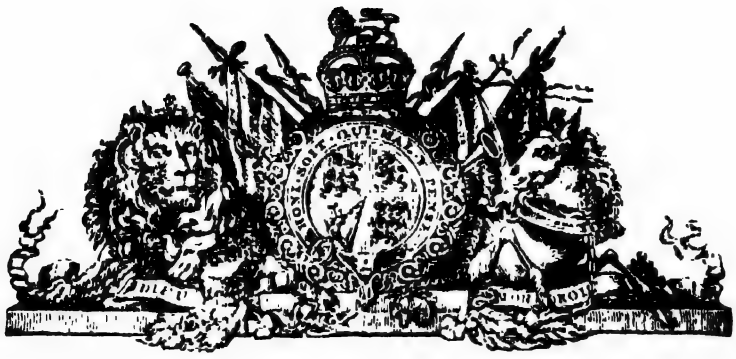
No. 2917M.—The 3rd December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 8 (*2*) (*d*) and 62 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. C. H. Bompas to be a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. J. A. Woodhead, resigned.

Calcutta.

No. 2919M.—The 3rd December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9, sub-section (*2*), clause (*c*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. C. H. Bompas, who is a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, to be a member of the General Committee of the Corporation, *vice* Mr. J. A. Woodhead, resigned.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Prasanna Kumar Tagore Law Scholarship of Rs. 20 (Twenty) a month, tenable for one year with effect from 1st June 1918, is awarded to Nalini Kanta Sen Gupta, who stood first at the First B. L. Examinations of the Calcutta University held in the year 1918.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 22nd November 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATUM.

In the list of candidates, who passed the last Preliminary Examination in Law, under the heading "Second Division" published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918—

for

Guha, Sachindranath ... ... Ripon Law College.

read

Guhathakurta, Sachindranath ... Ripon Law College.

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 27th November 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with the provision in section 4, sub-section (*2*) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), the following Ordinary Fellows of the Calcutta University elected by the Registered Graduates in 1914 will vacate their Fellowships on the 29th of March 1919 :—

The Hon'ble Mr. Mahendranath Ray, M.A., B.L., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Mr. Bhupendranath Basu, M.A., B.L.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 (1) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to direct that two Ordinary Fellows shall be elected in January next by the Registered Graduates of the Calcutta University from among themselves.

The election will take place at the Senate House in the Registrar's Room, Darbhanga Library Building, on Saturday, the 18th January 1919.

No person, unless his name has been entered in the Register of Graduates and unless he has paid his fee the year, will be qualified to nominate, to vote, or to stand as a candidate for election.

Every candidate for election must be nominated by a Registered Graduate, and no person will be allowed to nominate more than *one* candidate. The nomination of a candidate shall be made in writing in the following form, which will be signed by the person making the nomination :—

FORM OF NOMINATION.

I, _____ Registered Graduate No. _____, do hereby nominate _____ Registered Graduate No. _____ as a candidate for election as an Ordinary Fellow of the Calcutta University, subject to the approval of His Excellency the Chancellor.

The following is a brief statement of the special qualifications of my nominee :—

_____

_____

The _____ *191* *Signature* _____

The nomination paper should be, on the face of it, addressed to the Registrar, Calcutta University, and must reach his office not later than 5 P.M. on the 27th December 1918. A printed list of the nominees (with the name of the first proposer in each case) and statements of their qualifications will be forwarded to the Registered Graduates on the 31st of December 1918.

On the 3rd January 1919. the Registrar will forward a Voting paper, containing the names of the candidates proposed and their first proposers, by registered post to each of the Registered Graduates. *The Voting paper must be filled up and signed in the presence of the Registrar at the Darbhanga Library Building, on the 18th January 1919, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.; but Graduates who will not be able to appear in person before the Registrar may fill up and sign their Voting papers in the presence of a Magistrate, a Judge, a Subordinate Judge, a Munsiff (excluding Village Munsiffs), a Fellow of the University (including Honorary Fellows), or a Principal of a College affiliated to this University. In the absence of a Magisterial or Judicial Officer of the rank aforesaid in a Native State, the signature must be acknowledged before the Chief Minister or the Chief Magisterial Officer of the State.* Voting papers may also be filled up and signed before the Registrar, between 4 and 5 P.M., any day (other than a Sunday or holiday) between the 4th and the 17th January 1919. The officer before whom such acknowledgment is made or the Registrar, as the case may be, shall countersign the Voting paper, as having been signed before him by the person whose signature it bears. A voter of the rank aforesaid will not be competent to countersign his own voting paper. All voting papers duly signed and countersigned as aforesaid must reach the Registrar not later than 3 P.M. on Saturday, the 18th January 1919, after which no voting paper will be accepted. A Graduate who is not known to the officer in whose presence he intends to fill up and sign his voting paper must bring with him his Diploma or other satisfactory proof of identity.

Each voter shall have only *one* vote for each vacancy which is to be filled up and can give only one vote to any one candidate.

K. L. DATTA, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 15th November 1918.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on the 21st day of December 1918, corresponding with the 6th of Paus 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and acres. B. K. Ch.	A. R. P.	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghorasal.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto.
3	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 6	0 0 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold.
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 3	0 1 24	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ..	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 19 15	0 1 12	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do. ...	Ditto ...	25	Do ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 3	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold
18	Do ...	Ditto ...	25	Do. .	2 0 15	0 2 28	Ditto ditto.
19	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 18 0	0 1 8	Ditto ditto.
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 32	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 0 18	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 3	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold.
24	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 3	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest is to be sold.

Dacca, the 25th October 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
491	Estate Joypur, ph. Bhadhara.	2,770 11 3	No ...	8a. 3g. 3c. 1kr. 1½d. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mahiuddin Ahamed Chaudhury. Bibiron Nesa. Mahiuddin Ahamed Chaudhury.	1,418 13 1	.....	166 1 0

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 16th November 1918.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
126	Estate Sidhole, pargana Baragaon.	4,787 2 5	No ...	2 annas residue share ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chowdhury	594 10 4	.....	52 9 6

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th November 1918.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
122	Estate Bhadail T. No. 122, pargana Baragaon.	5,171 8 6	No ...	2 annas residue share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chaudhury.	646 7 1	.....	65 10 7

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 14th November 1918.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for September 1918 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
67	Gopalnagar, etc., pargana Jahangirabad	2,047 2 0	.....	Residuary share 13as 6g. 2k 2kr. is to be sold All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nogendra Bala Dasi and others	1,021 8 0	.....	49 5 10
135	Gouripur kismat, pargana Chhutipur	1,319 5 9	...	Residuary share 12as. 19g. 2k. 2kr. [illegible]d is to be sold All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale	K. P Basu and others	989 1 9	....	1 4 1
159	Asuri, etc pargana Satsaika.	2,360 9 11	Whole estate is to be sold	.....	Rameswar Aich and others	.....	254 6 11	.....

Burdwan, the 20th November 1918. R. P LODGE, Offg. Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
250	Taluq Panchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar	3,682 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	...	170 1 0	...
5553	Nyamatulla, pargana Jalalpur.	1,558 9 10	No ..	Residuary—11as. 2gds 2kts. 75¼til 2[illegible] dt. share. The following shares are excluded from sale :— Separate Account No 1.—13gds. 2kr. 24¾tils. Separate Account No. 2—16as share of pargana Tappa Birmohan, 10as. 13gds. 1kr. and 1kt. share of pargana Bangrora Separate Account No. 3.—8gds 2kr. 60tils Separate Account No 4—3as 11gds. 1kr. 2kts. 1[illegible]dt Separate Account No. 5.—3gds. 3kr. [illegible]dt	Mohammad Mainaddin and others.	686 7 8	...	52 10 9
6773	Taluq Kumar Sasi Kanta Acherjee, pargana Kasimpur Shehalapatti.	1,485 0 0	Whole .	.....	Raja Sashi Kanta Acharjee Bahadur.	...	990 0 0	...
6786	Taluq Sashi Kanta Acharjee (alluvial accretion to Estate No. 9670), Dacca Collectorate, pargana Kartikpur Sujabad.	2,120 0 0	Do ...	.....	Ditto ...	..	1,420 0 0	...

Faridpur, the 21st November 1918. BHABA TARAN CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4082	Kalupukhuria, pargana Jehanabad.	13,518	Nil ...	2a. 13g. 1c. 1kt., share of mauzas Kalupukhuria, Ghoshna, Ghoshpur, Debkhanda, Basantapur, Mamudpur, Joykrishnapur.	Kangali Charan Chowdhury and 5 others.	2,252 3 11	Nil ...	100 5 9

A. BANARJI, *for* Collector.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 22nd November 1918.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1725 / 1	Mauza Chikni Kanda, share 8a. 10g., pargana Chandradwip.	3,382 8 1	.....	Separate account No. 1 containing 9a 2g. 0c. 2kt. 10½ til share will be sold. Residuary share and separate accounts Nos. 3 and 5 will be sold separately.	Mr. G. J. Jordon	1,029 15 6	.....	868 7 8
2709	Zamindary Uttar Sabajpur, share 1½ anna, pargana Uttar Sabajpur.	1,494 6 5	Whole ...	.....	Akhaya Kumar Chatterjee	.....	131 3 8	.....
5865	Zamindary Abdullapur, share 10a. 13g. 1c., tappa Abdullapur.	2,367 11 11	.....	Residuary share containing 7a. 9g. 2c. 1kt. 15dt. will be sold, the remaining 3a. 10g. 1c. 1kt. 1½dt. will be excluded from sale.	Radha Gobinda Banikya and others.	1,106 15 11	.....	810 9 3
4831	Char Kulai Joar Katali, pargana Chandradwip.	1,478 6 11	Whole ...	.....	Aswini Kumar Datta and others.	.....	19 3 4	...
1448	Mahal Darihat Rajbariganj, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	721 13 0	Do ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakravarty.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1532	Taluk Krishna Prasad Guha, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	3,060 15 8	...	12 annas residuary share will be sold, the remaining 4 annas share will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Roy Choudhury, and others.	2,970 11 8	.....	293 12 8
1661	Taluk Sibjoy Banerjee, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	...	Residuary share containing 6a. 4g. 1c. 2kt. 1dt. will be sold, the remaining 9a. 15g. 2c. 2dt. share will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Pal Choudhury, and others.	2,384 8 1	.....	537 1

Barisal, the 22nd November 1918.

HARENDRA K. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
161	Estate Ramdebpur, pargana Phulbari.	2,168 1 0	No ...	5 annas residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rahimuddin Chaudhury, Kasiran Bibi, Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Azimon Nesa Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Amiron Nesa Chaudhurany, minor, Safiron Nesa Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salimon Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Safiran Nesa Chaudhurany and Latifan Nesa Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salimon Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Nehaluddin Chaudhury, Ismail Bibi Chaudhurany, Jamali Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Osmanuddin Chaudhury, Jobeda Khatun, Khodeja Khatun and Ohhara Khatun, minors, Saban Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Imamuddin Chaudhury, Ekramuddin Chaudhury and Abeda Khatun, minors, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Mafiuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Karimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Abiran Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Shahoban Nesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kalimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Hasan Banu Chaudhurany, Gafuruddin Chaudhury, Kasiran Nesa, Nezamuddin Chaudhury, Saban Bibi Chaudhurany.	996 4 4	.....	74 14 3

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 20th November 1918.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
894	Estate Rampur, pargana Kardaha.	1,247 10 4	Yes	.....	Sayad Abu Abdar Rahaman, Molla Obedul Haque, Sarna Maye Chaudhurany, Kumoda Charan Nag, Kumoda Charan Nag, Rajani Kanta De Chaudhury, Radha Peary Chaudhurany and Krishna Kamini Chaudhurany, guardians for minors Dhruba Narayan De Chaudhury and Madhuri Narayan De Chaudhury, Chaudhury Mahamed Ibrahim Khodija Khatun Bibi.	.....	165 11 8	.....

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 20th November 1918.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th December 1918, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1918, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Raozan, Patiya, Town, Satkania. Kismat Ambica Babait, Taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 5 6	Whole ...	.....	Sm. Bama Sundari Lala, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	221 4 0	.....
401	Thana Fatickcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Raozan, Patiya, Town. Kismat Balaram Sarcar, Babait Taraf Sonaullah Khan.	1,043 6 0	.....	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar and others.	.....	188 13 0	.....
478	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town, Fatickcheri, Taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 6 annas will be sold, excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 with an extent of interest 8-0-12½ krantis and Jama Rs. 1,236 14-6 and unpaid share No. 3 with an extent of interest 1-11-7½ krantis and jama of Rs. 299-2-7.	Himaguhu Bimal Rai and Ramesh Chandra Rai and others.	922 8 6	.....	246 15 0
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Raozan, Town, Taraf Inas Alup.	2,765 15 8	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 10 annas will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 with an extent of interest 5-4 ples and jama Rs. 757-10-10.	Sm. Mahamaya Ramdhan Chaudhuri and others.	1,508 8 10	.....	190
1242	Thana Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, according to recent survey Anwara Taraf, Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Abdul Raup Khan, Sm. Bia Bibi.	.....	206 15 0	.....
1279	Thana Satkania, according to recent survey Banskhali and Patiya Taraf Joy Ram Chowdhury.	1,416 5 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 share No. 1 with an extent of interest 8 annas belonging to Sarada Kripa Lala will be sold excluding the paid up residue share and jama Rs. 708-2-9.	Sarada Kripa Lala, on behalf of Sri Sri Raghu Nath Chakra.	708 2 9	.....	210 2 9
1552	Thana Rhozan, out-post Rangania, Taraf Kame Fernandes.	1,640 5 3	Whole ...	.....	Ram Govinda Bahadur, Sasti Charan Bahadur.	.....	484 15 0	.....
1740	Thana Patiya, Satkania, Taraf Mahammad Ali, Rustum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act IX of 1859 residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding unpaid share No. 1 with an interest 4 annas and Jama Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta and others; Upendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	2,612 6 8	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1, with an extent of interest 4 annas belonging to Krishna Chandra Gupta will be sold excluding the unpaid residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas and jama Rs. 2,612-6-8 ples.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 6 2
1885	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Taraf Mahammad Rafi Khansama.	926 14 0	Whole ...	.....	Ram Kumar Dey, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	182 6 4	.....

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3054	Thana Raozan, Hathazari, Patiya Town and Fatickcheri, taraf Sib Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 2 2	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 with an extent of interest 3-4-19 krantis belonging to Pratap Chandra Rai will be sold excluding unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5 with an extent of interest 2-10-[illegible] with jama Rs. 530-4-6 pies and paid up shares 1, 3 6-17 and residue share with an extent of interest 9-9-[illegible] krantis and jama Rs. 1,793-11-8.	Kamal Kumar Rai ...	628 1 10	...	186 7 5
33500	Thana Satkania, mauza Padua Kaimi Taluk Krishna Chandra Gupta, Daroga, c-o Ram Mohan Gupta of Padua.	1,627 3 0	Whole ...	.....	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, manager on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta, manager, on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	.....	254 2 0	...

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1918.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
404	Estate Hariguvindapur, pargana Gilahabari.	3,349 7 4	No	8 as. 17g. 3c. 1d. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Khedmatuddin Chaudhury, Hakimuddin Chaudhury, Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Asanuddin Chaudhury, Masleyuddin Chaudhury, Khej Mahamed Chaudhury, guardian for Baharuddin Chaudhury, Asaruddin Chaudhury and Badruddin Chaudhury, Minors, Gafuran Bibi, Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Amiran, Masiran and Dalima, minors, Bibi Chaudhurany, Farimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Kamala Bibi, Khejmatuddin Chaudhury, guardian for Asrafuddin, Khetauddin, Eharuddin, Gazi Mia Chaudhury and Ejaruddin Chaudhury, minors, Khejmatuddin Chaudhury, Nasaruddin Chaudhury, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Karimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury, Abiran Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Saheban Nesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kaliman Nesa Chaudhurany, Hason Bann Chaudhurany, Gafuruddin Chaudhury, Khejmatuddin Chaudhury, Ajmatuddin Chaudhury.	1,860 12 10	.....	46 2 9

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1918.

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

SALE NOTICE.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Pabna, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 6th January 1919, at 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Dehi Bhadraghat, pargana Ishafshahi.	1,951 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Aghore Kumar Gangopadhya.	.....	8 14 0	.....
104	Pargunnah Islampur, pargana Islampur.	24,329 3 0 Police. 270 15 0	.....	Account No. 2— 2as. 13gds. 1k. and 1kt. share of the estate. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Debendra Narayan Singha.	4,054 12 3 Police. 45 3 0	.....	978 4 9 Police. 15 2 0
1730	Resumed Char Duala, Part I, pargana Birahimpur.	736 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Prasanna Nath Saha Chaudhury and others.	.....	59 0 0	.....

Pabna Collectorate, the 26th November 1918.

A. DUTT, Deputy Collector in charge.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 16th December, the undermentioned estate or shares of estate in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 12 noon, for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
		Rs. A. P.		A. P.		Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3186/3	Begamabad, pargana Begamabad.	...	No ...	2 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Devendra Narayan Singha.	2,373 15	...	95 10 1	Attached under orders of the Sub-Judge of Nadia, dated the 17th April 1917. 95 10 1

Krishnagar, the 15th November 1918.

RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJI, *for* Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 26th November 1918.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs 2,26,00,000	0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* 67,50,000	0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs 3,21,21,341	12 4			
Ditto ditto at Branches ... ... „ 1,49,10,346	10 9	4,70,31,687	7	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		25,29,05,038	12	2
Bank Post Bills, etc		12,85 678	2	1
Sundries		32,73,674	3	1
		34,70,96,078	8	8

ASSETS

		Rs	A	P.
Government Securities		6,29,47,504	0	0
Other authorized Investments		1,41,81,914	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		9,51,33,202	1	7
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,71,99,427	12	2
Bills discounted and purchased		1,82,60,570	14	5
Balances with other Banks		53,84,185	5	11
Bullion		[illegible]		
Dead Stock		28,06,240	1	6
Stamps		10,775	11	5
Sundries		19,81,502	1	11
		25,79,05,822	0	11
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs 3,12,08,051	1 4			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 5,79,87,705	6 5	8,91,90,756	7	9
		34,70,96,078	8	8

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs, value Rs 3,77,175 0 0
† Do do do „ 5,31,585 0 0

Rs 9,08,760 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent
Percentage 29 29

By order of the Directors,
N H. Y WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 28th November 1918

H FISHER
Chief Accountant.

(2915—1)

NOTIFICATION OF SALE OF LANDS.

In the Second Court of the Sub-Judge at Midnapore.

RENT EXECUTION CASE No. 28 OF 1918

(1) Raja Sate Prasad Garga Bahadur and (2) Raja Gopal Prasad Garga, zamindars, residing at Garh, Kamalpur, pargana Mahishadal, district Midnapore, decree-holders, *versus* (1) Manmatha Nath Kar, (2) Pramatha Nath Kar, (3) Brajendra Nath Kar, (4) Jogendra Nath Kar, (5) Sashibhushan Kar and (6) Ganganarayan Kar and (7) Rudranarayan Kar minors by their mother and maternal guardian Sreemutty Ratnamala Dei, all residents of Habichak, pargana Aranganagar, thana Nandigram, district Midnapore, judgment-debtors.

Amount due under the decree to the decree-holders aforesaid, Rs 26,712-11-9.

In the Rent Execution Case above mentioned a tenure known as the Aranganagar Jalpai chak, measuring 8,515 bighas 17 cottas and 8 chitaks, situate in pargana Aranganagar, and within the district of Midnapore, the yearly rental of which property, amounting to Rs 8,431-1 19½ gandas, exclusive of cesses, is payable to the decree holders zamindars aforesaid, will be sold at public auction in the premises of the Court aforesaid on the 15th day of January 1919 at 12 A M.

BABADA PRASAD RAY, Sub-Judge, 2nd Court.

Midnapore, the 22nd November 1918. (2878—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

No. 186 OF 1918.

Re Subodh Chandra Dutt (Hopsing & Co.)
Exparte the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 15th day of January 1919 except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M FAIKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 25th November 1918. (2880—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 204 of 1915

In the matter of A. McGuire, 4, Gun Foundery Road, Cossipore, *ex-parte.*

TAKE notice that the above named insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 9th day of December 1918, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 8th day of November 1918.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2703—1—2851)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 53 OF 1918.

Notice under section 12(2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Hari Khan, of Khandaghosh, police-station Khandaghosh, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 18th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. B MUMFORD, District Judge

Burdwan, the 23rd November 1918. (2900—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 55 OF 1918.

Notice under section 12(2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtors (1) Sheik Mahammad Panchkari, (2) Sheik Bazlar Rahaman *alias* Badlu Sheik, of Moragram, police-station Kalugram, district Burdwan, have been admitted and that the 10th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 23rd November 1918 (2901—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 56 OF 1918.

Notice under section 12(2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Rati Kanta Ghosh, of Nasaratpur, police-station Purbasthali, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 11th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 23rd November 1918. (2902—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 57 OF 1918.

Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Rajani Kanta Addya, of Ramgopalpur, police-station Galsi, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 18th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 23rd November 1918. (2903—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 54 OF 1918.

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Umesh Chandra Kar, of Nutan Egera, police-station Raniganj, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 9th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 26th November 1918. (2918—1—2874)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 44 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Maulvi Abdul Malek and Abdul Gani, sons of late Hamidali Serang, of Bhatiari, police-station Sitakund, have applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 3rd October of 1918, to be declared insolvents, under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all their creditors that the Court has fixed the 16th day of December 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 27th November 1918. (2936—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 50 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Abdul Samad Chowdhuri, son of Umed Ali Chowdhuri, of Lakhera, police-station Patiya, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 14th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 18th day of December 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 28th November 1918. (2939—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 11 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 29th May 1918, filed by Tame Sand, son of late Kandra Sand, of Simrail, police-station Narayanganj, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 9th day of November 1918.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2941—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 50 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 29th May 1918, filed by Ram Mohan Mala, son of Mahabharat Mala, of Charkutab, police-station Keraniganj, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 9th day of November 1918.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2942—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 51 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 29th May 1918, filed by Chandra Mohan Mala, son of Mahabharat Mala, of Charkutab, police-station Karanigung, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 9th day of November 1918.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2943—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 24 OF 1918.

ON the application of Bepin Chandra Sen, son of Iswar Chandra Sen, deceased, of village Panchdona, police-station Rupganj, district Dacca, at present of Nawab's Street, Dari, Dacca, for being declared an insolvent, the 20th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and for examination of the debtor.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Dacca, the 25th November 1918. (2911—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 81 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Goribulla Kazi, son of late Paloo Kazi, of Bogjuri, police-station Manikgunge, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 7th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 25th November 1918. (2940—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 10 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 58 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 24th July 1918, filed by Sekh Kholil, son of late Sekh Umedali, of Bandar, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 9th day of November 1918.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2944—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 80 OF 1918.

NASIR MAHOMED SHEIKH, son of Cherketu Nasya, deceased, resident of Lat Dabra, police-station Birganj, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 20th day of December 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 26th November 1918. (2905—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 81 OF 1918.

RADHA GOBINDA GHOSH, son of Jagannath Ghosh, deceased, resident of Ramnagoro, police-station Kotwali, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 20th day of December 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 26th November 1918. (2906—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 57 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jadabendra Hazarah, son of late Parbati Ch. Hazarah, of Akna, thana Jangipara, district Hooghly, was on the 30th August 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 13th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 30th September 1918. (2625—1—2774)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 85 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Sadoy Chandra Dass, son of late Prankrishna Dass, of Sibganja, thana Shyampur, district Hooghly, was, on the 28th September 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 7th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 19th November 1918. (2792—1—2867)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 50 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jnanodaprosad Bhattacharjee, son of late Mohendra Nath Bhattacharjee, of Burikhali, thana Bauria, district Hooghly, was, on the 3rd October 1918, adjudged an insolvent The 7th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 19th November 1918. (2793—1—2864)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 87 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Bharat Chandra Hazrah, son of Kshetra Mohan Hazrah, of Howrah Chaudhuri Bagan, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, was, on the 18th November 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 5th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 19th November 1918. (2796—1—2868)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 60 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Sheik Ajed Ali, son of late Sheik Foyjut Ali, of Santragachi, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, was, on the 1st October 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 7th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 20th November 1918. (2803—1—2866)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No 58 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Nonilal Kundoo, son of late Ram Chandra Kundoo, of Sibpur, thana Sibpur, district Hooghly, was, on the 2nd October 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 6th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl District Judge.

Howrah, the 20th November 1918. (2804—1—2865)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 89 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ramprosad Kar, son of Rashik Chandra Kar, of Ferigagachi, thana Jagatballavpore, district Hooghly, was, on the 3rd October 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 6th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 20th November 1918. (2805—1—2869)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 23 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mathura Nath Paul, son of late Gopinath Paul, of Bally, thana Bally, district Hooghly, was, on the 21st September 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 7th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl District Judge.

Howrah, the 20th November 1918. (2806—1—2861)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 37 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Annodaprosad Bag, son of late Mohesh Ch. Bag, of Mallagram, thana Amta, district Hooghly, was, on the 12th August 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 7th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 20th November 1918. (2807—1—2862)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 46 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Puntiram *alias* Natabor Maity, son of late Ashuram Maity, of Kulkash, thana Amta, district Hooghly, was on the 1st October 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 7th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 20th November 1918. (2808—1—2863)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Adhar Chandra Chakrabartty, son of late Nabin Chandra Chakrabartty, of Gangarampore, thana Uluberia, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 102 of 1918, and that the 5th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 20th November 1918. (2809—1—2870)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Naim Khan, son of late Kudartulla Khan, of Sibpore, thana Sibpore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 104 of 1918, and that the 10th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 21st November 1918. (2833—1—2871)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Haribhusan Mukhopadhaya, son of Basanta Kumar Mukhopadhaya, of Bally, thana Bally, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 109 of 1918, and that the 7th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 21st November 1918 (2834—1—2872)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 79 OF 1918.

ABDUL KARIM, son of Sakar Mahomed, deceased, resident of Jalpaiguri town, police-station and district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 19th day of December 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 26th November 1918. (2904—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 12, sub-section (*2*) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that Golam Mawla Kazi and Abdul Kader Kazi, sons of late Kazi Nasoruddin of Panchuria, police-station Lohagarah, district Jessore, have applied for being adjudged insolvents and that the 10th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the application. The application will be dealt with under Summary Procedure.

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge.

Jessore, the 26th November 1918. (2899—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Umesh Mandal, of Daoli, police-station Mirzapur, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the above named petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 14th December 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 25th November 1918. (2881—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 27 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ram Dayal Namadas, son of Dulal Namadas, of Narundi, police-station Jamalpur, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 14th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 25th November 1918. (2907—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 35 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 22nd June 1918, filed by Shashi Bhusan Chakrabartty, son of late Shib Chandra Chakrabartty, of Monoharpore Samil Gopmahal, pargana Jahanabad, police-station Ghatal, district Midnapore, debtor petitioner, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Kshirode Nath Chakrabartty, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 15th January 1919, has been fixed for the proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 26th day of November 1918.

W. N DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2908—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 75 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, filed on the 4th September 1918, by Modhu Pramanik, son of late Madhu Pramanik, of Sujapore, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent and Babu Bama Charan Roy, Pleader, is appointed Receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 22nd November 1918. (2925—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 71 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, filed on the 21st August 1918, by Hajrat Pramanik, son of late Ketal Pramanik, of Rasidpore, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent and Babu Satishnarain Chaudhury, Pleader, is appointed Receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 22nd November 1918. (2926—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 112 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Gomarali Seikh, son of late Sakta Seikh, of Sujapore, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 15th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. RAY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th November 1918 (2927—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 101 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Abdul Gaffur Farker, son of Dabu Sarker of Kaliha, police-station Serajganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 2nd October 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. RAY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th November 1918. (2928—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 100 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Dabu Sarker, son of late Sadi Pramanik, of Kaliha, police-station Serajganj, district Pabna has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 2nd October 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. RAY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th November 1918. (2929—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 118 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Arip Molla, son of late Serajuddin Molla, of Kasinathpore, police-station Ullapara district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 18th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor

R. N. RAY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th November 1918. (2930—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 117 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Hakimaddi Sarkar, son of late Samir Sarkar, of Akra, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 18th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. RAY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th November 1918. (2931—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 116 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Harapali Pramanik, son of late Garibulla Pramanik, of Akra, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 18th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. RAY, *for* District Judge

Pabna, the 25th November 1918. (2932—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 113 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Esa Khan, son of late Darap Khan, of Char Ragdha, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 15th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. RAY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th November 1918. (2933—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 OF 1918

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 28th June 1918 by Nabu Pramanik, son of late Khubid Pramanik, of Patulipara, police station Chatmohor, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Rajendra Kumar Chaudhury, pleader, is appointed receiver of his estate.

R. N. RAY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 25th November 1918. (2934—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 120 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Ansab Seikh, son of late Mansab Seikh, of Salanga, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 18th November 1918 to be declared an insolvent. this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. RAY, *for* District Judge.

Pabna, the 26th November 1918. (2935—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 38 OF 1918.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

(*Under section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

NOTICE is hereby given that Ahammad Hosen Mia, son of late Fajale Mowana Mia, of Jote-pra'ap, police-station Nawabganj, district Malda, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 26th day of August 1918

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 31st August 1918. (2281—1—2875)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 69 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

NOYANULLAH Sheikh, son of late Nashibullah Sheikh, of Aghfahah, police-station Gaibandha, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 22nd November 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2886—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 84 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ESABUDDIN, son of late Bhadu Nasya, of Patikapara, police-station Hatibandha, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 22nd November 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2887—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 70 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

BOYANULLAH SHEIKH, son of late Nashibullah Sheik, of Aghfahah, police-station Gaibandha, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 22nd day of November 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2888—1)

NOTICE

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 72 OF 1918

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

NAROTTAM BARMAN, son of late Nanda Ram Barman, of Kharubhaz, police-station Kaliganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 22nd day of November 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2889—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 104 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Shib Dutta Das, son of late Sreepati Das, of Kedar, police-station Nageswari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 14th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918 (2890—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 86 OF 1918

PRESENT :

J Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

KHOSH MAMUD, son of late Babar Sircar, of Bherbheri, police-station Kishoreganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 22nd November 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2891—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 98 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Sonaullah Nasya, son of late Muchi Kabiraj, of Musa, police-station Kishoreganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 7th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2892—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 103 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Sukai Burman, son of late Kanta Burman, of Kathali, police-station Jal Dhaka, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent. The 11th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2893—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 101 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Ebrahim Shekh at Kukra Shekh's house, son of late Mehu toli, of Jadubpur, of Kamarpur at present, police-station Mitapukur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent. The 11th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2894—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 99 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Niamatullah Khalifa, son of late Pataru Nasya, of Keshamat Arip, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent. The 11th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2895—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 105 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Sharitullah, son of late Gubaru Shekh, of Sankarpur, police-station Pirganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent. The 18th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2896—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 100 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Mohesh Chandra Burma, son of Dhumala Burma, of Barbaldia, police-station Gaibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent. The 11th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2897—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 102 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Yearmamud, son of late Ali Mamud, of Paikapara, police-station Hatibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent The 11th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 23rd November 1918. (2898—1)

NOTICE

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 196 OF 1918.

Sher Ali Mondal, of Tollygunj, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Soleman Khan Kabuli, of Tollygunj, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 14th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 16th day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1918. (2710—1—2852)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 205 OF 1918.

Golam Sovan Khan, of Mitpukur, Chingrihatta, thana Entally, applicant.

To Kazi Mobarak Ali, of No. 7, Kamardanga, and others, creditors.

ON the 14th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 16th day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1918. (2711—1—2856)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 207 OF 1918.

Ganesh Gowala, of 2 1, Goaltuli Road, Bhowanipur, applicant.

To Ram Din Gowala, of 2.1, Goaltuli Road, Bhowanipur, and others, creditors.

ON the 11th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 16th day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1918. (2712—1—2855)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 208 OF 1918.

Atal Behari Sur, of Mudiali, thana Behala, applicant.

To Abinash Chandra Das, of Mirdiali, thana Behala, creditor.

ON the 21st day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 16th day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1918. (2713—1—2854)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 210 OF 1918.

Shaikh Safar Ali, of 37, Ballygunj 2nd Lane, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Aberjan Bibi Matwali, of 41, Ram Mohan Datta Lane, Bhawanipur, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 23rd day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 16th day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1918. (2714—1—2858)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 213 OF 1918.

Gobordhan Kurmi, of Ichapur, thana Shamnagore, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Ganesh Benia, of Shamnagore, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 30th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 16th day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1918. (2715—1—2859)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 214 OF 1918.

Tarak Das Mookerji, of 128, Horish Mookerji Road, Bhawanipur, applicant.

To Ram Shaji, Darwan, of 15, Strand Road, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 27th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 16th day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1918. (2716—1—2857)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 216 OF 1918.

Mohon Mahto, of Cossipur Basakbagan, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Nathni Shaha, of Gobordanga, thana Habra, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 30th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 16th day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 8th November 1918. (2717—1—2853)

Advertisement.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of a Zoological Assistant under the Department of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. No one need apply who is not at least an I.Sc. of an Indian University and a training in Zoology is indispensable. The post is, for the present, a temporary one and the selected candidate will receive Rs. 75 per mensem. There is a possibility of the successful candidate being appointed as a District Fishery Officer later on if his work proves satisfactory. Applications will be received by the undersigned till 15th December next.

T. SOUTHWELL,

Director of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa.

Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, the 28th November 1918.

Advertisement.

APPLICATIONS are invited for a few posts of District Fishery Officers in Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. For Bihar and Orissa a Behares will be preferred. No one need apply who is not an I. A. or I. Sc. of an Indian University, and of good physique and active habits. Preference will be given to those who possess knowledge of Zoology. The selected candidates will be appointed from 1st March 1919. They will be taken, for the present, on probation for two years on Rs. 75 per mensem, after which they will be confirmed on the grade of Rs. 100—5—200. The applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th December next.

T. SOUTHWELL,

Director of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa.

Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, the 28th November 1918.

WANTED a Matriculate for the post of an Assistant Sub-Inspector of Santhal Schools, in the district of Bankura, on a salary of Rs. 30—1—50 a month outside the grades. None need apply who are not Santhals or have knowledge of Santhali. The applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th December 1918.

P. K. BASU,

Offg. Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

Chinsura, the 15th November 1918.

Notice.

WANTED a lady graduate, preferably a B. T. with a good knowledge of Hindi, for the post of the Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 250 per mensem, and in class VII of the Provincial Educational Service. The applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned on or before the 15th December 1918.

M V. IRONS,

Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.

P. O. Ramna, Dacca, the 18th November 1918.

Wanted.

A temporary Typist of good education for typing botanical manuscript. One with some previous knowledge of botanical terms preferred. Period of employment about four months. Terms—Sixty rupees per month, the typist to supply his own machine.

Apply to Mr H. H. Haines, care-of Superintendent, Royal Botanical Gardens, Sibpur.

Notice.

WANTED a Store Muharrir on Rs. 25 *plus* 30 per cent. as local allowance per month for the office of the District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Public Works Department. Candidates must be qualified Sub-Overseers in the Public Works Department having experience in office and outdoor works. Applications in candidates' own handwriting with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th December 1918.

G. A. BELL, District Engineer, Chittagong Hill Tracts, Public Works Department.

Rangamati, the 1st November 1918. (2723—4)

Notice.

WANTED at once, two Sub-Overseers for six months, for looking after the works of excavation of new tanks, on a consolidated pay of Rs. 45 each per month. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules and has no experience of District Board works.

Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned up to 7th December 1918.

K. D. GUPTA, District Engineer.

Alipore, the 21st November 1918. (2836—2)

Notice.

Under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, it is hereby notified that the treasure mentioned below was found by Mullasseri Vilakkathala Choori of Kizhangathole desam, while he was repairing the old walls of Cholakkal Kechu's house in Eravi mangalam amsom, Walluvanad Taluk.

Description.	No.	Value. Rs. A. P.
Gold puthiya panam ...	207	51 12 0
Metal vessel ...	1	0 0 3

All persons claiming the treasure or any portion thereof are required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at Calicut, on Saturday, the 12th April 1919, in order that their claims may be enquired into and determined according to law.

F. B. EVANS, Collector.

Calicut, the 25th November 1918.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Indian Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Medical Department will be held on 3rd February 1919, at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital at these stations, and from—

Calcutta.	Simla.
Dinapore.	Rangoon.
Allahabad.	Madras.
Agra.	Bangalore.
Lucknow.	Trichinopoly.
Meerut.	Jhansi.
Bareilly.	Sialkot.
Jubbulpore.	Fyzabad.
Ambala.	Aden.
Lahore Cantonment.	Maymyo.
Rawalpindi.	Karachi.
Secunderabad	Bombay.
Wellington.	Mhow.
Quetta.	Poona.
Shillong.	Kamptee.
Peshawar.	Mandalay.
Kasauli.	
Ajmere.	

(1) The Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service, Simla.

(2) The Personal Assistants to the Surgeon-General with the Governments of Bengal, Madras and Bombay.

(3) All Administrative Medical Officers and the Principals of the Medical Colleges at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

R. A. NEEDHAM, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,

Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 15th November 1918.

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 231504 and 209509 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 5,000 and Rs. 100, respectively, and Nos. 081082 and 086170 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 5,000 and Rs. 100, respectively, all originally standing in the name of Gopaul Krishna Ghose, and the Government Promissory Notes Nos. 083283 and 083284 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 500, respectively, originally standing in the name of Keeran Bala Ghose, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned securities.

Name of the Advertiser—MONMOTHO NATH DUTT Attorney, for Babu Gopaul Krishna Ghose, 10, Hastings Street, Calcutta. (2677—3—2776)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 121922 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1854-55 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of Amiabala Debi, administratrix of Hrishicase Gangooly, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of the advertiser—Amiabala Debi, Administratrix of Hrishicase Gangooly.

Residence—C/o Panchanan Gangooly, village Ayda, Guptipara Post, district Hooghly.

(2766—3—2806)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos 175296, 175297 and 175298 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 100 each, originally standing in the name of Prosad Das Boral and Brothers and last endorsed to Santosh Kumar Mitra, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of the advertiser—SANTOSH KUMAR MITRA.
Residence—Gargoripara Road, Chinsura P. O., dt. Hugli.
(2765—3—2801)

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed

Register No.	Number of Notes	Value Rs.	Name of Claimant
10788 WD 2 of 1917-18.	VB 59 25006		
	" 71891		
	VB 60 39328	5 each	
	UB 3 04198		
	XB 62 46687		
	XB 56 68149		
	X 43 05890		
	VB 2 70994		
	VB 37 33895		Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son, Hornby Road Bombay.
	" 33896		
	VB 36 44651		
	VB 33 13018		
	UB 44 29849		
	RB 33 28101		
	UB 58 06308		
	RB 86 67157	10 each.	
	UB 72 22243		
	VB 11 06194		
	UB 89 18922		
	UB 46 54770		
	UB 85 52788		
	RB 8 94608		
	VB 10 81254		
	RB 57 91522		
	Xa 19 70647		
	" 70649		
	Pa 64 42874		

R. B. DEANE, Deputy Controller,
In charge Paper Currency, Calcutta
Paper Currency Department, 26th November 1918.

Notice.

PURSUANT to the orders of Government, dated the 29th June 1881, particulars of the undernoted articles, held by the Calcutta Port Commissioners as Receivers of Wrecks, each article being of value exceeding Rs. 100, are published for general information in accordance with the provisions of section 76, Act VII of 1880 :—

Number and date in Recovery Register.	Description of articles	Approximate value.	Where and when received.	Where lying.
		Rs		
November, 13, 6.	One teakwood log measuring 22' 11"×20"×23" marked Steel 23 X 1168 - 26 23	366	On the river Hooghly off Outram Ghat on the 1st November 1918	Lying in the wreck and anchor yard at Kidderpore.

JAS. SCOTT, Offg. Harbour Master.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 18th November 1918. (2784—3)

The Bengal Engineering Co., Ld., in Liquidation.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 217 (*1*) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the members of the above named Company will be held at the office of the Liquidators, Gillander House, Clive Buildings, Calcutta, on Monday, the 23rd day of December 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators, and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidators thereof shall be disposed of.

H. W. HALES, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 19th November 1918. (2785—1—2860)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act and In the matter of the New India Insurance & Banking Co., Ld. (In Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the above Company (in liquidation) will be held at the office of the liquidator, at No. 11, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, the 10th January 1919, at 5 P.M., to consider and adopt the liquidator's final statement of accounts and report.

B. MUKERJEE, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 26th November 1918. (2879—1—2873)

Notice.

IN supersession of previous orders, the subscription to, and postage for, the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part IC, will henceforth be at the following rates, payable in advance :—

Per annum.	For Calcutta.	For the Mufassal including postage
	Rs A. P	Rs. A. P.
Part IC, *Calcutta Gazette* ...	3 0 0	4 12 0

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

CALCUTTA,
The 31st October 1918.

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails.	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Ceylon	Daily ...	3-0	3-30	2-30	3-0
Australia and New Zealand...	Dec. 4th ...	3-30	4-0	3-0	3-30
Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo-China, China, Japan, etc.	Tuesday ...	4-0	...	3-30	...
Burma	Dec. 4th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
Port Blair	„ 9th ...	4-0	4-30	3-30	4-0
†South Africa	„ 4th ...	4-0	4-30	3-30	4-0

* The late fee is 4 annas for each registered and unregistered article to any place named above, except Aden, Burma, Ceylon and Port Blair, the late fee for which is ½ anna for unregistered articles and 2 annas for registered articles. Letters are accepted with late fee only on occasions when a direct mail is closed by the Calcutta G. P. O. for Foreign Countries.

† Correspondence for South Africa posted up to 6-15 P.M., in the Calcutta G. P. O., is dispatched to Bombay for transmission by the first available steamer, when there is no direct mail from Calcutta.

Calcutta G. P. O., the 2nd December 1918. J. FISHER-RODERICKS, Presidency Post Master.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF SANSKRIT MANUSCRIPTS.

PARTS I, II and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts, the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID, AND QUINOIDINE.

[Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.]

THESE articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona Alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Behar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public

purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the principal druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or pure Amorphous Alkaloid and Residual Alkaloid or Amorphous Cinchona Alkaloid which contains about 40 per cent. of pure Amorphous Alkaloid are for sale to Missionaries and Government institutions only. These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance, but private purchasers may use the V.-P. P. system AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1918 are as follows :—

Sulphate of Quinine.

For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs., but below 60 lbs., in one delivery	„ 29 „ „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 30 „ „

Sulphate of Cinchonidine.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 12 „ „

(Only small quantities available when in stock.)

Cinchona Febrifuge.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 6 „ „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „ „
Quinoidine in non Tablet form (when in stock) and Residual Alkaloids...	„ 4 „ „

Quinoidine Tablets (when in stock).

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	Rs. 6 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	„ 7 „ „

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb., and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼ lb., ½ lb., and 1 lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb., and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 1-lb., 5-lb., and 10-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 1 lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1 lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.-P. Post. Price of postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by post. A scale of postage is given below :—

[For ¼ and ½-lb. 4 annas, 1 lb. 6 annas, 2 lbs. 10 annas, 3 lbs. 12 annas, 4 lbs. Re. 1, 5 lbs. Re. 1-4, and for 6 lbs. Re. 1-6.]

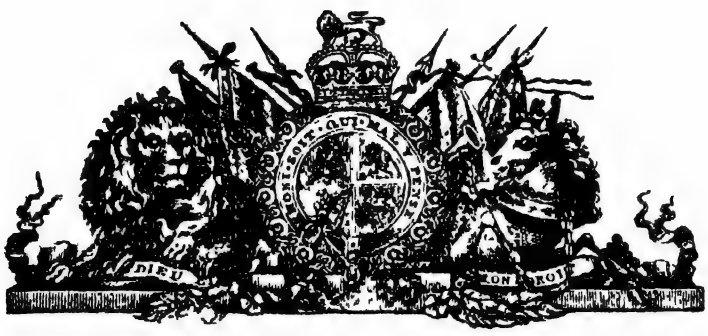
	Re. A.
Quinoidine Tablet 1 lb., weg. 3 lbs., postage	0 10
Ditto 2 lbs., „ 6 „ „	1 0
Ditto 3 „ „ 9 „ „	1 3

Local Sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Monday.



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PART IV.

Bills introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented or to be presented in that Council, and Bills published before introduction in that Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1625 L., dated the 28th November 1918.—The following report of the Select Committee, which was presented to the Bengal Legislative Council on the 26th November, 1918 (with the Bill as amended by the Committee), is hereby published for general information :—

THE BENGAL JUVENILE SMOKING BILL, 1918.

REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE BENGAL JUVENILE SMOKING BILL, 1918.

Papers No. 1—Letter No 2800, dated the 13th December, 1917, from the Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce.

Letter No 1611, dated the 12th December, 1917, from the Secretary, European Association.

Letter No. 7, dated the 7th January, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, Bengal National Chamber of Commerce.

Letter No. 405, dated the 8th January, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association.

Letter No. 83659, dated the 10th January, 1918, from the Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, with enclosure.

Letter No. 9-1918, dated the 12th January, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, Marwari Association.

Letter, dated the 15th January, 1918, from the Secretary, Indian Christian Association.

Letter No. 284 J., dated the 16th January, 1918, from the Commissioner, Dacca Division.

Paper No. 2—Letter No. 38, dated the 9th January, 1918, from the Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

Paper No. 3—Letter No. 127L. S.-G., dated the 19th January, 1918, from the Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

Papers No. 4—Letter No. 83897, dated the 25th January, 1918, from the Chairman, Corporation of Calcutta, with enclosures.

Paper No. 5—Letter No. 19J. C. T., dated the 23rd July, 1918, from the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division.

Papers No. 6—Letters, dated the 2nd February and 6th May, 1918, from the Secretary, Anti-Smoking Society, with enclosure.

Paper No. 7—Letter, dated the 2nd February, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, Anglo-Indian Association.

Paper No. 8—Letter, dated the 4th February, 1918, from the Secretary, Central National Muhammadan Association.

Paper No. 9—Letter, dated the 18th February, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, Indian Association.

Paper No. 10—Letter No. 895, dated the 23rd February, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, Bengal Landholders' Association.

Papers No. 11—Letter No. 1010G—XI-2, dated the 1st March, 1918, from the Commissioner, Chittagong Division, with enclosures

Papers No. 12—Letter No. 85, dated the 7th March, 1918, from the Commissioner, Burdwan Division, with enclosures.

Paper No. 13—Letter No. 22R. A., dated the 29th March, 1918, from the Secretary, Rajshahi Association.

Paper No. 14—Letter, dated the 6th May, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, the Indian Muslim Association.

Papers No. 15—Letter, dated the 2nd September, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary to the Anti-Smoking Society, with enclosure.

We, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee, to which the Bill for the prevention of smoking by juveniles was referred, have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin, and have the honour to submit this, our Report, with the Bill, as amended by us, annexed hereto. In reprinting the Bill, all changes made by us have so far as possible been underlined, but in the present report we refer specifically to such changes only as appear to us to be of some importance.

Clause 2.—We consider that the scope of the Bill should be extended so as to apply to tobacco and smoking mixtures generally. We have, therefore, inserted a definition of "tobacco" on the lines of that in section 2 of the Punjab Act VII of 1918.

We have retained the definition of "cigarettes" in sub-clause (*a*) of clause 2 for the purposes of the proviso which we have added to clause 3(*1*).

The definition of "teacher" in clause 2 of the Bill has been omitted in view of the alterations which we have made in clause 4.

Clauses 3 and 4.—We have reduced the age limit for persons to be dealt with under the Bill from 21 to 16 in both these clauses, as we consider 21 to be too high.

Clause 3 (1), new proviso.—This new proviso is based on section 43(*2*) of the Children Act, 1908 (8 Edw. 7, c. 67), and has been inserted in the Bill in order to give protection to a person selling tobacco other than "cigarettes", as defined in the Bill (which include cigars and *biris*), to a person apparently under the age of 16 years, if he did not know, and had no reason to believe, that the tobacco was for the use of the purchaser.

Clause 4.—We have confined the power of seizure under this clause to police-officers in uniform and any other person or class of persons duly authorised by the Local Government in this behalf.

We have altered the latter part of clause 4 so as to authorise the destruction of any articles seized under the clause. This follows section 4 of the Punjab Act VII of 1918.

New clause 4A.—We consider it desirable that a clear provision should be made as to the person who should have the power of initiating proceedings.

We recommend that the Bill, as now amended by us, be passed.

A. SUHRAWARDY,*
Member-in-charge.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
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CALCUTTA ;
The 12th November, 1918.

* This member signed subject to his Note of Dissent appended.

NOTE OF DISSENT BY THE HON'BLE DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY.

I AM of opinion that in the definition of "police-officer" the words "and includes a constable" should be omitted and the words "above the rank of a head constable" should be substituted for them.

NOTE OF DISSENT BY THE HON'BLE SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI.

When the Bill was referred to the Select Committee, the Government, through the Hon'ble the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan, indicated the points which would be pressed before the Committee on behalf of the Government :—

(*1*) The age limit of 21 is *prima facie* too high and should be reduced to 15.

(*2*) Provisions similar to those contained in sub-sections (*2*) and (*3*) of section 43 of the English Children Act, 1908, should be inserted in the Bill. In other words, Government consider that the provisions of the Bill about cigarettes should also apply to tobacco and smoking mixtures, with the exception recognized in England that a person shall not be guilty of an offence for selling them to a person apparently under the age of 16 years, if he does not know and has no reason to believe that it is for his personal use. The Bill, as it stands, guards against the sale of cigars, cigarettes, *biris*, pipes, or cigarette papers, but not against the sale of tobacco other than cigarettes. There is a similar omission as regards the power of seizure. Government are of opinion that in this matter the English law should be followed if the Council decides that legislation is necessary.

(*3*) The power to seize cigars, etc., referred to in clause 4 should be expressly confined to police-officers (including constables) in uniform. Power should, at the same time, be taken to authorise any other person to exercise the right of seizure. The object of this latter provision is to leave Government free to decide as to the class of officers or persons on whom this duty may be suitably imposed, and, lastly,—there should be a clear provision as to the person who should have the power of initiating proceedings.

It will be seen from the revised Bill and the Report of the Select Committee that all these points have been now provided in the Bill on the lines indicated by the Government. Their good will towards and support of the Bill may therefore be now well bespoken. This is of the utmost importance if the provisions of the Bill are to have a fair trial and if they are not to be wrecked from the beginning. Though on some of the points indicated above some of us did not quite see eye to eye with the Government it was felt that in the interest of the measure such difference of opinion should be sunk and a working compromise should be effected as the first step towards a much needed and beneficial reform.

There is one point, however, about which I have great hesitation and I feel it my duty to press the objection. I press it in the interest of the object we all have in view and I feel that if this objection is not removed the Act will be worse than useless and will give rise to annoyance and irritation that will wholly baffle the object in view.

I, therefore, propose that the definition of "police-officer" be amended by substituting the words "above the rank of a head constable" in the place of the words "and includes a constable" in clause 2 (*b*).

In pressing for this substitution I know we are having for the present fewer agents for giving effect to the provisions of the law. But in a place like Calcutta, police-officers of and above the rank of Sub-Inspectors and other special agents that the Government have been authorised to depute will be able to make a good beginning.

Public criticism is strong against the employment of the police at all and the least we can do for the present is to confer the powers on officers not below the rank of Sub-Inspectors.

NOTE OF DISSENT BY THE HON'BLE SIR NILRATAN SIRCAR.

I agree with Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari.

THE BENGAL JUVENILE SMOKING BILL, 1918;

(as amended by the Select Committee).

[NOTE.—The amendments made by the Select Committee have been underlined.]

A

BILL

for the Prevention of Smoking by Juveniles.

Preamble

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the prevention of smoking by young persons;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title, local extent, and commencement

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Bengal Juvenile Smoking Act, 1918.

(*2*) It extends in the first instance to Calcutta, as defined in clause (*7*) of section 3 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899: [Ben. Act III of 1899.]

Provided that the Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, extend this Act to any other town or place in Bengal.

(*3*) It shall come into force on such date as the Local Government may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct.

Definitions

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,— [*Cf.* 8 Edw. 7, c. 67, s. 43.]

(*a*) "cigarettes" include cut tobacco rolled up in paper, tobacco leaf, or other material in such form as to be capable of immediate use for smoking;

(*b*) "police-officer" means a member of an established police force and includes a constable; and

(*bb*) "tobacco" means tobacco in any form, and includes any smoking mixture intended as a substitute for tobacco. [*Cf.* Pun. Act VII of 1918, s. 2.]

(*c*) *(omitted.)*

Prohibition against sale of tobacco etc., to young persons

3. (*1*) No person shall sell or give to a person apparently under the age of sixteen years any tobacco, pipes or cigarette papers, whether for his own use or not: [*Cf.* 8 Edw. 7, c. 67, s. 39.]

Provided that a person shall not be guilty of an offence under this sub-section for selling tobacco, other than cigarettes, to a person apparently under the age of sixteen years if he did not know, and had no reason to believe, that it was for the use of that person. [*Cf.* 8 Edw. 7, c. 67, s. 43 (2).]

(*2*) If any person contravenes the provisions of sub-section (*1*), he shall be liable on summary conviction before a Magistrate to a fine not exceeding ten rupees, and in the case of a second offence to a fine not exceeding twenty rupees, and in the case of a subsequent offence to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

The Bengal Juvenile Smoking Bill, 1918.

(*Clauses 4-5.*)

Power of police-officers and others to seize and destroy tobacco etc, in the possession of a young person in certain places

4. It shall be lawful for a police-officer in uniform, or any other person or class of persons duly authorised by the Local Government in this behalf, to seize any tobacco, pipes or cigarette papers in the possession of any person apparently under the age of sixteen years whom he finds smoking in any street or public place, and to destroy any such article. [*Cf.* 8 Edw 7, c 67, s 40]

Institution of proceedings

4A. No Magistrate shall take cognizance of an offence under this Act, except upon a complaint made by, or at the instance of, the parent or guardian of the young person concerned or a police-officer or other person empowered to make a seizure under section 4. [*Cf.* Act V of 1898, s. 199]

Act not to apply in certain cases

5. The provisions of this Act shall not apply when the person to whom the tobacco, pipes or cigarette papers are sold, or in whose possession they are found, was at the time employed by a manufacturer of, or dealer in, such articles, either wholesale or retail, for the purposes of his business. [*Cf.* 8 Edw 7, c 67, s 42]

A. M. HUTCHISON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 25th November 1918.*

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER.

Tsungming Island—South-west beacon moved.

No. 362 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given notice (No. 668 of 1918) that the South west Surveying-beacon situated on the southern coast of Tsungming Island, Yangtze River, has been moved 0·76 cable, N. 63° E., magnetic, from its former position.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER, KIUSHAN POINT (ROUND) CHANNEL.

Kiushan Point—Surveying-beacon moved.

No. 363 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given notice (No. 669 of 1918), that the Surveying-beacon, situated on Kiushan Point (round) Channel, Yangtze River, has been moved 0·59 cable, S. 77° E., magnetic, from its former position.

GULF OF ADEN.

Aden Harbour—Prohibited Area.

No. 364 (first publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 1150 of 1918), issued by the Port Officer, Aden, is republished :—

As the laying of a submarine pipe-line for Liquid Fuel at this Port is in progress no vessel of any description is allowed to anchor within the area enclosed by an imaginary line drawn through the Red Lighted Buoy off Flint Island and the west end of Flint Island continued to the mainland, and an imaginary line drawn through No. 8 Buoy and the east end of Flint Island continued to the mainland, and an imaginary line drawn through No. 8 Buoy and the Red Lighted Buoy.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches Light-vessel and Buoy:—Amended position of.

No. 365-I (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 93M. of 1918), are republished:—

Former Notices.—Admiralty No. 41 of 1916; Royal Indian Marine No. 92M. of 1918. (*This office No. 346-I of 1918.*)

Subject.—The correct position of the South Patches Light-vessel and the South Patches Buoy, is as follows; other particulars given remain as before:—

Position of Light-vessel.—Lat. 21° 29½′ N.
Long. 91° 37½′ E.

Position of Buoy.—Lat. 21° 29½′ N.
Long. 91° 38′ E.

Remarks.—The Buoy is moored seven cables due East from the Light-vessel.

Variation.—¾° E.

Charts affected.—No. 859, Matla River to Elephant Point.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 630.
Indian Light List, 37th issue, 1918.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Chittagong, dated 28th October 1918.

The 18th November 1918.

RED SEA—ZEBAYIR ISLANDS.

Centre Peak Island—Rock reported eastward of.

No. 348 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1063 of 1918), are republished:—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of $2\frac{1}{10}$ miles, 90° (*S. 89° E. Mag.*) from Centre Peak Island Light-house.
Lat. 15° 01¼′ N., long. 42° 11½′ E.

Depth.—Not stated.

Note.—This rock, which was not examined, is to be indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet and marked "*Reported (1917).*"

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 453, Plan of Zebayir Islands.
„ 143, Jabel Teir to Perim Island.
„ 8*d*, Red Sea, Sheet IV.
„ 2523, Red Sea.

Publication.—Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1909, page 126.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 2372-18.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—PORT SEBU APPROACH.

Bantolinao Point—New Light established.

No. 349 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1071 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On edge of reef, and at a distance of $1\frac{3}{10}$ cables, 19° (*N. 18° E. Mag.*), from the former light on Bantolinao Point.
Lat. 10° 20¼′ N., long. 123° 59¼′ E.

Abridged description of new light.—Lt. Fl., *Red, ev. 2 sec., 30 ft., vis. 7 m.* (U).

Details.—The fixed red light has been discontinued and replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Characteristics :

Character.—A *flashing red* light *every two seconds.*
Elevation.—30 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete pillar.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected—No. 3193, Port Sebu and approches.
„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro Sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1179.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I., 1911, pages 394, 395.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1949 of 1918. (*H. 4819-18.*)

JAPAN, KIU SIU—NORTH-WEST COAST.

Omura Wan Entrance—Alteration in depth on shoal.

No. 350 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1078 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 18 cables eastward of Shira Se Lighthouse.
Lat. 33° 05¾′ N., long. 129° 39½′ E.

Depth.—5¾ fathoms, instead of 4¾ fathoms hitherto shown on the chart.

Remarks.—The black and red horizontally striped buoy surmounted by a red ball, marking this shoal, is situated at a distance of 17½ cables, 86° (*East Mag.*), from Shira Se Lighthouse.

Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 2387, Io Jima to Madara Jima, etc.
„ 359, Nagasaki to Karatsu, etc.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 508
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 27 of 1918. (*H. 3323-18.*)

JAPAN—INLAND SEA, HARIMA NADA.

Shodo Shima—Wreck eastward of.

No. 351 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1083 of 1918), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of 10 miles, 81° (*N. 86° E. Mag.*), from Okado Bana Lighthouse.
Lat. 34° 27½′ N., long. 134° 31½′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck, believed to be that of a sailing vessel with masts showing about 10 feet above water.

Variation.—5° W.
Charts affected.—No. 3566, Izumi Nada and Harima Nada.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 26 of 1918. (*H. 3322-18.*)

CHINA SEA—BILLITON ISLAND.

Cheruchup Bay—Existence of a shoal.

No. 352 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1084 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of about 16¼ cables north-westward from the northern end of Batu Tuku.

Lat. 2° 45′ 06″ S., long. 107° 30′ 24″ E.

Depth.—2⅛ fathoms.

Remarks.—The black can buoy with truncated cone topmark in this vicinity has been moved about 4 cables to the northward and is now situated in lat. 2° 45′ 00″ S., long. 107° 30′ 18″ E.

Charts affected.—No. 3597, Approaches to Tanjong Pandan.

„ 2137, Gaspar Strait.

„ 2149, Banka and Gaspar Straits.

„ 2160, Carimata Strait.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 159.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1113 of 1918. (*H. 5020-18.*)

CHINA—EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay—Meteorological signals.

No. 353 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1091 of 1918), are republished:—

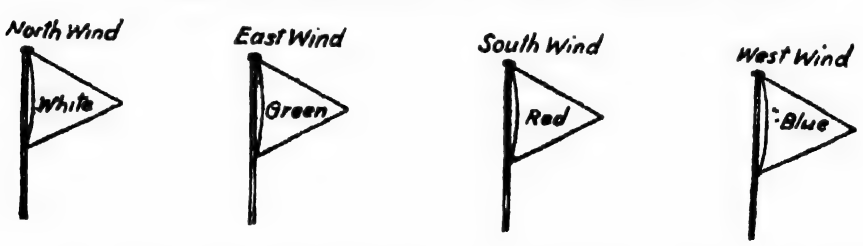
Former Notice.—No. 864 of 1918. (*This office No. 301 of 1918.*)

Position.—Tsingtau storm-signal station, lat. 36° 04¼′ N., long. 120° 19′ E.

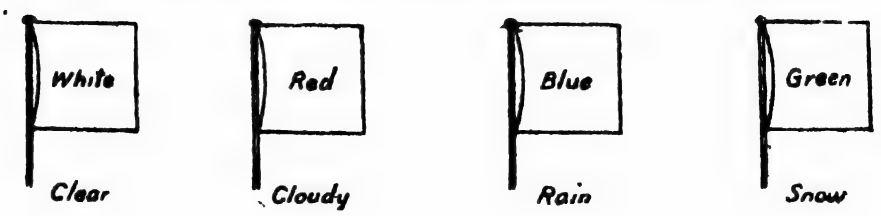
Details.—In addition to the storm-signals described in the former Notice, the following weather forecast signals are now in use at the above station:—

The weather forecast signals are of three kinds:—

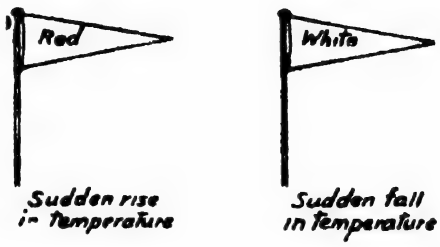
1. Indicating the direction of the wind. Triangular flags are employed for this purpose, as under.



2. Indicating the clearness, cloudiness, rain or snow. Square flags are used for this purpose, as under.



·3 Indicating sudden changes of temperature. Long triangular flags are employed for this purpose, as under.



When more than one of the conditions "Clearness, Cloudiness, Rain or Snow" occurs in the forecast, only the most important feature is indicated in the signal. When the forecast is divided into two phases the signals are exhibited in the same order.

Note.—The weather predictions refer to the period of 24 hours from 6 p.m. to 6 p.m. the following day.

The forecasts will be shown before 5 p.m. every day, and, when necessary, alterations will be made thereafter.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 422.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 155 of 1918. (*H. 4907-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

North Solitary Island—Amended position and description of rock reported northward of.

No. 354 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1092 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1093 of 1917. (*This office No. 342 of 1917.*)

Position.—At a distance of about 6 cables north-eastward from position shown on charts and 6 cables, 353° (*N. 17° W. Mag.*), from north-west rock.

Lat. 29° 54′ S., long. 153° 24′ E.

Description.—A rock with a depth of 2 fathoms, reported in 1917.

Remarks.—This rock was formerly indicated on the chart by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet.

Variation.—10° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1026, The Solitary Islands and adjacent coast.
„ 1027, Coffs Islands to Evans Head.
„ 3622, Port Jackson to Cape Byron.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 81.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 4799-18.*)

JAPAN—INLAND SEA, GULF OF OSAKA.

Kobe Bay—Mooring-buoy established.

No. 355 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1094 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Off Kobe Zaki, at a distance of 4 cables, 64° (*N. 69° E. Mag.*), from the red light on the outer end of No. 1 pier.

Lat. 34° 41′ N., long. 135° 12¼′ E.

Description.—No. 17 mooring-buoy.

Variation.—5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 2265, Kobe and Hyogo Bays.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 280.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 21 of 1918. (*H. 3319-18.*)

INDIA—WEST COAST.

Bombay Harbour—Buoy temporarily laid.

No. 356 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 89 M of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1·3 miles 121° (S. 59° E. Mag.) from Prongs Lighthouse.
Lat. 18° 52′ 00″ N., long. 72° 49′ 14″ E.

Description.—A can buoy painted black.

Details.—Marks the west side of the channel for ships entering and leaving the port.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No 2621, Bombay Harbour.
„ 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1909, page 217.

Authority.—Port Officer, Bombay, dated 14th October 1918.

PERSIAN GULF.

Henjam Sound—Prohibited anchorage.

No. 357 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 90M of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—R. I. M. Nos. 50M and 68M of 1918 (*This office Nos. 168 and 221 of 1918*) are hereby cancelled.

Position—(*a*) A cable house has been erected on the high line on the Kishm Island, at a distance of about 3¾ cables 317° (N. 45° W. Mag.), from Ras Khargu.

Lat. 26° 41′ 47″ N., long. 55° 55′ 12″ E.

(*b*) A cable house has been erected on the high line on Henjam Island at a distance of about 5¼ cables 140° (S. 42° E. Mag.) from Ras-al-Mashia beacon ;
Lat. 26° 41′ 08″ N.
Long. 55° 53′ 55″ E.

(*c*) A pecked line has been put on the chart joining these two positions bearing N. 61° E. (true). S. 61° W.

Details—(1) Vessels are prohibited from anchoring to the southward of this pecked line, mentioned in (*c*), between the two new cable houses; and the remark "Prohibited anchorage south of this line" has been inserted on the chart ; and, "Unadvisable to anchor on this line" shewn, north-eastward of Ras-al-Mashia, on the chart, has been expunged.

(2) Vessels are also prohibited from anchoring to the southward of the pecked line bearing N. 57° W. S. 57° E. shewn on the chart, to the north-westward of Ras-al-Mashia ; the "Caution—Unadvisable to anchor westward of the pecked line" has been expunged, and "Prohibited anchorage south of this line" inserted on the chart, in lieu.

Variation.—2° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3599, Plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 753. Entrance to the Persian Gulf.
Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 209.
Authority.—Commanding Officer, I. G. T. S. "Patrick Stewart" dated 13th October 1918.

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

"Whale Reef" Buoy—Replaced in position.

No. 358 (second publication).—

With reference to this Office Notice to Mariners No. 199 of 1918, the Bombay Government has given further Notice (No. 1578 of 1918) that the Red Buoy on the north side of the "Whale Reef" off the Rajpuri Point, which was removed for the S. W. Monsoon, was replaced in position on the 24th October 1918.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Quilon—Buoys.

No. 359 (second publication).—

The Principal Port Officer, Travancore, has given Notice, dated the 12th, October 1918, that the buoys marking the entrance to the Inner Anchorage at Quilon have been replaced and their position is as follows :—

Red Buoy bears from Tangacherry Lighthouse S. E. distance about 8¾ cables.

Black Buoy bears from Tangacherry Lighthouse S. E. ½ S. about 11¼ cables.

The attention of Mariners is drawn to the note appearing on the chart of the Quilon Road, Sheet XII, West Coast of India, with reference to these buoys.

The flagstaff and Messrs. Harrison and Crosfields' Tall Red Chimney in line leads into the Anchorage clear of both reefs.

INDIA, EAST COAST.—BAY OF BENGAL.

Madras Harbour—Temporary light removed.

No. 360 (second publication).—

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 377 of 1916 issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further Notice (No. 55 of 1918) that the temporary fixed red light has been removed and will not be replaced till about 1st January 1919 or thereabouts.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST.

North Channel, Wide Bay Bar—Navigation in.

No. 361 (second publication).—

The Portmaster, Brisbane, has given Notice (No. 9 of 1918) that, on the 25th September 1918, the square white beacons on Hook Point, carrying white lights by night, will be moved, and on and after that date the following directions are to be observed for the navigation of the channel :—

Keep the beacons and lights on Hook Point in line until the beacons (triangular) and lights on Inskip Point are open once their own width to the westward ; then steer for the Inskip beacons or lights, gradually bringing them into line before passing the Red Buoy off Hook Point spit ; after passing this buoy, proceed as formerly directed.

Charts affected.—Nos. 1030 and 1068, Australia Directory, Vol. II.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 11th November 1918.

AUSTRALIA, TORRES STRAIT—WESTERN APPROACH.

Light-Vessel to be established.

No. 347 (third publication).—

Subject.—A Light-Vessel will be established in the western approach to Torres Strait on or about 18th November 1918.

Position (approximate).—The Light-Vessel will be moored in about 20 fathoms of water, at a distance of 20 miles, 240° (S. 55° W. Mag.), from Merkara Shoal.
Lat. 10° 40′ S., long. 140° 55′ E. on Chart No. 447.

Characteristics.—

(*a*) *Light* :

Character.—*Group Flashing White Light*, showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *fifteen* seconds, thus :—

Flash.	Eclipse.	Flash.	Eclipse.	Flash.	Eclipse.
½ sec.	1½ secs.	½ sec.	1½ secs.	½ sec.	10½ secs.

Elevation.—32 feet.
Visibility.—10 miles.
Power.—1,500 candles.

(*b*) *Fog Signal* :

Description.—A bell sounded by the motion of the vessel.

(*c*) *Vessel* :

Description.—The vessel has one mast carrying the lantern ; the hull is painted red and marked "Carpentaria" in white on sides.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 447, Torres Strait, Western approaches to.
„ 2759a, Australia, Northern portion.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1918.
Australia Pilot, Vol III, 1916, page 245.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 24 of 1918.

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Acting Port Officer of Calcutta.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 2ND DECEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 6774A.

IN the course of the investigations regarding the formation of electorates under the Reform Scheme, certain statistics have been collected, and as it is thought that they may be of general interest, they are published for information.

The figures have been collected under great pressure, and *primâ facie* in some instances disclose discrepancies which are not easily intelligible. Their absolute accuracy cannot, therefore, be guaranteed, but they indicate approximately the size and nature of the electorates likely to be secured by the adoption of different qualifications, and to that extent afford a useful basis of discussion.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

District and Division.		Number of persons paying cess at the rate of Re. 1 and over.			Number of persons paying cess at the rate of Rs. 2 and over.			Number of non-agriculturists paying chaukidari tax at the rate of Rs. 2 and over.		
		Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.	Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.	Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Burdwan...	Burdwan	5,503	31,693	37,196	2,697	14,538	17,235	481	3,919	4,400
	Birbhum	2,854	12,196	15,050	731	3,928	4,659	46	972	1,018
	Bankura	963	29,000	29,963	493	14,750	15,243	181	5,873	6,054
	Midnapore	2,321	52,558	54,879	889	20,272	21,161	393	5,450	5,843
	Hooghly	4,735	24,921	29,656	1,799	9,942	11,741	694	4,302	4,996
	Howrah							607	4,227	
	Total ...	16,376	150,368	166,744	6,609	63,430	70,039	2,402	24,743	27,145
Presidency	24-Parganas	20,836	71,911	92,747	9,960	39,564	49,524	2,031	6,885	8,916
	Nadia	5,714	9,425	15,139	1,609	4,947	6,556	1,740	4,396	6,136
	Murshidabad	3,623	8,317	11,940	858	3,051	3,909	655	2,831	3,486
	Jessore	17,762	41,518	59,280	7,700	25,702	33,402	1,547	5,819	7,366
	Khulna	10,978	19,684	30,662	4,943	10,533	15,476	506	2,248	2,754
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total ...	58,913	150,855	209,768	25,070	83,797	108,867	6,479	22,179	28,658
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi	32,246	13,476	45,722	9,985	7,003	16,988	986	2,034	3,020
	Dinajpur	12,108	10,280	22,388	5,992	4,916	10,908	2,980	4,087	7,067
	Jalpaiguri	6,954	18,460	25,414	5,791	16,691	22,482	1,375	1,700	3,075
	Rangpur	22,389	24,800	47,189	7,285	9,612	16,897	2,739	3,667	6,406
	Bogra	7,985	3,798	11,783	2,544	2,409	4,953	288	920	1,208
	Pabna	9,386	5,105	14,491	1,358	2,667	4,025	1,265	4,116	5,381
	Malda	2,550	4,283	6,833	956	2,008	2,964	513	1,846	2,359
	Total ...	93,618	80,202	173,820	33,911	45,306	79,217	10,146	18,370	28,516
Dacca ...	Dacca	11,720	15,425	27,145	3,847	10,136	13,983	7,507	10,653	18,160
	Mymensingh	23,060	18,760	41,820	7,179	8,845	16,024	736	5,328	6,064
	Faridpur	20,912	34,270	55,182	7,329	16,795	24,124	1,617	8,223	9,840
	Bakarganj	68,183	45,613	113,796	25,370	24,597	49,967	1,071	3,867	4,938
	Total ...	123,875	114,068	237,943	43,725	60,373	104,098	10,931	28,071	39,002
Chittagong	Chittagong	27,194	20,570	47,764	18,010	15,162	33,172	1,699	1,327	3,026
	Tippera	19,825	13,250	33,075	6,556	7,301	13,857	3,951	2,196	6,147
	Noakhali	22,797	7,407	30,204	9,275	3,639	12,914	218	682	900
	Total ...	69,816	41,227	111,043	33,841	26,102	59,943	5,868	4,205	10,073

Number of non-agriculturists paying Chaukidari Tax at the rate of Rs. 4 and over.			Number of persons entitled to vote at Municipal Elections.			Number of persons entitled to vote at Local Board Elections (1917).*	Total population.			Remarks.
Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.	Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.		Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17*	18	19	20	21
183	1,702	1,885	1,473	6,124	7,597	26,932	290,381	1,247,090	1 538,371	* Separate figures for Muhammadans and non-Muhammadans are not available in the case of the Local Board electorate.
55	926	981	157	602	759	11,366	222,787	712,686	935,473	
62	2,370	2,432	116	3,553	3,669	3,367	51,707	1,086,963	1,138,670	
148	2,356	2,504	511	6,268	6,779	21,523	193,569	2,627,632	2,821,201	
221	1,258	1,479	1,169	12.092	13,261	16,377	184,009	906,088	1,090,097	
134	1,139	1,273	1,918	11,410	13,328	13,136	195,599	747,903	943,502	
803	9,751	10,554	5,344	40,049	45,393	92,701	1,138,052	7,329,262	8,467,314	
666	3,232	3,898	7,111	27,743	34,854	65,680	879,547	1,554,557	2,434,104	
314	1,851	2,165	2.723	9,165	11,888	26,169	963,119	654,727	1,617,846	
272	10,062	1,334	2,022	6,230	8,252	9,259	713,152	659,122	1,372,274	
229	1,111	1,340	918	1,418	2,336	28,742	1,087,554	670,710	1,758,264	
157	532	689	898	1,785	2,683	23,431	686,441	680,325	1,366,766	
...	...	...	3,523	31,630	35,153	...	241,587	654,480	896,067	
1,638	7,788	9,426	17,195	77,971	95,166	153,281	4,571,400	4,873,921	9,445,321	
126	582	708	974	1,509	2,483	21,217	1,148,314	332,273	1,480,587	The elective system was introduced in Local Boards in the district of Rangpur only in November 1918 and the number of persons entitled to vote at Local Board elections is not yet known. There are no Local Boards in Bogra and Malda, while in Dinajpur and Jalpaiguri there are Local Boards for only part of the district and those have no elective system. Column 17 for these districts is therefore blank.
242	486	728	699	1,354	2,052	...	824,345	863,518	1,687,863	
347	485	832	288	693	981	...	237,456	665,204	902 660	
240	658	898	559	1,429	1,988	...	1.569,090	816,240	2,385,330	
51	264	315	444	748	1,192	...	810,352	173,215	983,567	
98	813	911	1,424	2,388	3,812	11,642	1,073,078	355,508	1,428,586	
78	295	373	953	1,484	2,437	...	505,396	498.763	1,004,159	
1,182	3,583	4,765	5,340	9,605	14,945	32,859	6,168,031	3,704,721	9,872,752	
634	3,269	3,903	4.691	6,758	11,449	61,344	1,893,470	1.066,932	2,960,402	
78	898	976	3,824	5.677	9,501	37,717	3,324,146	1,202,276	4,526,422	
164	1,355	1,519	716	2,195	2,911	24,212	1,341,090	780,824	2,121,914	
453	894	1,347	796	2,748	3,544	33,799†	1,693,905	735,006	2,428,911	† These figures are for Local Boards of Sadar and Pirojpur only, there being no elective system in Bhola and Patuakhali.
1,329	6,416	7,745	10,027	17,378	27,405	157,072	8,252,611	3,785,038	12,037,649	
91	118	209	2,626	2,993	5,619	...	1,089,024	419,409	1,508,433	There are no Local Boards in the Chittagong district. The elective system has only recently been introduced in Local Boards in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali and the number of persons entitled to vote at Local Board elections is not yet known. Column 17 for these districts is therefore blank.
2,602	1,082	3,684	1,245	3,390	4,635	...	1,755,400	674,738	2,430,138	
46	224	270	342	523	865	...	1,000,653	302,037	1,302,090	
2,739	1,424	4,163	4,213	6,906	11,119	...	3,845,077	1,395,584	5,240,661	

DIVISION.	NUMBER OF PERSONS PAYING CESS AT THE RATE OF RE. 1 AND OVER.			NUMBER OF PERSONS PAYING CESS AT THE RATE OF RS. 2 AND OVER.			NUMBER OF NON-AGRICULTURISTS PAYING CHAUKIDARI TAX AT THE RATE OF RS. 2 AND OVER.		
	Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.	Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.	Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Burdwan Division	16,376	150,368	166,744	6,609	63,430	70,039	2,402	24,743	27,145
Presidency Division	58,913	150,855	209,768	25,070	83,797	108,867	6,479	22,179	28,658
Rajshahi Division (excluding the Darjeeling district).	93,618	80,202	173,820	33,911	45,306	79,217	10,146	18,370	28,516
Dacca Division	123,875	114,068	237,943	43,725	60,373	104,098	10,931	28,071	39,002
Chittagong Division (excluding the Chittagong Hill Tracts).	69,816	41,227	111,043	33,841	26,102	59,943	5,868	4,205	10,073
GRAND TOTAL ...	362,598	536,720	899,318	143,156	279,008	422,164	35,826	97,568	133,394

Number of non-agriculturists paying Chaukidari tax at the rate of Rs. 4 and over.			Number of persons entitled to vote at Municipal elections.			Number of persons entitled to vote at Local Board elections (1917).*	Total population.			Remarks.
Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.	Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.		Muhammadans.	Non-Muhammadans.	Total.	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17*	18	19	20	21
803	9,751	10,554	5,341	40,049	45,393	92,701	1,138,052	7,329,262	8,467,314	Separate figures for Muhammadans and non-Muhammadans are not available in the case of Local Board electorate.
1,638	7,788	9,426	17,195	77,971	95,166	153,281	4,571,400	4,873,921	9,445,321	
1,182	3,583	4,765	5,340	9,605	14,945	32,859	6,168,031	3,704,721	9,872,752	The elective system was introduced in Local Boards in the district of Rangpur only in November 1918 and the number of persons entitled to vote at Local Board elections is not yet known. There are no Local Boards in Bogra and Malda while in Dinajpur and Jalpaiguri there are Local Boards for only part of the district and those even have no elective system. Column 17 for these districts is therefore blank.
1,329	6,116	7,745	10,027	17,378	27,405	157,072	8,252,611	3,785,038	12,037,649	(a) These figures are for Local Boards of Sadar and Pirojpur only, there being no elective system in Bhola and Patuakhali.
2,739	1,424	4 163	4,213	6,906	11,119	...	3,845,077	1,395,584	5,240,661	There are no Local Boards in the Chittagong district. The elective system has only recently been introduced in Local Boards in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali and the number of persons entitled to vote at Local Board elections is not yet known. Column 17 for these districts is therefore blank
7,691	28,962	36,653	42,119	151,909	194,028	435,913	23,975,171	20,988,526	45,063,697	

RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA FOR THE YEAR 1917-18.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 3RD DECEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION No. 2876Marine.

READ—

The Administration Report of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, for the year 1917-18.

General features of the Administration.—During the year under review, the continuance of the war affected the trade of the port even more seriously than had been anticipated. In the opening months of the year, the loss of vessels engaged in trade with Calcutta was particularly heavy through enemy action at sea; some ships were diverted to the Cape route, while others were withdrawn from eastern waters to meet the losses of tonnage in Europe. The imposition of the restriction on the import of Burma rice into Calcutta also contributed to a further shrinkage of tonnage. To remedy the consequent and serious shrinkage in the revenue of the Trust, Government approved the proposal of the Commissioners for an enhancement of the war Sur-charges on goods and vessels, from the 1st August 1917. These charges, accompanied as they were by a certain improvement in the general trade of the port, enabled the Commissioners after meeting demands on the revenue, to carry a credit balance of Rs. 2·41 lakhs forward to the next year. The serious effect of the war on the trade of the port is strikingly illustrated by the following comparative statistics of traffic :—

	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
I.—Net tonnage of the port ...	4,256,987	3,714,334	2,967,798	2,804,680	2,094,011
II.—Jetties, Imports ...	1,186,797	917,978	788,431	686,010	633,693
III.—Docks, Imports ...	613,876	700,133	570,997	444,210	363,383
IV.— „ General Exports ...	1,231,589	920,659	1,054,985	1,185,159	995,112
V.— „ Coal „ ...	3,017,180	2,633,805	1,610,645	1,994,528(a)	1,014,993

(a) Revised figures.

It will be seen that there has been a decrease under every head in comparison with the figures of the last pre-war year, while the decrease in the export of coal is particularly marked.

Receipts.—The total receipts amounted to Rs. 1,58,39,175 against an estimate of Rs. 1,52,26,862 for the year under review, and the actuals of Rs. 1,57,23,432 for the preceding year. Under the following heads, the receipts fell appreciably below the estimate for the year :—

	Actual.	Estimate	Decrease
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Jetties ...	16,35,103	16,92,150	57,047
Petroleum ...	3,93,141	4,32,570	39,429
Port ...	4,12,514	4,74,000	61,486
Railway ...	13,47,246	15,79,000	2,31,754
Wet Docks ...	36,62,894	39,55,410	2,92,516
River Dues ...	12,12,954	16,41,875	4,28,921

The decrease was more than counter-balanced by increases over the budget estimates under certain heads of which the following are the more important :—

	Actual.	Estimate.	Increase.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Tea warehouse	4,59,796	3,01,000	1,58,796
Special war Sur-charges ...	39,90,286	26,00,000	13,90,286

Expenditure.—The expenditure on Revenue Account amounted to Rs. 1,56,29,349 against Rs. 1,56,31,738 in the previous year, and an estimate of Rs. 1,55,70,715 for the year under review. The chief items of excess of actual expenditure over the estimate were as follows :—

	Actual.	Estimate.	Increase.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Control	10,64,440	9,96,294	68,146
Contribution to Vessels Replacement Fund ...	5,00,000	2,00,000	3,00,000
Depreciation of G. P. Notes of Revenue Reserve Fund at market value ...	1,76,590	.....	1,76,590
Depreciation of Securities of Vessels Replacement Fund	58,585	.....	58,585
Depreciation of Securities of Fire Insurance Fund ...	1,17,077	.....	1,17,077
War Bonus	1,50,000	.....	1,50,000

Jetties.—The tonnage handled at the jetties amounted to Rs. 6,33,693 against Rs. 6,86,010 for the year 1916-17, and the total earnings of jetties traffic were Rs. 13,52,222 against Rs. 14,33,623 for the preceding year.

Docks.—The number of vessels entering the Docks during the year was Rs. 840 against Rs. 1,018 in the previous year. Of these the number of hired transports and R. I. M. vessels was 88, while that for the year 1916-17 was 65. The total imports and exports traffic including coal, in tons at the Docks were 363,383 and 2,010,105, respectively, against 444,210 and 3,179,687 (revised figures) in the previous year.

The revenue from imports traffic at the Docks decreased by Rs. 4,68,552 as there was a heavy decline of business in the imports of Burma rice. The other principal item of import was sugar and it showed slight improvement. Wheat from Australia was imported for the first time ; it was intended for transhipment to the United Kingdom.

There was a decline in tonnage in the general exports, the principal items of decrease being under jute, hemp, hides and skins. Against this decrease, however, there was an appreciable improvement in the exports of wheat and seeds, tea gunnies and rice, due to the increased demands of Government. In 1916-17 the export of gunnies, viz., 100,951 tons reached the highest figure then known ; but the year under review has easily passed this record with a total export of 1,37.010 tons. There was also a marked advance in the total exports of tea amounting to 135,947 tons against 96,037 tons in 1916-17.

As previously mentioned, there was a very heavy decline in the export of coal : the total for the year under review was 1,014,993 tons against 1,994,528 tons in the previous year.

Ferry Service.—The three ferry steamers "Basanta", "Kamala" and "Ashmani" were requisitioned by Government during the year 1916-17 ; of these, the two former have since been permanently taken over, on the terms awarded by the River Craft Arbitration Committee which the Commissioners accepted, and the last was returned to the Commissioners on the 15th January 1918. The total number of passengers travelling in the ferry steamers declined appreciably, with a corresponding decrease in the earnings.

Engineering.—The Commissioners again carried out the necessary maintenance and repairs of their properties with the strictest regard to economy. Owing to the cessation of shipments of steel work from England, progress in almost all constructional work has been greatly impeded.

The more important works of maintenance carried out during the year were the thorough overhaul of the L. V. "Luna," the Dredger "Bully" the survey vessel "Deligence", and the two launches the "Wasp" and "Reajuddi".

The sinking of the three trial wells in connection with the lock entrance to the proposed King George's docks was completed during the year.

Port and Port approaches.—The "Retriever" was employed mainly in inspecting the light-vessels and the unattended gas-light vessels, gas buoy-boats, buoys and semaphores. The other D. V. "Guide" was lost at False Point, having sprung a leak there while employed on Government duty; all removable gear was, however, salved by the "Retriever."

The bars and channels in the lower reaches from Kulpi to the Lower Gasper light-vessel were surveyed by the "Industry" in company with the "Diligence", while the latter was engaged during the greater part of the year in surveying the upper reaches. All the river marks were overhauled during the year and a leading mark erected at Nurpur to facilitate navigation of that reach; a mast 71 feet high was also erected for the Gungra mark. The Ganga-Saugor semaphore was shifted to a new position owing to erosion of the foreshore, and the Phuldobi automatic semaphore relit from the 15th February 1918 worked satisfactorily. The two upper bars, viz., the Moyapore bar and the Eastern Gut channel, were maintained in a condition superior to that of the two lower bars, the Balari and the Gabtola, the latter of which showed the worse record. The general condition of the river channels remained good; there was a steady increase in the number of deep-draft vessels, and a marked decrease of instances in which vessels were neaped for want of sufficient depth of water.

In view of the obvious necessity, owing to the war, of expediting the movement of vessels in every way possible, the Port Commissioners raised the question of the navigation by night of vessels, both inward-bound and outward-bound, in the lower reaches of the river Hughli between Mud Point and Saugor. This important question received the careful consideration of Government, and it has been finally decided that the restriction on night navigation of that portion of the river, which was partially removed for outward-bound ships in February 1915, and which was re-imposed for military reasons from February to December 1917, should be entirely removed for inward-bound as well as outward-bound ships, it being clearly laid down that night navigation is not compulsory and must be left to the discretion of the pilot.

Capital Expenditure.—The total expenditure on capital works amounted to Rs. 19·93 lakhs excluding the sum of Rs. 1·52 lakhs spent by the Commissioners at Budge-Budge on behalf of the Tank Storage and the Standard Oil companies. This amount was expended in connection with the Commissioners' Dock Extension Scheme, comprising the general berths at Garden Reach, reclamation work, trial wells, entrance to King George's docks, coaling berths and Hide Road warehouse.

Capital Account.—The capital account closed with a credit balance of Rs. 43·82 lakhs. The capital debt of the Trust was ten and-a-half crores against estimated assets of fourteen and-a-half crores.

General.—As in the previous year, the war has seriously affected the administration of the Trust. At the close of the year under review, 18 members of the supervising staff were absent on war work, in addition to 23 members of the subordinate staff serving with the forces. Further, the Port Commissioners placed at the disposal of the Munitions Department a considerable quantity of plant and materials required in connection with the prosecution of the war. The Commissioners sanctioned a scheme for the assistance of those employés who wished to subscribe to the first Indian War Loan, and the sum thus subscribed amounted to Rs. 1,17,000, besides Rs. 1 lakh invested in that Loan by the Provident Fund. The proposal of the Commissioners for the establishment of a Widows' and Children's Pension Fund is under the consideration of Government.

During the year under review, the Port Commissioners sustained a grievous loss by the death in France, on 3rd June 1917, from wounds received in action, of Mr. H. J. Hilary, who for ten years had held the posts of Secretary and Vice-Chairman with conspicuous ability and devotion. The

Governor in Council wishes to take this opportunity of placing on record his entire concurrence in the tribute paid to the services of the late Mr. Hilary in the Resolution passed by the Port Commissioners at their meeting of the 18th June 1917, which runs as follows :—

"That the Commissioners place on record their high appreciation of the exceptionally valuable services rendered to the Trust by the late Mr. Hilary, during the ten years of his occupation of the posts of Secretary and Vice-Chairman, and their sense of the heavy loss which the Administration has experienced through his premature death in the service of his country, and that this expression of admiration and regret be conveyed with their respectful sympathy to his wife and family in their bereavement."

Mr. S. C. Williams, who acted as Vice-Chairman, was confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Mr. H. J. Hilary. Mr. Williams held that post during the year under review, save for the month of October, when he was absent on privilege leave, and Mr. T. J. McCloughin, the Traffic Manager, officiated as Vice-Chairman. The Governor in Council again desires to thank the Chairman Mr. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., I.C.S., the Vice-Chairman Mr. S. C. Williams, and the Commissioners for their able management of the affairs of the Trust in a year of ever-increasing strain and difficulty.

ORDER.—Ordered that copies of the Resolution be forwarded to the Government of India and to the officers and departments concerned, and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

By order of the Governor in Council,

F. A A. COWLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA.

CALCUTTA TRADE FLUCTUATIONS.

THE following tables are intended to show the trade by all routes, *i.e.*, by rail, river, canal, road, and sea, of the Calcutta Block* in certain selected articles during the months of April to September, 1918, as compared with the corresponding period of 1917 and 1916. The statistics have been compiled from returns furnished by the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, Railway Audit Offices, Steamer Companies, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the Collectors of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, and the Assistant Engineer, Calcutta Canals.

General Summary.

Imports.—The imports of rice, including paddy†, into Calcutta* by rail, river, canal, road, and sea (coastwise) during the months of April to September, 1918, amounted to 6,410,000 maunds as against 5,298.000 maunds in the corresponding period of the preceding year,—an increase of 21 per cent. There was a decrease (2 per cent) in the imports of coal and coke (41,057,000 maunds as against 41,955,000 maunds last year). The imports by rail, river, road, and sea (coastwise) of Indian cotton piece goods showed an increase of 27 per cent, the total value amounting to Rs. 2,70,97,000 as against Rs. 2,13,09,000 in 1917. The quantity of indigo imported during the months of April to September, 1918, increased by 2,800 maunds, or 162 per cent. to 4,600 maunds. The imports of raw jute amounted to 2,357,000 bales as against 1,492,000 bales,—an increase of 57 per cent. The importations of gunny-bags also showed an increase of 14 per cent (243 million bags as against 212 millions in the preceding year). The total imports of oilseeds (linseed and rape and mustard seed) increased by 35 per cent from 2,543,000 maunds to 3,427,000 maunds. The imports of tea increased by 13 per cent from 1,387,000 maunds to 1,564,000 maunds, and those of sugar by 1 per cent from 346,000 maunds to 349,000 maunds.

Exports.—The exports of cotton piece goods, foreign, from Calcutta* by all routes during the months of April to September, 1918, increased by 6 per cent (Rs. 12,50,51,000 as against Rs. 11,80,80,000 last year). The exports of gunny bags (excluding the exports by sea to foreign countries) increased from 47 million bags to 69 million bags. The shipments of gunny bags to other Indian ports increased by 9,426,000 in number in the period under review (20,788,000 as against 11,362,000 last year). The quantity of kerosene oil despatched from Calcutta and Budge-Budge by internal routes and by sea (coastwise) decreased from 2,883,000 maunds to 2,473,000 maunds, or by 14 per cent.

* The Calcutta block consists of the town of Calcutta with Howrah and Kidderpore Docks.
† One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

TABLE I

Trade of Calcutta in certain selected articles for the six months, April to September, 1918, compared with the corresponding months of 1917

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		By rail, road, river, canal and sea (coastwise) (a)		By sea (foreign and coastwise)	
		April to Sept. 1918.	April to Sept. 1917.	April to Sept. 1918.	April to Sept. 1917.
Food-grains—					
Rice	Mds	5,486,539	4,784,933	595,569	22,360
Paddy	,,	1,477,490	820,345	2,381	.....
Total (in rice) (b)	,,	6,409,970	5,297,585	597,057	22,360
Wheat	,,	3,260,776	5,783,221	47,396	20,906
Wheat flour	,,	40,329	104,685	169,846 (c)	151,512 (c)
Gram and pulse	,,	2,951,397	2,954,588	238,389	209,227
Other food-grains	,,	245,383	371,077	15,106	17,211
Total food-grains	,,	12,907,855	14,411,156	1,067,794	430,916
Coal and coke	,,	41,057,458	41,954,818	1,951,663	9,563,684
Cotton, raw	Bales	56,757	86,023	12,320	29,318
,, twist and yarn, Indian	Mds	174,363	230,396	50,006	62 616
,, piece goods, Indian	Rs.	2,70,97,351	2,18,09,040	9,88,456	17,99,047
Indigo	Mds	4,879	1,742	20,521	14,538
Jute, raw	Bales	2,356,072	1,491,653	1,104,789	401,817
,, gunny bags	No.	242,518,544	211,707,763	20,788,384 (c)	11,361,538 (c)
Lac	Mds	234,515	292,670	206,781	196,382
Oilseeds—Linseed	,,	1,706,007	788,572	890,263	476,418
,, —Rape and mustard	,,	1,720,862	1,754,340	135,779	121,129
Silk, raw	,,	1,190	2,003	1,755	2,330
Sugar—Refined	,,	95,933	146,263	7,922	2,186
,, —Unrefined	,,	253,378	199,419	49	1,805
Tea (Indian)	,,	1,363,365	1,366,980	9,291 (c)	9,482 (c)
Tobacco, unmanufactured	,,	377,367	425,073	88,711	110,898
,, manufactured	,,	33,305	32,702	2,198	2,703

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		By sea (foreign and coastwise) (d)		By rail, road, river, canal and sea (coastwise)	
		April to Sept. 1918.	April to Sept. 1917.	April to Sept. 1918.	April to Sept. 1917.
Cotton twist and yarn—Foreign	Mds	51,415	34,337	145,979	97,081
,, ,, —Indian	,,	14,262	1,129	202,942	210,296
Cotton piece goods—Foreign	Rs	11,07,55,775	11,25,21,038	12,50,50,857	11,50,80,047
,, ,, —Indian	,,	38,53,069	82,535	1,10,88,360	1,11,80,936
Kerosene oil (e)	Mds	2,581,459	2,440,768	2,478,012	2,583,134
Salt	,,	4,945,190	3,567,757	3,964,921	3,443,495
Gunny bags	No.	.....	.....	69,124,296	47,351,509

(a) The imports by sea are coastwise imports from other Indian ports only.
(b) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(c) Represents trade by sea coastwise, only.
(d) The imports by sea include imports from other Indian ports, together with imports from foreign countries.
(e) Including figures of Budge-Budge trade.

TABLE

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b) (c)
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
	Rice	Paddy (a)	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
Burdwan	144,561	226,915	331,381	3,519	851	15,948	546	352,245	17,159,435	6	35	19,054
Birbhum	420,553	5,497	423,989	213	108	917	.....	425,227	.....	16	33	467
Bankura	6,193	4,364	8,880	174	102	.....	.....	9,156	.....	5	51	5,710
Midnapur	610,009	16,694	620,443	524	6	7,848	11	628,832	10,676	20	66	50,486
Hooghly	505,295	161,043	605,947	4,411	132	28,806	108	639,404	32,985	103	27,364	4,24,207
24-Parganas ...	1,338,042	610,446	1,719,571	1,737	136	25,620	4,528	1,751,592	85,959	627	38,008	4,72,600
Nadia	13,559	3,673	15,979	133,285	296	650,238	3,570	803,468	1	298	796	22,984
Murshidabad	159,982	412	160,359	135,791	8	156,359	11,789	464,186	.....	36	27	.....
Jessore	19,986	20,445	32,764	2,706	.....	169,630	16	205,116	.....	538	25	.....
Khulna	124,719	299,061	311,683	1,004	8	31,269	.....	343,913	.....	206	10	133
Rajshahi	949	.....	949	8,606	.....	11,345	292	21,192	.....	4	5	734
Dinajpur	2,463	22,377	16,449	818	34	1,055	.....	18,356	.....	3	.....	333
Jalpaiguri	105	.....	105	.....	.....	1,325	.....	1,430	.....	.....	.....	.....
Darjeeling	33	.....	33	796	.....	39	.....	867	.....	.....	.....	533
Rangpur	16,368	24	16,378	873	106	317	.....	17,474	.....	391	5	1,332
Bogra	689	2,359	2,101	540	12	9,634	.....	12,287	.....	20	.....	2,731
Pabna	116	407	370	10,302	.....	11,018	181	21,871	221	21	3,835	7,065
Malda	1,733	149	1,826	59,345	.....	13,200	624	74,996	.....	.....	3	600
Cooch Behar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	10,028	1	10,029	121	5	1,285	163	11,603	.....	5,509	58	32,589
Mymensingh	240	.....	240	93	2	633	665	1,633	.....	347	5	1,098
Faridpur	13,812	6,747	18,041	27,039	.....	85,896	2,055	132,981	.....	408	47	466
Bakarganj	595,642	4,936	598,721	37	.....	4,731	.....	603,489	.....	23	76	.....
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	4,146	5,889	7,827	.....	.....	244	903	8,974	.....	39	42	66
Noakhali	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong	9,075	10,758	15,799	.....	136	1,236	6,302	23,473	.....	5,877	8	11,773
Chittagong Port ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	380	.....	.....
Total of Bengal ...	3,998,352	1,474,308	4,919,092	391,824	1,942	1,329,953	31,853	6,673,864	17,269,307	14,377	70,501	10,48,909
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.												
Bihar and Orissa ...	137,964	2,276	139,407	1,182,747	2,088	964,606	71,243	2,360,040	28,744,914	413	3,234	1,04,780
Assam	9,210	644	9,612	3,103	6	441	358	13,521	42,227	00	78	21,156
U P of Agra and Oudh	1,237	265	1,403	1,590,800	32,048	643,506	17,924	2,285,681	.....	1,444	1,764	5,84,022
Punjab	9,225	.....	9,225	29,606	3,529	17,734	407	60,501	.....	3,078	56	89,762
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	66	266
Central Provinces and Berar	110	.....	110	58,027	780	53,933	24	112,884	.....	2,833	15,869	11,33,380
Bombay	55	.....	55	1	.....	197	95	348	.....	8,387	33,826	1,62,82,063
Madras	1,988	.....	1,988	.....	.....	1,974	16	3,978	.....	11,323	33,828	37,95,523
Burma	1,328,218	.....	1,328,218	.....	4	36,110	132,464	1,497,796	.....	14,628	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India	260	.....	260	4,659	.....	4,343	.....	9,262	.....	63	.....	1,10,530
Nizam's Territory ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	121	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,799	21,921
Port Blair	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918	5,486,539	1,477,490	6,409,970	3,260,776	40,329	2,961,397	245,383	12,907,855	41,057,458	36,757	160,101	2,32,45,262
GRAND TOTAL 1917	4,784,932	830,245	5,397,585	5,783,221	104,685	2,954,588	271,077	14,411,156	41,994,818	86,022	229,267	3,12,96,507
GRAND TOTAL 1916	7,052,878	1,281,059	7,853,540	2,781,700	135,791	2,687,957	319,223	13,778,211	55,137,887	74,163	184,250	2,07,65,625

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.

II

Canal, and Sea (Coastwise) in the six months of April to September, 1918

Indigo	JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		SUGAR			Tea, Indian	TOBACCO		Whence imported
	Raw(*d*)	Gunny bags(*e*)		Linseed	Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
.....	3,428	52,923	.....	5,001	97	2	.....	321	3	113	4	Burdwan
.....	.....	9,840	850	4,541	435	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	15	Birbhum
.....	2	21,976	32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	Bankura
.....	4,042	133,754	.....	2,970	108	38	340	24,085	.....	596	9	Midnapur
.....	14,196	76,455,697	.....	2,420	12	2	32	16,608	.....	10,767	3,444	Hooghly
.....	94,709	164,257,800	.....	2,101	.....	.....	10,090	38,078	.....	5,338	4,000	24-Parganas
.....	55,957	320,951	.....	42,623	543	57	39	8,337	.....	4,164	13	Nadia
.....	14,218	60,404	1,907	19,558	720	869	10	237	1	4,306	.....	Murshidabad
.....	20,440	10,332	.....	1,358	164	.....	20	60,197	.....	2,444	.....	Jessore
.....	32,160	5,945	.....	776	.....	.....	62	3,000	.....	436	7	Khulna
.....	90,871	3 813	.....	2,890	.....	23	.....	1,300	.....	16,661	148	Rajshahi
.....	38,987	267,730	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	1,168	.....	Dinajpur
.....	57,472	52,111	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	891	458,977	37,630	.....	Jalpaiguri
.....	8,188	40,590	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	180,809	5,068	180	Darjeeling
.....	466,217	151,484	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	10,104	5,663	87,449	13	Rangpur
.....	74,155	9,143	.....	131	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	3,701	.....	Bogra
.....	156,163	29,238	.....	6,007	.....	.....	16	.....	2	190	2	Pabna
.....	21,522	22,304	.....	2,703	144	184	.....	336	4	6,338	464	Malda
.....	36,544	902	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	631	.....	15,449	.....	Cooch Behar
.....	354,946	10,701	1	12	.....	.....	.....	91	.....	8	29	Dacca
.....	283,242	39 401	.....	764	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	Mymensingh
.....	221,197	97,703	.....	2,732	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	237	3	Faridpur
.....	5,965	15,867	.....	170	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	4	Bakarganj
.....	32,290	1,599	3	188	21	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	Tippera (including Hill Tippera)
.....	197	1,066	.....	560	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	... ..	Noakhali
.....	.....	8,282	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,374	.....	.....	Chittagong
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	245	.....	.....	Chittagong Port
.....	2,063,331	242,081,521	2,793	97,806	2,244	1,170	10,809	165,582	612,989	305,013	7,316	Total of Bengal
												OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
2,416	212,644	256,570	142 164	1,364,434	44,551	.....	1,541	29,128	1,646	111,007	22,480	Bihar and Orissa
.....	80,797	43,542	8,991	449	4,493	.....	...	.....	945,402	40	57	Assam
1,386	.....	91,020	49,439	305,318	196,642	.....	2,760	16,942	1 498	965	404	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	.....	1,107	51	448	1,135,012	20	171	3	259	82	.....	Punjab
.....	.....	41	1,462	.....	44,768	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	... ..	3,649	6,871	20,276	46,118	.....	.....	.....	10	51	1,287	Central Provinces and Berar
71	.....	2,419	.....	.....	165,405	.....	1,443	1	171	15,058	27	Bombay
706	.....	6,929	29	14,035	19,956	.....	75,428	41,622	1,571	20,158	329	Madras
.....	.....	5,260	15 574	.....	.....	.....	3,961	.....	66	24,893	1,037	Burma
.....	.....	23,870	7,123	3,551	61,672	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	6	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	62	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
...	.....	3,034	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	373	Mysore
.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	241	.....	.....	Port Blair
4,579	(*f*) 2,356,972	242,516,544	234,515	1,736,007	1,720,862	1,190	95,933	253,278	1,563,865	377,967	33,309	1918
1,742	1,491,653	211,707,768	202,570	788,572	1,754,340	2,003	146,363	199,419	1,386,950	435,072	32 709	1917 GRAND TOTAL
2,005	1,844,005	213,385,178	277,493	2,515,251	2,626,845	2,350	93,660	244,218	1,427,594	521,873	40,186	1916

(*d*) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta block, which are 1,844,369 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 60 928 bales.
(*e*) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
(*f*) Of this, 1,337,041 bales came by rail, 1,089,003 bales by river, 18,719 bales by road and 12,207 bales by sea.

TABLE III

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. II were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the six months of April to September, 1918

Routes			FOOD-GRAINS						Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton, twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece goods, Indian (b)(c)	Indigo
			Rice	Paddy (a)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains					
			Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...		637,775	338,591	1,942,608	37,924	1,417,116	59,970	28,499,100	4,296	3,817	10,26,138	1,551
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)		840,297	156,113	373,058	416	602,175	9,024	3,802,630	784	18,902	38,11,149	.....
	A.-B. Railway...		59	.....	.....	.....	.....	47	.....	1	40	5,242	.....
	B.-N. Railway		162,999	9,144	59,521	921	71,927	53	8,828,821	15,306	85,256	1,73,11,942	586
	B. and N.-W. Railway		1,001	1,161	765,699	478	115,926	16,390	.....	151	11	11,537	2,550
	D.-S. Railway...		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	799	.....
	Kalighat-Falta Railway		74,332	27,387	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sankhala Light Railways		10,695	179	.....	4	517	3	.....	.....	8	30,581	.....
By river steamer	Bengal ...	...	365,531	20,925	26,040	332	61,774	12,353	232	11,410	330	79,731	.....
	Bihar and Orissa		9	.....	1,256	.....	67,871	15,131	.....	187	.....	11,459	.....
	Assam ...	...	5,630	470	478	8	168	73	43,237	55	28	14,515	.....
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh		.....	.....	46	.....	12,946	172	.....	10	.....	6,998	.....
By boat	... ...		2,061,826	896,295	92,069	130	557,761	4,560	10,088	1,554	41,254	2,72,000	.....
By road	... ...		394,864	27,182	.....	112	5,796	3,643	73,360	411	10,955	5,94,193	.....
By sea	... ...		1,331,513	.....	1	4	37,400	135,464	.....	23,592	.....	.....	211
Total		1918 ...	5,486,539	1,477,490	3,260,776	40,329	2,951,297	245,383	41,057,458	56,767	160,101	2,32,45,289	4,579
		1917 ...	4,784,932	830,245	5,783,221	104,685	2,954,588	271,077	41,954,818	86,022	229,267	3,12,26,507	1,742
		1916 ...	7,052,878	1,281,059	2,781,700	135,791	3,687,957	319,223	55,137,867	74,163	184,250	2,07,65,625	2,005

Routes			JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		Silk, raw	SUGAR		Tea, Indian	TOBACCO	
			Raw(d)	Gunny bags(e)		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured
			Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway...		41,324	248,337	103,420	649,269	1,611,044	109	1,022	26,249	2,042	1,355	7,236
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)		1,172,310	1,686,617	10,480	55,499	7,320	430	881	57,345	615,973	211,544	193
	A.-B. Railway...		622	15,375	106	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	167,279	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway		8,714	187,165	102,507	38,903	75,840	.....	45,236	41,623	2,979	21,185	1,897
	B. and N.-W. Railway		12,238	6,191	11	1,000,458	23,615	.....	716	8,641	5	25,476	13
	D.-S. Railway...		.....	1,394	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	159,429	.....	.....
	Kalighat-Falta Railway		27	1,394	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sankhala Light Railways		1,806	33,866	.....	1	.....	.....	2	27	.....	42	18
By river steamer	Bengal ...		866,892	189,502	958	9,293	32	651	61	1,588	8,184	41,506	671
	Bihar and Orissa		9,128	14,473	.....	7,529	494	.....	454	18	139	30,116	15,475
	Assam ...	...	84,491	21,935	2,489	449	2,381	.....	.....	.....	607,513	40	39
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh		.....	47,724	.....	11,313	465	.....	2,380	1,678	.....	896	116
By boat	... ...		158,484	236,989,432	.....	32,546	349	.....	96	91,010	.....	13,165	8
By road	... ...		18,719	3,054,268	.....	747	.....	.....	9,229	26,099	.....	7,211	6,408
By sea	... ...		13,807	20,870	15,674	.....	422	.....	35,856	.....	312	24,991	1,136
Total		1918 ...	2,356,972	242,518,544	234,515	1,706,007	1,720,662	1,190	95,933	253,278	1,563,865	377,267	33,309
		1917 ...	1,491,653	211,707,763	292,670	788,572	1,754,340	2,003	146,363	199,419	1,386,980	425,072	23,702
		1916 ...	1,844,005	212,366,178	277,493	2,515,251	2,628,845	2,350	93,660	244,318	1,427,594	521,872	40,198

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 35 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta Block, which are 1,844,269 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpore Docks, namely, 60,228 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.

TABLE IV

Imports of certain Articles into the Port of Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the six months of April to September, 1918

	Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece Goods		Kerosene oil	Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		
	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds
From Foreign countries* ...	48 889	.....	10,95,39,127	.....	295,387	4,918,849
Coastwise—						
From British Ports in—						
Bihar and Orissa ...	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	.....
Bombay ...	2,175	14,144	7,52,922	38,35,304	.....	16,341
Madras ...	.....	.....	.....	525	.....	10,000
Burma ...	1,351	118	4,61,725	15,740	2,986,172	.....
Total ...	3,526	14,262	12,14,648	38,52,069	2,986,172	26,341
Grand Total ... 1918 ...	52,415	14,262	11,07,53,775	38,52,069	2,581,469	4,945,190
Grand Total ... 1917 ...	34,337	1,129	11,25,31,038	61,633	2,440,768	3,567,757
Grand Total ... 1916 ...	54,460	14,873	11,60,71,952	65,373	3,036,005	5,690,168

* Publication of detailed figures has been temporarily discontinued.

TABLE V

Exports of Principal Articles from the Port of Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign Countries) in the six months of April to September, 1918

	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian	Cotton piece-goods, Indian
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	79	.....	79	.....	77	85	.....	241	.....	12	183	3,100
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,755	.....	1,755	.....	.....	4,166	.....
Bombay ...	412,871	.....	412,871	.....	.....	.....	636	413,507	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras ...	177,486	2,381	178,974	1	.....	51,128	792	230,895	110,903	.....	4,030	8,722
Burma	5,133	.....	5,133	47,395	169,269	175,421	13,678	410,896	857,004	85	35,267	9,37,079
Total ...	595,569	2,381	597,057	47,396	169,346	228,389	15,106	1,057,294	967,907	97	43,636	9,48,901
To Foreign countries.†	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	983,756	12,223	6,370	49,555
GRAND TOTAL 1918 ...	595,569‡	2,381‡	597,057‡	47,396‡	169,346‡	228,389‡	15,106‡	1,057,294‡	1,951,663	12,320	50,006	9,98,456
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	22,360‡	.....‡	22,360‡	29,908‡	151,512‡	209,227‡	17,911‡	430,918‡	9,563,684	29,318	62,618	17,99,047
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	33,310‡	.....‡	33,310‡	59,513‡	111,800‡	213,412‡	15,141‡	433,176‡	18,849,640	44,414	47,892	5,83,206

	Indigo	JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		Silk, raw	SUGAR		Tea, Indian	TOBACCO	
		Raw	Gunny bags*		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	.....	.....	462	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,029	12	4	52	2
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	115,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,360	.....	.....	1,186	576
Bombay ...	35	.....	492,490	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	568	.....	.....
Madras ...	105	6	1,141,312	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	839	.....	32
Burma	.....	146	19,038,460	42	.....	822	.....	5,633	36	7,900	87,443	1,588
Total ...	140	152	20,788,384	42	.....	822	.....	7,922	49	9,291	88,711	2,198
To Foreign countries.†	20,381	1,104,637	.....	206,739	890,283	194,957	1,755	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918 ...	20,521	1,104,789	20,788,384‡	206,781	890,283	195,779	1,755	7,922‡	49‡	9,291‡	88,711‡	2,198‡
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	14,538	401,817	11,361,833‡	196,382	475,413	121,129	2,350	2,136‡	1,805‡	9,482‡	110,896‡	2,703‡
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	6,311	750,088	13,775,412‡	291,815	1,940,455	3,804	3,179	7,160‡	7,795‡	8,627‡	93,338‡	2,135‡

* Including gunny cloth : 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
† Publication of figures under food-grains, gunny bags, sugar, tea, and tobacco, as well as of detailed figures under other heads, has been temporarily discontinued.
‡ Represents trade by sea (coastwise only).

TABLE VI

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in the six months of April to September, 1918

Whither exported	Cotton twist & yarn		Cotton piece goods*		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge‡	
Bengal	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	297	4,374	22,33,636	1,63,163	535,816	24,328	87,986	143,038
Birbhum	44	4,012	7,01,538	35,576	197,333	84	30,818	82,899
Bankura	141	5,593	3,52,869	3,931	39,483	53	400	59,916
Midnapur	8,661	6,176	21,01,603	1,17,729	140,603	2,795	46,452	159,317
Hooghly	2,446	434	10,07,341	1,53,462	605,440	23,838	52,444	126,986
24-Parganas	5,412	1,678	5,91,807	2,63,798	494,385	58,165	76,181	140,350
Nadia	1,723	13,961	31,49,745	1,84,430	361,173	2,067	31,008	135,418
Murshidabad	1,397	4,383	20,82,198	26,217	396,990	4,169	47,541	148,964
Jessore	4,297	4,293	9,12,548	1,03,801	83,845	991	30,206	94,797
Khulna	6,549	691	5,91,758	82,682	69,987	7,600	31,722	44,378
Rajshahi	155	474	10,90,259	2,03,473	53,869	2,933	6,951	44,157
Dinajpur	6	806	7,95,350	1,34,383	119,638	12	23,375	76,071
Jalpaiguri	30	1,249	15,25,013	1,90,261	55,350	1,077	21,680	79,168
Darjeeling	.....	1,102	10,55,172	1,06,399	15,386	218	20,037	45,313
Rangpur	288	1,197	30,10,867	3,01,680	57,226	130	43,680	174,166
Bogra	.....	710	13,17,077	5,91,497	144,807	691	31,125	128,207
Pabna	5,804	2,897	20,36,145	3,15,602	58,425	192	127,161	142,943
Malda	386	2,927	8,77,197	1,24,590	90,446	2	.....	25,092
Cooch Behar	.....	286	8,67,641	83,148	13,817	49	5,168	33,402
Dacca	18,191	2,048	50,99,174	2,70,547	83,338	1,554	217,459	259,089
Mymensingh	5,331	2,181	23,78,379	11,74,230	39,934	110	40,653	190,211
Faridpur	8,899	1,123	13,17,662	1,67,355	123,228	1,708	25,319	120,833
Bakarganj	10,603	235	7,84,501	3,69,368	283,558	1,230	9,007	139,887
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	5,427	4,505	19,52,674	33,140	31,119	67	.....	83,939
Noakhali	1,533	5,769	8,73,721	34,583	22,632	3	.....	1,179
Chittagong	4,484	106	1,79,119	55,864	110,085	1,230	.....	699
Chittagong Port	323	2,737	13,17,140	1,39,467	5,863	.....	.....	33
Total of Bengal	91,798	76,597	3,90,81,104	53,99,947	4 227,176	134,236	998,673	2,661,211
Other Provinces and Places								
Bihar and Orissa	9,090	57,493	2,59,55,185	22,26,879	6,723,435	3,594	632,561	994,598
Assam	6,614	3,813	86,16,178	8,96,191	339,476	6,224	13,118	357,770
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	799	4,340	2,60,29,839	9,99,938	7,706,401	3,094	578,657	11 908
Punjab	5,683	2,220	1,07,35,219	80,487	11,124,694	50	60,870	20
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	40,581	1,732	1,488,751	.....	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	316	3,592	5,03,843	62,276	2,649,502	908	19,153	5,807
Bombay	1,053	3,251	23,60,674	4,09,560	11,868,604	363	2,781	.....
Madras	9,333	17,194	16,02,007	66,444	2,891,530	66	.....	1,732
Burma	21,330	35,297	90,08,353	9,37,079	19,038,460	.....	.....	545
Rajputana and Central India	11	2	1,42,765	200	913,767	1,301	22,524	238
Kashmir State	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,094	.....	.....	.....
Nizam's Territory	.....	.....	37,210	4,548	49,036	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	86,920	.....	.....	802
Port Blair	.....	183	9,000	3,100	462	.....	39	.....
Grand Total 1918	145,979	207,942	12,50,50,857	1,10,88,360	69,124,298	148,736	2,324,276	3,964,931
Grand Total 1917	97,081	210,296	11,80,80,047	1,11,80,936	47,251,504	199,973	2,683,161	3,443,495
Grand Total 1916	100,380	196,952	10,41,04,146	1,00,47,036	48,356,203	257,111	2,729,466	4,898,609

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
‡ The exports of kerosene oil from Budge-Budge to Calcutta during the six months, April to September, 1918, were 622 902 mds. as against 486,178 mds. and 625,464 mds. in the corresponding periods of 1917 and 1916, respectively.

TABLE VII

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. VI were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the six months of April to September, 1918

Routes		Cotton twist and yarn		Cotton piece-goods *		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
		Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge	
		Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	4,734	32,771	3,08,01,026	7,52,796	8,601,513	25,831	743,965	640,104
	E. B. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	1,317	36,127	1,80,88,804	26,77,993	1,536,688	6,108	397,110	1,043,627
	A.-B. Railway ...	1,766	14,269	57,35,715	2,91,797	73,923	2,049	587	60,480
	B.-N. Railway ...	946	28,834	37,66,335	4,39,762	2,757,291	4,289	3,049	465,192
	B. and N.-W. Railway	123	7,038	1,00,86,884	11,43,805	2,098,052	207	283,281	129,484
	O. and R. Railway ...	231	504	19,84,137	1,01,004	1,544,470	553	263,056	75
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	972	.....	4,93,849	.....	16,441	1,671	.....	13,105
	N.-W. Railway ...	1,639	2,209	8,64,265	75,507	9,201,056	21	37,382	.....
	G. I. P. Railway ...	1,134	3,306	24,12,157	4,22,850	10,299,692	856	21,406	.....
	B. B. & C. I. Railway	11	26	1,43,574	8,527	2,487,183	808	13,018	.....
	M. & S. M. Railway ..	4,435	11,233	8,46,006	43,174	2,078,231	14	.....	2,305
	S. I. Railway ...	.....	188	2,632	1,423	185,186	.....	.....	.....
	J. B. Railway ...	.....	.....	25,086	200	63,350	.....	.....	.....
	N. G. S. Railway ...	.....	.....	37,210	3,204	45,756	.....	.....	.....
	Other Railways ...	34	39	3,64,559	88,131	211,847	1,907	14,201	9,332
„ river steamer	Bengal	67,886	10,082	1,50,90,742	21,25,849	1,120,120	11,072	428,754	705,376
	Bihar and Orissa ...	3,563	7,058	1,06,33,118	6,98,757	3,587,459	247	.....	8,314
	Assam	6,406	2,657	62,50,454	7,20,819	222,138	4,571	8,230	245,157
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh	205	379	61,70,787	1,83,048	1,194,371	.....	.....	1,188
„ boat		18,349	97	4,66,100	13,700	693,296	24,304	96,129	561,916
„ road		1,897	469	6,76,973	3,67,086	298,582	64,438	4,194	75,750
„ sea		30,431	43,636	96,25,246	9,48,901	20,788,384	.....	9,904	3,676
Total ...	1918 ...	145,979	203,943	12,50,50,957	1,10,88,389	69,124,298	148,736	2,334,276	3,964,931
	1917 ...	97,081	210,296	11,80,80,047	1,11,80,936	47,351,504	199,973	2,683,161	3,443,495
	1916 ...	1,00,280	196,952	10,41,04,146	1,00,47,038	48,386,203	537,111	2,729,466	4,898,609

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.

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Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1918.

PADDY (BEST QUALITY).

Marts.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.*	Corresponding return of 1913.*
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 2 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 4 0	2 11 0	2 10 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	3 6 0	4 0 0	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 6 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	.....	.....

(c) No sale.

* Figures not available.

PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).

Marts.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	2 6 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	3 4 0	3 10 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 12 0	3 0 0	1 14 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	2 8 0	2 8 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	.....	2 6 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	2 12 0	2 9 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	2 12 0	2 10 0	2 4 0	2 11 0	3 2 0	3 5 3	3 3 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0

(c) No sale.

Whole-sale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1918.

Marts.	RICE (BEST QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 14 0	8 4 0	7 12 0	7 12 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	9 4 0	8 0 0	6 2 6	6 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	6 8 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0
Chittagong	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	9 0 0	6 0 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	6 2 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	6 4 0	7 4 0	6 4 0	6 10 0 to 7 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	6 12 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	8 0 0	8 12 6
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0

Marts.	RICE (COMMON QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	6 3 0	7 8 0	6 4 0	6 0 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 12 0	4 3 6	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 2 0 to 4 4 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 2 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Chittagong	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	4 2 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	5 12 0	5 8 0	4 12 0	6 0 0	6 12 0	5 10 0	5 10 0 to 6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 7 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 12 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1918.

Marts.	WHEAT.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	7 4 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 10 0	4 8 0
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	(a)	(a)	5 0 0	4 12 0	5 10 0	.....	.....
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 8 0	8 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 8 0	4 8 0 to 5 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	4 0 0	.....	4 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 12 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 8 0

(a) Not in stock.

Marts.	KALAI DAL.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.*	Corresponding return of 1913.*
	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	8 12 0	9 0 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	9 0 0	9 0 0	4 12 0	5 8 0	6 8 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 8 0 to 11 0 0	8 8 0 to 11 0 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	7 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	.....	.....

* Figures not available.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of November 1918.

Marts.	GRAM.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 12 0	3 8 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	5 8 0	5 8 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 3	3 4 0 to 3 12 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 12 0 to 7 0 0	5 8 0 to 7 0 0	3 14 0 to 4 4 0	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	4 10 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	7 0 0	6 0 0	4 12 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	.....	.....

Marts.	ARHAR DAL.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	51	52	53	54	55	56	57
	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	6 12 0	6 12 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	5 14 0	4 12 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	7 4 0	6 14 0	4 10 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 12 0	4 13 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 8 0	8 0 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 8 0	7 8 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	7 12 0	7 12 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	5 4 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	7 8 0	8 8 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	6 12 0	5 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	8 10 0	7 4 0	6 0 0	6 12 0	8 10 0	6 9 0	5 6 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	7 0 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	4 8 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1918.

Marts.	Linseed.			Mustard			Gur.			Cotton (unginned).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	5 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	10 0 0	38 0 0	40 0 0	35 0 0
Chetla Hât ...	....	.....	....	...	...	.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.
Burdwan ...	.....(a)	.. ...(a)	7 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	5 8 0	9 0 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	.....(a)	.. (a)	25 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.. ...	.. ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.		... .	.....	...	.....	... ..	.....
Midnapore ...	8 0 0	7 0 0	4 8 0	10 8 0 to 11 12 0	10 8 0 to 11 12 0	6 4 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	11 0 0	70 0 0	50 0 0	40 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	9 8 0	9 8 0	6 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.. ...	.....	....	... ..	... .	.....	...	.....	.....	.. ...	.. ..
Dacca	6 0 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	9 0 0	9 6 0	6 8 0	10 0 0	10 4 0	11 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	... ..	.	...	.....	..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.	. ..	.....	.....	.....	... ..	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	. ....	..	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	8 0 0	7 0 0	6 10 0	9 8 0	9 10 0	7 0 0	8 8 0	9 3 0	10 0 0	. ....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	....		.....	.....	.....	.. ...
Rangpur ...	.. ...	...	.....	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	11 8 0	.. ...	.....	.....

Marts.	Jute.			Ghee.			Hides (cow).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year
	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces	Rs. A. P
Calcutta ...	12 0 0	12 0 0	5 0 0	70 0 0	72 0 0	65 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0
Chetla Hât ...		....	....	...	.	.....		.	.....
Burdwan ...	....(a)	.....(a)	3 0 0	65 0 0	70 0 0	53 0 0	40 0 0	Per maund. 40 0 0	40 0 0
Kalna ...	...	.....	.....	.....			.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...		.. ..	. ...	.....	.....	....	.....	.. ...	...
Midnapore ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	75 0 0	75 0 0	53 0 0	225 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100 225 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100	300 0 0
Chittagong ...	..	.....	.....	to 80 0 0 75 0 0	to 80 0 0 75 0 0	to 62 0 0 60 0 0	220 0 0	200 0 0	275 0 0
Chandpur ...	6 8 0 to 10 0 0	9 4 0 to 13 0 0	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	...		.... .	... ..	.....	....
Dacca	.....	... ..		65 0 0	65 0 0	.....	.....	.....	...
Narayanganj ...	8 12 0 to 12 0 0	9 12 0 to 13 4 0	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Mymensingh ...	8 0 0 to 12 0 0	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	.....	....	.....	... .	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	7 0 0 to 11 8 0	8 12 0 to 12 12 0	4 4 0 to 6 12 0	. ....	... .	.....	.....	...	.. .
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	80 0 0	86 0 0	62 0 0	.. ...	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	6 0 0 to 8 0 0	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	....	... ..	.	. . .	....	..
Rangpur ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	4 0 0	65 0 0	62 0 0	65 0 0	Per piece 4 0 0	Per piece 4 0 0	4 0 0

(a) Not in stock.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1918.

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	35 0 0	35 0 0	25 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	5 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 3 0(d)
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	22 0 0 to 35 0 0	25 0 0 to 35 0 0	14 0 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	4 1 9	4 1 9	3 1 6(a)
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 22 0 0	3 0 0 to 24 0 0	3 0 0 to 23 0 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 0 0(a)
Chittagong ...	30 0 0	30 0 0	17 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	5 4 0†	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	4 4 0	4 8 0	6 8 0*	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 1 6(a)
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	21 0 0 to 26 10 0	24 0 0	20 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 12 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	4 0 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	22 0 0	22 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	5 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	3 4 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Mosque mark. | * Panga. | † Ornamed. | (d) 4 Imperial gallons.

Marts.	Mustard Oil.			Firewood.			Coal (Bengal).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	25 0 0	25 0 0	18 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 11 0
Burdwan ...	25 0 0	25 8 0	16 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 6
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 12 6
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 3 3	0 3 3	0 2 4
Midnapore ...	28 0 0 to 30 0 0	28 0 0 to 30 0 0	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	28 0 0	28 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	30 0 0	29 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	29 0 0	29 0 0	17 11 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	30 0 0	30 0 0	22 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

DACCA,
The 26th November 1918.

N. GUPTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1918.

Division	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.																
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (dal) or Thur, Oadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.													
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat	7 2	7 2	8 0	8 0	7 9	9 0	4 9	4 9	7 0	5 6	5 6	8 0	9 2	9 2	8 0*
	2	Magra Hat ...	7 8	7 12 (R)	8 14	8 0	8 4	10 0	...	...	7 4	5 0	5 6	6 10	10 4	10 0	8 0
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	6 10	6 10	6 15	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 7	4 6	8 0	5 14	5 14	6 8	10 0	10 0	7 7
		Nadia.															
	4	Goari	6 7	6 10	10 8	7 8	8 0	11 4	3 3	3 3	5 13	4 8	5 5	8 0	10 10	10 10	10 10*
	5	Ranaghat ...	7 0	7 11	...	7 4	8 10	...	5 4	4 9	...	5 4	4 9	...	9 0	9 0	..
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	8 0	7 0	11 0	8 4	7 4	11 8	3 0	3 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	11 0*
	7	Kandi ...	8 8	8 0	12 0	9 0	8 4	12 4	...	4 0	5 8	6 8	6 8	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0
	8	Jangipur ...	8 0	8 8	10 12	8 12	9 0	11 8	...	...	6 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	11 0
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	7 8	9 0	8 0	8 8	10 0	10 0	4 8	4 8	6 8	4 8	4 8	6 8	10 0	10 0	8 0
	10	Bangaon	6 10	7 7	9 6	7 0	8 14	10 10	4 0	4 0	5 8	4 15	5 5	6 6	10 8	9 8	8 0
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	8 0	9 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	12 8	8 0	6 8	6 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	9 0	9 0	6 8
	12	Bagerhat ...	7 0	7 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 4	5 4	8 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	9 0	9 0	6 8
		Burdwan.															
Burdwan.	13	Sadar	8 0	8 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	12 8	4 12	4 12	7 12	5 4	5 8	9 0	10 8	9 0	9 0
	14	Kalna	6 6	6 2	10 0	6 10	6 6	10 8	4 0	4 0	6 12	5 5	5 5	6 4	9 0	9 0	12 0*
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	6 12	6 12	11 8	7 8	7 8	12 0	4 0	3 6	7 0	5 4	5 5	7 0	9 0	10 0	10 0
	16	Rampur Hat ...	7 0	7 8	11 0	7 8	8 0	12 0	4 0	3 8	6 0	4 8	6 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	7 8	7 0	10 12	8 0	7 8	13 12	3 12	3 8	8 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	10 8	10 8	8 0
	18	Vishnupur	7 0	6 4	11 0	8 0	8 14	14 0	5 0	5 0	9 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 0
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	8 1	8 1	9 11	8 6	9 6	10 1	4 0	4 0	7 0	4 0	4 0	8 0 8 0 8 0	9 0	8 0	7 0
	20	Contai	7 8	7 8	12 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	7 8	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	10 0	9 0	8 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	6 8	7 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	9 8	4 0	4 4	7 12	5 0	5 8	8 0	10 0	10 0	7 0
	22	Arambagh	7 10	7 4	10 0	8 0	7 8	10 4	4 0	4 0	5 8	5 0	8 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	7 4
		Howrah															
	23	Sadar ..	6 4	6 4	8 2	6 8	7 8	9 12	4 0	4 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	8 0	10 0	9 8	8 0
	24	Uluberia	6 12	7 0	8 0	7 12	8 0	9 0	3 13	4 0	7 0	4 11	4 8	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0
		Rajshahi.															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 14	7 2	8 4	8 10	8 4	8 10	4 0	4 0	6 0	5 4	5 4	6 12	8 0	8 0	6 12
	26	Nator	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 8
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Banar Hat	8 8	8 8	10 3	9 0	8 11	10 12	4 12	4 12	5 11	4 12	4 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 12
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	8 8	8 0	8 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	6 3	5 6	9 0	5 0	4 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0

(R) Revised. * Karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of November 1918—*concld.*

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	District and Mart.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Oadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Oadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Oadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	30	Sadar (a)		5 0	7 0	...	6 8	8 4	...	4 0	5 8	...	4 0	5 8	...	6 8	8 0
	30	Siliguri	9 0	9 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 0	5 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 8
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 12	4 8	6 0	5 12	5 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 12
	32	Nilphamari	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	5 8	5 8	6 0	5 8	5 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	5 8	5 8	7 0	9 0	8 4	9 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 6	4 6	6 0	9 5	9 5	7 8
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	8 0	8 10	7 4	8 8	9 0	8 8	3 12	4 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	6 0
	35	Sirajganj	7 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	11 0
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	8 8	8 8	9 8	8 12	9 0	10 0	5 0	4 8	6 8	5 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 8
	37	Balia—Nawabganj ...	8 8	8 6	10 0	9 0	8 12	10 8	5 0	5 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 8
		Dacca.															
Dacca.	38	Sadar	7 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	10 0	4 0	3 4	5 8	5 4	5 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	5 8
	39	Munshir Hat ...	8 0	8 8	9 4	8 0	8 8	9 4	...		...	...	...	...	5 0	8 0	6 10
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	6 10	6 10	8 0	6 14	6 14	8 8	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 4	5 4	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 8
	41	Netrakona	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 0
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	8 0	8 0	9 8	8 8	9 0	10 8	4 8	4 0	6 8	4 8	4 8	6 4	8 0	8 0	6 8
	43	Rajbari	8 0	8 0	11 5	8 10	8 12	12 0	4 12	4 13	8 12	4 6	4 6	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	7 0	7 10	8 0	9 0	8 6	9 12	5 12	5 0	9 7	5 0	5 0	6 11	10 0	8 0	8 0
	45	Pirojpur	7 12	7 14	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 8	...	...	7 0	4 12	4 12	8 0	6 8	6 8	7 0
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	7 12	7 11	7 11	8 0	7 14	7 14	5 0	5 0	5 5	4 10	4 10	6 6	8 8	8 12	6 8
	47	Chandpur ...	7 4	8 0	8 0	9 8	9 14	10 0	5 2	5 2	5 4	7 2	7 4	6 8	9 1	9 1	6 8
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	4 0	8 0	9 0	5 8	6 0	5 8	9 0	9 0	6 8*
	49	Feni Hat	9 13	9 13	8 4	11 10	11 10	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	7 8
Chittagong.		**Chittagong**															
	50	Sadar ...	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 8	8 8	11 0	4 0	4 0	6 8	5 0	5 0	5 8	10 0	10 0	7 8
	51	Cox Bazar	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	6 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 0	9 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	11 0	3 4	3 8	4 0	4 8	4 0	4 0	9 0	9 0	5 8

* Crushed. | (a) Return not received

N. GUPTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA,
The 26th November 1918.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 28th November 1918.

Summary.—Practically no rain fell during the week excepting light showers in parts of the Chittagong Division. Reaping of winter rice continues. Outturn is unsatisfactory in many places owing to drought. Transplanting of tobacco seedlings and sowings of potatoes, oilseeds and wheat are progressing slowly. The spring crops are badly in need of rain. Damage to winter paddy by insects is reported from some of the Eastern districts. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 1·5 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
1	24-Parganas	0·04	6⅜	7⅛	Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced in the high lands of Basirhat subdivision. Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops in Barrackpore subdivision. Condition of standing crops is fair.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	7½	7½	
	Barrackpore	Nil	6¼	6¼	
	Barasat ...	Nil	9 7/16	9 7/16	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	7¾	8	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	7¼	7	Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7½	7¾	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	6¾	7¼	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable. *Aman* paddy has been greatly affected for want of rain. Rain is wanted for *rabi* crops.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7½	7	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8	8½	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8	8	Weather cloudy. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are poor owing to drought. Damage by insects is reported from Magurah.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	9	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	9½	9½	
	Narail ...	Nil	7	8	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	7	7	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	7	7½	Weather cloudy. Condition and prospects of *aman* paddy are favourable. Harvesting is going on.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	9	8½	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8½	

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
6	Burdwan ...	Nil	7½	7	Weather cloudy. Sugarcane, *rabi* and other standing crops are suffering for want of moisture. Sowing of potatoes progressing slowly. The drought has affected outturn of *aman* paddy.
	Asansol ...	Nil	6¾	7¼	
	Katwa ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalna ...	Nil	6¾	6⅝	
7	Birbhum ...	Nil	7	7	Weather cloudy. Sowing of *rabi* crops is retarded for want of rain.
	Rampurhat	Nil	7	7	
8	Bankura ...	Nil	8	8	Sowing of wheat is going on. Standing *aman* paddy crop damaged by drought. Prospects are poor.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7	7	
9	Midnapore	0·03	8⅛	8⅛	Outturn of jute is fair. Prospects of winter rice are unfavourable. Harvesting is going on.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	6⅝	7¼	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	6¾	6 9/16	
	Contai ...	Nil	8	8	
10	Hooghly ...	Nil	7	7	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are unfavourable. *Aman* paddy is becoming prematurely ripe. Cattle-disease is reported from thanas Polba and Balagarh.
	Serampore ...	Nil	6	6	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8	8	
11	Howrah ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Sowing of *rabi* crops briskly going on. Condition of sugarcane is fair.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	
12	Rajshahi (Rampur-Boalia)	Nil	8	8	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects are unfavourable.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	9	9	
	Nator ...	Nil	8	8	
13	Dinajpur ...	Nil	7 3/16	7⅜	Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Condition and prospects of the standing crops are not good.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	10	9	
	Balurghat ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
14	Jalpaiguri	Nil	8	8½	Prospects of *haimantic* paddy and other standing crops are fair.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	7½	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	7½	7½	*Marua* is being harvested. Wheat and *kalai* are growing well. Winter rice and potatoes are progressing favourably in places and harvesting has also commenced.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Planting of tobacco has commenced. Prospects of crops are fair.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	7¾	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7	6⅞	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Sowing of *rabi* crops is finished. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced. Prospects are poor.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are not good.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	7	7	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are not good.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Transplantation of tobacco seedlings, harvesting of *haimanti* paddy and sowing of mustard seeds and wheat continue. Washing of jute is finished.
21	DACCA ...	0·00	(*n*)	7	Weather cold at night and foggy in the morning. Prospects of *aman* paddy are not favourable. The crop has been damaged by an insect called "Barsha poka" and by *ufra* disease in some places. Rain is urgently required for standing crops.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	7	{ 7 / 8½† }	
	Narayanganj	Nil	7	7	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	6¾	7¾	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	6 3/16	6 3/16	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is going on.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6⅜	7½	
	Netrokona ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
	Kishoreganj	Nil	7½	7¾	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here

(*n*) Not reported. † New.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	7½	8½	Weather cloudy and not favourable to standing crops. *Aman* paddy is reported to be damaged by insects in Sadar subdivision. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects are fair.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8⅝	8⅝	
	Madaripur ..	Nil	7	8	
	Gopalganj*...	Nil	7	8	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	6	6	Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7	5	
	Patuakhali	Nil	6½	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	(*n*)	7	
25	Chittagong	0·22	9	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	0·52	10	9	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	7	8	Weather dry and cloudy. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues in Chandpur and completed in Sadar and Brahmanbaria subdivisions. In Brahmanbaria subdivision winter paddy is much damaged by insects ; elsewhere prospects are fair.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8⅝	8⅜	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7	8	
27	Noakhali ...	Nil	8	8	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Feni ...	Nil	8¾	$9\frac{7}{16}$	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	0·76	6	6	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of cotton crops still continues ; outturn good.

* The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.
(*n*) Not reported.

N. Gupta,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, *the 2nd December 1918.*

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 30th November 1918.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rice—				
Balam, coarse ...	5 6 0	5 8 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
„ medium ...	5 10 0	6 0 0	0 2 9	0 3 0
Patnai, coarse ...	5 8 0	6 1 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
„ medium ...	6 2 0	6 10 0	0 2 9	0 3 0
Nagra, coarse ...	5 9 0	5 15 0	0 2 0	0 2 9
„ medium ...	6 0 0	6 12 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
Dudhkalma ...	6 6 0	6 10 0	.....	.....
Rangoon Boiled ...	.....	.....	0 2 0	.....
Kajla	4 15 0	5 2 0	0 2 3	.....
Wheat, Dudhia	7 12 0	8 14 0	.....	.....
„ Gangajali	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ Jamali	7 0 0	7 8 0	.....	.....
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	5 12 0	6 0 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
„ dal	6 8 0	7 4 0	0 3 0	0 4 0
Mung „ (Hari)	10 0 0	10 8 0	0 4 6	0 5 0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	12 0 0	12 8 0	0 5 0	0 6 0
Arhar „	7 8 0	10 0 0	0 3 0	0 4 0
Masur „ (split)	4 8 0	5 12 0	.....	.....
„ „ (khanri) ...	6 8 0	7 4 0	.....	.....
Kalai „	10 0 0	10 8 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
Salt (Liverpool)	3 2 0	.....	0 1 9	.....
Sugar (brown Java) ...	11 4 0	.....	0 5 0	0 5 6
Gur, Bheli	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ Bhursut	8 8 0	8 12 0	.....	.....
Milk	9 0 0	11 0 0	0 3 0	0 5 0
Mustard oil	29 0 0	31 0 0	0 11 0	0 14 0
Flour (country)	9 12 0	11 4 0	0 4 6	0 5 6
Atta No. 3	5 8 0	.....		
„ „ 2½	5 12 0	.....	0 3 0	0 5 0
„ „ B	11 8 0	.....		
Suji	11 14 0	12 0 0	0 5 0	0 6 0
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	80 0 0	81 0 0		
„ (Patiram, Khurjà, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	70 0 0	72 0 0	2 0 0	2 4 0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	66 0 0	67 0 0		
Maize	4 8 0	5 0 0	.....	.....
Potato	6 8 0	8 4 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
Patal	.....	.....	0 5 0	.....
Brinjal	2 8 0	3 0 0	0 1 6	0 3 0
Onion	5 0 0	5 8 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
Fish, Rahu	16 0 0	20 0 0	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 10 0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 4 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets :—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. Ray,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

Calcutta, *the 2nd December 1918.*

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal, with a population

Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births Registered.		Deaths		
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan ...	20,527	15,394	35,921	40	...	3	...	...
	2	Raniganj ...	8,417	7,080	15,497	27	...	...	...	...
	3	Asansol ...	12,486	9,433	21,919	49	4	...	...	...
Bankura ...	4	Bankura ...	12,156	11,297	23,453	47	...	1	...	...
	5	Vishnupur ...	10,025	10,453	20,478	44	...	...	...	...
	6	Sonamukhi ...	6,254	7,021	13,275	21	...	...	...	...
Midnapore ...	7	Midnapore ...	17,577	15,163	32,740	39	...	...	...	...
	8	Ghatal ...	6,216	5,848	12,064	20	...	...	...	...
Hooghly ...	9	Hooghly and Chinsura.	15,817	13,099	28,916	68	...	...	...	...
	10	Serampore ...	19,689	12,439	32,078	65	2	3	...	...
	11	Rishra Konnagore ...	10,724	6,792	17,516	29	...	...	...	...
	12	Baidyabati ...	Figures not available			16,131	32	1	1	...
	13	Bhadreswar ...	Ditto ...			13,441	11	...	...	...
	14	Champdani ...	Ditto ...			15,297	7	...	...	...
Howrah ...	15	Howrah ...	114,829	64,560	179,389	350	28	12	2	...
	16	Bally ...	14,217	8,177	22,394	36	...	2	...	...
24-Parganas	17	Cossipore-Chitpur ...	30,793	17,385	48,178	91	7	7	...	...
	18	Maniktala ...	31,735	22,032	53,767	62	11	1	...	...
	19	South Suburban ...	17,683	13,850	31,533	53	5	1	...	...
	20	Tollygunge ...	11,183	7,250	18,433	26	3	...	...	...
	21	Garden Reach ...	27,665	17,630	45,295	57	...	1	...	...
	22	Budge-Budge ...	11,529	6,453	17,982	24	...	2	1	...
	23	Baranagore ..	14,982	10,913	25,895	40	6	3	...	...
	24	Kamarhati ...	11,243	6,772	18,015	30	...	1	...	...
	25	Rajpur ...	5,762	5,845	11,607	14	...	1	...	...
	26	South Dum-Dum ...	7,760	5,114	12,874	7	...	...	...	...
	27	Barrackpore ...	11,357	6,944	18,301	9	...	...	...	...
	28	Panihati ...	6,339	4,779	11,118	14	...	...	...	...
	29	North Barrackpore...	9,780	6,340	16,120	15	...	3	...	...
	30	Titaghar ...	31,225	13,946	45,171	61	...	...	...	...
	31	Garulia ...	7,876	3,704	11,580	13	...	...	...	...
	32	Naihati ...	11,685	6,534	18,219	40	...	...	...	...
	33	Bhatpara ...	34,739	15,675	50,414	72	...	3	2	...
	34	Basirhat ...	9,517	8,814	18,331	24	...	...	...	...
	35	Baduria ...	7,058	6,622	13,680	16	...	...	...	...
Calcutta ...	36	Calcutta ...	607,674	288,393	896,067	1,475	91	27	5	...
Nadia ...	37	Krishnagar ...	11,767	11,708	23,475	23	...	...	...	...
	38	Nadia or Nabadwip	5,821	6,659	12,480	13	...	1	...	...
	39	Santipur ...	12,186	14,517	26,703	45	2	...	...	...

of 10,000 and over, for the month of September 1918.

REGISTERED.

Fever.	Dysentery and diarrhœa.	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Other causes.	Total all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns.
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
37	21	7	...	7	54	21	75	46	28	74	1	Burdwan.
15	8	5	1	14	23	20	43	26	22	48	2	Raniganj.
14	6	4	3	20	25	22	47	24	14	38	3	Asansol.
23	7	3	1	11	29	17	46	22	17	39	4	Bankura.
16	7	3	...	8	18	16	34	19	12	31	5	Vishnupur.
15	3	2	2	7	15	14	29	8	2	10	6	Sonamukhi.
18	9	14	...	17	37	21	58	21	35	56	7	Midnapore.
15	1	...	...	...	10	6	16	6	12	18	8	Ghatal.
25	7	7	...	11	25	25	50	28	24	52	9	Hooghly and Chinsura.
28	22	7	2	14	43	33	76	27	22	49	10	Serampore.
25	2	5	1	4	24	13	37	12	13	25	11	Rishra Konnagore.
34	9	...	...	9	25	28	53	16	19	35	12	Baidyabati.
7	1	1	...	3	7	5	12	7	8	15	13	Bhadreswar.
11	2	3	...	1	8	9	17	Figures not available			14	Champdani.
144	39	124	9	116	256	190	446	90	161	350	15	Howrah.
27	2	1	1	8	24	17	41	18	14	32	16	Bally.
56	9	32	...	48	97	55	152	48	38	86	17	Cossipore-Chitpur.
31	6	30	...	47	52	63	115	46	74	120	18	Maniktala.
25	7	10	1	5	19	30	49	25	18	43	19	South Suburban.
13	5	2	...	...	11	9	20	15	6	21	20	Tollygunge.
33	8	13	3	12	50	20	70	10	28	68	21	Garden Reach.
12	6	4	1	4	18	12	30	9	11	20	22	Budge-Budge
37	16	22	...	9	43	44	87	30	29	59	23	Baranagore.
29	10	...	...	11	37	14	51	17	11	28	24	Kamarhati.
13	...	...	2	...	11	5	16	11	9	20	25	Rajpur.
10	1	4	1	3	14	5	19	5	5	10	26	South Dum Dum.
4	2	2	...	2	7	3	10	4	7	11	27	Barrackpore.
13	4	3	1	5	9	17	26	7	13	20	28	Panihati.
8	5	3	...	5	13	11	24	16	13	29	29	North Barrackpore.
94	3	3	...	12	68	44	112	41	34	75	30	Titaghar.
11	1	1	...	...	13	...	13	2	3	5	31	Garulia.
17	2	9	...	2	26	4	30	7	12	19	32	Naihati
31	2	2	1	8	37	12	49	14	13	27	33	Bhatpara
23	1	...	8	8	17	23	40	12	13	25	34	Basirhat.
14	1	1	...	1	2	15	17	8	4	12	35	Baduria.
342	203	567	76	913	1,280	853	2,133	945	664	1,609	36	Calcutta.
11	3	3	...	7	17	7	24	21	18	39	37	Krishnagar.
13	6	...	...	2	8	14	22	13	12	25	38	Nadia or Nabadwip.
26	2	5	2	10	22	23	45	14	30	44	39	Santipur.

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Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered		Deaths		
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.
Murshidabad	40	Berhampore ...	14,302	11,841	26,143	41	...	...	...	...
	41	Murshidabad ...	6,259	6,410	12,669	24	...	...	...	...
	42	Ajimganj ...	6,725	5,602	12,327	21	...	...	...	...
	43	Kandi ...	6,212	6,426	12,638	17	...	14	...	...
	44	Jangipur ...	5,493	5,915	11,408	22	...	...	...	...
Khulna ...	45	Khulna ...	7,983	5,013	12,996	17	...	...	...	...
	46	Satkhira ...	5,802	5,100	10,902	8	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi ...	47	Rampur-Boalia ...	13,057	10,349	23,406	35	2	...	...	...
Dinajpur ...	48	Dinajpur ...	9,648	6,297	15,945	13	..	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri ...	49	Jalpaiguri ...	7,547	4,218	11,765	22	1	...	...	...
Darjeeling ...	50	Darjeeling ...	11,631	7,374	19,005	20	...	...	3	...
Rangpur ...	51	Rangpur ...	10,509	5,920	16,429	26	1	...	...	...
Pabna ...	52	Pabna ...	10,056	9,218	19,274	15	...	...	...	...
	53	Sirajganj ...	13,236	11,541	24,777	8	...	6	...	...
Malda ...	54	English Bazar ...	7,697	6,625	14,322	10	...	...	...	...
	55	Nawabganj ...	11,122	12,200	23,322	19	1	...	...	...
Dacca ...	56	Dacca ...	63,091	45,460	108,551	274	18	...	...	...
	57	Narayanganj ...	18,738	9,138	27,876	79	2	2	...	...
Mymensingh	58	Mymensingh ...	13,462	6,391	19,853	27	1	...	...	...
	59	Netrokona ...	8,018	5,722	13,740	9	...	...	...	...
	60	Jamalpur ...	11,728	9,381	21,109	31	1	...	...	...
	61	Sherpur ...	8,516	7,075	15,591	51	1	...	...	...
	62	Kishoreganj ...	9,508	8,518	18,026	63	11	...	...	...
	63	Bajitpur ...	5,447	5,386	10,833	20	2	...	...	...
	64	Tangail ...	8,493	7,869	16,362	12	1	...	...	...
Faridpur ...	65	Faridpur ...	8,017	5,114	13,131	13	1	...	...	...
	66	Madaripur ...	10,549	8,524	19,073	46	3	...	...	...
Bakarganj ...	67	Barisal ...	15,488	6,985	22,473	29	...	...	...	...
	68	Pirojpur ...	6,523	5,473	11,996	16	...	...	...	...
Chittagong ...	69	Chittagong ...	18,779	9,987	28,766	104	1	...	...	...
Tippera ...	70	Comilla ...	13,706	8,986	22,692	32	...	...	...	...
	71	Brahmanbaria ...	11,671	10,624	22,295	39	...	...	...	...
	72	Chandpur ...	9,062	3,655	12,717	16	1	9	...	...
		Total of month ...	...	...	2,618,159	4,288	208	104	13	...

Remarks—

1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by Municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Taken as a of cases and in a few instances are obviously incomplete.
2. The vital statistics of Municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been excluded from this statement and incor-
3. The birth and death ratios per 1,000 per annum have been omitted from this statement according to the Government of India, Educa-

Calcutta,
The 27th November 1918.

***of 10,000 and over, for the month of September 1918*—concld.**

Registered.												
Fever.	Dysentery and diarrhœa.	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Other causes.	Total all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns.
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
13	7	10	1	21	32	20	52	32	35	67	40	Berhampore.
38	3	...	...	4	18	27	45	15	16	31	41	Murshidabad.
22	1	...	...	5	18	10	28	10	8	18	42	Ajimganj.
23	1	...	...	8	20	26	46	13	9	22	43	Kandi.
24	...	...	...	...	9	15	24	17	12	29	44	Jangipur.
5	2	1	1	2	9	2	11	7	5	12	45	Khulna.
13	3	2	...	4	8	14	22	4	7	11	46	Satkhira.
21	4	...	...	9	14	20	34	17	17	34	47	Rampur-Boalia.
3	1	3	...	2	4	5	9	3	4	7	48	Dinajpur.
5	3	5	...	8	15	6	21	11	2	13	49	Jalpaiguri.
9	2	8	...	7	15	14	29	22	13	35	50	Darjeeling.
10	1	5	1	3	13	7	20	12	12	24	51	Rangpur.
13	...	...	1	4	10	8	18	9	8	17	52	Pabna.
9	...	...	...	...	13	2	15	9	7	16	53	Sirajganj.
17	1	1	...	5	14	10	24	10	18	28	54	English Bazar
41	1	2	1	1	20	26	46	10	10	20	55	Nawabganj.
85	18	9	10	109	127	104	231	104	71	175	56	Dacca.
12	6	8	2	28	34	24	58	18	16	34	57	Narayanganj.
14	...	3	...	9	17	9	26	14	8	22	58	Mymensingh.
3	...	...	...	1	2	2	4	6	4	10	59	Netrokona
25	4	1	...	15	28	17	45	14	15	29	60	Jamalpur.
7	1	...	...	20	17	11	28	9	9	18	61	Sherpur.
16	3	1	3	8	12	19	31	14	6	20	62	Kishoreganj.
7	4	1	...	2	9	5	14	5	7	12	63	Bajitpur.
21	...	1	...	3	10	15	25	7	8	15	64	Tangail.
28	1	4	1	4	23	15	38	10	5	15	65	Faridpur.
14	2	...	...	10	13	13	26	16	15	31	66	Madaripur.
6	4	...	...	5	6	9	15	6	9	15	67	Barisal.
5	...	...	2	2	4	5	9	6	6	12	68	Pirojpur.
20	3	1	1	11	21	15	36	35	27	62	69	Chittagong
4	1	...	...	3	4	4	8	1	11	12	70	Comilla.
13	2	5	...	8	15	13	28	16	12	28	71	Brahmanbaria.
8	...	2	...	3	16	6	22	3	4	7	72	Chandpur.
1,874	528	975	140	1,688	3,084	2,238	5,322					

whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion

porated in the returns for districts—*Vide* Bengal Government, Municipal Department, Order No. 118San., dated the 8th February 1918.
tion Department, Order No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of the Districts, excluding Towns of Bengal, with a population

Divisions	No.	Districts	Population under Registration according to Census of 1911.			Births Registered.		Deaths		
			Male.	Female	Total	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered	Cholera	Small-pox	Plague
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan ...	728,894	736,140	1,465,034	2,922	25	39	2	...
	2	Birbhum ...	463,838	471 635	935,473	1,862	60	331	...	...
	3	Bankura ...	534,150	547,314	1,081,464	2,231	...	32	5	...
	4	Midnapore ...	1,386,921	1,389,476	2,776,397	4,592	176	106	11	...
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	481,989	484,729	966,718	1 523	...	13	1	...
	6	Howrah ...	369,595	372,124	741,719	1,135	8	26	15	...
Presidency ...	7	24-Parganas ...	1,005,789	941,802	1,947,591	3,576	27	21	15	...
	8	Nadia	782,806	772,382	1,555,188	2,769	105	...	1	...
	9	Murshidabad ...	639,301	657,788	1,297,089	3,148	237	344	...	...
	10	Jessore ...	901,092	857,172	1,758,264	2,051	118	1	...	...
	11	Khulna ...	695,794	647,074	1,342,868	3,188	185	2	...	...
Rajshahi ...	12	Rajshahi ...	742,149	715,032	1,457,181	2,769	213	24	1	...
	13	Dinajpur ...	880,228	791,690	1,671,918	4,162	141	16	38	...
	14	Jalpaiguri ..	482 681	408,214	890,895	2,753	153	335	4	...
	15	Darjeeling ...	130,463	116,082	246,545	884	60	...	4	...
	16	Rangpur ...	1,244,208	1,124 693	2,368,901	5,739	532	206	23	...
	17	Bogra	502 526	481,041	983,567	1,853	106	58	3	...
	18	Pabna	700,299	684,236	1,384,535	1,511	160	34	18	...
	19	Malda	479,728	486,787	966,515	2,304	125	...	1	...
Dacca ...	20	Dacca	1,395,861	1,428,114	2,823,975	5,586	397	13	6	...
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,274,431	2,136,477	4,410,908	9,025	644	14	6	...
	22	Faridpur ...	1,056,393	1,033,317	2,089,710	3,645	260	5	2	...
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,222,824	1,171,618	2,394,442	4,245	154	21	...	...
Chittagong ...	24	Chittagong ...	704,058	775,609	1,479,667	3,810	364	257	2	...
	25	Noakhali ...	645,898	656,192	1,302,090	2,457	210	265	...	...
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,163,792	2,372,434	3,425	357	125	13	...
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts								Not under
Total of month for Bengal ...			21,660,558	21,050,530	42,711,088	83,165	4,817	2,288	171	...

Remarks—1 The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the to the actual

2 The vital statistics of Municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been included in this statement with

3 Figures for the corresponding month of previous year not being available, have not been shown in this statement

4 Divisional totals and the birth and death ratios per 1,000 per annum have been omitted from this statement according

CALCUTTA,

The 27th November 1918.

of 10,000 and over, for the month of September 1918.

REGISTERED.

Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Other causes	Total all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Districts.
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
3,977	77	31	70	566	2,521	2,241	4,762	...	...	...	1	Burdwan.
2,829	10	...	46	264	1 897	1,583	3,480	...	...	...	2	Birbhum.
2,349	47	14	57	474	1,580	1,398	2,978	1,120	1,020	2,140	3	Bankura.
5,405	100	27	125	936	3,667	3,043	6,710	...	...	...	4	Midnapore.
2,182	148	38	73	354	1,531	1,278	2,809	...	...	...	5	Hooghly and Serampore.
593	249	67	57	258	689	576	1,265	644	624	1,268	6	Howrah.
2,603	51	59	198	546	1,976	1,517	3,493	...	...	...	7	24-Parganas.
3,597	8	5	88	460	2,163	1,996	4,159	...	...	...	8	Nadia.
4,449	7	8	108	597	2,906	2,607	5,513	...	...	..	9	Murshidabad.
2,565	6	8	88	235	1,707	1,196	2,903	...	...	...	10	Jessore.
2,173	23	4	76	751	1,566	1,463	3,029	...	...	...	11	Khulna.
3,539	5	5	111	354	2,171	1,868	4,039	...	...	...	12	Rajshahi
6,426	3	2	87	133	3,875	2,830	6,705	2,267	2,075	4,342	13	Dinajpur.
3,314	158	47	21	276	2,400	1,755	4,155	1,129	1,066	2,195	14	Jalpaiguri.
989	72	8	10	172	667	588	1,255	...	...	...	15	Darjeeling.
6,502	1	2	92	116	4,052	2,950	7,002	2,308	2,239	4,547	16	Rangpur.
1,866	11	8	91	158	1,224	971	2,195	...	...	...	17	Bogra.
2,254	...	1	72	92	1,457	1,014	2,471	1,412	1,245	2,657	18	Pabna.
3,145	...	3	71	357	2,012	1,565	3,577	...	...	...	19	Malda
3,581	116	19	105	951	2,697	2,094	4,791	1,726	1,509	3,235	20	Dacca
7,976	80	38	104	1,348	5,349	4,217	9,566	...	...	...	21	Mymensingh
3,096	35	10	120	569	2,232	1,605	3,837	1,567	1,303	2,870	22	Faridpur
2,607	24	...	171	1,009	2,230	1,602	3,832	...	...	...	23	Bakarganj.
3,387	39	2	131	143	1,979	1,982	3,961	...	...	...	24	Chittagong.
1,920	48	1	141	360	1,439	1,296	2,735	...	...	...	25	Noakhali.
2,901	63	9	133	665	2,194	1,705	3,899	1,515	1,343	2,858	26	Tippera.
registration.											27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
86,285	1,381	416	2,446	12,134	58,181	16,940	105,121	...	...	...		

Civil Surgeons. Taken as a whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate those of the respective districts as per Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, Order No. 1188an, dated the 8th February 1918 to the Government of India, Education Department, Order No. 93 dated the 26th March 1918

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 23rd November 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1918.					
17th Nov.	7 A.M.	11·7	11·7	13·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
18th ,,	7 ,,	11·7	11·7	13·1	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
19th ,,	7 ,,	11·7	11·7	12·8	
20th ,,	7 ,,	11·8	11·8	12·5	
21st ,,	7 ,,	11·7	11·7	12·2	Its reduced level is 22·41.
22nd ,,	7 ,,	11·8	11·8	12·0	
23rd ,,	7 ,,	11·6	11·6	11·8	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 24·4 on 9th August 1917.
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	... 4·3 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Highest ,,	... 25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto ,,	... 25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto ,,	... 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	...	Ditto ,,	... 25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	...	Lowest ,,	... 1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 26th November 1918.

D. C. SENGUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 23rd November 1918.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B. M.	Remarks.
1918.						
17th Nov.	8 A.M.	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	46·12	39·80	51·10	B. M. on College step 63·42.
18th ,,	8 ,,		46·12	39·80	50·80	
19th ,,	8 ,,		46·02	39·70	50·60	
20th ,,	8 ,,		45·92	39·60	50·40	
21st ,,	8 ,,		45·82	39·50	50·10	
22nd ,,	8 ,,		45·72	39·40	49·95	
23rd ,,	8 ,,		45·62	39·30	49·80	

			Value according to old gauge.	Value according to new value of B. M.= 63·42.
The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60·18
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	... 40·15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 33·83
Record ...	...	Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62·93
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62·76
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·30 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 61·89
Do. ...	...	Lowest ,,	... 37·63 on 25th April 1884	... 31·31
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 38·13 on 14th-15th April 1888	... 31·81
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32·70
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	... 39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32·96

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 23rd November 1918.

M. SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of September 1918, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1918-19.						1917-18.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
					I.—Major Works.							
Midnapore Canal ...	9,015	52,078	500	4,400	4,534	30,460	4,548	31,375	1,150	6,433	2,862	18,905
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	12,321	43,564	.....	1,202	9,579	38,882	9,595	58,044	254	1,248	6,250	39,591
Total ...	21,336	95,642	500	5,602	14,113	69,342	14,143	89,419	1,404	7,681	9,112	58,496
					II.—Minor Works and Navigation.							
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	37,616	243,931	772	13,245	23,760	149,097	32,255	177,423	539	12,570	18,192	108,589
Tolly's Nala ...	20,523	102,637	756	40,572	8,776	36,693	15,217	83,023	3,370	29,375	4,455	23,609
Madaripur Bheel ...	170,586	850,578	332	1,031	37,671	186,892	177,160	659,302	1,156	1,439	49,158	160,316
Total ...	228,725	1,197,146	1,860	54,848	70,207	372,682	224,632	919,748	5,065	43,384	71,805	292,514
Magrahat Channels ...	5,989	24,842	.....	.....	2,538	12,591	4,278	30,288	.....	.....	1,402	10,294
Orissa Coast Canal ...	4,186	21,660	112	5,817	1,396	7,634	3,106	19,848	4	3,636	1,059	6,643
Nadia Rivers ...	11,871	46,885	92,832	380,767	2,012	10,020	8,860	32,690	76,500	168,005	1,672	6,884
Grand Total ...	250,771	1,290,533	94,804	441,432	76,153	402,927	240,876	1,002,574	81,569	215,025	75,938	316,335

CALCUTTA,
The 3rd December 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1918-19.

Area leased for Irrigation up to end of October 1918.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.						RAINFALL 1918-19.		RAINFALL 1917-18.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	SEASON LEASES.					During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	452	332	69,694	75,331	64,457	8,790	...	...	...	8,790	73,246	0·20	55·06	13·45	61·87	
		Panchkura	522	40	39	7,318	3,937	7,068	50	...	...	...	50	7,118	...	48·20	9·12	83·00	
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53·41	11·69	65·95	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	77,012	79,268	71,525	8,840	...	...	...	8,840	80,364	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	75,483	7,753	...	...	...	7,753	83,236	...	...	...	...	
	Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	22	22	195	25,013	19,164	601	...	12	...	613	19,777	0·05	58·65	13·13	55·26	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	24,787	377	56	5	...	438	25,226	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	77,207	104,281	90,689	9,441	...	12	...	9,453	100,141	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	100,270	8,130	56	5	...	8,191	108,461	...	...	...	...	

CALCUTTA,
The 3rd December 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 30th November 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 30th November 1918.			Week ending Saturday, the 1st December 1917.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	745	76,035	1,159	717	39,865	686
Jute	146	60,963*	664	224	95,362†	1,184
Firewood	99	51,825	775	58	24,475	352
Other articles	671	141,469	1,908	915	184,536	2,187
Total ...	1,661	330,292	4,506	1,914	344,238	4,409
Empty boats and rafts ...	487	...	1,067	592	...	1,094
Grand Total ...	2,148	330,292	5,573	2,506	344,238	5,503

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 66,250
† Ditto ditto 102,750

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The 3rd December 1918.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 7079A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6857A.—The 3rd December 1918.*—Maulvi Talimuddin Ahmad Tariqul Alam, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rangpur, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Nilphamari subdivision of that district.

Rangpur.

No. 6892A.—The 5th December 1918.—The services of Mr. G. O Sankey, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

No. 6895A.—The 5th December 1918.—Mr. Probodh Chandra De, I.C.S., Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Pabna and Bogra, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Pabna.
Bogra.

No. 6966A.—The 7th December 1918.—Babu Nirod Krishna Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chandpur, Tippera, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Hooghly district.

Tippera.
Hooghly.

No. 6969A.—The 7th December 1918.—Mr. H. L. Fell, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Siliguri, Darjeeling, is appointed to have charge of the Chandpur subdivision of the Tippera district

Darjeeling.
Tippera.

No. 6972A.—The 7th December 1918.—Babu Shailendra Nath Basu Mallik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is appointed to have charge of the Siliguri subdivision of the Darjeeling district.

Murshidabad.
Darjeeling.

No. 6988A.—The 9th December 1918.—Babu Digendra Nath Shaha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is transferred to the Patuakhali subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

Jessore.
Bakarganj.

No. 7020A.—The 9th December 1918.—Mr. Debendra Kumar Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Burdwan district on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Noakhali.

Noakhali.
Burdwan.

No. 7045A.—The 9th December 1918.—Mr. J. A. Ross, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 7048A.—The 9th December 1918.—Mr. Kedar Nath Chaudhuri, Officiating Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Mohammad Yusuf, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Midnapore.
Murshidabad.

No. 7067A.—The 10th December 1918.—Babu Kunja Lal Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the Noakhali district.

Noakhali.

No. 7069A.—The 10th December 1918.—Babu Girijabhusan Ghoshal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Noakhali district, on being relieved of his present appointment as khas mahal officer of that district.

Noakhali.

No. 7074A.—The 10th December 1918.—Mr D. Gladding, I.C.S., is appointed to be Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Judicial, Political and Appointment Departments, with effect from the 1st December 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 7076A.—The 10th December 1918.—Mr. J. C. Nixon, I.C.S., is appointed to be Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Financial Department, with effect from the 2nd December 1918.

Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 7041A.—The 9th December 1918.*—Maulvi Saiyid Ali Ahmad, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Midnapore, is transferred to the Goalundo subdivision of the Faridpur district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision.

Midnapore.
Faridpur.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 6854A.—The 3rd December 1918.*—Babu Jogendra Lal Nandi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nilphamari, Rangpur, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 9th December 1918.

Rangpur.

No. 6934A.—The 6th December 1918.—Babu Adwaita Charan Samanta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Dacca.

No 6976A.—The 7th December 1918.—Babu Sharat Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for three months, under articles 233 and 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in combination with the privilege leave for three months granted to him under the orders of the 5th August 1918.

No. 6980A.—The 7th December 1918.—Mr. R. E. Jack, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 23rd December 1918 in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 22nd October 1918.

Nadia.

No. 7042A.—The 9th December 1918.—Mr. Mohammad Yusuf, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Murshidabad.

No. 7059A.—The 10th December 1918.—Babu Binod Bihari Das Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bakarganj, under orders of transfer to Pabna, is allowed leave for one month and nineteen days, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th November 1918.

Bakarganj.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9148L.R.—The 6th December 1918.—Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., is appointed to be Settlement Officer in the district of Rajshahi, with effect from the 11th November 1918.

Rajshahi.

No. 9149L.R.—The 6th December 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., is appointed to discharge, in the district of Rajshahi as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda, which lie in mauzas falling wholly or partly within five miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi.
Pabna.
Murshidabad.
Nadia.
Malda.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 9150L.R.—The 6th December 1918.—Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, is vested with the powers of a Revenue Officer, under section 108 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), in the district of Rajshahi, as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda, which lie in mauzas falling wholly or partly within five miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, for the purpose of revision of orders passed by himself or by any Revenue Officer under him, under section 105, 105A, 106 or 107 of the aforesaid Act.

Rajshahi.
Pabna.
Murshidabad.
Nadia.
Malda.

No. 9151L.R.—The 6th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 108A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, to make corrections in the records-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands in the district of Rajshahi as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda which lie in mauzas falling wholly or partly within five miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions of the said section.

Rajshahi.
Pabna.
Murshidabad.
Nadia.
Malda.

No. 9152L.R.—The 6th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 109C of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, to settle rents in accordance with the provision of that section in the district of Rajshahi as well as in the areas of villages falling partly or wholly within five miles of the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, in the districts of Murshidabad and Nadia, which lie opposite the districts of Rajshahi, Pabna and Malda.

Rajshahi.
Murshidabad.
Nadia.

No. 9153L.R.—The 6th December 1918.—Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, is vested with the powers of a Collector under—

(1) The Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822);

(2) The Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825);

(3) The Bengal Land Revenue Assessment (Resumed Lands) Regulation, 1828 (III of 1828); and

(4) The Bengal Land Revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833 (IX of 1833);

to be exercised in the district of Rajshahi as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda which lie in mauzas falling wholly or partly within five miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma.

Rajshahi.
Pabna.
Murshidabad.
Nadia.
Malda.

No. 9154L.R.—The 6th December 1918.—Under the provisions of section 3 (*16*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, is appointed to discharge the functions of a Collector, under section 58 of that Act, in the district of Rajshahi as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda, which lie in mauzas falling wholly or partly within five miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma.

Calcutta.
24-Parganas.

No. 9109L.A.—The 4th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of land comprised in premises No. 93-2, Upper Circular Road, measuring, more or less, ·0086 of an acre, and bounded as follows, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 1545L.A., dated the 12th February 1918, published at page 264, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem, and required for the extension of Sir J. C. Bose's Research Institute in the town of Calcutta—

North—By the Bidyasagore Street,

East, South and West—By the land acquired under the declaration quoted above.

24-Parganas.

No. 9146L.A.—The 6th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the land measuring 1 cottah 15 chitaks 15 square feet, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration

No. 3576L.A., dated the 7th May 1917, published at pages 664-665, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 9th idem, bounded as follows and required for the staff quarters of the Eastern Bengal Railway at Belgachia, pargana Dihi Panchannogram, zilla 24-Parganas :—

North—By the Kundu's Road,
East—By the land acquired under the declaration referred to above,
South—By premises No. 68, Dakhindari Road,
West—By premises No. 66, Dakhindari Road.

Pabna. *No. 9191L.A.—The 9th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas 12 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 8657L.A., dated the 17th December 1917, published at page 1913, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, and required for the construction of a Guru Training School at Serajganj in the village of Pakuria, pargana Barabazoo, district Pabna.

Jessore. *No. 9195L.A.—The 9th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land, measuring, more or less, 4·194 acres, bounded as below, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 210T.R., dated the 25th May 1914, published at page 962, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, and required by the Eastern Bengal Railway for remodelling the Jhinkergacha ghat yard, on the Khulna branch, in miles Nos. 39 and 40 from Ranaghat, in the village of Mobarakpur, pargana Saidpur, zilla Jessore :—

North—By the lands of Chanchra Raj Estate, Jahar Bux, Mansing Srimal and Momrej Biswas,
East—By the land of Momrej Biswas and the Eastern Bengal Railway land,
South—By the land of Momrej Biswas, the Eastern Bengal Railway land, land of Rebati Mohan Kundu and the Local Board road.
West—By the remaining lands of Tarpur Sugar Factory Company, Limited, Chanchra Raj Estate, lands of Jahar Bux and Mansing Srimal.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas. *No. 9067L.A.—The 4th December 1918.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a sluice at Samukpota, in the village of Garal, pargana Medanmolla, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7·7190 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the Tolly's Nala,
East—By the land of Rakhal Das Addy and the Tolly's Nala,
South—By the lands of Rabindra Nath Tagore and Rakhal Das Addy.
West—By the land of Rabindra Nath Tagore and the Tolly's Nala,

is required within the aforesaid village of Garal.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Superintending Engineer on special duty, Public Works Department.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 9100L.A.—The 4th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the South Suburban Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank and for additional cattle sheds, in the village of Gangarampur, pargana Magura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·2975 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Soban Mondal and the cattle shed road,

East—By the lands of Charu Chandra Ghosh, Saritulla Shaik and Soban Mondal,

South—By the lands of Charu Chandra Ghosh and Saritulla Shaik,

West—By the cattle shed road and the land of Saritulla Shaik,

is required within the aforesaid village of Gangarampur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality.

M. C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Noakhali.

No. 9166L.A.—The 7th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of police-station at Sundip in the village of Harishpur, pargana Sundip, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·142 of an acre, bounded on the—

North and East—By the thana land,

South—By the land of Ashvini Kumar Das,

West—By the ditch and thana land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Harishpur

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Noakhali.

M C. McALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Murshidabad.

No. 9208L.A.—The 9th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Murshidabad for re-excavation of a tank in the village of Jatia, pargana Gankar, district Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·88 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Godadhar Das and the chakran lands of Jotis Kotal.

East and South—By the chakran lands of Jotis Kotal,

West—By the lands of Gopal Manjhi and Khudu Bewa and the chakran lands of Jotis Kotal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Jatia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Jangipur, district Murshidabad

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 9232L.A.—The 10th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway Company, Limited, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the main line of the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway, in the first three miles, in villages Kharki, Kholadanga and Puratankasba, pargana Emadpur, district Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, 5 plots of land altogether measuring, more or less, 20·82 acres, as detailed below by chainages and width, and, as demarcated on the ground by dagbell made by the said Company, are required within the aforesaid villages.

Plot No.	Area in acres	Starting and terminating chainages	Width varying From—	Width varying To—
			Feet.	Feet.
1	1·41	4230—5060	1	110
2	1·53	5066—5880	78	110
3	3·26	5895—7320	78	110
4	6·10	7368—10077	78	170
5	8·52	10106—14330	1	130
Total ...	20·82			

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Faridpur.

No. 9247L.A.—The 10th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Faridpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road from the existing District Board Road to the steamer ghat named Tepakhola in Ward No. V of the said Municipality, in the villages of Habeli Gopalpur and Guha Laksmipur, parganas Habeli and Dhuldi, respectively, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·27 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the patit land of Romesh Chandra Biswas and his co-sharers, Balai Shaik and patit land of Sasi Bhushan Shaha and his co-sharers.

East—By the cultivated land of Janaki Nath Shaha, Sasi Bhushan Shaha and his co-sharers, Abdul and his co-sharers.

South—By the patit land of the late Maharaja Bahadur Sir Jatindra Mohon Tagore.

West—By the District Board road, Jute godown of Janaki Nath Shaha, cultivated land of Abbas and his co-sharers, cultivated land of Maijaddin and his co-sharers, cultivated land of Mohorali and the Bhita land of Bashana Khatun,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Habeli Gopalpur and Guha Laksmipur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of sections 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Faridpur.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 9221Regn.—The 10th December 1918.—Babu Sachis Chandra Chatarji, District Sub-Registrar of Khulna, on leave, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Alipore, in the 24-Parganas, with effect from the 3rd December 1918.

Khulna.
24-Parganas.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9077Regn.—The 4th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul the Wahab to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Itna (Badla), in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 9078Regn.—The 4th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Wahab to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Itna (Badla), in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 9081Regn.—The 4th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Hakim Khan (No. I) to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Kishoreganj and Hossainpur, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 9082Regn.—The 4th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Hakim Khan (No. I) to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Kishoreganj and Hossainpur, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 9085Regn.—The 4th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Badiur Rahman to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Karimganj and Tarail, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 9086Regn.—The 4th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Badiur Rahman to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Karimganj and Tarail, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 9240Regn.—The 10th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Kabiruddin Ahmed to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar, within police-stations Basirhat, Baduria, Haroa, Sarupnagar, Hasnabad, Sandashkhali and Chaital, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 9241Regn.—The 10th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Kabiruddin Ahmed temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Basirhat, Baduria, Haroa, Sarupnagar, Hasnabad, Sandashkhali and Chaital, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 9076Regn.—The 4th December 1918.—In Notifications Nos. 1156T.R. and 1157T.R., dated the 28th September 1918, published at page 1418, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd October 1918, regarding the appointment of Maulvi Aziz Ahmad as Muhammadan Registrar and Kazi, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *for* "within police-station Baruipur" *read* "within police-stations Baruipur, Protabnagar, Joynagar, Canning and Sonarpur."

M. C. MCALPIN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1547Edn.—The 9th December 1918.—Mr. W. H. Everett, Officiating Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical and Industrial Institutions in Bengal, is allowed leave for nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd November 1918, in extension of the leave granted in Notification No. 1297Edn., dated the 26th September 1918.

No. 1552Edn.—The 10th December 1918.—Miss. G. M. Wright is appointed temporarily in the Indian Educational Service as Principal, Bethune College, Calcutta, with effect from the 5th August 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 216Eccle.—The 9th December 1918.—The Revd. H. F. F. Williams, Chaplain of Fort William, Calcutta, and Bishop's Chaplain, Calcutta, is granted privilege leave, under articles 592 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 20th November 1918 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 218Eccle.—The 9th December 1918.—The following notification by the Government of the Punjab is republished for general information:—

No. 20798M., dated Lahore, the 19th November 1918.

NOTIFICATION—By the Offg. Revenue Secretary to the Government of the Punjab (Home—General).

The services of the Revd. J. Godber, Chaplain of Kashmir, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 17th October 1918, or the subsequent date from which he may be relieved of his duties.

No. 1111San.—The 5th December 1918.—Rai Saheb Krishna Dhone Banarjee, Personal Assistant to the Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, is appointed to act as Assistant Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, with effect from the 5th May 1917, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. A. G. Maflin to military duty, or until further orders.

Notifications No. 76T.—San. and No. 80T.—San., dated the 31st May 1917, are hereby cancelled.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 10957F., dated the 7th December 1918.

Copy of a letter No. 10958F., dated the 7th December 1918, to the Accountant-General, Bengal.

IN continuation of Government order No. 10375F., dated the 19th November 1918, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the grant of grain compensation allowance of Re. 1 a month for the month of October 1918 to all whole-time servants under this Government on the Civil establishment, drawing Rs. 12 or less per month, who were employed in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Calcutta, Nadia, Hooghly, Mymensingh, Khulna, Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura, Howrah, Rajshahi, Darjeeling, Rangpur, Pabna, Dacca, Faridpur, Tippera, Noakhali, Bakarganj, Midnapore, Murshidabad, Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri, Bogra, Malda and Chittagong, in which cheapest common rice was dearer than 10 seers per rupee during the month of October 1918.

Bakarganj.

No. 3347S.R.—The 6th December 1918.—Maulvi Mabinuddin Ahmad, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Bakarganj, was on leave from the 9th October to the 14th November 1918 inclusive, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 26th August 1918.

No. 3359S.R.—The 9th December 1918.—Babu Kulada Prosad Neogi, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Naugaon, is appointed temporarily to be an Inspector of Excise and Salt for a period of six months or until further orders.

No. 10841Mis.—The 4th December 1918.—The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in the rules for the regulation of appointments in the clerical service of the Secretariat of the Government of Bengal and attached offices, published under Government Notification No. 4122Mis., dated the 24th November 1911, at pages 1619-22, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, as subsequently amended, viz :—

For rule 21 (*1*) *substitute* the following :—

"21. (*1*) The head of an office will also reserve the power of appointing suitable Muhammadans to either the Upper Division or the Lower Division. In the case of the Upper Division of the Secretariat every third appointment in each office made under rule 3 shall ordinarily be given to a Muhammadan, provided he possesses the educational qualifications required by rule 3 (*a*). In the Lower Division of the Departments of the Secretariat and attached offices every third appointment in each office shall ordinarily be given to a Muhammadan who possesses the educational qualifications required by rule 15 and furnishes the evidence required by rule 16. The assistance of recognised Muhammadan Associations and that of the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education should be utilised in securing qualified candidates for appointments in either Division. In the Lower Division such selection shall be made only when there is no suitable Muhammadan candidate in the competitive examination to whom the post can be offered."

No. 3363S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1919 will consist of about 5,600 chests of Benares Opium prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1916-17 and 1917-18 in the proportion marginally noted.

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory

	Chests
Supply from 1916-17	39
Ditto 1917-18	5,561
Total ...	5,600

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held are specified below. The Government of Bengal reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

1st sale	...	Tuesday,	7th January.
2nd ,,	...	Tuesday,	4th February.
3rd ,,	...	Tuesday,	4th March.
4th ,,	...	Wednesday,	2nd April.
5th ,,	...	Tuesday,	6th May.
6th ,,	...	Tuesday,	10th June.
7th ,,	...	Tuesday,	1st July.
8th ,,	...	Wednesday,	6th August.
9th ,,	...	Tuesday,	2nd September,
10th ,,	...	Tuesday,	14th October.
11th ,,	...	Tuesday,	4th November.
12th ,,	...	Tuesday,	2nd December.

3. The quantity to be sold monthly will ordinarily be notified before each sale, but Government reserve to themselves the right, at any time, without previous notice to reduce the quantity or alter the class of opium to be offered for sale.

4. The following are the conditions of sale. Government reserve to themselves the right of altering all or any of these conditions after giving three months' previous notice, and power is reserved to vary the upset price referred to in condition (ii) at any time without such previous notice :—

(i) The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

(ii) The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 3,200 per chest of uncertified opium and will be sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by clause (xiii) of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

(iii) The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of Government, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Government may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

(iv) Each lot shall ordinarily contain five chests.

(v) A promissory note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such promissory notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs 3,600 per chest, Rs 800 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 3,600 and upwards, but less than Rs 4,000 per chest, Rs. 900 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 4,000 and upwards, but less than Rs. 4,400 per chest, Rs 1,000 per chest
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs 400

time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as Government shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

(vi) The said promissory notes shall be absolutely payable in any event and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or, whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

(vii) The promissory notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale, or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

(viii) No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause (v) on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted: provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said promissory note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given, or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. (v) and No. (vi).

(ix) The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day after the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as Government shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

(x) Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorising the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

(xi) No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

(xii) The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a promissory note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

(xiii) With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs. 5 at a time until a bid is

obtained ; and the first *bona fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 3,200 specified in the second of these conditions.

(xiv) The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of opium not exceeding altogether ten lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said ten.

(xv) In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

5. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal :—

No. 1.—Certificate of the opium advertised for sale.

No. 2.—Report of the examination of such opium.

6. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Ghazipur Factory, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal.

7. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Government entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 9th December 1918.*

NOTICE.

No. 3256S.R.—The 2nd December 1918.—Applications for tickets of admission to the opium sale-room for the year 1919 should be made to the Finance Department of the Government of Bengal on or before the 16th December 1918

Tickets for the year 1918, which have not already been surrendered should be returned at the same time.

J. DONALD.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2782Medl.—The 2nd December 1918.—Captain J. W. Lane, M.D., attached to the R. A M. Corps, Lebong (Darjeeling), is appointed to act, until further orders, as Civil Surgeon of Darjeeling, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the afternoon of the 15th November 1918.

Darjeeling.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2785Medl.—The 3rd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 91 of the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912 (IV of 1912), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the table attached to rule 6 of the rules relating to lunatics published with Notification No. 2227Medl., dated the 11th November 1915, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

1. In column 2 of the said table, against item No. 1, *add* the words "*detained for observation*" after the word "lunatics".
2. *Add* the following as foot-note to the said table:—

"The Bhowanipur Asylum shall be used only for purposes of observation."

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7080A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 7007A.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Hem Sankar Ray Chaudhuri the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Dacca, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Manikganj subdivision of the said district, **Dacca.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Manikganj Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

RESIGNATION.

No. 7011A —The 9th December 1918.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. Alfred Aston Barnes of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Kurseong Bench in the district of Darjeeling. **Darjeeling.**

POWERS.

No. 7069A.—The 10th December 1918.—Babu Girijabhusan Ghoshal, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the Noakhali district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. **Noakhali.**

No. 7072A.—The 10th December 1918.—Babu Akhil Kumar Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, Munshiganj, Dacca, is vested with powers under section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Dacca.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 4310J.—The 3rd December 1918.—Babu Naranath Mukharji, Munsif of Bogra, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 4312J.—The 3rd December 1918.—Babu Satya Prasanna Mazumdar, Munsif of Chikandi, in the district of Faridpur, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Faridpur.

No. 4314J.—The 3rd December 1918.—Babu Prankumar Basu, Munsif of Satkania, in the district of Chittagong, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent under section 153 (*b*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Chittagong.

No. 4317J.—The 4th December 1918.—Babu Haripada Mazumdar, Munsif of Dacca, is vested with powers, under article 8 of the Second Schedule of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887 (IX of 1887), to try, under the Small Cause Court Procedure, suits not exceeding Rs. 50 (fifty) in value, for the recovery of rents of homestead lands situated within the town of Dacca.

Dacca.

H. P. DUVAL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3488P.J.—The 10th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub section (*3*) of section 1 of the Eastern Bengal and Assam Disorderly Houses Act, 1907 (Eastern Bengal and Assam Act, II of 1907), read with section 3 of the Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam Laws Act, 1912 (VII of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of the said Eastern Bengal and Assam Act, II of 1907, to the town of Nilphamari, in the district of Rangpur, within the boundaries specified below :—

Rangpur.

North—The river Bamandanga,
East—The river Bamandanga and the District Board drain,
South—The District Board drain, and a straight line drawn from the stone pillar on the side of the District Board drain to the stone pillar on the side of the Local Board Road No. 2 and portion of the Local Board Road No. 2.
West—Nilphamari Union Committee Road No. 1, and a straight line drawn from the junction of the Nilphamari Union Committee Road No. 1 with the Local Board Road No. 12 to the junction of the District Board abandoned Road No. 41 with the District Board abandoned Road No. 44, and the abandoned District Board Road No. 44.

This cancels the Notification No. 3303J., dated the 3rd September 1909, issued by the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

No. 3509P.J.—The 10th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Bengal Public Gambling Act, 1867 (Bengal Act II of 1867), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the sections of the said Act except section 13 (which already applies) to the subdivisional headquarters town of Nilphamari in the district of Rangpur, within the boundaries specified below:—

Rangpur.

North.—The river Bamandanga.

East.—The river Bamandanga and the District Board drain.

South.—The District Board drain and a straight line drawn from the stone pillar on the side of the District Board drain to the stone pillar on the side of the Local Board road No. 2 and a portion of the Local Board road No. 2.

West.—Nilphamari Union Committee road No. 1, and a straight line drawn from the junction of the Nilphamari Union Committee road No. 1 with the Local Board road No. 12 to the junction of the District Board abandoned road No. 41 with the District Board abandoned road No. 44, and the abandoned District Board road No. 44.

No. 3447P.J.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the Belkuchi outpost in the district of Pabna, as established by Notifications dated the 18th November 1884 and the 29th April 1885, which was included within the limits of Ullapara, Shahzadpur and Serajganj police-stations, shall be a police-station and shall comprise the villages specified in the following schedules A, B and C:—

Pabna.

Schedule A.

Names of villages		General jurisdiction list number of thana Ullapara.	Names of villages		General jurisdiction list number of thana Ullapara
Baniaganti	...	347	Shahapur	...	395
Adachaki	...	348	Subansara	...	397
Thaltamai	...	349	Bairabari	...	396
Samashpur	...	362	Baira Nishi	...	398
Majhial	...	363	Konabari Pathar	...	399
Samashpur	...	364	Garamasi	...	400
Rajapur or Baraipara	...	369	Arazi Chandanganti	...	401
Belgachi	...	370	Chandanganti	...	402
Bhaturia	...	371	Chandanganti	...	403
Majhial	...	372	Nischintapur	...	404
Radhunibari	...	373	Bhangabari	..	405
Konabari	...	374	Deluakandi	...	406
Bagbhaura	...	375	Chandanganti	...	407
Char Makimpur	...	376	Adachaki	...	408
Char Matipara	...	377	Beniaganti	...	409
Matipara	...	378	Gabgachi	...	410
Makimpur	...	379	Shyamganti	...	411
Chandrapara	...	380	Shyamganti	...	412
Paikpara	...	381	Baira	...	413
Madhukhamar	...	382	Sarkarpara	...	414
Baugan	...	383	Sonamukhi	...	415
Rambari	...	384	Jokinala	...	416
Harinathpur	...	385	Joknala Khidra	...	417
Harinathpur	...	386	Bilashbari	...	418
Nurpur	...	387	Joknala	...	419
Dattabari	...	388	Bilashbari	...	420
Aguria	...	389	Silbaras	...	423
Bamanbaria	...	390	Saguna	...	432
Ambaria	...	391	Saratail	...	437
Thaltamai	...	392	Gopalpur	...	438
Nagganti	...	393	Gopalpur	...	439
Subansara	...	394	Saratail	...	440

Schedule B.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Shahzadpur.	Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Shahzadpur.
Nukali Ag	116	Gopalpur Khurd ...	184
Lakshmipur ...	117	Gopi Rikhi ...	186
Bamangaon ...	118	Bhangabari ...	187
Nukali Pancha ...	119	Teisha ...	188
Chak Kathuli ...	120	Gopi Rikhi Khurd ...	189
Dhukaria ...	121	Saldiar ...	190
Lakshmipur Khas ...	122	Mahammadpur ...	191
Chak Khasia ...	123	Khamarpara Shernagar	192
Mituani ...	124	Mukundapur ...	193
Mituani ...	125	Chala ...	194
Saguna Par ...	126	Delua ...	195
Manpur ...	127	Delua ...	196
Naluapara ...	128	Sohagpur ...	197
Dhul Diar ...	129	Chak Sohagpur ...	198
Dhul Diar ...	130	Matia Khurd ...	199
Sarba Tulsi ...	131	Bangaon ...	200
Sarba Tulsi Rehai ...	132	Jamtail Mighola ...	201
Kalyanpur ...	133	Chapri Kadam ...	202
Nabipur ...	134	Jamtail ...	203
Dhul Gagrakhali ...	135	Tarabaria ...	204
Kalagachhi ...	136	Bil Mahisha ...	205
Mituani Chand ...	137	Bangkhuri ...	206
Baira ...	138	Chapri Gach ...	207
Khuknipara Pistak ...	139	Ajagara ...	208
Gaila Kandi ...	140	Chapri Khurd ...	218
Ghughat ...	141		

Schedule C.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Serajganj.	Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Serajganj.
Bera Kharoa Bara ...	405	Kirtikhola ...	439
Bera Kharoa Chhota ...	406	Dhulbara ...	440
Belkuchi ...	409	Alakdia Nanda, II ...	441
Bilkamlai ...	428	Khidir ...	442
Durllabhgati ...	431	Dhul Chota ...	443
Mantala ...	435	Laskarpur ...	447
Baniabari ...	436	Dighalia ...	449
Makarkol ...	438	Gahaibari, II ...	452
Bhangabari ...	437		

Rangpur.

No 3508P.J.—The 10th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Bengal Public Gambling Act, 1867 (Bengal Act II of 1867), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the sections of the said Act except section 13 (which already applies) to the places in Domar, Boragari and its neighbourhood, in the district of Rangpur, comprising a compact area bounded as follows, namely :—

North.—Salkya river and the line joining the mouth of Salkya river and big peeper tree 1,300 feet off by the side of the Local Board road No. 71 and another line joining the latter with Boragari kutchery.

East.—The line joining Boragari kutchery with Matukpur kutchery (included within the boundary line), and another joining the latter with the house of Tailla Manjhi (included within the boundary line).

South.—The line joining Domar south Railway distant signal and house of Jamirulla (not included within the boundary line); Local Board road No. 14, road under Union Committee and the line joining the house of Salea Paikar and the house of Tailla Manjhi (both included within the boundary line), *i.e.*, the line running parallel to District Board road No. 35 up to Boragari bridge at a distance of 700 feet.

West.—The line joining the south distant signal and the house of Pasar Mahmud (included within the boundary line), a village path, District Board road No. 84 and a village road running from District Board road No. 35 to Salkya river.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 3rd December 1918.

No. 120.—Babu Jatindra Nath Mallik, Officiating Executive Engineer, Chittagong Division, is granted privilege leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th November 1918.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Third publication.]

The 25th November 1918.

No. 5.—The following draft of a notification which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to issue, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 10th January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules for the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala, published with Notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904, at pages 744—746 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*, as amended by Notification No. 16, dated the 13th November 1916, namely:—

For rule 28 of the said rules, *substitute* the following rule:—

"28. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained."

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 5th December 1918.

No. 120Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that Moulmein is declared free from plague, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, which were imposed in the Ports of Calcutta and Chittagong against vessels arriving from Moulmein, are hereby withdrawn.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 10th December 1918.

No. 121Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), the Governor in Council, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum, published under Bengal Government Notification No. 143Marine, dated the 30th November 1914, as subsequently amended :—

Amendment.

Add the following proviso to clause 6 of rule 21A, of Part III of the Petroleum Rules :—

"Provided that, in the case of a cargo boat employed in the loading or discharging of a tanker vessel, this precaution shall not be necessary until the cargo boat has completed its work of loading or discharging."

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 10th December 1918.

No. 122Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Chittagong Port Act, 1914 (Bengal Act V of 1914), and in modification of the previous orders on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to exclude from the limits of the Port of Chittagong the railway terminal jetties Nos. 1 to 4, which are under the control of the Assam-Bengal Railway, and also the railway approach lines leading to those jetties.

2. Notification No. 90Marine, dated the 17th September 1917, is hereby superseded.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 3rd December 1918.

No. 121.—Babu Bhupati Banerji, Supervisor, Third Calcutta Division, is granted privilege leave for twenty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th October 1918.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 7081A.

No 6915A.—The 6th Decem'er 1918.—Babu Madhusudan Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, was employed at the headquarters station of the Midnapore district from the 8th October 1918 to the 20th October 1918, inclusive.

Midnapore.

No. 6918A.—The 6th December 1918.—Babu Madhusudan Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Rajshahi Division. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Rajshahi.

No. 6993A.—The 9th December 1918.—Maulvi Ali Asghar, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 11th November 1918.

No. 7013A.—The 9th December 1918.—Babu Amulya Krishna Dutt, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rampurhat, Birbhum, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district.

Birbhum.
Midnapore.

No. 7015A.—The 9th December 1918.—Maulvi Amir Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Rampurhat Subdivision of the Birbhum district.

Birbhum.

No. 7052A.—The 9th December 1918.—In Notification No. 6546A., dated the 23rd November 1918, published at page 1647, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th November 1918, *for* "Maulvi Fazlul Karim, Settlement Kanungo," *read* "Maulvi Fazlul Karim, Kanungo."

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 476.—The 4th December 1918.—Babu Haripada Sen, Sub-Registrar of Morrelganj, in the district of Khulna, is allowed leave for eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 393, dated the 5th October 1918.

Khulna.

No. 477.—The 4th December 1918.—Babu Sashibhusan Biswas, Sub-Registrar of Rampal, in the district of Khulna, is allowed furlough for three months, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the furlough granted to him in Notification No. 233, dated the 27th June 1918.

Khulna.

No. 478.—The 6th December 1918.—Babu Natabar Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, grade I, is allowed leave on medical certificate for one month and twenty days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 199, dated the 27th May 1918, and extraordinary leave without allowances for one month and ten days, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, in combination with the leave on medical certificate.

No. 479.—The 7th December 1918.—Babu Nibaran Chandra Sen, Sub-Registrar of Goalundo, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 359, dated the 25th September 1918.

Faridpur.

No. 480.—The 7th December 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Afzal Ali, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Bankura, is allowed privilege leave for one month and nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th November 1918.

Bankura.

No. 481.—The 7th December 1918.—Babu Sudhir Chandra Mitra, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Suri, in the district of Birbhum, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Guskara, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the 2nd December 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Halim, or until further orders.

Birbhum.
Burdwan.

No. 482.—The 7th December 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Amir Husain, Sub-Registrar of Pataspur, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave on medical certificate for two months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 395, dated the 9th October 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 483.—The 7th December 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Zainul Abedeen, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Barobazar, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 3rd December 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hira Lal Das, or until further orders.

Murshidabad.
Jessore.

No. 484.—The 7th December 1918.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Sil, Sub-Registrar of Mahishadal, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for thirty-four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 361, dated the 25th September 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 485.—The 7th December 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Sakhawat Husain, Sub-Registrar of Dhangora, in the district of Pabna, is allowed leave on medical certificate for eight days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 384, dated the 1st October 1918.

Pabna.

No. 486.—The 7th December 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Sakhawat Husain, Sub-Registrar of Dhangora, in the district of Pabna, on leave, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Habra, in the district of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the afternoon of the 28th November 1918, *vice* Babu Karun Chandra Chatarji, on leave.

Pabna.
24-Parganas.

No. 487.—The 10th December 1918.—Babu Sudhir Chandra Mitra, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Suri, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Guskura, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the 2nd December 1918, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Halim.

Burdwan.

No 488.—The 10th December 1918.—Maulvi Abdus Samad Khan, Sub-Registrar of Mangalkot, in the district of Burdwan, is allowed leave for one month under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave for two months allowed to him in this Department Notification No. 416, dated the 29th October 1918.

Burdwan.

No. 489.—The 10th December 1918.—Babu Rajani Ranjan Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar of Gopiballavpur, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Anandpur, in the same district, with effect from the 2nd December 1918, during the absence on leave of Babu Sashi Bhusan Datta, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 490.—The 10th December 1918.—Maulvi Abdul Mannan Chaudhuri, Probationer of Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Rajapur, in the same district, with effect from the 27th November 1918, during the absence on leave of Maulvi Abu Yusuf Wahidul Haq, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 491.—The 10th December 1918.—Maulvi Khundkar Ali Asghar, Probationer of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Mirpur, in the district of Nadia, with effect from the 24th November 1918, during the absence on leave of Babu Charu Chandra Lahiri, or until further orders.

Murshidabad. Nadia.

No. 492—The 10th December 1918.—Maulvi Siddique Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Tazumuddin, in the district of Bakarganj, is allowed leave for two days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 334, dated the 2nd September 1918.

Bakarganj.

No. 493—The 10th December 1918.—Maulvi Abu Ahmad Abdulla, Probationer of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Adhunagar, in the district of Chittagong, with effect from the 26th November 1918, during the absence on leave of Maulvi Najmul Haq Khan, or until further orders.

Tippera. Chittagong.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 14285, dated Calcutta, the 7th December 1918.—Officiating Civil Surgeon Basanta Kumar Bhaumik made over charge of the Jalpaiguri Jail to Officiating Civil Surgeon Harendra Kumar Das, on the forenoon of the 18th November 1918.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 16967, dated Calcutta, the 6th December 1918.—Fourth grade Civil Sub-Assistant Surgeon Abdur Rahman of the Bengal Establishment, now employed on temporary military duty in India, is temporarily promoted to the 3rd grade, with effect from the 6th May 1915, subject to the condition that he will have to revert to his former grade if he fails to pass his grade examination within one year from the date of his reversion to the Civil Department.

No. 17160, dated Calcutta, the 9th December 1918.—This Department Notification No. 16309, dated the 21st November 1918, granting privilege leave for one month and fifteen days to third grade Assistant Surgeon Ramani Mohan Mukherji is cancelled.

No. 17162, dated Calcutta, the 9th December 1918.—This Department Notification No. 16311, dated the 21st November 1918, appointing temporary Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Sankar Roy to act at the Contai subdivision and Dispensary, Midnapore district, is cancelled.

No. 17173, dated Calcutta, the 9th December 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Satyendra Nath Basu did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, on the 7th and 8th November and again from the 12th to the 29th November 1918.

No. 17175, dated Calcutta, the 9th December 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Satyendra Nath Basu is posted temporarily to the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 30th November 1918, *vice* Temporary Assistant Surgeon Rajani Kanta Chatarji.

No. 17177, dated Calcutta, the 9th December 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Rajani Kanta Chatarji is placed on general duty at the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 30th November 1918.

W. H. B. ROBINSON, I.M.S.,
Surgeon Genl. with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABU SATISH CHANDRA UPADHYAY, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, has been placed in the executive charge of the Jalpaiguri Treasury with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd December 1918, in place of Babu Lalit Kumar Sen, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

F. W. STRONG, *Deputy Commissioner.*

JALPAIGURI, *the 3rd December 1918.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

High Court, Original Side.

IT is ordered that the following rule be substituted for rule 6, Chapter XXVII of "the Rules of the High Court, 1914," with effect from the 26th day of August 1918:—

Rule 6.—The notification (or such portion thereof as the Registrar shall think necessary) of every intended sale by public auction under these rules shall be published in such public papers, and as often as the Registrar shall direct, having regard to the nature and value of the property to be sold, and shall also, where the property to be sold is out of Calcutta, be proclaimed and published in the mode prescribed by the Code for the notification of sales in execution.

L. SANDERSON.
J. G. WOODROFFE.
C. W. CHITTY.
E. E. FLETCHER.
N. R. CHATARJI.
W. TEUNON.
T. W. RICHARDSON.
A. CHAUDHURI.
C. P. BEACHCROFT.
H. WALMSLEY.
W. E. GREAVES.
B. B. NEWBOULD.
SYED SHAMSUL HUDA.
G. C. RANKIN.
E. PANTON.

IT is ordered that rule 8 of Chapter XXXII of "the Rules of the High Court, 1914," be repealed and that the following rule be passed in substitution therefor with effect from the 2nd day of January 1919:—

8 Where the appeal is from a decree, the paper-book shall contain the following papers arranged in the following order:—

(*a*) Table of contents with references to pages.

(*b*) Plaint.

(*c*) Written statement.

(*d*) The issues.

(*e*) Depositions of witnesses examined on behalf of the plaintiff, including depositions taken *de bene esse* or on commission, if put in and used at the hearing.

(*f*) Depositions of witnesses examined on behalf of the defendant, including depositions taken *de bene esse* or on commission, if put in and used at the hearing.

(*g*) Documentary evidence put in on behalf of the parties arranged in the following order:—

(*i*) Such answers to interrogatories delivered for the purposes of discovery as have been used at the hearing and marked as exhibits, together with the interrogatories so answered;

(*ii*) Correspondence arranged in chronological order;

(*iii*) Entries in accounts arranged (as far as practicable) in chronological order;

(*iv*) Other documents arranged in chronological order.

(*h*) The judgment.

(*i*) The decree.

(*j*) The Memorandum of Appeal.

(*k*) Objections, if any, under order XLI, rule 22 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

(*l*) Any document rejected by the Original Court where its rejection is a ground of appeal or cross objection

(*m*) Such other documents arranged in chronological order as both the appellant and the respondent consider necessary, or as the Registrar may direct, on notice to the parties:

Provided that any documents or portions of documents which both the appellant and respondent agree are not necessary or relevant to the subject matter of the appeal may, and all duplication of documents and the unnecessary repetition of headings and other merely formal parts of documents shall, be excluded from the printed paper-book; a list of the documents so excluded being inserted at the end of the Table of Contents.

L. SANDERSON.
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E. PANTON.
G. C. RANKIN.

CALCUTTA, *the 4th December 1918.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act), for the month of January 1919, or until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore and Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly, will hold his sittings as detailed below :—

Hooghly—From 1st to 11th January 1919.

Serampore—From 12th to 21st January 1919.

Howrah—From 22nd to 31st January 1919.

[Sundays and holidays are excepted.]

MONMOHAN NEOGI, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

SERAMPORE, *the 20th November 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 2nd December 1918.

No. 104P.—Babu Dhirendra Kumar Ghosh is appointed to act as Professor of Economics, Dacca College, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service with effect from the 19th August 1918, *vice* Mr. Satish Chandra Basu, on deputation.

The 3rd December 1918.

No. 105P.—Babu Kalipada Sarkar, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division (class VII of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to be an Additional Inspector of Schools, in the Burdwan Division, *vice* Maulvi Matloob Ahmad Khan Chaudhury, transferred.

No. 106P.—Maulvi Abul Hashem Khan Chaudhury, an Assistant Inspector of Schools, in the Burdwan Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), now on deputation to the David Hare Training College, is appointed to act as an Additional Inspector of Schools, in that division, *vice* Maulvi Kabir-ud-din Ahmad, transferred. He will continue to be on deputation to the David Hare Training College.

No. 107P.—Rai Sahib Aswini Kumar Das, an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Presidency Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to act as an Additional Inspector of Schools, in the Burdwan Division, *vice* Maulvi Abul Hashem Khan Chaudhury, on deputation.

The 10th December 1918.

No. 108P.—Maulvi Muhammad Moula Buksh, Assistant Inspector of Schools for Muhammadan Education, Presidency Division (class VIII, Provincial Educational Service), is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for 27 days, with effect from the 2nd November 1918.

No. 109P.—Babu Kali Pada Sarkar, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, under orders of transfer as 2nd Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division (class VII of the Provincial Educational Service), is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, leave for thirty days, with effect from 2nd January 1919.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD POST OFFICE, MANBHUM.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

AN examination for first class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held on the 17th, 18th and 19th February 1919. An examination for second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency will be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th February 1919. Both examinations will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office" The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad Post Office, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 17th January 1919.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 30th October 1918.*

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 39For.—The 2nd December 1918.—On return from the privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 21For., dated the 10th August 1918, Mr. J. Homfray, Deputy Conservator of Forests, was posted to the charge of the Chittagong Division with headquarters at Chittagong.

Chittagong.

No. 40For.—The 2nd December 1918.—Mr. J. R. P. Gent, Deputy Conservator of Forests, on special duty, is transferred to the charge of the Chittagong Division, with headquarters at Chittagong.

Buxa.
Chittagong.

No 41For.—The 2nd December 1918.—On relief by Mr. J. R. P. Gent, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Mr. J. Homfray, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is transferred to the charge of the Jalpaiguri Division, with headquarters at Jalpaiguri

Chittagong.
Jalpaiguri.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. for the transaction of only urgent business on the following days during the ensuing X'mas holidays:—

28th and 30th December 1918.

N. BHAR,
Collector of Stamp Revenue.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 7th December 1918.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4572J.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Kurseong Sub-Jail:—

1. The Rev. A. Waite.
2. Dr Girija Bhusan Mukherjee.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 3rd December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4601J.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Alipur Duars Sub-Jail in the district of Jalpaiguri for a term of two years, with effect from the date of this notification:—

(1) Mr. F Ross Jones.
(2) Babu Tara Chand Oswal.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 6th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4611J.—The following gentlemen are appointed as non-official visitors of the Jalpaiguri Jail:—

(1) Rev. Percy Knight.
(2) Khan Bahadur Musharraf Hossain.
(3) Babu Satyamoy Chatterji.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 6th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4685J.—Maulvi Jamiluddin Ahmed, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the Patuakhali subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVISION, DACCA, *the 5th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

THIS office order dated the 10th November 1918 posting Maulvi Saiyid Ali Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, to the Kalna Subdivision, in the district of Burdwan, is cancelled.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 7th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the date of the general election of Commissioners of the Serampore Municipality fixed for the 30th November 1918 and published at page 955, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th June 1918, is altered and fixed for the 15th February 1919.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 26th November 1918.*

ERRATUM.

IN this office notification, dated the 8th November 1918, regarding the general election of Commissioners of the Kotrung Municipality, published at page 1585, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem, *for* "Babu Jitendra Nath Kumar and Babu Jitendra Lal Some" *read* "Babu Jatindra Nath Kumar and Babu Jatindra Lal Some," respectively.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CAMP BANKURA, *the 4th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the following gentlemen have been duly elected as members of the Gaurpar Union Committee, in the district of Birbhum, under section 39 of the Local Self-Government Act :—

		Names of members.
Ward No. I	...	1. Babu Gopi Nath Sarkar. 2. „ Purno Chandra Chowdhury. 3. „ Nalinakha Sarkar.

The following gentlemen are appointed as members of the said Union Committee under section 40 of the said Act :—

		Names of members.
Ward No. I	...	1. Babu Birinchi Ghosal. 2. „ Hari Ram Mandal. 3. „ Dasarath Singh.

The following gentlemen are appointed as members of the said Union Committee under section 41 of the same Act :—

1. Babu Sasanka Sekhar Sarkar.
2. „ Baidya Nath Ray.
3. „ Monindra Narain Chowdhury.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 27th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No 4708J.—In this office Notification No. 4442J., dated the 14th November 1918, at page 1616, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th November 1918, notifying the names of the elected members of the Outshahi Union Committee, in the district of Dacca, *for* "Babu Suresh Chandra Ganguli", *read* "Babu Suresh Chandra Pal."

N. AHMED, *Personal Assistant for Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 6th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 54L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, read with paragraph 2 of the Government Notification No. 351T.—L.S.-G, dated the 23rd May 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Jellinghi Union Committee, in thana Domkal, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Murshidabad :—

No. of ward.		Name of member elected
I	1.	Hamizuddin Shaikh Dafadar.
II	2.	Babu Sasi Bhusan Mazumdar.
III	3.	Babu Nagendra Nath Mukharji, B.A.
	4.	„ Rajkrisna Nandy.
	5.	Golapuddin Sarkar.
IV	6.	Babu Gopendra Nath Sarkar.

2. In exercise of the power conferred on me by paragraph 2 of the above-quoted Government notification issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the aforesaid Union Committee :—

1. Mahammad Yusuf Ali.
2. Kalimuddin Mandal.
3. Babu Jatindra Nath Moitra.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 55L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, read with paragraph 2 of the Government Notification No. 1719T.—L.S.-G., dated the 16th July 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Saktipore Union Committee, in thana Beldanga, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Murshidabad :—

No. of Ward.		Name of member elected.
I	1.	Babu Jadu Nath Roy.
	2.	„ Durga Das Nandy.
II	3.	„ Rampada Sarkar.
III	4.	Badaruddin.
IV	5.	Babu Baidya Nath Mallik.
	6.	„ Raj Ballav Ghatak.

2. In exercise of the power conferred on me by paragraph 2 of the above-quoted Government notification issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the aforesaid Union Committee :—

1. Babu Baidya Nath Roy.
2. Osman Gani.
3. Babu Umapada Banarji.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 56L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B. C.) of 1885, as amended, read with paragraph 2 of the Government Notification No. 1274L.S.-G., dated the 8th June 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Beldanga Union Committee, in thana Beldanga, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Murshidabad :—

No. of Ward.		Name of member elected.
I	1.	Babu Phani Bhusan Banarji.
II	2.	Haji Sheikh Imazuddin.
III	3.	Sheikh Mazahar Hossain.
	4.	Babu Satish Chandra Ghose.
	5.	„ Chandra Nath Hazra.
	6.	„ Manindra Chandra Hazra.

2. In exercise of the power conferred on me by paragraph 2 of the above-quoted Government notification issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the aforesaid Union Committee :—

1. Sheikh Abdul Kader.
2. Sheikh Abdul Jabbar.
3. Babu Indu Bhusan Mukharji.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 57L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, read with paragraph 2 of the Government Notification No. 1715L.S.-G., dated the 15th July 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Nawada Union Committee in thana Nawada, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Murshidabad :—

No. of Ward.		Name of member elected.
I	1.	Babu Kartic Chandra Bhattacharji.
	2.	„ Krishna Behari Biswas.
II	3.	Sarfaraz Khan.
	4.	Syed Iman Ali Mian.
III	5.	Babu Ananda Prasad Mukharji.
	6.	„ Rakhal Das Bhattacharji.

2. In exercise of the power conferred on me by paragraph 2 of the above-quoted Government notification issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the aforesaid Union Committee :—

1. Babu Sarat Chandra Sanyal.
2. Maulvi Aynuddin.
3. Rabani Biswas.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 58L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B. C.) of 1885, as amended, read with paragraph 2 of the Government Notification No. 1292L.S.-G., dated the 10th June 1918, the following gentlemen have been

duly elected to be members of the Patkabari Union Committee, in thana Nawada, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Murshidabad :—

No. of Ward.		Name of member elected.
I	1.	Md. Mohsenur Reza *alias* Raja Mian.
II	2.	Babu Bhola Nath Banerji.
	3.	„ Nilratan Mukherji.
III	4.	Mr. C. Westmacott.
IV	5.	Babu Jaipati Datta.
	6.	„ Sasadhar Biswas.

2. In exercise of the power conferred on me by paragraph 2 of the above-quoted Government notification issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B. C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the aforesaid Union Committee :—

1. Babu Sasadhar Datta.
2. Fakir Mahammad Biswas.
3. Mofez Munshi.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 59L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, read with paragraph 2 of the Government Notification No. 349T.—L.S.-G., dated the 23rd May 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Islampur Union Committee, in thana Raninagar, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Murshidabad :—

No. of Ward.		Name of member elected.
I	1.	Babu Sidhartha Krishna Mazumdar.
II	2.	„ Radha Krishna Das.
	3.	„ Krishna Das Gonai.
III	4.	„ Lalit Mohan Saha.
	5.	„ Gokul Chandra Guin.
IV	6.	Kefatulla Sheikh.

2. In exercise of the power conferred on me by paragraph 2 of the above-quoted Government notification issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the aforesaid Union Committee :—

1. Babu Mohini Mohan Das Gupta.
2. „ Harilal Biswas.
3. Joranuddin Biswas.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 60L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, read with paragraph 2 of the Government Notification No. 350T.-L.S.-G., dated the 23rd May 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Domkal Union Committee, in thana Domkal, in the Sadar subdivision of the district of Murshidabad :—

Number of Ward.		Name of member elected.
I	1.	Babu Pramatha Nath Sanyal.
	2.	„ Basanta Kumar Pal.
II	3.	Mr. Wm. Stenhouse.
III	4.	Babu Radha Ballav Kundu.
IV	5.	„ Ram Brahma Sarkar.
	6.	„ Prankali Adhikari.

2. In exercise of the power conferred on me by paragraph 2 of the above-quoted Government notification issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the aforesaid Union Committee :—

1. Waris Biswas.
2. Babu Jagadish Chandra Lahiri.
3. Kheali Biswas.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th November 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 43 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Nakur Kissore Bhattacharjee is appointed a member of the Begampur Union Committee in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Barada Prosad Bhur, resigned.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 8th December 1918.*

ERRATUM.

No. 4586J.—In this office Notification No. 4158J., dated the 5th November 1918, publishing the names of gentlemen appointed to be members of the Committees for the management of the eight charitable dispensaries, in the district of Dinajpur, *for* "Babu Paresh Chandra Chaudhury" occurring in the list of members for the Phulbari Dispensary, *read* "Babu Pyarish Chandra Chaudhury."

J. T. RANKIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 4th December 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 14723.—The 6th December 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Jagunathpur Co-operative Bank (Catholic) (registered No. 113 of 1914), in the district of Nadia, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Babu Rati Nath Bose, Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Nadia, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 14745.—The 7th December 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Char Nilakhi Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 78 of 1910) in the district of Faridpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Madaripur, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (2) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

Plan of proposed public street—Burrabazar Alignment—North-East Section.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911 as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915 that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a proposed public street in Ward No. 5, known as Proposed Public Street--Burrabazar Alignment—North-East Section.

The plan provides for a series of roads of a width varying from 40 to 60 feet in the area lying immediately south of the proposed public street No. XIII (Jagannath Ghat Road) and bounded on the west by Sibtala Street, on the east by Chitpur Road, Upper, on the south by Banstala Street.

The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following Municipal Holdings :—

Names of Streets.	Nos. of Municipal Holdings.
Ratan Sarker Garden Street ...	24, 24-1, 24-2, 24-3, 25, 25-1, 26, 36, 37, 56.
Singhee Dutt Lane ...	4.
Raja Brojendra Narain Roy Street.	1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 16, 18, 28, 30, 32.
Baidya Nath Mullick Lane ...	5, 4.
Ray Lane ..	1-1, 5, 7, 9.
Sikdarpara Street ...	1, 10, 10-1, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16-1, 17, 17-1, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 33, 34, 35, 36, 38, 40, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 48-1, 49, 50, 52, 53.
Sikdarpara Lane ...	7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14-2, 17, 18, 19.
Sikdarpara 2nd Lane ...	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8.
Bansidhar Mallick Lane ...	3, 4, 6.
Haraprosad Dey Lane ...	7, 9.
Sibu Thakur Lane ...	1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 16, 18, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47.
Ton Sook Lane ...	2, 8, 10, 12.
Tarini Lane ...	1, 2, 3, 4.
Sham Seal Lane ...	9.
Shibo Nundy Lane ...	1, 3.
Sukh Lal Jahury Lane ...	1, 1-1, 7, 7-1, 8-1, 9, 10.
Sibtala Street ...	13, 14, 16, 17, 17-1, 17-2, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 31-1, 33, 34, 42.
Goenka Lane ...	11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 25.
Banstala Street ...	30, 31, 37, 38, 39, 39-1, 40, 40-1, 40-2, 41, 42, 50.
Chitpur Road, Upper ...	374, 375, 375-1, 378, 383, 383-1, 384, 385.

The plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., Saturday 11 A.M. and 2 P.M. Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of 2 annas per copy and of the plan at a fee of 8 annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 15th February 1919.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 9th December 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 24Exc.—The 7th December 1918.—Babu Hira Lal Biswas, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is granted leave for two months and three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th October 1918.

No. 25Exc.—The 7th December 1918:—Mr. A. W. Hand, Inspector of Excise and Salt, 24-Parganas, is granted leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th November 1918.

S. C. MUKERJEE,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

Statement showing the quantity of Salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 30th day of November 1918, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 30th November 1918.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 30TH NOVEMBER 1918, INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	251,194	...	251,194	...	...	...	40
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	91,420	...	91,420	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	613,231	...	613,231	130,400	258,612	24,700	27,094
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	190,934	...	190,934	86,210	...	12,350	83,332
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	38,270	...	38,270	92,142	58,370	19,850	43 602
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	2,401	...	2,401	...	...	...	2,425
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,187,450	...	1,187,450	308,752	316,982	56,900	156,493

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	3,838
Abandoned and destroyed	8

In transit—

Port Said salt	11,150

S. C. SATYAWADI,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 7th December 1918.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 7th December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 7th December 1918.

An Ordinance further to amend the Indian Paper Currency (Amendment) Act, 1917.

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which makes it necessary further to amend the Indian Paper Currency (Amendment) Act, 1917; XIX of 1917.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance :— 5 and 6 Geo. 5, C. 61.

ORDINANCE No. III OF 1918.

1. The Ordinance may be called the Indian Paper Currency (Amendment) Ordinance, 1918.
Short title.

2. In section 2 of the Indian Paper Currency (Amendment) Act, 1917, for the words "six hundred and sixty millions," the words "eight hundred millions" shall be substituted. XIX of 1917.
Amendment of section 2, Act XIX of 1917.

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

H. M. SMITH,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Education, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 7th December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

GENERAL.

Delhi, the 6th December 1918.

No. 35-C.—Major J. C. Coldstream, Indian Army (Supernumerary List), is appointed Secretary, Central Employment and Labour Board, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st June 1918.

H. SHARP,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 7th December 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 3rd December 1918.

No. 2315-G.—Subject to the confirmation of His Majesty's Government the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Monsieur J. J. Serre as acting Consul-General for France at Calcutta.

No 2319-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Senor Don Bienvenido Martinez y Montalvân as Consul for Cuba at Calcutta.

DENYS BRAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 7th December 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE—WAR.

Delhi, the 7th December 1918.

No. 364-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall

be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2013, dated the 27th April 1918, as subsequently amended, viz. :—

Additions.

Gaston, Williams and Wigmore, Electrical Engineering Corporation, Shanghai.
Kokando Co., The, Amoy.
Peng Kee (Siuliong and Co.), Amoy.
Saintly and Co., Peking.
Scotson, James and Co., Shanghai.
Siuliong and Co. (Peng Kee), Amoy.

Alteration.

Consortium des Industriels Belges en Extreme Orient, Tientsin,
should read
Consortium des Industriels Belges en Extreme Orient, Peking, Tientsin.

Removals.

Consortium des Industriels Belges en Extreme Orient, Peking (Charles Ley, Representative).
Karimbaksh, H. A. G., Shanghai.

No. 505-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act of 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made to the Schedule appended to the Notification in this Department No. 3075, dated the 11th May 1918, as subsequently amended :—

Delete the entry "(C) Lanterns, suitable for camp use."

Add as a new entry "(A) Lanterns, suitable for camp use."

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

The 7th December 1918.

No. 508-D.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 13 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that all goods imported from, or exported to, the port of Jafarabad in Kathiawar belonging to His Highness the Nawab of Janjira, into or from any customs port in British India shall be treated, as regards the levy of customs duties and the payment of drawbacks under the said Act, as goods imported from, or exported to, a customs port, as the case may be.

No. 509D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 49 (*b*), 111 and 134 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), and in modification of the notification of the Government of India, Customs, No. 77, dated the 7th May 1879, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the port of Jafarabad in Kathiawar belonging to His Highness the Nawab of Janjira shall be deleted from the list of ports in the said notification.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 7th December 1918.

No. 512-D.—The following Order in Council, dated the 1st October 1918, on the subject of prohibitions of export from the United Kingdom, is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

The 1st day of October, 1918.

BY THE LORDS OF HIS MAJESTY'S MOST HONOURABLE PRIVY COUNCIL.

Whereas it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the

Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, and made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited:

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars:

And whereas by the said Proclamation as subsequently amended it was provided *inter alia* that the exportation of goods marked "C" in the Schedule to such Proclamation should be prohibited to all destinations in European and Asiatic Russia, and in other foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean, except France and French Possessions, Italy and Italian Possessions and Portugal, and to all ports in any such foreign countries:

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect:—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following addition to the Schedule to the same:—

That there shall be added to the list of goods marked "C" all goods not already appearing in the list of goods prohibited to all or any destinations in the said Proclamation as amended as aforesaid, with the following exceptions:—

(1) Printed matter of all descriptions;

(2) Personal effects accompanied by their owners.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

J. C. LEDLIE.

PURCHASE SCHEME.

The 7th December 1918.

No. 359D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made to the Schedule appended to the Notification in this Department No. 3075-W., dated the 11th May 1918, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

Insert as a new item the following, viz.:—

(A) Oilcakes of all kinds.

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 7th December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 6th December 1918.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 2856.—The following despatch by His Excellency General Sir Charles Carmichael Monro, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., A.-D.C., General, Commander-in-Chief in India, on the work done in India including the Native States, during the first three years of the war, which appeared in the supplement to the *London Gazette*, dated the 26th November 1918, is published for general information :—

No. 17445-1.

ARMY HEADQUARTERS, INDIA.
Simla, the 20th August 1918.

FROM

HIS EXCELLENCY GENERAL SIR CHARLES CARMICHAEL MONRO, G.C.M.G., K.C.B.,
Commander-in-Chief in India,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
ARMY DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

Although the time has not yet arrived for publishing full details regarding the assistance rendered by India towards the prosecution of the war, and though this despatch does not purport to be a complete narrative of India's effort in this respect, I have the honour to submit in continuation of my despatches of the 9th March 1916 and 23rd July 1917 which dealt with minor operations, a brief account of the work done in India, including the Native States, during the first three years of the war.

2. The declaration of war, on the 4th August 1914, found the Army in India distributed to meet normal hot weather conditions. The bulk of the British troops were temporarily located in the hills, a large percentage of the Indian troops were on furlough and the usual proportion of civil and military officers were on leave out of India. Immediate steps were taken for the despatch of expeditionary forces overseas. The first convoy sailed for France on the 25th August 1914 and it was followed at a few days' interval by others, conveying troops not only to Europe but also to East Africa, Egypt and Mesopotamia.

3. In order to meet the urgent demand for trained soldiers which arose during the winter of 1914-15, the British forces in India were further depleted by the despatch to England of a number of Regular units, so that, by the beginning of 1915, the British garrison was largely composed of Territorial troops sent to replace the Regulars withdrawn. Besides providing guns and rifles for the equipping of the New Armies, India lent the services of a large number of officers who were on leave in the United Kingdom when war broke out and were retained there for the training of the newly raised troops and for staff and other duties under the War Office.

4. During 1915, attempts were made by the enemy through various sources to create disaffection in the Indian Army, and provoke internal disorder. These efforts were successfully checked owing to the loyalty of the troops and the prompt assistance rendered by the Indian Police, who displayed great courage and efficiency in the performance of their difficult duties.

5. The necessity for the despatch of large drafts of officers and men overseas to replace wastage in the units fighting in France, Gallipoli, Egypt, Mesopotamia, East Africa, and the Cameroons, caused a very heavy strain on the Indian Army. The substantial assistance rendered at this juncture by the Nepal Durbar, in placing a contingent of their troops at the disposal of the Government of India, proved, therefore, most timely. The Prime Minister of Nepal also placed the services of his son, General Sir Baber Shum Shere Jang Bahadoor Rana, K.C.I.E., at the disposal of my predecessor. The untiring efforts of this officer have been of the greatest assistance, while the Nepalese troops have proved a valuable addition to our strength, and have materially assisted in the task of maintaining order on India's frontiers, notably in connection with the operations in Waziristan in 1917.

6. Meanwhile, the various expeditionary forces dependent on India continued to expand. The force in Mesopotamia, which had originally consisted of one division, had increased considerably. Moreover, owing to Turkish incursions into the Aden hinterland, it had become necessary to increase the Aden garrison so as to ensure the safety of that fortress. In addition, several minor operations had to be undertaken on the North-East and North-West frontiers as well as in Sistan and Waziristan.

7. The maintenance of these forces entailed a heavy drain on India, not only in men but also in munitions, medical equipment, and supplies. To meet these demands, every endeavour was made to develop all available resources. With the assistance of the Railway Board, steps were taken in 1915 to supplement the manufacturing capacity of the ordnance establishments by organizing munition factories in railway and other workshops. These efforts proved so successful that by the end of 1916 the monthly output of shell alone had increased 1,200 per cent. In addition to the manufacture of munitions, the Railway Board assisted in the provision of railway material, river craft and machinery, and in the recruitment of technical personnel.

8. The reorganization of the force in Mesopotamia preparatory to the advance on Baghdad, the development of the port of Basrah, and the provision of a large river flotilla for service on the Tigris, created fresh demands on India necessitating extensive changes in the organization of sources of supply. The Indian Munitions Board was accordingly constituted, and early in 1917 it assumed responsibility for the construction of river craft and the provision of railway material, engineering stores, machinery, tools, timber, textiles, hides and electrical plant, not only for the forces overseas, but also for those serving in India. It subsequently took over the control of the Ordnance, Clothing and Boot Factories and of various industries directly connected with the manufacture of army requirements. These activities were in nowise affected by the decision, arrived at early in 1916, to place the control of operations in Mesopotamia directly under the War Office, and they have continued to expand and develop ever since, entailing constantly increasing demands on the resources of India.

9. At the outbreak of war, several Volunteer units undertook to replace or supplement, for as long as might be necessary, the Regulars in certain garrisons, in which employment they rendered excellent service. The Volunteer Force, as formerly constituted, has since ceased to exist and has been reorganized as the Indian Defence Force. The passing of the Indian Defence Force Act in 1917 rendered military training compulsory for all European British subjects in India between the ages of 16 and 50; thus bringing their military obligations more into line with those required of their fellow citizens in other portions of the Empire. These increased obligations have been accepted in a soldierly and patriotic spirit and officers and men have spared no effort to improve their military training. The efforts made to develop and improve this force have been attended with success and, though only recently constituted, it has attained considerable efficiency.

10. The regimental and departmental recruiting agencies which before the war had sufficed to provide the small numbers required for the maintenance of peace cadres, were found incapable of meeting the increased demands arising from war wastage, the creation of many new units and the recruitment of labour on a considerable scale. The formation of a Central Recruiting Board was accordingly decided on in 1917 and its work has been conspicuously successful. Thanks to the willing assistance rendered by Local Governments, all sources of recruitment have been systematically exploited, with the result that, besides raising recruits for the combatant

ranks on a greatly increased scale, large numbers have been enlisted for Indian Labour Corps overseas as well as for various technical services.

11. The sick and wounded despatched to India from oversea theatres of war, as well as those invalided from Waziristan and other theatres of frontier operations, have been adequately and sympathetically cared for. A number of war hospitals have been formed, other hospitals have been expanded and improved, and Ruling Chiefs and others have generously provided hospitals and convalescent homes in Bombay and elsewhere, in which everything possible has been done for the comfort of the sick and wounded. The satisfactory health of the troops, both in the field and in India, affords striking testimony as to the value and efficacy of these measures and the skill, forethought and administrative capacity of the Medical Services.

12. I desire to place on record my high appreciation of the services rendered to the Army in India by Local Governments, Civil Departments and various public bodies such as Railway Administrations, Port Trust and Municipalities, besides many shipping companies and private firms.

13. The help rendered by the Finance Department, and more especially its Military Finance Branch, has been of the highest value and I readily acknowledge the promptitude with which it has met all military demands. The Commerce and Industry Department, including the Railway Board, has rendered valuable aid in respect of railways, shipping and the working of the postal and telegraph services. The Home Department has been most helpful in measures affecting the maintenance of internal security, in encouraging recruitment for the army from the police, and in releasing medical officers in large numbers from civil employment for service with the troops. The Revenue and Agriculture and Public Works Departments have assisted in various ways, the former in the collection of supplies and the latter in the release of officers and subordinates for Army service.

14. My thanks are due to the Foreign and Political Department which has always maintained most cordial relations with the Staff at Army Headquarters ; to the Army Department which has been called upon to deal with a great increase of business and has worked with the Headquarters Staff in the closest co-operation; and lastly to the Marine Department which has been responsible for the fitting out, repair and coaling of numerous transports and hospital ships, and the embarkation and transportation of large numbers of troops who have been conveyed to their destinations overseas with promptitude, comfort and safety.

15. This despatch would not be complete without a special acknowledgment of the spontaneous and generous assistance afforded by Ruling Princes and Chiefs, as well as by the British and Indian communities throughout India, in the contribution of men, money and material towards the prosecution of the war. A similar acknowledgment is due in respect of the services rendered by the Indian Branch of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, the British Red Cross Society, the Imperial Indian Relief Funds, the Provincial War and Relief Funds, the Young Men's Christian Association, the Soldiers and Sailors Families Association, and the various organizations formed in every province to supplement the equipment of hospitals and provide comforts for the troops, in the work of which ladies and gentlemen, both official and non-official, have laboured with conspicuous devotion.

16. A list of those whose services have been of particular value and whose assistance and work I desire to bring specially to notice, forms the subject of Appendix I of this despatch.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

C. C. MONRO, *General*,
Commander-in-Chief in India.

APPENDIX I.

Anderson, Sir A. R., KT., C.I.E., C.B.E.
Babington, Colonel D. M., C.I.E., Indian Ordnance Department.
Bagshawe, Lieutenant-Colonel F. W., Military Accounts Department.
Barratt, Colonel H. J., Retired pay.

Bingley, the Hon'ble Major-General A. H., C.B., C.I.E., Indian Army.
Blenkinsop, Honorary Major-General L. J , D.S.O., British Service.
Bonner, Lieutenant-Colonel T. W., O.B.E., V.D., Indian Defence Force.
Bruce, Major J., Army Remount Department.
Burdon, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) W. B. C., Royal Field Artillery.
Campbell, the Hon'ble Sir John, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.
Carey, the Hon'ble Sir B. S., K.C.I.E., C.S.I., V.D.
Cleveland, Sir Charles R,, K.C.I.E., K.B.E.
Clifton, Major (temporary) A. J., Durham Light Infantry.
Colvin, Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. C., V.C., Royal Engineers.
Crawford, Lieutenant-Colonel J. M., O.B.E., M.B., Indian Medical Service.
Crocker, Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) G. D., British Service.
Davys, Major G. I., M.D,, Indian Medical Service.
Des-Voeux, Lieutenant-Colonel H., Indian Army, Supernumerary List.
Drayson, Lieutenant-Colonel A. P., 1-6th Battalion, East Surrey Regiment.
Duff, Colonel G. M., Royal Engineers.
Dunwoodie, Lady Superintendent Miss L. B., Queen Alexandra's Military Nursing Service, India.
Evans, Lieutenant-Colonel G. H , C.I.E., A.-D.-C., Indian Defence Force.
Fell, the Hon'ble Mr. G. B. H., C.S.I., C.I.E.
Fennell, Captain (temporary) C. D., Indian Army Reserve of Officers.
Filgate, Lieutenant-Colonel T. R., C.I.E., V.D., Indian Defence Force.
Geoghegan, Lieutenant-Colonel F. E., Supply and Transport Corps.
Gervers, Major F. R. S., Royal Engineers.
Gillespie, Major R. St. J.. Royal Engineers.
Grant, the Hon'ble Sir A. Hamilton, K.C I.E., C.S.I.
Grove, Lieutenant-Colonel E. W.. D. S. O., Royal Field Artillery.
Grove, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) P. L., Cheshire Regiment.
Haines, Captain J. B., 10th Jats.
Holland, Major (temporary) G. H. R., Indian Army Reserve of Officers.
Halliday, Major H., M. B., Indian Medical Service.
Halton, Lieutenant-Colonel F. W., T.D., 2-4th Battalion, Border Regiment.
Harvey, Lieutenant-Colonel R. K., T.D , 1-5th Battalion, East Surrey Regiment.
Hocken, Lieutenant-Colonel C. A. F., 35th Horse.
Holliday, Captain J. C. H., 122nd Infantry.
Holmes, Lieutenant-Colonel H. B., V.D., Indian Defence Force.
Howson, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) G., M.C., 4th Cavalry.
Iggulden, Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) H. A., British Service.
Irving, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) D. I. Miles, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.
Isacke, Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) H., C.M G., British Service.
Jackson, Lieutenant-Colonel T., M.B., Indian Medical Service.
Jennings, Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) H A. K., C.I.E., British Service.
Jennings, Colonel W. E., M D., Indian Medical Service.
Kennedy, Major J. C., M.D., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant-General (temporary) Sir G. M., K.C.S.I., C.B., British Service.
Lane, Lieutenant-Colonel F. C., R.A., Indian Ordnance Department.
LeMesurier, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) H. G., Royal Engineers.
Lethbridge, Lieutenant-Colonel S., Royal Artillery.
Liston, Lieutenant-Colonel W. G., C.I.E., M.D., Indian Medical Service.
Lloyd, Lady Superintendent Miss I. M. A., Queen Alexandra's Military Nursing Service, India.
Maclean, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) G. G. C., 104th Rifles.
Maffey, Mr. J. L., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service.
Mahon, Colonel (temporary) H. J., Indian Defence Force.
Marlow, Colonel B. W., C.S.I., C.I.E., Military Accounts Department.
Martin, Brevet Colonel R. H., C.B., C.M.G., 1st Garrison Battalion, Norfolk Regiment.
May, Major-General E. S., C.B., C.M.G., British Service.
Molesworth, Colonel W., C.I.E., M.B., Indian Medical Service.
Mollison, Major E. J., C.I.E., 125th Rifles.
Montgomery, Brevet Colonel C. A. S., 18th Battalion, Rifle Brigade.
Nugent, Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. H., C.I.E., Royal Engineers.

O'Donnell, Lieutenant-General T. J., C.B., D.S.O., British Service.
Padma Shamsher Jang, Bahadur Rana, General, Nepalese Contingent.
Pease, Lieutenant-Colonel H. T., C.I.E., V.D., Indian Defence Force.
Philson, Colonel F. C., Retired Pay (since deceased).
Poore, Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) R. M., C.I.E., D.S.O., British Service.
Pugh, Lieutenant-Colonel A. J., O.B.E., V.D., A.D.C., Indian Defence Force.
Radford, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) O. H., 57th Rifles (Frontier Force).
Radnor, Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) the Earl of, T.D.
Rind, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) G. B. A., 124th Infantry.
Robertson, Mr. Laurence, C.S.I., Indian Civil Service.
Rose, Brigadier-General, J. L., C.I.E.
Ross, Major D. B., 19th Punjabis.
Ross, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) R. C., D.S.O., 6th Jat Light Infantry.
Rugg, Major G. F., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Sanders, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) G. A. F., British Service.
Sanders, Colonel (temporary) G. L'H., Supply and Transport Corps.
Sheen, Colonel A. W., M.D., Royal Army Medical Corps (Territorial Force).
Shepherd, Colonel C. H., D.S.O., 1st Garrison Battalion, Lincolnshire Regiment.
Shine, Major E. P. F., Supply and Transport Corps.
Smith, Colonel W. W. M., Royal Field Artillery.
Sorsbie, Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) R. F., C.I.E., British Service.
Stiffe, Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. E., Royal Garrison Artillery.
Strange, Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) R. G., C.I.E., British Service.
Talbot, Lieutenant-Colonel G. R. Fitz R., Royal Field Artillery.
Tarver, Lieutenant-Colonel A. L., D.S.O., 124th Infantry.
Thackwell, Colonel C. G. R., C.B., D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps.
Villiers-Stuart, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) W. D., 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Walker, Lieutenant-Colonel G. K., C.I.E., F.R.C.V.S., Indian Defence Force.
Walter, Major A. E., Indian Medical Service.
Wanhill, Lieutenant-Colonel C. F., Royal Army Medical Corps.
Waterlow, Lieutenant-Colonel J. F., D.S.O., T.D., 1-4th Battalion, Border Regiment.
Watson, Lieutenant-Colonel J. W., Indian Medical Service.
Wheeler, the Hon'ble Sir Henry, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., Indian Civil Service.
Williams, Major-General G., C.B., British Service.
Wood, Brevet Colonel A. H., 1st Garrison Battalion, Royal Irish Rifles.
Woodall, Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary) H. W., 2-4th Battalion, Dorset Regiment.
Young, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir F. Popham, K.B.E., C.I.E., Indian Army.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Indian Munitions Board, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 7th December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 4th December 1918.

No. E.-545.—Lieutenant W. C. Langer, I.A.R.O., Assistant Controller (Indian Indents), is appointed Deputy Controller (Hardware, Implements and Metals), Calcutta, with effect from the 16th November 1918.

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2962M.—The 7th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of section 263 and of so much of the provisions of section 273 (*2*) and (*3*) of that Act as relate to section 263 to the said municipality.

24-Parganas.

No. 2965M.—The 7th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Maheshpur Municipality, in the district of Jessore:—

Jessore.

Babu Prafulla Chandra Ray Chaudhuri.
„ Avanish Chandra Ray Chaudhuri.
„ Urbi Nath Ray Chaudhuri.
Munshi Monsur Ali.
„ Ahmad Khan (No. I.)

No. 2967M.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Suri Municipality, in the district of Birbhum, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Jnanada Kinkar Mukharji to be their Chairman.

Birbhum.

No. 2971M.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Aga Muhammad to be a Commissioner of the Murshidabad Municipality, *vice* Munshi Amir Hossain, deceased.

Murshidabad.

No. 2969M.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Meherpur Municipality, in the district of Nadia, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Gour Hari Mukharji to be their Chairman.

Nadia.

No. 2973M.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Nabadwip Municipality, in the district of Nadia, under section 27 of that Act, electing Babu Ram Narayan Chattarji to be the Chairman of that Municipality, *vice* Babu Narayan Chandra Banarji, B.L., on leave.

Nadia.

No. 2975M.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. J. A. Murray to be Chairman of the Garden Reach Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. W. F. Davie, resigned.

24-Parganas.

No. 2977M.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Satkhira Municipality, in the district of Khulna, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of sections 262A, 263, 264 and 273 (*2*), (*3*) and (*4*) of Part VI of that Act to the said Municipality.

Khulna.

No. 2980M.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Ranaghat Municipality, in the district of Nadia :—

Nadia.

Babu Nishapati Banarji, L.M.S.
The Chaukidari Circle Officer, Ranaghat ... } *Ex officio.*
The Sub-Registrar, Ranaghat ... }
Babu Satya Bhusan Mukharji, B.L.
„ Kumud Nath Mallik.
„ Priya Gopal Mukharji.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention to define the general line of buildings on the west side of the public street known as Crematorium Street, in Ward No. 20, and no objection having been received within thirty days from the date of the publication of such notice, made an order under section 350 (*4*) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, on the 8th day of August 1918, defining the said line in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 13th day of June 1918.

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 7th December 1918.*

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta, having given notice of their intention to abandon and modify portions of the street alignments of the public streets (specified in such public notices) made under sections 350 and 356 of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notices, resolved at their meeting held on the 31st day of October 1918—

(1) That the portion of the alignment of Jhawtala Road, falling within the Calcutta Improvement Trust's Improvement Scheme No. VIII-A, be abandoned and the revised alignment of the portion outside the scheme be defined under section 350 (*4*), in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 17th day of July 1918 (in supersession of the line defined by the General Committee on the 24th day of April 1918).

(2) That the portion of the alignment of Karrya Road, falling within the Calcutta Improvement Trust's Improvement Scheme No. VIII-A (with the exception of the part affecting premises Nos. 38 and 40), Karrya Road, be abandoned.

(3) That the portion of the alignment of Beck Bagan Lane, falling within the Calcutta Improvement Trust's Improvement Scheme No. VIII-A (with the exception of the part between Ahiripukur 2nd Lane and Karrya Road), be abandoned, and the revised alignment of the portion between Ahiripukur 2nd Lane and Karrya Road be defined under section 350 (*4*), in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 17th day of July 1918 (in supersession of the line defined by the General Committee on the 13th day of October 1911).

(4) That the revised alignment of the portion of Tiljala 1st Lane between Durga Road and Kimber Street be defined under section 350 (*4*), in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 17th day of July 1918 (in supersession of the line defined by the General Committee on the 13th day of October 1911), and that the alignment of the rest of the road be abandoned.

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 4th December 1918.*

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES OF BENGAL AND BIHAR AND ORISSA, 1919.

THE examination will be held at the following centres according to the following routine :—

Bengal.—Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (for Khulna), Dacca, Rajshahi, Pabna and Rangpur.

Bihar and Orissa.—Bhagalpur.

Standard time.	8 to 11 A.M	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, 7th March...	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, 8th „ ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Monday, 10th „ ...	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, 11th „ ...	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Elementary Engineering.
Wednesday, 12th „ ...	Surveying ...	Modern English I.
Thursday, 13th „ ...	Modern English II ...	Elementary Science.

[NOTE.—The Manual Training Examination will commence at 8 A.M. on 7th March, and will extend over two or more periods as may be determined by the Examiner.]

2. The examination will be conducted under the general supervision of the B Final Examination Board, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. All applications for admission to the examination must be despatched by the Principals and Head Masters of the institutions concerned so as to reach the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, who is Secretary to the Board, by the 16th January 1919. No candidate whose application has not reached the Principal by that date will be admitted to the examination.

3. The fee for admission to the examination is Rs. 12, which will in no case be returned. Candidates must pay the fees when registering their names with the Head Master or Principal, who will deposit the money in the Local Treasury and send the Treasury receipt with the application forms to the Secretary.

4. The prescribed Registration form must be used and the full details shown as required thereon. Forms may be obtained from the Secretary on application.

B. HEATON,

Secretary, B Final Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 6th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Two State Scholarships in Sanskrit of £200 per annum for Indians° for the year 1919.

°[Including those who, though born or temporarily resident in Native States, are domiciled in British India but excluding subjects of Native States and members of the European and Anglo-Indian domiciled community.]

THE scholarships will be awarded by the Government of India to Indians to acquire critical and scientific methods of Western scholarship in Sanskrit of the value of £200 a year.

2. The language scholars are not expected to join colleges; but when they join colleges in Oxford or Cambridge with the permission of the Secretary of State for India their allowance will then be increased to £250 per annum.

3. The scholarships are tenable in Europe and for a period of two years in the first instance with possibility of extension.

4. The scholarships will carry with them no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectations of such employment are held out.

5. The scholarships are open to well-qualified students with a genuine taste for Sanskrit studies and to those already employed as Professors of Sanskrit.

6. Intending candidates who are natives of Bengal or domiciled in Bengal are requested to make application to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, on forms obtainable from the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, on or before January 15th, 1919, with a medical certificate of fitness to undergo a course of study abroad.

7. Selected scholars are required to lodge with the Education Adviser for Indian Students at the India Office before their arrival in England the sum of £25 for initial expenses. They will have no claim to payment of any instalment of their scholarship until this deposit has been made.

8. State scholars are required to proceed to England within a reasonable time from the date of their selection so as to arrive there not later than the middle of September and to reside there for the period of their scholarship, unless compelled to return sooner in consequence of ill-health. The scholarship will be payable from the date on which the scholars report their arrival in England. Selected scholars will be provided with a second-class passage to England and also with a second-class return passage if they carry out the instructions of the Secretary of State and complete the full period of residence, or are compelled by sickness to return within that period.

9. Necessary travelling expenses of scholars abroad by second class or by third class, if no second be available, will be defrayed by the Secretary of State. Travelling expenses in the United Kingdom will be borne by the scholars themselves. Charges for University and College fees, for private tuition, for books, hotel bills and medical attendance must be borne by the scholars and will not be defrayed by the Secretary of State.

10. For further particulars pages 1143 to 1155 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 21st June 1916, may be consulted.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

State Scholarship of £200 per annum tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries by *Indian Girls or Women.

*[Including those who, though born or temporarily resident in Native States, are domiciled in British India, but excluding subjects of Native States and members of the European and Anglo-Indian domiciled community.]

THE scholarship will be granted for medical, and occasionally for other educational or professional, courses and will be tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries, for a period of three years in the first instance, with a possibility of extension to five years. The scholarship will carry with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectation of such employment is held out.

2. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates from Bengal are requested to make application to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, not later than 31st January 1919. The application should be accompanied by (1) evidence of having obtained a degree of an Indian University in medicine or educational or professional courses; (2) a medical certificate of fitness to undergo, abroad, the course of study proposed; (3) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that she is a native of Bengal or domiciled in Bengal and of purely Indian parentage; (4) full details including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of her academical career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed; (5) full address of the candidate.

3. The State scholar is required to proceed to England within a reasonable time from the date of her selection, so as to arrive there not later than the middle of September, and to reside there for the period of her scholarship, unless compelled to return sooner in consequence of ill health. The scholarship will be payable from the date on which the scholar reports her arrival in England. The selected candidate will be provided with a second class passage to England, and with a second class return passage if she completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

4. Charges for University and college fees, for private tuition, for books, instruments, hotel bills, medical attendance and travelling (except the two journeys between England and India) are not defrayed by the Secretary of State.

5. For further particulars pages 1143 to 1155 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 21st June 1916, may be consulted.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th December 1918.*

Scheme for the reorganization and reform of Madrasahs in the Presidency of Bengal.

(Sanctioned under Government of Bengal, General Department, Resolution No. 450T.G., dated the 31st July 1914, and modified under Government orders No. 193T.—Edn., dated the 15th May, No. 1068, dated the 14th August, No. 589T — Edn , dated the 23rd October, and No. 1457Edn., dated the 23rd November 1918.)

TO BE INTRODUCED FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE MADRASAH SESSION IN 1919.

Time-table for the Junior Department.

Subject.	Class.					
	I	II	III	IV	V	VI
	Periods per week.					
The Koran (recitation)	4	4	...	...	...	...
Urdu (compulsory)	4	4	3	2	1	1
Vernacular (Urdu or Bengali) ...	6	7	6	6	6	4
Arithmetic	6	6	6	4	4	4
Geography	...	2	2	2	2	2
History	...	...	...	2	2	2
English	...	...	7	8	9	9
Arabic	...	...	8	8	9	11
Drawing and Handwork	3	2	...	...	...	...
Drill	3	3	2	2	1	1
Total number of periods ...	26	28	34	34	34	34

NOTE 1.—Arithmetic, Geometry, History and Geography are to be taught through the medium of Bengali. In institutions in which Urdu is taught as the vernacular, Urdu may be adopted as the medium of instruction with the special permission of the department.

2.—A boy who has completed the Junior Madrasah course must study for a further year in a special class before he can be admitted into the fourth class from the top of a High School.

Syllabus of studies for the Junior Department.

Class.	Subject.	Books required.	Course of studies.
I	The Koran (recitation)		
	Urdu (compulsory)—Reading.	'Arabi ka Qaidah (Anjuman-i-Himayat Islam series). Urdu ki Pahli Kitab (Anjuman-i-Himayat Islam series).	The recognition and making of letters and figures with seeds and drawn on boards or slates. Spelling of words, reading accurately at sight from the books prescribed, and explaining the meanings of words and sentences. Recitation of 20 lines of verse with explanation.
	Conversation Lessons	.....	Ourselves and our houses :— The form of the human body. By way of comparison, the forms of domestic animals—cow, horse, dog, cat, goat, sheep, fowl, etc. The house—its furniture, its garden (the madrasah with its furniture, etc , may be taken in part illustration). Incidental lessons in colours and (correlated with arithmetic) in the numbers of limbs of the body —fingers, etc., and in the numbers of doors, windows, pillars, etc., of the house.
	Writing ...	A suitable copy-book (Nasta'liq), e.g., copy-slips by M. Jalaluddin.	Copying and writing of letters, words and sentences from the copy-book and the prescribed books.
	Vernacular (Bengali or Urdu) Reading.	Students' Library Reading Sheets Instructions for Maktab Teachers, by Tafazzul Husain or Urdu Primer, by Fazlul Kabir.	

Class.	Subject.	Books required.	Course of studies.
I—*concld.*	Arithmetic ...	A book from the general list for Class I.	The meaning of figures according to their position up to 100 taught by means of seeds and other objects. The writing of numbers up to 100 on slates. Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division involving numbers up to 100. Mental application of the first four simple rules. Memorizing of multiplication tables up to 10 × 5.
	Drill ...	The Departmental Drill book.	
	Drawing ...	Teachers' Manual of Drawing, Volume I, by Charu Chandra Guha, (for teachers only).	
		Prathamic Chitra Shiksha, Part I, by J. C. Mahalanabis, —omitting human and animal figures.	Drawing of lines and geometrical figures and outlines of common objects.
II	The Koran (recitation).		
	Urdu (compulsory)—Reading.	Diniyát ka Pahla Resálah (Anjuman-i-Himayat Islam series).	Spelling, reading accurately at sight, and explaining the meanings of words and sentences. Simple manuscripts, such as letters and petitions.
	Conversation Lessons	.....	Our country : trees, plants, wild animals, buildings, furniture and common objects.
	Writing ...	A suitable copy-book (Nasta'liq), *e.g.*, copy-slip II, by M. Jalaluddin.	Dictation on slates.
	Vernacular (Bengali or Urdu) Reading.	Maktab Primer, by Tafazzul Husain. A suitable writing slip. or Urdu ki Dusri Kitáb (Anjuman-i-Himayat Islam series).	
	Arithmetic ...	A book from the general list for Class I.	The four simple rules, reduction, compound addition and subtraction. Memorizing of multiplication tables up to 20 × 16. Memorizing of fractional tables 10 × ¼, ½ and ¾. Indian tables of money (kara, ganda, pan and chauk), weights, content and area. Mental application of the above-mentioned rules, tables and formulæ.
	Geography ...	(No book)	The madrasah plan and furniture drawn to scale Points of the compass. The district map. Stories of travel told by the teacher.
	Drill ...	The Departmental Drill Book.	
	Drawing ...	Teachers' Manual of Drawing, Volume I, by Charu Chandra Guha, (for teachers only).	
		Prathamic Chitra Shiksha, Part II, by J. C. Mahalanabis, —omiting human and animal figures.	Drawing outlines of buildings, furniture, common objects and leaves.
III	Urdu (compulsory)—Reading.	Diniyát ka Dusra Resálah (Anjuman-i-Himayat Islam series), Chapters I-IV.	Spelling of words, reading at sight and explaining the meaning of words and sentences—manuscript.
	Conversation Lessons	.....	Our world : mountains, rivers, seas, forests, roads, railroads, towns, the sun, the moon and the stars, and correlation with geography.
	Writing ...	A suitable copy-book (Nasta'liq), *e.g.*, copy-slips III and IV, by M. Jalaluddin.	
	Vernacular (Bengali or Urdu) Reading.	Maktab Reader I, by Tafazzul Husain. A suitable copy-book. or Urdu ki Tisri Kitab (Anjuman-i-Himayat Islam series).	First half.
	Arithmetic ...	A book from the general list for Class II.	Revision ; the four compound rules, simple proportion, easy problems. Application of the Subhankari formulæ (Serkasa Mankasa, Kathakhali and Bighakali). Mental application of the foregoing rules, tables and formulæ.
	Geography ...	Ditto ...	Main streets and buildings of the town or village with a rough map. Simple physical and political geography of the province on a map. Parts of land and water. The solar system night and day, the seasons. Stories of travel told by the teacher.

Class.	Subject.	Books required.	Course of studies.
III—*concld.*	Arabic—Reading ...	An Arabic Primer (Bakurâtul Adab, by A. N. Md. Waheed, revised edition).	
	Grammar ...	Mabadi-ul Arabiah (Urdu), Part I (As-Sanatul-Oola).	The parts of speech, the verb and its inflections, simple sentences in connection with the Primer prescribed. To be taught inductively.
	English—Reading ...	A book from the general list for Class III.	The prescribed book.
	Writing and Spelling	Golab Singh's Copy Book I ...	Large and small hand on paper and slate. Transcription. Spelling and meaning of the words used in the class.
	Conversation ...	.....	As under Urdu Conversation Lessons in Class I.
	Drill ...	The Departmental Drill Book.	
IV	Urdu (compulsory)—Reading (including Grammar).	Muallimut Tahzib, Part III ...	First half of the prescribed book. Fifty lines of poetry to be recited and understood.
	Writing ...	A suitable copy-book (Naskh and Nasta'liq).	
	Vernacular (Bengali or Urdu)—Reading.	Maktab Reader II, by Tafazzul Husain.	
		A suitable copy-book. or Urdu ki Tisri Kitâb (Anjuman-i-Himayat Islam series).	Second half.
	Arithmetic ...	A book from the general list for Class III.	Complete revision ; multiplication of 16 by $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, $1\frac{1}{4}$, $1\frac{1}{2}$, and $2\frac{1}{4}$. Mental Arithmetic. English tables of money, time and length.
	History ...	Ditto ...	The History of Bengal.
	Geography ...	Ditto ...	Physical and political geography of the province on a map. Physical and political geography of India. Stories of travel told by the teacher.
	Arabic—Reading ...	Arabic Reader (Mirkatul Adab I, by A N Md. Waheed).	
	Grammar ...	Mabadi-ul Arabiah by Professor Rashid Shertoni (Beirut). Part II (As-Sanatul-Oola). Translated by A. N. Md. Waheed into Urdu (Mujtabâyi Press, Delhi)	The prescribed book.
	English—Reading and Conversation.	A book from the general list for Class IV.	The prescribed book. Conversation on lessons in the Reader ; common objects and pictures ; spelling of words, reading at sight, and meaning of words and sentences.
	Writing ...	Golab Singh's new series of Copy Books, No. II.	
	Grammar ...	(No book)	Parts of speech in connection with the Reader.
	Drill ...	The Departmental Drill Book.	
V	Urdu (compulsory) ...	Muallimut Tahzib, Part III ...	Second half of the prescribed book.
	Vernacular (Bengali or Urdu)—Reading.	Mooktahar, by Afzalunnessa Khatoon.	
		A suitable copy-book. or Taubat-un Nasooh ...	First half of the prescribed book.
	Arithmetic ...	A book from the general list for Class IV.	Revision ; G. C. M., L. C. M., and vulgar fractions. Mental arithmetic.
	History ...	Ditto ...	History of India—Muhammadan period.

Class.	Subject.	Books required.	Course of studies.
V—*concld.*	Geography ...	Prathamshiksha Bhugol, by Dwijapada Bandyopadhyaya and Ramesh Chandra Chakravarty.	Lessons on the map of the immediate neighbourhood, including the school. If possible, the class should be taken to a height (included in the map) from which the area depicted in the map can be seen. The map should be placed so that the directions on it agree with the compass, and the features represented on the map should be identified, and their directions from the point of observation noted. The pupils should make simple maps for themselves of the school locality, roughly to scale. The map of India should be occasionally drawn on the blackboard by the teacher, and the pupils should copy it as it is being drawn. The least possible detail should be given : the Vindhya ranges, the Deccan plateau and the Western Ghats, the line of the Himalayas and the north-western highlands, the Brahmaputra, Ganges, Indus, Narbada, Mahanadi, Godavari, Kistna and the Kaveri, the situations of the larger political divisions, and the sites of Calcutta, Bombay, Madras, Nagpur, Benares, Allahabad, Lucknow, Cawnpore, Delhi, Lahore and Karachi. Observations of the daily motions of the sun by means of a vertical stick fixed on a horizontal board. The position and length of the shadow cast at noon should be noted occasionally throughout the year. Observation of the position of the shadow of the school and of the length of the shadow at different times of day at different times of year. What becomes of the rain that falls on the land. Connection between flow of water and slope of the land. Water partings and river basins illustrated by models in clay or sand. The position of India on the globe and in relation to Eurasia should be carefully explained. The outstanding surface features of India, with special reference to the great river basins The larger political divisions and principal towns. Occupations of the people. The parts of the country where population is most dense and least dense, and why. The principal food-crops, fruits and forest trees, and where they flourish best. Stories should be told and descriptive lessons given with the object (among others) of making the pupils interested in their work and of giving fuller illustration of the subject-matter taught. Such topics as the following are suggested :—A journey from the place where the lesson is given to Calcutta, from Calcutta to Darjeeling, from Calcutta to Delhi, from Calcutta to Madras, etc. How salt is obtained from sea water on the coast ; the falls of the Kaveri ; the coal mines of Raniganj ; description of Indian cities, such as Benares, Nagpur, Madras, Bombay, Lucknow, etc. A few lessons describing incidents of travel or adventure abroad, *e.g.*, whale fishing, an American cotton plantation, the Pyramids of Egypt, the land of the midnight sun, an eruption of Vesuvius, an avalanche in the Alps, a prairie fire.
	Arabic—Reading ...	Madarijul Qara'ah, Part II (first-half), by G. Hammam (Beirut), Mujtabáyi Press, Delhi. At Tahliah war . Targheb, by Syed Muhammad (Cairo), Mujtabáyi Press, Delhi.	
	Grammar ...	Mabadi-ul Arabiah (Beirut), Part III (As-Sanatus Saniah). Translated into Urdu (Mujtabáyi Press, Delhi).	The prescribed book.
	English—Reading and Conversation.	A book from the general list for Class V.	Conversation as in Class IV, but a little more difficult. Spelling and meaning of words, reading at sight, explanation of sentences.
	Grammar ...	A suitable Anglo-Urdu grammar ; or S. M. Dutt's Elementary (Anglo-Bengali) Grammar.	Accidence and parsing in connection with the Reader.
	Dictation and translation.	.....	Oral and written translations from the vernacular into English and *vice versâ*.
	Writing ...	Golab Singh's new series of English Copy Books, Nos. 7 and 8.	
	Drill	The Departmental Drill Book.	

Class.	Subject.	Books required.	Course of studies.
VI	Urdu (compulsory) ...	(No book)	Composition, oral and written.
	Vernacular (Bengali or Urdu)—Reading.	Taobat-un Nasooh. Resalai Tazkir wa Tanis. or Saral Sahitya, by Kazi Imdadul Huq. Departmental Grammar, by S N. Kabyatirtha.	Second half of the first prescribed book and the whole of the second. The prescribed books.
	Arithmetic ...	A book from the general list for Class V.	Complete revision. Simple ideas of proportion.
	History	Ditto ...	The history of India in brief outline with special reference to the Muhammadan period.
	Geography ...	Bhuparichaya, by Nopal Chandra Ray and Ajit Kumar Chakravarty, pages 1—185, and 289-end.	The practical work of the previous class continued. Wind direction and clouds in connection with the state of the weather should be observed at different seasons and noted in the exercise books. Practice in reading simple physical maps. Blank maps, in particular of Asia and Europe, to be filled by inserting only the principal mountains, rivers and towns, and by naming the most important coast features and arms of the sea Frequent sketch maps as revision work, specially in connection with the definitions of geographical terms and the representation on maps of the most important surface features. The work of rivers in carving their channels, and in transporting land waste. Eurasia treated very generally. Its situation in relation to the other great land masses of the world. The great lowlands and the great highlands taught from the map in connection with the main river basins. The greater coast features, and seas. General comparison of the climates of different regions. The characteristic vegetation and animals. The main political divisions, and the peoples inhabiting them. Descriptive lessons on important routes in relation to direction and surface features, e.g., Bombay to Mecca, Calcutta to Canton, Pekin to Irkutsk, Odessa by sea to Marseilles, London to Vienna and Petrograd.
	Arabic—Reading (including Principles of Islam).	Madarijul Qara'ah, Part II (second half), Mujtabáyi Press, Delhi. Ad-Durratul Abbasiah (Cairo), Mujtabáyi Press, Delhi.	The course should include simple moral lessons from the Koran applicable to the formation of character taught from Kitabul Adabush Shariyah through its Urdu translation by A. N. Md. Waheed.
	Grammar and Composition.	Mabadi-ul Arabiah, Part III (As-Sanatus Saniah), Translated into Urdu (Mujtabáyi Press, Delhi).	
	English—Reading and Conversation.	(To be notified by the Director of Public Instruction from time to time).	The prescribed book. Conversation lessons on the subjects treated in the Reader on pictures, maps and historical incidents.
	Grammar ...	A suitable Anglo-Urdu Grammar; or S. M. Dutta's Elementary (Anglo-Bengali) Grammar.	
	Writing ...	Golab Singh's new series of English Copy Books, No. 13.	
	Translation ...	.....	Easy passages from the Vernacular Reader prescribed for Class II.
	Drill	The Departmental Drill Book.	

CALCUTTA;
The 9th December 1918.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IN 1919 certain boys will complete the reformed Madrasah course sanctioned under Government of Bengal, General Department, Resolution No. 450T.—G., dated 31st July 1914, and will be ready for the University course of Islamic Studies proposed in connection with the Dacca University. As the Dacca University and the Islamic College contemplated under the scheme have not yet been established, arrangements are being made for the establishment of Special Islamic Intermediate classes at the Dacca Madrasah. The First Year class will be opened in July 1919. No one who has not passed the Special Islamic Matriculation Examination to be held in April 1919 will be admitted to this Intermediate class.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 9th December 1918.*

JOINT TECHNICAL EXAMINATION BOARD.

BY order of the Joint Technical Examination Board, it is announced that the Overseer and Sub-Overseer Examinations for students in the Overseer and Sub-Overseer classes of the major and minor institutions affiliated to the above Board will be held in March 1919 at three centres, viz.:—

Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Ashanulla School of Engineering, Dacca, and Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipore.

The names of qualified candidates should be sent by the head of the institution on the prescribed registration forms so as to reach the office of the Secretary of the Board at Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, on or before the 10th February 1919.

Each form should be accompanied by an examination fee of Rs. 40 for each Overseer candidate and Rs. 20 for each Sub-Overseer candidate.

An outline time-table is appended. The detailed time-table will be issued later to the institutions concerned.

Overseer Workshop	...	...	March 17th to 20th
Ditto Theory	...	...	„ 24th to 28th.
Sub-Overseer Workshop		...	„ 17th to 18th.
Ditto Theory	...	...	„ 20th to 27th.

W. H. EVERETT,
Secretary, Joint Technical Exmn. Board.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA, *the 9th December 1918.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE following orders of the Government of India in the Department of Education are published for general information :—

Under section 24, sub-section (*5*) of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), the Government of India order that the rights conferred on the Bishop's College, Calcutta, by affiliation to the Calcutta University be withdrawn.

By order of the Syndicate,

K. L. DUTT, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 3rd December 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATA.

IN the list of candidates who passed the last M.A. Examination in History under the heading "Third Class", published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918,—

For

"Gupta, Nirmalchandra ... University Student, Dacca."

Read

"Sengupta, Nirmalchandra ... University Student, Dacca."

In the list of candidates who passed the last Preliminary Examination in Law under the heading "Second Division", published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th October 1918,—

For

"Som, Jogeschandra ... ... University Law College."

Read

"Sain, Jogeschandra ... ... University Law College."

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 4th December 1918.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

ON the recommendation of the Board of Examiners, the undermentioned candidates are declared to be eligible for admission to the Degree of Doctor of Medicine. The thesis submitted by each of the candidates, and the opinion recorded by the Examiners are stated against the name of each :—

(In alphabetical order.)

Name of Candidate.	Thesis.	Opinion recorded by Examiners.
Basu, Indubhushan, M.B. ...	"Study on Sutika" ...	Recommended.
Nandi, Pramathanath, L.M.S.	"The ætiology of Infantile Biliary cirrhosis."	Ditto.
Sur, Taraknath, B.M.S. ...	"Observations on three cases of Actinomycosis Hominis."	Ditto.

A. C. BOSE, *Controller of Examinations.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 9th December 1918.*

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Lower Primary Scholarships, 1918.

[Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 2 a month tenable for two years in a Middle or High School or Madrassa possessing scholarship rights or in a Upper Primary School with effect from 1st January, 1919.]

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school from which appeared.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.

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(NINE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GENERAL COMPETITION, ONE RESERVED FOR URDU SCHOOLS, ONE FOR HINDI SCHOOLS, AND ONE FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB SCHOOLS.)

General Competition.

1	Basanta Kumar Dutt ...	Mominpur Road L. P. ...	Kidderpore M. E.
2	Narottam Das ...	Baranasi Ghosh Street L. P. ...	Hare School.
3	Muhammad Sultan ...	Wellesley Street Maktab No. 1	Calcutta Madrassa.
4	Gopal Chandra Dutt ...	Doctor Lane L. P. ...	Calcutta Model School
5	Muhammad Ismail ...	Mechuabazar Street Maktab No. 3.	Woodburn M. E.
6	Tarapada Bhattacharya ...	Naptinibagan L. P. ...	Kidderpore M E.
7	Krishna Charan Das ...	Kutri Road L. P. ...	Ditto.
8	Nalin Chandra Pramanik ...	Raja Naba Kissen Street L. P. No. 1.	Town School.
9	Khalil Ahmed ...	Mechuabazar Street Maktab No. 5.	Woodburn M. E.

Reserved for candidates from Urdu Schools.

1	Abdus Shakoor ...	Kareya Road Maktab No. 6 ...	Kareya M. E.

Reserved for candidates from Hindi Schools.

1	Bhagnath Goenka ...	Hanspuker 1st Lane Hindi L. P.	Hare School.

Reserved for candidates from Deaf and Dumb School.

To be announced later on.

N.B.—I. Scholars joining institutions other than Upper Primary Schools are not eligible to sit for any future Upper Primary Scholarship Examination.

II. Scholars must join their institutions within one month of the date of the publication of the scholarship result. If a scholar fails to join within a month, he shall not draw his scholarship except with the sanction of the Inspector on satisfactory reasons being shown for the delay.

N. GANGOOLY,

Deputy Inspector of Schools, Calcutta.

CALCUTTA, *the 10th December 1918.*

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE STATE MEDICAL FACULTY OF BENGAL.

I. The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the Final Examination for the Membership of the Faculty, held in November 1918:—

Name	College.
Mukhopadhyay, Mriganka-bhushan.	Medical College, Calcutta.

II. The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed in Part I of the Final Examination for the Membership of the Faculty, held in November 1918:—

Name		College
Raychaudhuri, Sibadas	...	Medical College, Calcutta.

III. The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the Preliminary Scientific Examination for the Membership of the Faculty, held in November 1918:—

Name		College
O'Donoghue, C. W.	...	Medical College, Calcutta.

IV. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final Examination for the Licentiateship of the Faculty, held in November 1918:—

(In alphabetical order.)

	Acharyya, Harendranath	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Adhikari, Jibankrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Jogendranath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Ambali, Jogendrakumar	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Antony, M. K.	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Bairagi, Pulinkrishna	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Bandyopadhyay, Aswinikumar	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Debidas	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Dharmadas	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
10	„ Jajneswar	...	Ditto.
	„ Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Kanailal	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Manimohan	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Pannalal	...	Ditto.
	„ Sanjiban	...	Campbell Medical School
	„ Tinkari	..	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Basu, Khagendranath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Subodhkumar	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Surendrachandra	...	Campbell Medical School.
20	Bhaduri, Amulyacharan	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Bhattacharyya, Sisirkumar	...	Ditto.
	Bhaumik, Kisoriranjan	...	Ditto.
	Biswas, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Prasannakumar	...	Dacca Medical School.

	Biswas, Subodhchandra	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Chanda, Sureschandra	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Chandra, Ramkumar	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Chakrabarti, Dwijarajbhushan	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Jogendrakumar	...	Ditto.
30	„ Kartikchandra	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Pratapchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Saralkumar	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Tarinikumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Umapada	...	Temple Medical School, Patna.
	Chattopadhyay, Haricharan	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Herambakumar		Dacca Medical School.
	„ Kanailal	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Pulinbihari	...	Ditto.
40	„ Sasadhar	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Satyaprasad	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Chaudhuri, Jatindralal	...	Ditto.
	Cunha, P. deBraganca	..	Ditto.
	Das, Amulyachandra	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Indubhushan	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Nilmani	...	Ditto.
	„ Priyalal	...	Ditto.
	„ Rakhalchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Campbell Medical School.
50	„ Sitanath	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Surendramohan	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Dasgupta, Rebatiraman	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Datta, Bidhubhushan	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Kshitiranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshitischandra	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Pramathanath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	De, Anathbandhu	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Rasiklal	...	Ditto.
	Dhar, Jagadischandra	...	Ditto.
60	Gangopadhyay, Kalipada	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Pranbandhu	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Apurbamohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Charachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Manamohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Mohinimohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Upendranath	...	Ditto.
	Ghosal, Jatindranath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	Guhachandhuri, Bibhutibhushan		Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
70	Haldar, Sudarsanchandra	...	Orissa Medical School.
	Herbert, James	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Kar, Jaminimohan	...	Ditto.
	Karmakar, Pyarilal	...	Ditto.
	Kothare, M. B.	...	Ditto
	Mallik, Aswinikumar	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Santiprabha	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Mandal, Pandabnath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Manna, Gopimohan	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Mathew, C. O.	...	Campbell Medical School.

80	Maulik, Surendranath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Md. Abu Baker	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Mitra, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Debendranath	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	M. N. Doraswamy Pillay	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan		Ditto.
	„ Dinabandhu	...	Ditto.
	„ Gunakar	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Kalipada	..	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Kasinath	...	Campbell Medical School.
90	„ Nripendranath		Ditto.
	„ Panchanan	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
	Nandi, Kunjabihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Rakhalchandra	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Pal, Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Murarimohan	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Tarapada	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Palchaudhuri, Nagendralal	...	Ditto.
	Pramanik, Bijaygopal	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
100	„ Suryyakanta	...	Ditto.
	Purkayestha, Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
	Rapthap, G. Nelliesamon	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Ray, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Gajanan	...	Ditto.
	„ Harendranarayan	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Hemchandra	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Hridaybandhu	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Manmathanath	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Nrisinhaprasad	...	Campbell Medical School.
110	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Bhubanmohan (II)	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	„ Bijaylal	...	Ditto.
	„ Kalikumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Kanailal	...	Ditto.
	„ Radhaballabh	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Samanta, Purnachandra	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Santra, Jibankrishna	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
120	Sarmachaudhuri, Amritalal	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Nalinikumar	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Naranath	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Sengupta, Anantakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Dwijendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Saratchandra	...	Candidate under the Transitory Provision.
	Sinha, Bijaygopal	...	Ditto.
127	Sivaraju Venkata Rama Rao	...	Ditto.

V. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Intermediate Examination for the Licentiateship of the Faculty, held in November 1918:—

(*In alphabetical order.*)

Abdul Ali Fakir	...	Dacca Medical School.
Bagchi, Jagadischandra	...	Campbell Medical School.

	Bandyopadhyay, Indrachandra	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Jatindranath ...	Dacca Medical School.
	Basumallik, Amarendranath ...	Campbell Medical School.
	Bhattacharyya, Prakaschandra ..	Ditto.
	Biswas, Alokabala ...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Byomkes .	Ditto.
	„ Jagadischandra ...	Dacca Medical School.
10	„ Paresnath ...	Ditto.
	„ Saradakisor ...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Harendramohan ...	Ditto.
	Dam, Haladhar ...	Ditto.
	Datta, Susilkumar ...	Campbell Medical School.
	Fleming, R. ...	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Ghoshray, Bidhubhushan ...	Dacca Medical School.
	Guha, Dineskamal ...	Ditto.
	Khusruddin Ahmed ...	Campbell Medical School.
	Maitra, Kumudbhushan ...	Dacca Medical School.
20	Mandal, Ramtaran ...	Campbell Medical School.
	Saha, Brajabasi ...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Bijaykanta ...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Sureschandra ...	Ditto.
	Siddhanta, Mohiniranjan ..	Ditto.

G. C. MOOKERJEE, *Secretary.*

GROSVENOR HOUSE, *the 9th December 1918.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab-Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on the 21st day of December 1918, corresponding with the 6th of Paus 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioners confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and acres. B. K. Ch.	A. R. P.	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghorasal.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto.
3	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 0	0 0 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 5	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 19 15	0 1 12	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do.	Ditto ..	25	Do. ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do.	Ditto ..	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 2	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold.
18	Do.	Ditto ..	25	Do. ...	3 0 15	0 2 28	Ditto ditto.
19	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 18 0	0 1 8	Ditto ditto.
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 32	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 28	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto ..	25	Do. ...	0 0 18	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 3	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold.
24	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 2	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest is to be sold.

Dacca, the 25th October 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 10th January 1919, at 12 o'clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
313	Ph. Batitaki, M. Palgera.	630 1 7	Entire ...	.....	Jogendra Nath Pal and other, Sebait of Lakhmi Janardan Jew Thakur.	.....	36 0 7	...
314	Ph. Batitaki M. Phulbhery.	1,602 8 0	.....	Residuary share excluding Separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 only. The following share of the mauzas will be sold. Mauza Sitibati, Taki, Abhaya Mukundapur, Astidangar, Baja, Bhutbarh, Bhuyan, Bhojpur, Chhatrisbetya, Dalmia, Dangatpara, Dasagram, Durgachak, Dharmachak, Elagera, Erhaldangar, Fulbheri, Gargarhyachak, Gurhi, Gobindachak, Gobindapur, Gopalbarh, Jamaria, Joti, Kalankichhata, Karangi, Kalikachak, Kunarpur, Kotal, Khagrabheri, Khandarbheri, Khursal, Lakhanda, Madhubarh, Muhammadchak, Muhammadichak, Masagan, Mukundapurhat, Paisidakhin, Radhamohanchak, Ranchak, Ramdangar, Saibani, Simulia, Sirachak, Sariha, Somadharchak, Srichandanpur, Tapsia, Tala, Tal olha, Trilochanpur, 9as. 11gds, 1kt. 1dt. share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sales.	Ramani Devi, guardian of Amulya Chandra Jana and another.	954 3 2	.....	71 5 9
947	Ph. Kaijuna, M. Gogras, Patna.	1,513 2 3 (including Police)	.....	Separate account No. 1, 10as. 13gds, 1ch. 1kt. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mr. R. K. Naug and 5 others.	1,008 1 8 (including Police).	.....	27 5 6 (including Police).
1077	Ph. Kurulchora, M. Alangiri *alias* Alangarui.	974 12 10	.....	Separate account No. 1 ... ... The following share of the mauzas will be sold :—	Ditto ...	736 2 8	.....	19 13 3

		A.	G.	C.	D.
Mauza	Atla ...	16	0	0	0
,,	Akandi ...	16	0	0	0
,,	Alangiri ...	16	0	0	0
,,	Bele ...	16	0	0	0
,,	Kulida ...	16	0	0	0
,,	Khari ...	16	0	0	0
,,	Jhapri ...	16	0	0	0
,,	Maisamari ...	16	0	0	0
,,	Mustafabad ...	16	0	0	0
,,	Chunlkasia ...	5	6	2	6
,,	Dal Kuchali ...	5	6	2	6

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

1786	Ph., Moynachora, m. Kumarchak.	666 2 4	Entire ...	.....	Surja Kumar Majumdar and others.	.....	52 2 4	.....
2246	Ph. Sabang, m. Mohar.	1,302 1 0	.....	Residuary share excluding Separate account No. 1, 8 annas share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale, Part II.	Krishna Das Mandal and another.	651 0 8	.....	50 15 0 June and September 1918.
2882	Ph. Pataspur, m. Mirjapur kismat.	620 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Nil Kanta Rath and 12 others.	.....	3 1 9	.....

Midnapore, the 6th December 1918.

SRIGOPAL BH ATTACHARJI, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for September 1918 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
67	Gopalnagar, etc., pargana Jahangirabad.	2,047 2 0	.....	Residuary share 13as. 6g. 2k. 2kr. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nogendra Bala Dasi and others.	1,031 8 0	.....	49 5 10
135	Gouripur kismat, pargana Chhutipur.	1,219 5 9	.....	Residuary share 13as. 19g. 2k. 2kr. [illegible]d. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	K. P. Basu and others.	989 1 9	.....	1 4 1
159	Asuri, etc., pargana Satsaika.	2,360 9 11	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Rameswar Aich and others.	.....	254 6 11	.....

Burdwan, the 20th November 1918.

R. F. LODGE, Offg. Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
250	Taluq Panchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar.	3,683 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	...	170 1 0	...
5963	Nyamatulla, pargana Jalalpur.	1,558 9 10	No ...	Residuary—11as. 2gds. 2kts. 75[illegible]tls 2[illegible]dt. share. The following shares are excluded from sale :— Separate Account No. 1.—13gds. 1kr. 2[illegible]tls. Separate Account No. 2.—16as. share of pargana Tappa Birmohan, 10as. 13gds. 1kr. and 1kt. share of pargana Bangrora. Separate Account No. 3.—3gds. 2kr. 60tls. Separate Account No. 4.—3as. 11gds. 1kr. 2kts. 1[illegible]dt. Separate Account No. 5.—3gds. 3kr. 1[illegible]dt.	Mohammad Mainaddin and others.	686 7 8	...	32 10 9
6773	Taluq Kumar Sasi Kanta Acherjee, pargana Kasimpur Shehalapatti.	1,485 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raja Sashi Kanta Acharjee Bahadur.	...	990 0 0	...
6786	Taluq Sashi Kanta Acharjee (alluvial accretion to Estate No. 9670), Dacca Collectorate, pargana Kartikpur Sujabad.	2,129 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	1,420 0 0	...

Faridpur, the 21st November 1918.

BHABA TARAN CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4082	Kalupukhuria, pargana Jehanabad.	13,516	Nil ...	2a 13g 1c 1kt., share of mauzas Kalupukhuria, Ghoshna, Ghoshpur, Debkhanda, Basantapur, Mamudpur, Joykrishna pur.	Kangali Charan Chowdhury and 5 others	2,333 3 11	Nil ...	100 5 9

Hooghly Collectorate, the 22nd November 1918.

A BANARJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A. P.				Rs A. P.	Rs A P.	Rs. A P.
1725 1	Mauza Chikni Kanda, share 8a. 10g pargana Chandradwip.	3,782 8 1	...	Separate account No. 1 containing 9a 2g 0c 2kt. 19½ tli share will be sold Residuary share and separate accounts Nos. 3 and 5 will be sold separately.	Mr. G T. Jordon . .	1,929 15 6	.....	868 7 8
2708	Zamindary Uttar Sabajpur, share 1½ anna, pargana Uttar Sabajpur	1,494 6 8	Whole ...	.....	Akhaya Kumar Chatterjee	.. ...	131 3 3	... .
3865	Zamindary Abdullapur, share 10a. 13g 1k., tappa Abdullapur.	2 337 11 11	.. ..	Residuary share containing 7a 9g. 2c 1kt. 1½dt will be sold, the remaining 8a. 10g 1c. 1kt. 1½dt. will be excluded from sale	Radha Gobinda Banikya and others	1,106 15 11	....	310 9 3
4821	Char Kulai Jear Katali pargana Chandradwip.	1,478 6 11	Whole ...	.....	Aswini kumar Datta and others.	.. .	19 3 4	.. ..
1448	Mahal Darihat Rajbariganj, pargana Bazorgomedpur.	721 13 0	Do	. . .	Parbati Charan Chakravarty.	.. ...	270 0 0	... ..
1533	Taluk Krishna Prasad Guha, pargana Bazorgomedpur	3,960 15 8	.	12 annas residuary share will be sold, the remaining 4 annas share will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Roy Choudhury, and others.	2,070 11 6	.. ..	293 12 8
1661	Taluk Sibjoy Banerjee, pargana Bazorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1		Residuary share containing 6a. 4g. 1c 2kt 1½t. will be sold, the remaining 9a. 15g. 9c 3dt. share will be excluded from sale	Jasada Lal Pal Choudhury, and others.	2 384 8 1	.....	537 1 2

Barisal, the 22nd November 1918.

HARENDRA K GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
161	Estate Ramdebpur, pargana Phulbari.	3,188 1 0	No ...	5 annas residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rahimuddin Chaudhury, Kasiran Bibi, Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Azimon Nesa Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Amiron Nesa Chaudhurany, minor, Safiron Nesa Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salimon Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Safiran Nesa Chaudhurany and Latifan Nesa Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Salimon Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Nehaluddin Chaudhury, Ismail Bibi Chaudhurany, Ismail Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Osmanuddin Chaudhury, Jobeda Khatun, Khodeja Khatun and Ohhara Khatun, minors, Saban Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Imamuddin Chaudhury, Ekramuddin Chaudhury and Abeda Khatun, minors, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Mafizuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Karimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury and Abiran Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Shaheban Nesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kalimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Hasan Banu Chaudhurany, Gafuruddin Chaudhury, Kasiran Nesa, Nezamuddin Chaudhury, Saban Bibi Chaudhurany.	996 4 4	.....	74 14 2

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 20th November 1918.

P. H WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
894	Estate Rampur, pargana Kardaha.	1,247 10 4	Yes	.....	Sayad Abu Akbar Rahaman, Molla Obedul Haque, Sarna Maye Chaudhurany, Kumoda Charan Nag, Kumoda Charan Nag, Rajani Kanta De Chaudhury, Radha Peary Chaudhurany and Krishna Kamini Chaudhurany, guardians for minors Dhruba Narayan De Chaudhury and Madhuri Narayan De Chaudhury, Chaudhury Mahamed Ibrahim Khodija Khatun Bibi.	... ...	165 11 8	.....

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 20th November 1918.

P. H WADDELL, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th December 1918, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1918, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Raozan, Patiya, Town, Satkania. Kismat Ambika Babait, Taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 5 6	Whole ...	.....	Sm. Bama Sundari Lala, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	221 4 0	.....
401	Thana Fatickcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Raozan, Patiya, Town. Kismat Balaram Sircar, Babait Taraf Sonaullah Khan.	1,043 6 0	.....	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar and others.	.....	188 13 0	.....
472	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town, Fatickcheri, Taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 6 annas will be sold, excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 with an extent of interest 8-0-12½ krantis and Jama Rs. 1,238-14-6 and unpaid share No. 3 with an extent of interest 1-11-7½ krantis and jama of Rs. 299-2-7.	Himangshu Bimal Rai and Ramesh Chandra Rai and others.	932 8 6	.....	248 15 0
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Raozan, Town, Taraf Insa Alup	2,265 15 8	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 10 annas will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 with an extent of interest 5-4 pies and jama Rs. 75-10-10.	Sm. Manamaya Ramdhan Chaudhuri and others.	1,508 8 10	.....	190 1 0
1242	Thana Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, according to recent survey Anwara Taraf, Imam Baksha.	697 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Abdul Raup Khan, Sm. Bia Bibi.	.....	208 15 0	.....
1279	Thana Satkania, according to recent survey Banskhali and Patiya Taraf Joy Ram Chowdhury.	1,416 5 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 share No. 1 with an extent of interest 8 annas belonging to Sarada Kripa Lala will be sold excluding the paid up residue share and jama Rs. 708-2-9.	Sarada Kripa Lala, on behalf of Sri Sri Raghu Nath Chakra.	708 2 9	.....	210 3 9
1282	Thana Raozan, out-post Rangania, Taraf Kame Fernandez.	1,640 5 3	Whole ...	.....	Ram Govinda Bahadur, Sasti Charan Bahadur.	.....	484 15 0	.....
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, Taraf Mahammad Ali, Rustum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act IX of 1859 residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding unpaid share No. 1 with an interest 4 annas and Jama Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta and others; Upendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	2,612 6 8	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1, with an extent of interest 4 annas belonging to Krishna Chandra Gupta will be sold excluding the unpaid residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas and jama Rs. 2,612-6-8 pies.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 8 2
1888	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Taraf Mahammad Rafi Khansama.	928 14 0	Whole ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	182 6 4	.....

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3054	Thana Raozan, Hathazari, Patiya Town and Fatikcheri, taraf Sib Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 2 2	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 with an extent of interest 3-4-19 krantis belonging to Pratap Chandra Rai will be sold excluding unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5 with an extent of interest 3-10-[illegible] with jama Rs. 520-4-6 pies and paid up shares 1, 3 6-17 and residue share with an extent of interest 9-9-[illegible] krantis and jama Rs. 1,793-11-8.	Kamal Kumar Rai ...	628 1 10	...	186 7 5
33500	Thana Satkania, mauza Padua Kaimi Taluk Krishna Chandra Gupta, Daroga, c-o Ram Mohan Gupta of Padua.	1,627 3 0	Whole ...	.....	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, manager on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta, manager, on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	.....	254 2 0	...

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1918.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Dinajpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
404	Estate Haraguvindpur, pargana Ollahabari.	3,349 7 4	No	8 as. 17g. 3c. 1d. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Khedmatuddin Chaudhury, Hakimuddin Chaudhury, Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Asanuddin Chaudhury, Maaleyuddin Chaudhury, Khej Mahamed Chaudhury, guardian for Baharuddin Chaudhury, Asaruddin Chaudhury and Basiruddin Chaudhury, Minors, Gafuran Bibi, Bibi Chaudhurany, guardian for Amiran, Masiran and Dalima, minors, Bibi Chaudhurany, Farimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Kamala Bibi, Khejmatuddin Chaudhury, guardian for Asafuddin, Khetauddin, Kharuddin, Gazi Mia Chaudhury and Ejaruddin Chaudhury, minors, Khejmatuddin Chaudhury, Nasaruddin Chaudhury, Mahamed Mahatabuddin Chaudhury, Mafsuddin Chaudhury, Serajuddin Chaudhury, Karimon Nesa Chaudhurany, Besar Bibi Chaudhurany, proprietress and guardian for Fazley Rahaman Chaudhury, Abiran Nesa Chaudhurany, minors, Saheban Nesa Chaudhurany, Jabeda Khatun Chaudhurany, Arash Bibi Chaudhurany, Kaliman Nesa Chaudhurany, Hasan Banu Chaudhurany, Gafuruddin Chaudhury, Khejmatuddin Chaudhury, Ajmatuddin Chaudhury.	1,840 12 10	.....	46 2 9

P. H. WADDELL, Collector.

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1918.

SALE NOTICE.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Pabna, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 6th January 1919, at 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A P.				Rs A. P.	Rs A P.	Rs. A P.
1	Dehi Bhadraghat, pargana Ishafshahi.	1,05[illegible] 8 0	Whole ...	...	Aghore kumar Gangopadhya	.....	8 14 0	...
104	Parganah Islampur, pargana Islampur	24,339 8 0 Police 270 15 0	.....	Account No. 2— 2as. 12gds. 1k and 1kt. share of the estate. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Debendra Narayan Singha	4,054 12 3 Police. 45 3 0	...	978 4 9 Police. 15 2 0
1730	Resumed Char Dhala, Part I, pargana Birahimpur.	736 0 0	Whole ..	.....	Prasanna Nath Saha Chaudhury and others.	.....	59 0 0	.....

Pabna Collectorate, the 26th November 1918.

A. DUTT, Deputy Collector in charge.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 16th December, the undermentioned estate or shares of estate in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 12 noon, for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Tauzi No	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
		Rs A. P.		A, P.		Rs A.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
3186 3	Begamabad, pargana Begamabad	...	No ...	3 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Devendra Narayan Singha.	2 373 15	— ...	95 10 1	Attached under orders of the Sub-Judge of Nadia, dated the 17th April 1917 95 10 1

Krishnagar, the 15th November 1918.

RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJI, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Noakhali, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1919, at Noakhali Collectorate for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
14	Sundip, hishya 4 as. 2 gds. 3 cars., taraf Bhabani Charan, pargana Sundip.	1,939 6 10	Share ...	Separate account No. 1, hishya 2 as. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Chandra Sekhar Dutta Tewari, and others.	2,424 13 5	.....	Revenue— 486 8 5 Cesses— 479 6 4 965 14 9
210	Nij Sundip, pargana Sundip.	22,435 0 0	Do. ...	Separate account No. 1, hishya 1 a. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Krishna Kumar Dutta Tewari, and others.	1,402 3 0	.....	Revenue— 482 4 6 Cesses— 216 3 5 698 7 11
				Khas Mahal Tenures.				
1672	Nalchira, No. 1, Madhyasatya.	4,728 5 0	Whole ...	.....	Moazzam Hosen Choudhury.	.....	Rent— 1,289 0 0 Cess— 289 3 0	.....
1676 / 1675	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, No. 24, Madhyasatya.	618 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Gagan Chandra Sarkar, and others.	.....	Rent— 25 1 0 Cess— 6 11 6 31 12 6	.....
1666	No. 37, Sthitiban in Char Alexander.	644 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Hasan Ali Howladar, and others.	.....	Rent— 141 2 0 Cess— 11 11 5 152 13 5	.....

S. N. Bose, *for* Collector.

Noakhali Collector's Office, the 3rd December 1918.

Sale Notification.

HOWRAH CERTIFICATE CASE No. 1D of 1918-19.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned tauzi will be put up for sale at the office of the Certificate Officer of Howrah on the 18th December 1918 at 12 noon, for recovery of drainage charges, interest and cost, aggregating to Rs. 5,061-12-4, which by law are realizable from the certificate debtors :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	Area in bighas and cottahs.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.
				B. K.	
79 of Hooghly Collectorate.	Mahal Sherpur, Patni mahal Madhyam Maju.	Rs. 4,382-14-9 payable to the superior landlords—Mati Lal Seal and Provat Nath Chatterji.	Patni rights (16 annas share) of the certificate debtors.	2,692 19	(1) Jogendra Nath Sarkar, (2) Rajendra Nath Sarkar, (3) Surendra Nath Sarkar, sons of late Kenaram Sarkar, of Chongghurally, police-station Jagatballabhpur.

B. N. Mukherji, Certificate Officer.

Howrah, the 4th December 1918.

ADMINISTRATOR-GENERAL.

Notice of deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 54 of Act III of 1913.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	Remarks.
William Sinclair Cameron Macpherson, Superintendent of Bengal River Police, Narainganj.	Dacca	4th September 1918	District Judge, Dacca, on 13th September 1918.	The deceased left no will. Mr. W. H. Wares, I.C.S., intends to apply for Letters of Administration to the estate.
David Buchanan Bryson, an Assistant of Matelli Tea Estate, Jalpaiguri.	.....	6th August 1918 ...	District Judge, Dinajpur, on 28th September 1918.	It is stated that the deceased has left a will by which everything has been bequeathed to his father residing in England. The Administrator-General is in communication with the father to obtain his views regarding administration of the estate.
John William Lambert, an employee in the Equitable Coal Company, Ltd.	General Hospital, Howrah.	6th May 1918 ...	District Judge, Hooghly, on 5th September 1918.	The deceased does not appear to have left any will and the Administrator-General is in communication with the District Judge regarding administration of the estate.
J. W. McEwan, an Assistant, Dimdima Tea Estate, Jalpaiguri.	Dimdima Tea Estate.	2nd April 1918 ...	District Judge, Dinajpur, on 22nd and 24th April 1918.	The deceased committed suicide and he left no will The Administrator-General does not propose to take any action as the assets are under Rs. 1,000, in value.

ALEX. KINNEY,
Offg. Administrator-General of Bengal.

NO. 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 25th November 1918.*

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 3rd December 1918.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,26,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000 0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs 2,66,00,907 7 7			
Ditto ditto at Branches	„ 1,27,81,504 3 6	3,93,82,411	11	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		25,19,57,063	14	4
Bank Post Bills, etc.		21,90 651	12	9
Sundries		37,74,532	0	7
		33,98,54,659	6	9

ASSETS.

			Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities			6,84,15,581	0	0
Other authorized Investments			1,41,81,914	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities			8,91,59,481	4	9
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...			5,64,82,874	14	10
Bills discounted and purchased			2,09,97,729	9	7
Balances with other Banks			61,03,548	14	11
Bullion			.....		
Dead Stock			28,06,420	1	6
Stamps			10,570	0	5
Sundries			19,49,041	6	6
			25,51,07,111	4	6
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 2,78,27,322 6 2				
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs. 5,69,20,225 12 1		8,47,47,548	2	3
			33,98,54,659	6	9

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs; value Rs. 3,77,175 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 5,31,585 0 0

Rs. 9,08,760 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 28·51.

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 5th December 1918.

H. FISHER,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(2968—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON.

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th November 1918.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS— of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.
Balance of 15th November 1918	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,81,62,600	1,42,04,000	62,09,800	19,55,500
ADD—						
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 1st November 1918	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	......	......	......	......	......	......
Total ...	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,81,62,600	1,42,04,000	62,09,800	19,55,500
DEDUCT—						
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	......	......	......	......	......	......
Balance on 30th November 1918	27,63,800	91,80,300	3,81,62,600	1,42,04,000	62,09,800	19,55,500

Particulars.	4 PER CENT.— Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	INDIAN WAR LOAN— 5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1922.	SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN— 5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.	Grand Total.
Balance of 15th November 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	6,200	15,800	9,50,000	7,42,29,800
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 1st November 1918.	......	......	......	......	......	5,000	5,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
Total ...	4,700	100	7,77,000	6,200	15,800	9,55,000	7,42,34,800.
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
Balance on 30th November 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	6,200	15,800	9,55,000	7,42,34,800

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th September 1918—Enfaced from India, 12,429 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,036 lakhs.

,, 1st October	,, 15th October	,, ,, ,, ,, ...	,, ,, ,,	...
,, 16th ,,	,, 31st ,,	,, ,, ,, ,, ...	,, ,, ,,	1 lakh.
,, 1st November	,, 15th November	,, ,, ,, ,, ...	,, ,, ,,	1 ,,
,, 16th November	,, 30th ,,	,, ,, ,, ,, ...	,, ,, ,,	...
		12,429 lakhs.		12,038 lakhs.

T. A. VOICE,
Superintendent.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 4th December 1918.

Sheriff's Sale Proclamation.

To be peremptorily sold pursuant to the order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, dated the 26th day of June 1918, made in Suit No. 27 of 1915 (wherein Johur Lal Shoo is the plaintiff and Shosti Charan Das and others are the defendants) by the Sheriff, of Calcutta in his sale, room at the Court-house by public auction on Friday, the 20th day of December 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned properties belonging to the judgement-debtors Gopi Mohan Ghose and Krishna Chandra Ghose :—

Lot No. I.—All that the two storied brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation 6 cottahs 3 chitaks and 40 square feet, more or less, situate lying at and being premises No. 104, Serpentine Lane, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta and butted and bounded on the north partly by premises Nos. 105, 105-1 and 105-2, Serpentine Lane, being the Thakurbari of Kedar Nath Dass Karmokar, partly by a blind lane on the south, partly by premises No. 102, Serpentine Lane, being land belonging to Haripada Biswas, and No 101, Serpentine Lane belonging to Girish Chandra Coondoo, on the east by premises No. 104-1, Serpentine Lane, belonging to Kedar Nath Karmokar and on the west by Serpentine Lane.

Lot No. II.—All that piece or parcel of tenanted land containing by estimation 4½ cottahs, more or less, situate lying at and being premises No. 6 (formerly No. 24 and then No. 16), St. James Square, being holding No 234 in Block 1, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, and paying an annual revenue of As. 12-9 to the Calcutta Collectorate, and butted and bounded on the north by St. James Square, on the south by the house and tenanted land of Murari Krishna Mitra, on the east by the house of Jadu Nath Dey and on the west by Crouche's Lane.

So far as appears from a search made at the office of the Registrar of Assurance at Calcutta, there are no encumbrances affecting the above premises except two subsisting mortgages, one, dated 28th February 1916, to secure the repayment of Rs. 10,000 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum with quarterly rests, and the other, dated the 28th September 1917, to secure the repayment of Rs. 1,000 with interest thereon at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum with quarterly rests.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 1,327-0-9 with interest thereon at six per cent. per annum from the 7th September 1917 until realization and the costs payable under the decree which have been taxed at Rs. 175-14 besides the costs of execution.

The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta, on the ground floor of the Court-house on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

F. W. CARTER, Sheriff.

Birendranath Mitra, Attorney, for the Judgment-creditor.

High Court, Original Side, Sheriff's Office, Calcutta the 16th day of November 1918.

(2767—1—2889)

ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE.

In the 1st Court of the Sub-Judge at Midnapore.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 65 OF 1918.

Hare Kristo Bera and others, decree-holders, *versus* Raja Sati Prosad Garga, of Mahisadal.

Date of sale 15th January 1919, at 12 noon. Claim Rs. 3,372-14-6.

PROPERTY situated in pergannah Tamluk, thana Bhagabanpur, Sub-Registry Kajlagarh, tauzi No. 2639, mahal Tamluk, in Hudda Ashnan, mouza Gurgram, in the khas possession of the judgment-debtor one chak named Brajamohan Bhatta—quantity about 1,000 bighas—the chakdari right and the nijjote lands included in the chak. Rental Rs. 2,045 payable to the judgment-debtor. Approximate value Rs. 20,450 as fixed by the Court.

Boundary.

North—Kelaghai river.
East—Outside the band Kabashberia khal.
South—Outside the band Jalamutha, pergannah Mundabhanga and Barachak and its khal.
West—Outside the band Jalamutha, pergannah Kirtankhali khal and the judgment-debtor khas chak named Giris Das and Kirtankhali khal of pergannah Tamluk.

HARI DAS BASU, Sub-Judge.

Midnapore, the 2nd December 1918. (3012—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 250 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 31st August 1917, filed by Jafar Methar of Satu Babu Lane, thana Entally, and on the application of Jafar Methar and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 23rd day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2770—1—2887)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 324 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 3rd December 1917, filed by Jhagura Ram Sagore, of No. 3, Convent Road, thana Entally, and on the application of Jhagru Ram Sagore and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 16th day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2771—1—2888)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act. III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 88 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 20th April 1918, filed by Shaikh Peer Buksha, of No. 5, Pal's Lane, thana Chitpur, and on the application of Shaikh Peer Buksha and on reading the petition and on hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 21st day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2772—1—2876)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 95 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 29th April 1918, filed by Hiralal Jana, of Sajna, thana Bistupur, and on the application of Hiralal Jana and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Dated this 9th day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2773—1—2877)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 99 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th May 1918, filed by Hari Mohan Shau, of Kiddirpore, Coal Depôt, thana Watgunj, and on the application of Hari Mohon Shau and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2774—1—2878)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 100 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th May 1918, filed by Hari Charan Ghosh *alias* Khoka Gowala, of 3, Goaltuli Road, thana Bhowanipore, and on the application of Hari Charan Ghosh *alias* Khoka Gowala and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2775—1—2879)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 107 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th May 1918, filed by Fakir Chand Mistri, of Babu Bazar, Kiddirpur, thana Watganj, and on the application of Fakir Chand Mistri and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 21st day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2776—1—2880)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 110 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th May 1918, filed by Mani Majhi, of Khordah, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Mani Majhi and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 3rd day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2777—1—2881)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 113 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th May 1918, filed by Rasik Chandra Kayal, of Raipukuria, thana Mograhat, and on the application of Rasik Chandra Koyal, and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 6th day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2778—1—2882)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 117 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 22nd May 1918, filed by Rabipada Pal, of Gobardanga, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Rabipada Pal and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 9th day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2779—1—2883)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 121 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 29th May 1918, filed by Bepin Chandra Halder, of Sahora, thana Falta, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Bepin Chandra Halder and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 21st day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2780—1—2884)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 122 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 30th May 1918, filed by Shaikh Bahorali Mistri, of Jadabpur, thana Tollygunj, and on the application of Shaikh Bahorali Mistri and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 21st day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2781—1—2885)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 149 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 25th June 1918, filed by Narain Chandra Sadhukhan, of Ramchandrapur, thana Budge-Budge, and on the application of Narain Chandra Sadhukhan and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 23rd day of August 1918.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2782—1—2886)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 51 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Sarat Chandra Saha, son of late Kailash Chandra Saha, of Majumdarkhil, police-station Rangania, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 22nd November of 1918, to be declared an insolvent, under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 23rd day of December 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 6th December 1918. (2994—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 42 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 1st October 1918, filed by Abdul Gaffur, son of Md. Tousi Bhuinya, of Shaherkhali, police-station Mirsarai, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of December 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2995—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 45 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 6th November 1918, filed by Abdul Jalil, son of Abdul Waheb Sadagar, of Patherghata, police station Kotwali, Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 2nd day of December 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2996—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that one Khabiraddi Shikdar, son of late Fatik Shikdar, of Chalisa, police-station Nazirpur, district Bakarganj, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and the 20th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the petition and for examination of the petitioner.

J. F. GRAHAM, District Judge.

Bakarganj, the 23rd November 1918. (2988—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Lowsen De, son of Fakir Chandra De, resident of Patit, thana Indas, chauki Bishnupur, district Bankura, was adjudged insolvent on 21st September 1918.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Bankura, the 5th December 1918. (3014—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Gangabishnu Gangopadhyaya, son of late Srimanta Gangopadhayaya, resident of Nari, thana Chhatna, district Bankura, was adjudged insolvent on 21st September 1918.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Bankura, the 5th December 1918. (3015—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 101 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Harish Chandra Namadas, son of late Ramratan Namadas, of Sagardi, Narendrapur, police-station Monohardi, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, 14th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 27th November 1918. (2952—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 102 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Balailal Shaha, son of late Gobinda Ch. Shaha, of Amta, police-station Dhamrai, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, 14th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 27th November 1918. (2953—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1917.

BEPIN BEHARI DAS, son of late Adwait Charan Saha Das, of Malakertola, police-station Sutrapur, town Dacca, was adjudged an insolvent at the instance of some of his creditors, by an order of this Court dated 17th April 1917. On the insolvent having arrived at a composition with his creditors, which was approved by this Court, the order of adjudication is hereby annulled.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Dacca, the 7th December 1918. (3016—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 39 OF 1918.

SANMANIA MOLLA, son of Kangaloo Molla, deceased, resident of Nonahar, police-station Porsha, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 9th day of November 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th December 1918. (2973—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 18 OF 1918.

GONGAL PALI, son of Totaram Pali, deceased, resident of Baigunbari, police-station Pirganj, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 3rd day of October 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th December 1918. (2974—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 69 OF 1918.

GHOKMA DESHI, son of Kalua Deshi, deceased, resident of Sandia, police-station Kaliaganj, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 27th day of November 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th December 1918. (2975—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 51 OF 1918.

NAJIBADDIN SARKAR, son of Jamatulla Sarkar, deceased, resident of Nunaich, police-station Kotwali, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 1st day of October 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th December 1918. (2976—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 24 AND 25 OF 1918.

ABDUL GAFUR SARKER and Abdul Hamid Sarker, sons of Hedatulla Sarker, deceased, residents of Pranathpur, known as Katitala, police-station Kotwali, district Dinajpur, were adjudicated insolvents on the 3rd day of October 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th December 1918. (2977—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 OF 1918.

KASIM NASYA, son of Chingura Nasya, deceased, resident of Kailadangi, police-station Raiganj, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 26th day of November 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th December 1918. (2978—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 54 OF 1918.

JEUT RAM KANU, son of Gati Ram Kanu, deceased, resident of Shibpur, police-station Mahomedabad, district Gazipur, at present resident of Nitpur, police-station Porsha, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 3rd day of October 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th December 1918. (2979—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 35 OF 1918.

RAFU MONDAL *alias* Bhuta Mondal, son of Shyam Mondal, deceased, resident of Pakura, police-station Biroil, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 11th day of November 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th December 1918. (2980—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 26 OF 1918.

ADHAR CHANDRA DAS, son of Madhab Das, deceased, resident of Ulipur, police-station Kotwali, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 2nd day of December 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 5th December 1918. (2981—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 292 AND 294 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sabed Ali Fakir and Abed Ali Fakir, of Chaudhurir Char, police-station Sadarpur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 12th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2945—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 293 AND 295 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Ganur Karal and Abbas Karal, sons of late Sabai Karal, of Choudhrir Char, police-station Sadarpur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 12th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2946—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 296 AND 297 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sheik Ahmed and Sheik Daliluddi, of Rajeswordi, police-station Bhanga, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 18th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2947—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 304 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Jugi Mahmud, son of late Mahatali Hazi, of Krishnadi, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 14th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2948—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 50 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Janaki Nath Ghosh, son of late Jagannath Ghosh, of Duapur, thana Pandua, district Hooghly, was, on the 30th August 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 13th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

G. N. Roy, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 19th November 1918.

(2826—1—2890)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Hira Lall Bhor, son of late Dwarika Nath Bhor, of Serampore, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 76 of 1918, and that the 13th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. N. Roy, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 18th November 1918.

(2828—1—2891)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 5 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rakhal Dass Chatterjee, son of late Chandra Nath Chatterjee, of Kapastikri, thana Palba, district Hooghly, was, on the 4th September 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 13th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

G. N. Roy, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 19th November 1918.

(2830—1—2892)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Upendra Nath Paul, son of late Kshetrodeprosad Paul, of Baje Sibpur, thana Sibpur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 99 of 1918 and that the 2nd January 1919 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 18th November 1918.

(2786—1—2969)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Ebrahim Malik, son of Shaik Abdul Sovan Mallik, of Dharsa, thana Jogacha, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 98 of 1918 and that the 18th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 18th November 1918. (2787—1—2968)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Jiban Krishna Bhandari, son of late Trailokshya Nath Bhandari, of Baje Sibpur, thana Sibpur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 96 of 1918 and that the 21st December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 18th November 1918. (2788—1—2967)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Sheik Amijuddin, son of late Sheik Kefatulla, of Banibon, thana Uluberia, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 101 of 1918 and that the 18th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 19th November 1918. (2794—1—2971)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Ganesh Chandra Dolui, son of late Notobor Dolui, of Dunki, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 100 of 1918 and that the 21st December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 19th November 1918. (2795—1—2970)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 54 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Fanindra Bhuson Chaudhuri, son of late Durgadas Chaudhuri, of South Bantra, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, was, on the 2nd October 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 14th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 27th November 1918. (2919—1—2966)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Howrah at Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Ashutosh Manna, son of late Adyta Charan Manna, of Fatapur, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 107 of 1918, and that the 11th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 27th November 1918. (2920—1—2959)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Guiram Sarnakar, son of late Modhusudon Sarnakar, of Haridhara, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 103 of 1918, and that the 11th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 27th November 1918. (2921—1—2964)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 36 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Hazi Mahmmad Ali, son of Tamizuddi Ghatbegi of Sulikhan Dasanibagan, thana Golabari, district Hooghly, was on the 22nd November 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 16th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 28th November 1918. (2922—1—2958)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907. to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Ashutosh Adhikari, son of Ramchandra Adhikari, of Salikhia, Dhopapara, thana Golabati, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 108 of 1918 and that the 11th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 28th November 1918. (2923—1—2963)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 22 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Haripodo Samonta, son of late Gopal Chandra Samonta, of Nautia, thana Bagnan, district Hooghly, was, on the 28th September 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 12th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 28th November 1918. (2924—1—2962)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Bireswar Ghosh, son of late Kailash Chandra Ghosh, of Salikha, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 106 of 1918 and that the 11th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl District Judge.

Howrah, the 25th November 1918. (2883—1—2961)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 24 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mahadev Paramanik, son of late Kalachand Paramanik, of Saukrail, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, was, on the 23rd September 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 11th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 25th November 1918. (2884—1—2960)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 83 OF 1918.

SALEY MAHOMED, son of Kaloo Mahomed, deceased, resident of Jote Kharija Dabarbhanga, police-station Boda, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 2nd day of January 1919 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 3rd December 1918. (2963—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 82 OF 1918.

JAMIRUDDIN MAHOMAD, son of Gadu Mahomad deceased, resident of Jalpaiguri town, police-station and district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 2nd day of January 1919 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 3rd December 1918. (2964—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 10 OF 1918.

TEPERU BURMAN, son of Patoo Burman, deceased, resident of Jongra, police-station Patgram, district Jalpaiguri, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 25th day of March 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 6th December 1918. (2987—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 18th March 1918 by the debtor Kali Charan Dutt, son of late Kailash Chandra Dutt, of Jugodanandakati, police-station Jhikergachha, district Jessore, and on reading the said petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner, the said debtor Kali Charan Dutt was adjudged an insolvent on the 23rd day of September 1918.

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge.

Jessore, the 3rd December 1918. (2961—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 40 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 5th July 1918, filed by Nibaran Chandra Chakrabartty, son of late Madhab Chandra Chakrabartty, of Narhadandy, pargana Tamluk, police-station Mahisadal, district Midnapore, debtor-petitioner, and on the application of the debtor himself, and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Kshirode Nath Chakrabartty, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 28th January 1919 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

Midnapore, the 5th December 1918. (2986—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 47 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Rahman Mandal, of Govindapur, police-station Domkal, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged insolvent and the case has been fixed for hearing on the 14th December 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 5th December 1918. (2972—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 29 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ibrahim Shekh, son of the late Nara Shekh, of Shoilerkanda, police-station Jamalpur, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 21st day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 3rd December 1918. (2966—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 40 OF 1918.

Petitioner Barbbal Shek.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Barbbal Shek, of Kadipur, police-station Gangla, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 40 of 1918 and that 14th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. C. SEN District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 6th December 1918. (2983—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 46 OF 1918.

Petitioner Mahesh Chandra Mondal.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Mahesh Chandra Mondal, of Hari Sankara police-station Daulatpur, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 46 of 1918 and that 14th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 6th December 1918. (2984—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 119 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Muhammad Ali Sarker, son of late Kalu Sarker, of Goperakhi, police-station Sahazadpur, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 18th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

R. N. RAY, District Judge.

Pabna, the 2nd December 1918. (2997—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 37 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Jhana Molla, son of late Tarif Molla, of Kalinagar, police-station Singra, district Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.)

THE 14th day of December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 5th September 1918. (2359—1—2965)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 83 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

BHOLANATH BARMA, son of late Tillak Barma, of Mahish Bandi, police-station Sadullapur, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 2nd December 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1918. (2998—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 82 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

GHAWA RAM BURMAN, son of late Krishna Mohan Burman, of Bhangamore, police-station Sadullapur, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 28th November 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 7th December 1918. (2999—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 81 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

RAJ CHANDRA BURMA, son of late Krishna Mohan Burma, of Bhangamore, police-station Sadullapur, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 28th November 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 7th December 1918. (3000—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 85 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

HEM CHANDRA MAJUMDAR, son of late Sashadhar Majumdar, of Bardhankuti, police-station Gobindaganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 2nd December 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 7th December 1918. (3001—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 87 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. JOHNSTON, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

SABAR MAMUD, son of late Jabura Nasya, of Hara Gobinda, post-office Bhutchhara, police-station Pirgachha, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 28th November 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1918. (3002—1)

NOTICE

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 89 OF 1918.

PRESENT .

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

CHANDRA KANTA MAJHI, son of Jabura Majhi, of Hishun Ram, police-station Kurigram, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 28th November 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 7th December 1918. (3003—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 91 OF 1918

PRESENT .

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

JAJNESWAR *alias* Khoka Das, son of late Madan Das, of Modali, police-station Kaliganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 5th December 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge

Rangpur, the 7th December 1918. (3004—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 106 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq , I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Ruhini Kanta Roy, son of late Gopi Kanta Sarkar, of Batrish Hajari, police-station Kaliganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1918. (3005—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 107 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Samiruddin, son of late Chand Mamud, of Kamdev Bahagili, police-station Pirgachha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 19th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1918. (3006—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 109 of 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Tamiruddin, son of late Chand Mamud, of Kamdev Bahagili, police-station Pirgachha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 19th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1918. (3007—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 108 OF 1918.

PRESENT

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C S , District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Pashenullah, son of late Chandmamud, of Kamdeb Bahagili, police-station Pirgachha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 19th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1918. (3008—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 110 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Reazuddin, son of Samiruddin, of Kamdeb Bahagili, police-station Pirgachha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 19th day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1918. (3009—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 111 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S , District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Nilla Shaikh, son of late Ayen Shaikh, of Sitaighat, police-station Khirgram, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 21st day of December 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th December 1918. (3010—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 211 OF 1918.

Rasik Lal Bairagy, of Muchisaha, thana Budge-Budge, applicant.

To Narendra Nath Parui, of Khajori, thana Uluberia, district Howrah, and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 23rd day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th November 1918. (2837—1—2972)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 212 OF 1918.

Jatindra Nath Pajal, of Nandanpur, thana Budge-Budge, applicant.

To Kala Chand Mitra, of Nandanpur, thana Budge-Budge, and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 23rd day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th November 1918. (2838—1—2973)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 215 OF 1918.

Ram Sagore Haldar, of Dongajora, thana Jaynagar, applicant.

To Shaharaddi Naskar, of Joteolgachi, thana Baruipur, and others, creditors.

ON the 30th day of September 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 23rd day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th November 1918. (2839—1—2974)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 217 OF 1918.

Rup Chand Dhali, of Shaipala, thana Basirhat, applicant.

To Shaikh Makhul Peda, of Shaipala, thana Basirhat, and others, creditors.

ON the 1st day of October 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 23rd day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th November 1918. (2840—1—2975)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 220 OF 1918.

Shaikh Abdul Satter, of Ballygunj, thana Ballygunj, applicant.

To Gokul Chandra Das, of Janbazar Street, Calcutta, creditor.

On the 2nd day of October 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 23rd day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th November 1918. (2841—1—2976)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 221 OF 1918.

Sarbeswar Mondal, of Pahoria, thana Barasat, applicant

To Nandalal Mondal, of Ultadingi, 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

On the 2nd day of October 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 23rd day of December 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 19th November 1918. (2842—1—2977)

Advertisement.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of a Zoological Assistant under the Department of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. No one need apply who is not at least an I.Sc. of an Indian University and a training in Zoology is indispensable. The post is, for the present, a temporary one and the selected candidate will receive Rs 75 per mensem. There is a possibility of the successful candidate being appointed as a District Fishery Officer later on if his work proves satisfactory. Applications will be received by the undersigned till 15th December next.

T. SOUTHWELL,

Director of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa.

Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, the 28th November 1918.

Advertisement.

APPLICATIONS are invited for a few posts of District Fishery Officers in Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. For Bihar and Orissa a Beharee will be preferred. No one need apply who is not an I. A. or I. Sc. of an Indian University, and of good physique and active habits. Preference will be given to those who possess knowledge of Zoology. The selected candidates will be appointed from 1st March 1919. They will be taken, for the present, on probation for two years on Rs. 75 per mensem, after which they will be confirmed on the grade of Rs. 100—5—200. The applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th December next.

T. SOUTHWELL,

Director of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa.

Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, the 28th November 1918.

WANTED a Temporary Clerk on Rs 35 per month for the Accounts Branch of the office of the Executive Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division. Applicant must be under 23 years of age and must have passed the I. A. Examination or its equivalent. Preference will be given to a Muhammadan. Applications must reach the undersigned by the 15th instant.

C. P. M. HARRISON, Executive Engineer,

Circular and Eastern Canals Division.

Calcutta, the 6th December 1918.

NOTICE.

WANTED a Supervisor for the Dinajpur District Board on a monthly salary of Rs. 100—10—150 with travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations. None but a B. E. need apply. The selected candidate will be on probation for six months. If a Government servant is selected his pay will be regulated by the foreign service rules of the Civil Service Regulations.

Applications with copies of certificates and stating age will be received by the undersigned up to the 2nd January 1919.

P. H. WADDELL, Chairman,

District Board, Dinajpur.

(2989—3)

Wanted.

FOR the Jalpaiguri District Board two 2nd grade Sanitary Inspectors each on a monthly salary of Rs. 50 rising to Rs. 100 by an annual increment of Rs. 5 with usual travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations. None need apply who is not qualified under Government Notification No. 272L.S.-G., dated the 29th January 1914.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 2nd January 1919.

K. BANERJI, Vice-Chairman,
District Board, Jalpaiguri.
(3013—2)

Notice.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers and Engine-drivers of Inland Steam and Motor Vessels, under Act I of 1917, will be held at Goalundo on Monday, the 13th January 1919.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Subdivisional Office, Goalundo, not later than four days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

A. E. MCKENNA,
for Port Officer, Chittagong.

Chittagong, the 2nd December 1918. (2966—1)

Indian Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Medical Department will be held on 3rd February 1919, at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital, at these stations, and from—

Calcutta.	Simla.
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(3) All Administrative Medical Officers and the Principals of the Medical Colleges at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

R. A. NEEDHAM, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 15th November 1918.

P. W. D. Notification.

THE public are hereby informed that the Garria Bridge has been re-opened to traffic from the 4th December 1918.

By order,
C. P. M. HARRISON, Executive Engineer,
Circular and Eastern Canals Division.

Calcutta, the 6th December 1918.

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that the portion of the Midnapore Canal from Bansberia to Ulubaria, 8th Reach, will be closed to traffic for three months from 8th January 1919 for silt clearance.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 9th December 1918.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of Notes	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
010788 WD 2 of 1917-18.	VB 59 25006		Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son, Hornby Road, Bombay.
	,, 71891		
	VB 60 39328	5 each	
	UB 3 04198		
	XB 62 46687		
	XB 56 68149		
	XB 43 05890		
	VB 2 70994		
	VB 37 33895		
	,, 33896		
	VB 36 44651		
	VB 38 13018		
	UB 44 29849		
	RB 33 28101		
	UB 58 06308		
	RB 86 67157	10 each.	
	UB 72 22243		
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	RB 8 94608		
	VB 10 81254		
	RB 57 93522		
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R. B. DEANE, Deputy Controller,
In charge Paper Currency, Calcutta.

Paper Currency Department, 26th November 1918.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W D 2 of 1918-19 No.—011002	VB 66 15852	100	Thakur Rudra Prosad Singh, Talukdar, Tala, district Pertabgarh.

R. B. DEANE, Deputy Controller, in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, Calcutta, the 3rd December 1918.

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 121922 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1854-55 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of Amiabala Debi, administratrix of Hrishicase Gangooly, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of the advertiser—Amiabala Debi, Administratrix of Hrishicase Gangooly.

Residence—C/o Panchanan Gangooly village Ayda, Guptipara Post, district Hooghly.

(2766—3—2806)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 431, dated 4th May 1918, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
112578	3½ per cent. of 1842-43	2,000	Deba Prosanna Mukerjee, minor.

Name of the proprietor—Surat Kumari Debi, guardian of Deba Prosanna Mukerjee, minor.

Residence—Burdwan.

(2916—1—2978)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 175296, 175297 and 175298 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 100 each, originally standing in the name of Prosad Das Boral and Brothers and last endorsed to Santosh Kumar Mitra, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of the advertiser—SANTOSH KUMAR MITRA.

Residence—Gargoripara Road, Chinsura P. O., dt. Hugli.

(2765—3—2801)

Notice.

PURSUANT to the orders of Government, dated the 29th June 1881, particulars of the undernoted articles, held by the Calcutta Port Commissioners as Receivers of Wrecks, each article being of value exceeding Rs. 100, are published for general information in accordance with the provisions of section 76, Act VII of 1880 :—

Number and date in Recovery Register.	Description of articles.	Approximate value.	Where and when received.	Where lying.
		Rs.		
November, 18, 6.	One teakwood log measuring 23' 11"×26"×23" marked Steel 23 X. 1168 - 26 23	266	On the river Hooghly off Outram Ghat on the 1st November 1918.	Lying in the Wreck and anchor yard at Kidderpore.

JAS. SCOTT, Offg. Harbour Master.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 18th November 1918. (2784—3)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VIII of 1913, and In the matter of the Bengal Steamship Company, Limited, a Company incorporated under Act, VI of 1882, and having its registered office at No. 16, Bonomally Sircar Street, in the town of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the abovenamed Company by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal was, on the 26th day of November 1918, presented to the said High Court by Muralidhur Roy, of No. 16, Bonomally Sircar Street, in the town of Calcutta, a contributory of the said Company, and the said petition is directed to be heard before the said Court on the 6th day of January 1919, and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of the hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

CHARU CHANDRA BOSU, Attorney for the petitioner.

9, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, the 6th December 1918. (2982—1—2979)

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J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
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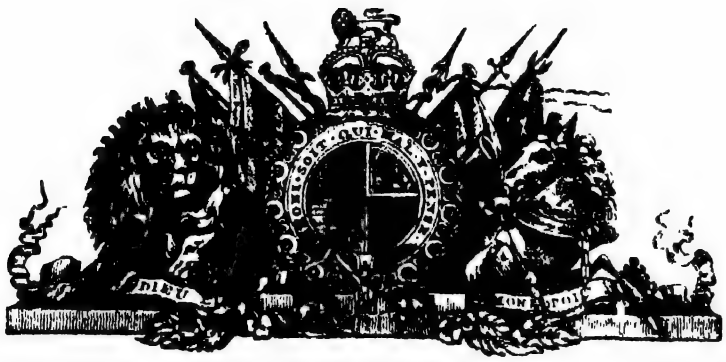

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council assembled under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1915.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber at Government House, Calcutta, on Tuesday, the 26th November, 1918, at 11 A.M.

Present :

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble LAWRENCE JOHN LUMLEY DUNDAS, EARL OF RONALDSHAY, G.C.I.E., *Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, presiding.*

The Hon'ble SIR HENRY WHEELER, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. J. G. CUMMING C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. J. H. KERR, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE, C.V.O.

The Hon'ble MAJOR-GENL. W. H. B. ROBINSON, C.B., I.M.S.

The Hon'ble MR. J. DONALD, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. L. S. S. O'MALLEY.

The Hon'ble MR. H. P. DUVAL.

The Hon'ble MR. M. C. McALPIN.
The Hon'ble MR. F. A. A. COWLEY.
The Hon'ble MR. W. C. WORDSWORTH.
The Hon'ble MR. C. F. PAYNE.
The Hon'ble MR. S. G. HART.
The Hon'ble RAI PRIYA NATH MUKHARJI BAHADUR, I.S.O.
The Hon'ble SIR RAJENDRA NATH MOOKERJEE, K.C.I.E.
The Hon'ble MR. J. MACKENZIE, O.B.E.
The Hon'ble MR. W. H. H. ARDEN-WOOD, C.I.E.
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The Hon'ble RAJA HRISHIKESH LAHA, C.I.E.
The Hon'ble MR. J. W. HELY-HUTCHINSON.
The Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER.
The Hon'ble BABU SIV NARAYAN MUKHARJI.
The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY.
The Hon'ble MR. ARUN CHANDRA SINGHA.
The Hon'ble SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI, KT., C.I.E.
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The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM.
The Hon'ble MR. M. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI.
The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ.
The Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI.
The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY.
The Hon'ble MR. ALTAF ALI.
The Hon'ble RAI SRI NATH RAY BAHADUR.
The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR.
The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY.
The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY, C.I.E.
The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.
The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR.

LIST OF BUSINESS.—Item No. 1.

Oath or Affirmation of Allegiance.

I. The Hon'ble MR. H. P. DUVAL, the Hon'ble MR. M. C. McALPIN and the Hon'ble MR. S. G. HART, made an oath or affirmation of their allegiance to the Crown.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 2.

STARRED QUESTIONS.

The following questions which had been starred were put and answered :—

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR : –

*1.

Non-supply of filtered water within certain municipal areas.

Will the Government be pleased to state what steps, if any, have been taken under the provisions of section 199 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, by the municipalities in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Hooghly and Howrah in which there is no supply of filtered water within the municipal area ?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. 1 (starred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR, *at the Council Meeting of the 26th November, 1918, showing the provision made for the supply of drinking water under section 199 of the Bengal Municipal Act in municipalities having no filtered water supply.*

Name of District.	Name of Municipalities	Number of reserved tanks.	Number of reserved wells.	REMARKS.
24 Parganas ...	Barnagore ...	Nil	Nil	It is reported that the Municipality will soon have a filtered water-supply.
	Kamarhati ...	Nil	Nil	Filtered water is purchased from the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality.
	Rajpur ...	2	4	
	Baruipur ...	2	6	
	Jaynagar ...	Nil	Nil	
	North Dum Dum ...	Nil	Nil	
	South Barrackpore ...	3	Nil	
	Barrackpore ...	Nil	Nil	
	Panihati ...	Nil	Nil	Steps are being taken for sinking 2 Norton's wells.
	North Barrackpore ...	3	1	
	Baraset ...	2	Nil	The Municipality has also got a Lorry-more boiler for supplying boiled drinking water to the rate-payers.
	Halisahar ...	Nil	Nil	
	Gobardanga ...	1	Nil	Another tank is being excavated.
	Basirhat ...	7	Nil	
	Baduria ...	Nil	Nil	
	Taki	Nil	Nil	
	Budge Budge ..	6	Nil	There are also 2 private tanks for drinking purposes under municipal care.
Hooghly ...	Bansberia .	Nil	Nil	It is reported that most of the inhabitants get filtered water from the local jute mills
	Bhadreswar ...	Nil	Nil	
	Champdany ...	Nil	Nil	
	Baidyabati ...	Nil	3	
	Rishra Konnagore ...	Nil	Nil	
	Kotrung ...	Nil	Nil	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	14	
Howrah ...	Bally	Nil	1	One well has been provided by the Victoria Cotton Mills for the use of the general public. The Bally Jute Mills, Ltd., have extended their filtered-water supply by means of hydrants to a part of the municipality.

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

*2.

Head-quarters station on the proposed Dhanbari sub-division.

(*a*) Have the Government received a representation from the people of North Tangail objecting to the election of Dhanbari as the head-quarters station of the new sub-division proposed for that area? If so, are the facts stated therein as regards the comparative advantages and disadvantages of Pingna and Dhanbari substantially correct?.

(*b*) Have the Government finally decided to make Dhanbari the head-quarters station of the proposed sub-division? If so, upon what grounds?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The representation, which takes no account of the relative positions of the two places within the sub-division, has been received and considered, and Government still adhere to the view that Dhanbari is better suited to be the head-quarters than any other site which has been proposed, including Pingna.

(*b*) Yes. The Hon'ble Member is referred to paragraph 9 of the memorandum published on the 16th August, 1917, and to the answer given on the 19th August last to a question asked in this Council by the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

*3.

Timber merchants of Jalpaiguri district.

(*a*) How many timber merchants are there at Rajabhatkhawa and other places in the district of Jalpaiguri carrying on timber business with the Forest Department; and how long have they been carrying on such business?

(*b*) Is the timber annually sold direct by the Department by public auction to the higest bidder? If so, how long has this practice been in force?

(*c*) Is it proposed to supersede this system by farming out the forests either annually or for a term of years to middlemen who will thus stand between the Department and the merchants, who are the actual buyers and dealers in timber?

(*d*) If so, are the Government considering the desirability of inquiring whether such a change in the system is, or is not, likely to result in loss both to the Government as well as to the merchants who have so far invested large sums of money in this business?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" (*a*) The exact number cannot be ascertained, but a very considerable number of timber merchants living at Rajabhatkhawa and other places in the district of Jalpaiguri attend auction sales held by the Forest Department for the sale of timber.

(*b*) Yes. The practice has been in force for 6 or 7 years.

(*c*) and (*d*) No. Government do not intend to initiate any system of sale which would be likely to prejudice the interests of Government or of the established traders."

UNSTARRED QUESTIONS.

(Answers to which were laid on the table).

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

I.

The Manikganj High English School.

(*a*) Is it a fact that, by certain conditions laid down by Government for the continuance of the grant-in-aid, the public of Manikganj have been deprived of the privilege of having a few elected representatives of their own on the managing committee of the Manikganj High English School?

(*b*) If so, what are the circumstances that led to the imposition of the said conditions?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table all correspondence between the District Magistrate of Dacca and the Director of Public Instruction on the question of the grant-in-aid to the Manikganj High English School and the new constitution of its managing committee?

(*d*) How long has the said school enjoyed the grant-in-aid, and at what rates?

(*e*) How many high English schools at present enjoy the grant-in-aid and in how many of them does the constitution of the managing committee not admit any elected representatives of the public as members thereof, as in the case of the Manikganj school; and for what reasons in each such case?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) The previous managing committee consisted of the Sub-divisional Officer, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, the senior Munsif, the Headmaster, a teachers' representative and five elected non-officials. There was a vacancy in 1917 owing to the resignation of one of the non-official members. On the expiry of the term of office of this committee, the Director of Public Instruction approved of its being re-constituted so as to include the Sub-divisional Officer, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, the senior Munsif, the Deputy Inspector of Schools, the Headmaster, a representative of the teachers, and four non-officials to be chosen by the District Magistrate. It was at the same time laid down that the continuance of the grant-in-aid would be conditional on the acceptance by the school authorities of a committee so reconstituted. The reconstitution was accepted by a majority of the old managing committee in April 1918.

(*b*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the reply to clause (*a*) of unstarred question No. XII.

(*c*) Government are not prepared to lay the correspondence on the table

(*d*) It is understood that the school has drawn a grant-in-aid since it became a high school in 1884, but figures for the last century are not available. The school has drawn a grant-in-aid at the following rates during the present century :—

	Per mensem. Rs.
1901-02	... 40
1903-06	... 35
1906-08*	... ...
1908-10	... 110
1911	... 130
1912-14	... 120
1915-17	... 150+15 for medical supervision.

* Figures are not available.

(*e*) The number is 244. There are two schools of which the managing committees do not contain elected representatives of the public. In one case there is a committee drawn from the family of the founders, proprietors and managers of the school; it is considered to be in the interest of the school to have a committee so constituted. In the other case there was a dispute between two sections of the managers of the schools, and representatives of all parties requested the District Magistrate to appoint the members of the managing committee."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

II.

Managing committees of aided schools.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) the reasons for promulgating a new set of grant-in-aid rules and introducing certain provisions therein laying down a rigid constitution for the managing committees of aided schools and generally making for an increased amount of control by the District Magistrates over the management of schools;

(*b*) whether recognized public bodies, or any non-official educationist or the school committees themselves were consulted in the matter before the promulgation of the said rules;

(*c*) how many managing committees have been reconstituted in accordance therewith, in what particular school, and in what manner, since the promulgation of the said rules;

(*d*) whether the said rules permit the Director of Public Instruction or the District Magistrate to dispense wholly with the election of representatives of the public as members of the managing committee of any school, and substitute nominated members therefor? If so, what are the circumstances in which such a step may be taken;

(*e*) whether the constitution of any managing committee has been altered in the manner indicated above, and the right of the public or subscribers to the school or guardians of the boys to elect their representatives on the managing committee taken away? If so, where and for what reasons; and

(*f*) whether any representation has been made against such a step in regard to any such school? If so, what is the purport of each such representation and by whom has it been submitted, and what, if any, action has been taken thereon?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) There were formerly different sets of grant-in-aid rules for West Bengal and Eastern Bengal, and, as it was necessary to co-ordinate them and establish uniformity, a new set of rules was approved by Government in February, 1918. The rules regarding the constitution of managing committees, to which the Hon'ble Member refers, were intended to secure the association of the District Officer with the management of secondary aided schools in his district, as well as to ensure the representation of the teaching staff, of parents and guardians of pupils and of founders and benefactors.

(*b*) The draft rules were circulated for opinion to Commissioners of Divisions and Inspectors of Schools. Full information as to the bodies and persons consulted by them is not available, but it appears that some District Boards, municipalities, secretaries to managing committees and non-official educationists were consulted

(*c*) The rules in question were revised in September 1918. Up to date of revision, the managing committees of the following 29 schools are reported to have been constituted in accordance with their provisions, viz:—

Dacca.

Brahmanbhita Union Institution.

Mymensingh.

Barhatta High School.

Faridpur.

(1) Ishan Institution.
(2) Lonsingh High School.

Calcutta.

(1) Kalighat Middle English School.
(2) Charakdanga Middle English School
(3) Baniapukur Junior Madrasah

24-Parganas.

(1) Gobardanga High English School
(2) Sodepur High English School.
(3) Naihati High English School.
(4) Sarisha High English School.
(5) Khantura Middle English School.
(6) Punra Middle English School.
(7) Manirampur Middle English School.
(8) Tollyganj Middle English School.
(9) Mohanpur Middle English School.
(10) Govindapur Middle English School.

Nadia.

(1) Sudhakarpur High English School
(2) Mirpur Middle English School.
(3) Talberia Middle English School.
(4) Bagberia Junior Madrasah

Murshidabad.

(1) Dumkol High English School
(2) Hilora Middle English School

Jessore.

(1) Maheshpur High English School.
(2) Sailkupa Middle English School
(3) Mirzapur Middle English School.

Khulna.

(1) Bagerhat High English School.
(2) Raruli High English School
(3) Kazdia Junior Madrasah

(*d*) A copy of the rules is laid on the table

(*e*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer to unstarred question No. XII on the subject of the Manikganj High School.

(*f*) No representation has been received by Government or the Director of Public Instruction."

Rules referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to Question No. II (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY *at the Council Meeting of the 26th November, 1918.*

RULES FOR MANAGING COMMITTEES.

1. The management of every aided school shall, unless specially excepted by the Director, be in the hands of a Managing Committee. The Secretary of this Committee will be the corresponding agent of the school recognized by the department.

2. The minimum number of members of the Managing Committee should be 6 and the maximum 10, including the President and the Secretary. The Managing Committee unless, specially excepted by the Director, should include the following members :—

(1) The President, who should be either the District Magistrate or some other person appointed by him.
(2) The Headmaster of the school.
(3) A representative of the teaching staff who should be nominated by the staff.
(4) & (5) Two members representative of the parents and guardians of the pupils of the school.
(6) One or more representatives of the founders or benefactors of the school.

NOTE.—The District Magistrate shall, if possible, himself take the office of President of aided high schools at district headquarters. In other cases and when the District Magistrate is unable, owing to pressure of work, to take the office of President of an aided high school, he shall appoint the President.

3. Arrangements shall be made for the election of the representative members by such methods as may appear suitable. The constitution of the Committee shall be subject to the approval of the District Magistrate. The members of the Committee should elect a Vice-President and a Secretary, and the election shall also be subject to the approval of the District Magistrate.

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

III.

Prospects of successful students of the Serampore Weaving Institute.

(*a*) What are the prospects of employment of boys who pass out of the Serampore Weaving Institute?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the number of boys who have passed from the higher and artisan classes of the Institute, respectively, during the last 5 years, and how they are employed at present?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) and (*b*)—Statements are laid on the table showing the number of students who have passed out of the artisan classes and the higher classes of the Serampore Weaving Institute, and how they are employed. The figures appear to show that the ex-students' prospects of finding employment are good"

Statement referred to in the answer by the HON'BLE MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. III (unstarred) asked by the* HON'BLE BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY *at the Council meeting of the 26th November, 1918 showing the number of students passed out of the Higher classes of the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, for the last 5 years, and how they are employed.*

Nature of employment obtained	1913-14.	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
Mills	1	...	1	6	2
Weaving demonstrators ...	5	5	...	2	...
Handloom factories	1	2	4	1	...
Textile Overseer in jails ...	1	...	...	1	...
Supervisors in the Co-operative Department.	...	1	1	...	2
Piece-goods trade	...	...	2	...	2
Proprietors of hand-loom weaving factories.	1	...	...	2	...
Miscellaneous	...	...	3	1	2
Unemployed	...	...	...	2	6
Total number passed ...	9	8	11	15	14

Statement referred to in the answer by the HON'BLE MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. III (unstarred) asked by the* HON'BLE BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY *at the Council meeting of the 26th November, 1918, showing the number of students passed out of the Artisan class of the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, for the last 5 years, and how they are employed.*

Nature of employment obtained.	1913-14.	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18.
Earning their livelihood by weaving on fly-shuttle looms.	47	35	35	60	51
Employed as village teachers	1	0	2	2	2
Employed in mills	1	0	2	1	3
Unemployed, or employment not known.	6	2	4	2	4
Total number passed ...	55	37	43	65	60

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

IV.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the Divisional offices of the Public Works Department and the District Boards and Municipalities generally confine their call for tenders to a limited number of contractors? Mode of calling for tenders by certain offices

(*b*) Is there any practice for them anywhere to call for tenders in every matter by advertising in the newspapers or otherwise?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) So far as the Public Works Department is concerned tenders for all large and important works are invited by advertisement in the press and by notices posted in suitable public places Several Divisions maintain lists of known and tried capable contractors who are invited to submit tenders for less important works which are not expected to attract contractors living at a distance. In the case of petty works and repairs the contractors usually employed in the Division are either invited to compete by tender or the works are distributed amongst them, as the majority of the contractors willing to take up petty works and repairs are not sufficiently educated to frame tenders, but are capable of satisfactorily carrying out works at the rates prevalent in the locality.

As regards local bodies the practice is not uniform. As a rule the call for tenders is not confined to a limited number of contractors but is open to all, but in a few District Boards and a number of municipalities the call for tenders is confined to registered contractors : it is also not uncommon for local bodies to offer contracts for petty works to local contractors only.

Tenders are advertised in the newspapers only in the case of large and costly works and the general practice is for notices to be posted in public offices and conspicuous places and sent to contractors and to have announcements made by beat of drum."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

V.

(*a*) With regard to the decrease in the closing balance of District Boards, and their increasing expenditure, referred to by Government in the last Report on the working of District Boards, have the Government made any reference on the subject to the Government of India? Unsatisfactory state of finance of District Boards.

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing the prescribed minimum balance of each District Board, as compared with the actual balance of the last two years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) The reply is in the negative.

(*b*) A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. V (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY *at the Council Meeting of the 26th November, 1918 :—*

Name of District Board.	ACTUAL BALANCE.		MINIMUM BALANCE FIXED BY COMMISSIONER.	
	1916-17.	1917-18.	1916-17.	1917-18.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan	3,06,565	3,67,566	24,524	25,824
Birbhum	29,781	38,089	5,630	11,490
Bankura	9,924	28,991	6,344	6,600
Midnapore	2,23,659	1,68,422	45,157	44,814
Hooghly	53,286	74,118	11,819	12,762
Howrah	25,252	40,062	18,511	19,164
24-Parganas	3,42,086	3,12,355	30,000	26,000
Nadia	9,286	28,614	12,000	12,000
Murshidabad	59,278	32,997	15,000	15,000
Jessore	52,237	54,409	13,000	13,000
Khulna	24,059	35,608	11,000	11,000
Dacca	34,671	36,040	49,165	51,113
Mymensingh	1,47,461	1,53,052	50,000	50,000
Faridpur	10,406	32,542	33,419	39,223
Bakarganj	69,462	41,895	64,701	67,655
Chittagong	25,520	49,018	21,000	21,000
Tippera	1,09,450	1,55,864	10,000	10,000
Noakhali	92,039	1,15,000	12,000	12,000
Rajshahi	70,669	18,360	13,084	13,290
Dinajpur	43,173	28,893	15,148	14,404
Jalpaiguri	1,19,142	65,901	14,421	14,164
Rangpur	8,282	5,110	21,322	19,787
Bogra	28,741	24,786	7,771	7,819
Pabna	71,127	74,208	10,485	9,625
Malda	40,316	26,712	6,713	7,227

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

VI.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether, in pursuance of the assurance given by the Hon'ble Mr. Kerr at the meeting of this Council held on the 14th March, 1918, the proposals of this Government regarding the improvement in the pay and prospects of the Provincial Judicial Service have been submitted to the Government of India after consultation with the High Court? If so, when? Pay and prospects of the Provincial Judicial Service.

(*b*) If not, will the Government be pleased to state the reasons for the delay, and also to state what steps have been, or are being, taken for the speedy submission of the said proposals to the Government of India?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The High Court were consulted on the subject on the 23rd March and replied on the 5th September. The matter is at present under examination by the local Government."

"I may also refer the Hon'ble Member to the Resolution which appeared in last week's *Calcutta Gazette*."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

VII.

(*a*) Is it a fact that Mr. J. D. Cargill, I.C.S., has been the District and Sessions Judge of Mymensingh for over seven years? Questions about Mr. J. D. Cargill.

(*b*) What other Judges have been in charge of a district for such a long period during recent times?

(*c*) Is it the usual practice to keep a Judicial or Executive officer in charge of any particular district for such a long time? If not, why has a deviation been made in the case of Mr. Cargill?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Six years, approximately, is the longest that any other Judge has been at his present station.

(*c*) The general policy of Government is to make transfers only when they are necessary in the interests of the public service. The unusual conditions arising out of the war, which have restricted the grant of leave, have tended to protract the term of individual tenures of particular appointments."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

VIII.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that a leading pleader and public man of Mymensingh complained of the mode of work of Mr. Cargill before the Public Services Commission? Complaint against Mr. Cargill before the Public Services Commission.

(*b*) If the answer is in the affirmative—

(*i*) did the Government make any inquiries into the matter;

(*ii*) was there any foundation for the complaint; and

(*iii*) if there was, have the grounds of complaint been since removed?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR KERR :—

"(*a*) No.

(*b*) The question does not arise."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

IX.

Number of sessions cases disposed of by Mr. Cargill and his predecessors, etc.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the number of sessions cases, criminal appeals (other than jail appeals), and contested civil appeals that were disposed of by Mr. Cargill himself during the last two years?

(*b*) Will the Government be also pleased to lay on the table the number of similar cases disposed of by Mr. Cargill's predecessor in office during the last two years of the latter's incumbency?

(*c*) (*i*) On how many occasions did other Judges officiate for Mr. Cargill, and for what periods?

(*ii*) How many such cases were disposed of by them during the respective periods they held office?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR DUVAL :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) Government have not the information from which the figures can be supplied.

(*c*) (*i*) 4 times, *i.e.*, 21 days in 1913.
1 month 10 days in 1915.
1 month 9 days in 1916.
1 month 4 days in 1917.

(*ii*) Government have not the information from which the figures can be supplied."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

X.

Chaukidari assessment.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing how the assessment-roll of the chaukidari tax has varied in the last two assessments in each district?

(*b*) What considerations generally determine the amount of assessment in each case?

(*c*) Are there any uniform principles of general application throughout the Province in this behalf, or are such principles susceptible of variation in different areas?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table any circulars or instructions that may have been issued in regard to the principles of assessment?

(*e*) Are the Government aware that in many cases the rates of assessment vary greatly, to all appearance, as between neighbouring villages?

(*f*) How many assessees are there in each district, including (*i*) Muhammadans, and (*ii*) Non-Muhammadans, paying an annual chaukidari tax of Rs. 4, Rs. 2, and Re. 1, respectively; and what proportion of the rural population of the respective districts do they represent?

(*g*) Are the Government in a position to state how many of each such class of assessees are literate?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*), (*f*) and (*g*)—The material necessary to answer these questions is not immediately available, and, as its collection would involve the expenditure of an entirely disproportionate amount of time and labour, Government are not prepared to undertake it.

(*b*) and (*c*)—The general principles on which the assessment should be based are contained in sections 13 to 15 of the Village-chaukidari Act. The application of these principles rests with the panchayet of each union, and they are to this extent susceptible of variation

(*d*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to rules 48 to 73 of the Chaukidari Manual No other instructions have been issued

(*e*) Government have no detailed information on this point"

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XI.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that some vagueness is felt as to the particular authority who is to prescribe text-books for the primary and secondary schools from the present heavy list of approved text-books? Text-books for primary and secondary schools.

(*b*) Are the Divisional Inspectors or the District Boards and Municipalities authorized to select and prescribe text-books from the approved list for the schools in their charge?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state what, if any, departure has been made in policy in this matter, and for what reasons?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) No such complaint has reached the Director of Public Instruction.

(*b*) Headmasters of secondary schools and local bodies in charge of primary education are authorised to select and prescribe text-books from the approved list.

(*c*) Formerly the Director of Public Instruction prescribed definite text-books for all schools intending to compete for scholarships, but now the Director of Public Instruction recommends a large number of approved text-books from which such schools can make their choice The change of policy is due to the fact that the number of suitable text-books in each subject is nowadays not so limited as before and it was considered inadvisable to continue a system which conferred exceptional advantages on a small number of authors or publishers."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ :—

XII.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) the circumstances in which the Manikganj High School has been placed under a managing committee entirely nominated by the District Magistrate of Dacca; The Manikganj High School

(*b*) when the Manikganj High School was established, and by whom, and who have managed it since its foundation; and

(*c*) when the grant-in-aid was first given to the said school, and what has been the constitution of the managing committee since then?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) The school had had a bad record for some years past, and it was considered desirable that the committee should be reconstituted in order to secure better management.

(*b*) The school was formerly a middle school and was raised to the status of a high school in 1884 through the exertions of the then Sub-divisional Officer of Manikganj Since then it has been managed by the Sub-divisional Officer and a committee of officials and non-officials

(*c*) The school has enjoyed a grant-in-aid since its foundation. From 1886 to 1906 it was managed by a committee of 22 to 25 members consisting of officials and non-officials. In 1906 the number was limited to ten, of whom two were Government officers, two were Muhammadans, two were pleaders, two were *mukhtars*, one was a private medical practitioner and one was a merchant. From 1908 to 1916 the committee consisted of 2 officials, 2 members of the teaching staff, 2 pleaders, 3 *mukhtars* and a private medical practitioner. In 1916 the committee appointed the Deputy Superintendent of Police to a vacancy caused by the death of a *mukhtar*. In 1917 the committee consisted of the Sub-divisional Officer, the senior Munsif, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, the Headmaster, a teachers' representative, one pleader, two *mukhtars* and another private gentleman; there was one vacancy due to the resignation of a pleader. The present committee consists of the Sub-divisional Officer, the senior Munsif, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, the Deputy Inspector of Schools, the Headmaster, a teachers' representative, and 3 pleaders and *mukhtars*."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ :—

XIII.

Headmaster of the Manikganj High English School.

(*a*) Is it a fact that the present Headmaster of the Manikganj High English School was appointed on probation for six months in March, 1917?

(*b*) Was the question of confirming him in his appointment, or extending his term of office, ever brought before the Managing Committee after the expiration of the said period? If not, on what authority was the Headmaster continuing in office after the said period?

(*c*) Was there any opposition by the Managing Committee to the appointment of the present Headmaster? If so, on what grounds?

(*d*) How many applications were received for the Headmastership, and how many of the candidates were M.A.'s or had experience as Headmasters of other schools?

(*e*) (*i*) What were the reasons for selecting the present Headmaster;

(*ii*) what are his educational and other qualifications;

(*iii*) at what places did he act as Headmaster before his appointment as Headmaster of the Manikganj High English School and for what periods at each place; and

(*iv*) what remarks, if any, were made by the Inspecting officers as to his abilities or otherwise at each such place?

(*f*) Is it a fact that the said Headmaster was mixed up in the Jagatshi Asram affairs in Assam, and was a witness at the Dayananda trial at Sylhet?

(*g*) Are the Government aware that the Sessions Judge of Sylhet, in his judgment, observed that this gentleman was wanting in mental balance, and made other adverse remarks about him? If so, will the Government be pleased to give all the extracts from the said judgment bearing reference to this gentleman?

(*h*) Is it a fact that these facts were brought to the notice of the Sub-divisional Officer of Manikganj by certain members of the Managing Committee at the time of the appointment of the Headmaster? If so, what inquiries, if any, were made by him into the allegations?

(*j*) Is it a fact that the Sub-divisional Officer had received a mandate from the District Magistrate of Dacca to see that this gentleman was appointed Headmaster?

(*k*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table any correspondence that passed between the District Magistrate, the Inspector of Schools, and the Sub-Divisional Officer regarding this appointment?

(*l*) Is it a fact that since his appointment as Headmaster of the Manikganj High English School several complaints were made to the Sub-divisional Officer, the Managing Committee, and the Inspector of Schools against his conduct and administration of the school? If so, will the Government be pleased to state the purport of the complaints made on each occasion, and whether any inquiries were made thereinto, and the result thereof?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*b*) So far as Government are aware, the question of confirmation was not raised on the expiry of the period of probation and the Headmaster continued to hold his appointment with the concurrence of the Committee, by which he had been appointed.

(*c*) The Headmaster was appointed by a majority of the votes of the Committee, 5 voting for and 3 against his appointment. It is understood that the minority was of opinion that the Headmaster would be unpopular with the other teachers.

(*d*) 100, of whom 34 were M.A.'s and 14 had experience as Headmasters of other schools.

(*e*) (*i*) and (*ii*) The Committee did not record any reasons for appointing the Headmaster. He had excellent testimonials from a former Sub-divisional Officer of Manikganj, from Secretaries of three High schools in which he had served, and from the Principal of St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh. He passed the B.A. in 1906 and appeared at the M.A. examination in November, 1907.

(*iii*)

'Bengali Boys' English School, Nagpur		4 months in 1906
Muragacha High English School	...	1908-09
Balurghat ditto	...	1909-10
Sibpur ditto	...	1910-11
Bhadreswar ditto	...	1911-12
Raipura ditto	...	1915-16

(*iv*) Government have no information.

(*f*) It has been reported that the Headmaster was under the influence of Dayananda and his disciples for a time and that he was a witness against Dayananda in a trial held by the Deputy Commissioner of Silchar.

(*g*) A copy of the judgment is not available.

(*h*) No.

(*j*) No.

(*k*) No.

(*l*) Two complaints were received by the Managing Committee, the principal allegations being—

(*1*) that the Headmaster had used discourteous language regarding one of the members of the Committee, and

(*2*) that he had forced some of the boarders of the school hostel to make confessions of a scandalous character affecting certain teachers of the school.

The Inspector of Schools made an inquiry, and in regard to the first allegation found that the Headmaster had probably been indiscreet in his remarks. As regards the second allegation, inquiry was made by the Sub-divisional Officer and a member of the Managing Committee, as well as by the Inspector, and 13 boys of the hostel were either rusticated or expelled, and two Superintendents were dismissed. There were certain other minor charges which were not substantiated by evidence."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

XIV.

Election to the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality

(*a*) Are the Government aware of the notice, dated the 3rd September, 1915, issued by the Sub-divisional Magistrate of Serampore in the district of Hooghly in connection with the general election of Municipal Commissioners of the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality held on the 11th September, 1915?

(*b*) Are the Bengal Municipal Election Rules issued under Notification No. 4345 M., dated the 21st November, 1896, still in force?

(*c*) If so, do the Government contemplate directing the Sub-divisional Magistrate of Serampore not to issue any notice similar to that referred to above at the ensuing general election of Municipal Commissioners of the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes, with certain amendments.

(*c*) As the election of 1915 was the first election of the Municipality, the Magistrate was authorized to perform the duties assigned by the election rules to the Chairman or Commissioners in meeting, and he directed the Sub-divisional Officer to discharge these duties. At the ensuing general election the powers assigned by the election rules to the Chairman will be exercised by him, and the Sub-divisional Officer will have nothing to do with the election."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

XV.

Certain statistics of the South Konnagar Ward of the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the following particulars regarding the South Konnagar Ward within the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality in the district of Hooghly :—

(1) the annual income from (*a*) the holding tax, and (*b*) the latrine fees before and after the assessment made this year;

(2) the income on account of grants made out of the proceeds from the Ferry Ghat near Konnagar *Bazar*;

(3) the taxes paid annually by Messrs. D. Waldie and Company and also by the Bengal Distillery Company, Limited;

(4) the fees realized from pounds, hackney-carriages, and cart registration;

(5) the tax on animals and vehicles and the tax on professions and trades; and

(6) the miscellaneous income?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR O'MALLEY :—

"A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. XV (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Council meeting of the 26th November, 1918* :—

	Rs.	A.
Annual income before assessment—		
Holding tax	2,836	0
Latrine fees	2,466	8
Annual income after assessment—		
Holding tax	3,188	5
Latrine fees	2,589	15
Annual income from ferry	700	8
Taxes paid annually by—		
Messrs. D. Waldie & Co.	1,157	12
Bengal Distillery Co.	137	8
Fees realised from—		
Pounds	110	0
Hackney-carriages	28	0
Cart registration	55	4
Annual tax on—		
Animals	12	12
Vehicles	40	8
Professions and trades	265	0
Annual miscellaneous income	6	0

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

XVI.

Will the Government also be pleased to state— Population etc, of the Konnagar Municipality.

(*i*) the population,

(*ii*) the total number of rate-payers,

(*iii*) the total number of illiterate rate-payers; and

(*iv*) the area of each of the wards of the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*i*) 17,373.

(*ii*) 2,425.

(*iii*) The information is not available

(*iv*) Rishra Bustee ward ... ·27 square miles.
Rishra village ward ... ·53 „ „
Konnagar (North) ... ·68 „ „
Konnagar (South) ... ·70 „ „

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

XVII

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the length and present condition of Criper Road in the South Konnagar Ward of the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality? Criper Road in the South Konnagar Ward of the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality.

(*b*) Are the Government aware of the fact that Messrs D Waldie & Co have repeatedly invited the attention of the Municipality to the want of improvement in the condition of this road?

(*c*) Is it a fact that the Indian residents and the rate-payers have been also complaining to the municipal authorities regarding the disrepair of this road?

(*d*) Is it a fact that this road, which runs from the Ferry Ghat to the Konnagar railway station, is the only important road in the South Konnagar Ward?

(*e*) Is it a fact that a large number of people residing in the Kotrung Municipality and the villages within the District Board of Hooghly daily pass through this road on their way to and from the Konnagar railway station?

(*f*) Are the Government considering the desirability of urging the local authorities to improve the condition of this important road at an early date?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) The length of the Criper Road is about 5,000 feet. Its present condition is reported to be good.

(*b*) and (*c*) A petition was received from some of the inhabitants of Rishra complaining of the bad condition of the Criper Road, and on a reference being made to the Vice-Chairman of the Municipality, it transpired that Messrs. D. Waldie and Co. had agreed to contribute Rs. 800 and the Municipality had allotted Rs. 410 for metalling the road with stone.

(*d*) It is one of the most important roads in the South Konnagar ward.

(*e*) Yes.

(*f*) Having regard to the action taken Government do not consider it necessary to move in the matter."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

XVIII.

Headmasters of certain schools and their salaries, etc.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement

(*1*) containing—

(*i*) the names of Headmasters of the Hooghly Collegiate, Utterpara (in the Hooghly district), the Hindu, the Hare, and the Sanskrit Collegiate Schools, Calcutta, from 1894 to July, 1918; and

(*ii*) the amount of salary per month and local allowances, if any, drawn by each?

(*2*) showing—

(*i*) the number of pupils; and

(*ii*) the annual income and expenditure of the schools referred to above,

during the last six years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"Statements giving the information asked for are laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. XVIII (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Council meeting of the 26th November, 1918, showing (i) the names of Headmasters of the Hooghly Collegiate, Uttarpara, Hindu, Hare and Sanskrit Collegiate Schools from 1894 to July, 1918, and (ii) the amount of salary per month and local allowances, if any, drawn by each.*

Hooghly Collegiate School.

Year	Names of Headmasters	Salary.	Allowance, if any
		Rs.	
1894 ..	Babu Hari Prosad Banerji ...	280	
1895—1896 ...	Ditto ...	300	
1897—1900 ...	„ Khirod Ch. Roy Chowdhury	250	
1901 ...	„ Kailash Chandra Bhattacharya.	200	
1902—1904 ...	„ Barada Prosad Ghosh ...	500	
1905—1906 ...	Maulvi Azizul Huq	200	
1907—1909 ...	Babu Hari Das Banerji ...	350	
1910—1912 ...	Ditto ...	400	
1913—1916 ...	Maulvi Matloob Ahmad Khan Chowdhury.	300	
1917—July 1918 ...	Babu Aghor Nath Banerji ...	250	

Uttarpara Government High School.

1894—1896 ...	The school was not then in existence.		
1897—1898 ..	Babu Jadu Nath Pal, B.A. ...	125	
1898—1902 ...	Ditto ditto ...	150	
1903—1904 ...	Ditto ditto ...	200	
1905—1909 ...	Ditto ditto ...	250	
1910—1915 ...	Babu Hara Kanta Bose, B.A. ...	150	
1916—July 1918 ...	„ Dwijendra Nath Neogi, B.A.	150	Duty allowance of Rs. 50 per mensem as Headmaster.

Hindu School.

1894 ...	Babu Krishna Chandra Ray ...	300	
1895—1898 ...	„ Haranath Bhattacharji ...	200	
1899—1902 ...	Rai Rasamay Mitra Bahadur ...	200	
1903—1904 ...	Ditto ditto ...	250	
1905—1909 ...	Ditto ditto ...	350	
1910—1911 ...	Ditto ditto ...	400	
1912—1916 ...	Ditto ditto ...	500	
1917—July 1918 ...	Babu Satis Chandra Sen ...	200	

Hare School.

1894—1895 ...	Babu Bholanath Pal ...	500	
1896—1898 ...	Rai Rasamay Mitra Bahadur ...	200	
1899—1900 ...	Babu Hari Das Banerji ...	200	
1901—1902 ...	„ Hari Charan Roy ...	200	
1903—1904 ...	Rai Sahib Ishan Ch. Ghosh ...	250	
1905—1909 ...	Ditto ditto ...	350	
1910—1911 ...	Ditto ditto ...	400	
1912—1915 ...	Ditto ditto ...	500	
1916—July 1918 ...	Babu Hara Kanta Bose ...	200	

Sanskrit Collegiate School.

Year	Names of Headmasters.	Salary	Allowance, if any.
		Rs.	
1894 ...	Babu Chandra Kumar Moitra ...	200	
1895 ...	Ditto ditto ...	220	
1896 ...	Ditto ditto ...	240	
1897—1900	Ditto ditto ...	250	
1901 ...	,, Hara Nath Bhattacharji ...	250	
1902—1904 ...	,, Hari Charan Roy ...	200	
1905—1908 ...	Ditto	300	
1909—1910 ...	Ditto	350	
1911—1912 ...	Ditto	400	
1913 ...	,, Hem Chandra Sen Gupta ...	200	
1914—July 1918 ...	,, Beni Madhab Das ...	250	

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. XVIII (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Council meeting of the 26th November, 1918, showing (i) the number of pupils, and (ii) the annual income and expenditure of the Hooghly Collegiate, Uttarpara, Hindu, Hare and Sanskrit Collegiate Schools during the last six years.*

Name of School.	Number of Pupils.						Income.						Expenditure.					
	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Hooghly Collegiate School.	287	239	223	245	260	281	8,083	7,618	6,800	6,580	6,763	7,061	15,518	18,416	21,806	19,605	18,743	16,179
2. Uttarpara Government School.	288	314	322	326	333	343	7,638	9,311	9,917	10,849	9,763	10,306	9,996	9,443	11,509	11,606	10,511	10,724
3. Hindu School	636	612	603	624	593	577	30,262	28,961	27,163	27,814	28,005	27,649	24,635	23,904	27,947	24,682	24,122	21,392
4. Hare School ...	572	644	599	622	567	575	27,629	29,101	30,627	29,393	29,529	28,800	22,991	23,090	27,309	23,967	20,320	20,993
5. Sanskrit Collegiate School.	234	223	206	192	208	218	2,782	3,311	2,906	2,651	2,791	2,910	14,359	15,426	18,299	17,845	17,199	16,150

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

XIX.

Total number of steamers, flats, etc., in Calcutta port and their passengers

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*i*) the total number of all steamers, flats and country boats (passenger as well as cargo boats) and their crew, registered in the Port of Calcutta during the last three years; and

(*ii*) the total average number of passengers which these steamers and passenger boats were licensed to carry during the last three years ?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" Statements showing the particulars asked for by the Hon'ble Member are placed on the table."

Statements referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY *to question No. XIX (Unstarred) by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *asked at the Council meeting of the 26th November 1918.*

A—Particulars regarding passenger boats.

Statement showing (1) the total number of steamers, flats, boats, etc. registered in the Port of Calcutta, (2) the number of passengers they are licensed to carry, and (3) the total number of cargo flats and boats registered in the Port of Calcutta with their registered tonnage, for the years 1915-16 to 1917-18.

	1915-16		1916-17.		1917-18.		CREW ACCORDING TO SIZE OF VESSELS
	Number registered by Port Commissioners' boat surveyor	Number of passengers for which licensed	Number registered by Port Commissioners' boat surveyor.	Number of passengers for which licensed	Number registered by Port Commissioners' boat surveyor.	Number of passengers for which licensed	Minimum number on any one vessel *
Flats (over 100 tons) registered for carriage of passengers ...	14	10,019	18	12,128	14	8,872	9
Green boat	234	3,117	241	3,293	254	3,553	4
Pansway	58	2,861	76	3,601	66	3,256	3
Dinghy	426	5,524	401	5,064	372	4,459	3
Budgeros	3	98	3	170	2	68	5
Barges (under 100 tons) registered for carriage of passengers ...	21	3,507	21	3,431	22	3,436	5
Steamers	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	...

* The number of the crew varies with the size of the vessel, the numbers given in this column are the minimum admissible for the smallest size and are exceeded for the larger vessels

B—Particulars regarding cargo flats and boats.

Cargo flats:—minimum crew 9 per flat.

Cargo flats.	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
Number registered ...	343	308	296

Cargo boats:—minimum crew 5 per boat.

	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
Class A Cargo boats.			
Number registered ...	2,160	2,087	1,987
Registered tonnage ...	91,632	89,196	84,726
Class B Cargo boats.			
Number registered ...	4,575	4,147	4,128
Registered tonnage ...	82,499	73,066	70,805

N B—Class A cargo boats are those which are square built *i.e*, the frames are square built on the principle of European shipbuilding

Class B cargo boats are country-built boats of all descriptions.

In the case of cargo flats a fixed charge independent of tonnage is made and hence no figures of tonnage are available.

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Riparian municipalities and offences committed therein under section 34 of the Police Act of 1861.

XX.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table—

(*a*) the list of Municipalities (by the side of the Ganges, *i.e.*, the Bhagirathi) in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Hooghly and Howrah, in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861) is in force;

(*b*) the dates of publication of notifications enforcing section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), in those Municipalities in the *Calcutta Gazette;*

(*c*) the length of river-frontage in each of the Municipalities referred to above;

(*d*) the total number of public latrines for the use of males and females separately, near the riverside in each of the Municipalities referred to above;

(*e*) the total number of prosecutions under section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861) within the jurisdiction of each of the Municipalities referred to above during the last three years; and

(*f*) the total amount of fines credited to the Municipal funds of each of such Municipalities during the last three years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. XX (Unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Council meeting of the 26th November, 1918.*

Municipalities on the banks of the Bhagirathi (Hooghly) in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force.	Date of publication in the *Calcutta Gazette* of notifications extending section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861).	Approximate length of the river frontage in each municipality.	Number of public latrines for the use of males and females near the river side in each municipality.	Number of prosecutions under section 34 of the Police Act within each municipality during the last 3 years.	Amount of fines credited to the Municipal Fund during the last 3 years.
DISTRICT 24-PARGANAS.					Rs.
Cossipore-Chitpur ...	24th November 1869.	8792 feet ...	Nil	Nil	Nil.
Barnagore ...	Ditto ...	About 2 miles ...	Nil	119	480
Kamarhati ...	Ditto ...	1·68 miles ...	Nil	81	117*
Garden Reach ...	25th July 1906.	5 miles 6 furlongs	Nil	19†	38†
North Barrackpore ...	7th June 1871.	About 3 miles ...	One containing 7 seats for females and 10 for males.	22	28
South Barrackpore ...	Ditto ...	About 1 mile ...	Nil	59	134
Barrackpore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Nil	85‡	148‡
Panihati ...	Ditto ...	2½ miles ...	Two for males ...	74	245
Tittagarh ...	Ditto ...	1·51 miles ...	Nil	314	1,070
Garulia ...	Ditto ...	1 mile 1,478 yards	Four with 66 seats, 44 for males and 22 for females.§	92	111
Naihati ...	1st September 1875.	About 2 miles ...	Two with 6 seats each, of which 4 seats are for males and 2 for females.	156	436
Halisahar ...	Ditto ...	About 3 miles ...	One	37	37
Bhatpara ...	Ditto ...	4 miles ...	Nil	70	165
Budge-Budge ...	23rd October 1901.	About 3 miles ...	Nil	175	261

* There are 3 septic tank latrines for employés of the Kamarhati Jute Mills.
† The figures relate to the period 1st April 1917 to 31st December 1917.
‡ These figures are for 1916-17 only.
§ There are 8 latrines belonging to local mills with 88 seats for males and 44 for females. There are also 3 septic tanks within 200 yards of the river in the compound of the Shamnagore Jute Mill.

Municipalities on the banks of the Bhagirathi (Hooghly) in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force.	Date of publication in the *Calcutta Gazette* of notifications extending section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861).	Approximate length of the river frontage in each municipality.	Number of public latrines for the use of males and females near the river side in each municipality.	Number of prosecutions under section 34 of the Police Act within each municipality during the last 3 years.	Amount of fines credited to the municipal Fund during the last 3 years.
DISTRICT NADIA.					Rs.
Nabadwip ...	5th July 1869.	1·86 miles ...	Five (viz., 3 for males each with 6 seats and 2 for females each with 6 seats).	86	287
Santipur ...	28th February 1865.	3·76 ,, ...	Four (viz. 2 for males each containing 6 seats and 2 for females each containing 6 seats).	72	229
DISTRICT HOOGHLY.					
Bansberia ...	12th July 1912.	4 ,, ...	Four with 19 seats of which 12 are for males and 7 for females.	209	236
Hooghly-Chinsura ..	Ditto ...	5½ ,, ...	Two (for males and females combined).	734	946
Bhadreswar ...	26th June 1879.	1¾ ,, ...	Nil	621	2,102
Champdany ...	Ditto ...	2 ,, ...	Nil	The Champdany Bench has been newly constituted and started from 12th August 1918.	
Baidyabati ...	8th April 1879.	2 ,, ...	Two with 15 seats for males and 5 seats for females.	547	981
Serampore ...	12th July 1912.	3·56 ,, ...	One with 2 seats, one for males and the other for females.*	905	1,234
Rishra-Konnagore ...	Ditto ...	2¾ ,, ...	One with 6 seats for males and 2 for females.	228†	253†
Kotrung ...	Ditto ...	2 ,, ...	Nil	89	126
Uttarpara ...	Ditto ...	1 mile ...	Nil	215	403
DISTRICT HOWRAH.					
Howrah ...	19th November 1866.	6·3 miles ...	Seven, of which one is for males and one for females. In the remaining five half the seats are reserved for females and half for males.	6,989	19,328
Bally	Ditto ...	2⅛ ,, ...	Eight (4 for males and 4 for females).	194	257

* There is also another public latrine within easy distance with 16 seats for males and 8 for females.
† Represents figures for the period October 1915 to the end of the year 1917.

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

XXI.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement containing the names, age, University qualifications, place and period of practical training, date of appointment and salary of persons in the superior grade who are employed in the Bacteriological Laboratory of the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, and also of those under the Chemical Examiner to the Government of Bengal?

Superior grade officers under Sanitary Commissioner and Chemical Examiner to Government.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY, *to question No. XXI (Unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the meeting of Council held on the 26th November, 1918, containing the names, etc., of persons in the superior grade employed in (1) the Chemical and Bacteriological Laboratory of the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, and (2) the Department of the Chemical Examiner to the Government of Bengal.*

NAME.	Age (years).	University qualification	Place and period of training.	Date of present appointment.	Salary in rupees.
(1) CHEMICAL AND BACTERIOLOGICAL LABORATORY OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER, BENGAL.					
Rao Sahib V. Govinda Raju.	32	Graduate in Zoology, took first place in the Presidency in Science, Madras University.	Junior Bacteriological Assistant, King Institute of Preventive Medicine, Madras, about 2½ years.	7th July, 1910	150—$\frac{20}{2}$—250
Babu Surendra Nath Dey	42	B. A., Chemistry and Physics; diploma-holder, Higher Agricultural course.	Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, 3 years; Demonstrator in Chemistry, Presidency College, 1 month; Lecturer in Science, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, 3 months; Head Chemical Assistant in the Laboratory attached to the Industrial Section, Indian Museum, 6 years.	1st August, 1910.	150—$\frac{20}{2}$—250
Babu Kali Prosanna Roy	32	Master of Arts ..	Assistant to the Imperial Agricultural Chemist, Pusa Research Institute, 1 year, First Assistant to the Agricultural Chemist, Sabaur Agricultural College, 1 year; Head Chemical Assistant to the Laboratory attached to the Department of Botanical Survey, Government of India, about 3 years.	1st April, 1913.	125—$\frac{15}{2}$—200
Babu Sachindra Kissore Das Roy.	36	.....	Demonstrator and Bacteriological Assistant, Albert Victor Hospital and Medical Institution, 2 years; Bacteriological Assistant in the Raymond Research Laboratory, Belgachia Veterinary College, 9 years.	January, 1915.	125—$\frac{15}{2}$—200
(2) THE DEPARTMENT OF THE CHEMICAL EXAMINER TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.					
Rai Chunilal Bose Bahadur	57	M. B. of the Calcutta University.	One year's training in the Chemical Examiner's Department, Calcutta	28th April, 1915.	600 100 A.A. 300 D.A.
Hemnath Adhikari ...	52	B. A. and M. B. of the Calcutta University.	Ditto ditto ...	11th May, 1915.	350 75 A.A. 90 D.A.
Hiralal Sinha ...	46	B. A. and L. M. S. of the Calcutta University.	Ditto ditto ...	3rd April, 1897.	325 90 D.A.
Satyendra Nath Sen ...	45	M. B. of the Calcutta University.	Ditto ditto ...	28th May, 1899.	325

By the Hon'ble MR. M. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI :—

XXII.

Are the Government aware that Muhammadan religious feelings will be injured if the sacred Trust lands around the mosque dedicated as *peerpal* lands for the performance of religious rites, etc., be acquired for any other purpose?

Acquisition of certain Trust lands.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" The form of the question is ambiguous.

The acquisition of land which is held sacred injures religious feelings. But the land which is placed in trust with a view that the income derived therefrom shall be devoted to the maintenance of a mosque is not thereby made sacred, nor are Government aware that its acquisition offends any one's religious feelings."

By the Hon'ble MR. M. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI :—

XXIII.

(*a*) Is it a fact that the Company which has been formed at Rangpur, having for its objects dairy farming, etc., has influential Government officials as share-holders and promoters?

Officials as shareholders of Rangpur Dairy Farms.

(*b*) Is it a fact that the Carmichael College authorities propose to lease out some more lands to the Dairy Company besides the 60 acres already leased?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member is probably referring to the North Bengal Agricultural Development Company, Limited. The answer is in the negative.

(*b*) The information of Government is that there is no such proposal."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXIV.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that Babu Ashutosh De wanted to be elected a member of the District Board of Burdwan and that he was not allowed to stand as a candidate on the orders of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division?

Election of Babu Ashutosh De as a member of the Burdwan District Board.

(*b*) Are the Government aware that it has been alleged that the voters' lists were prepared with a view to secure his election to the District Board, and that the Circle Officer selected his nominees for the membership of the Local Board, and that he through the agents canvassed for the support of his nominees by using undue influence over the electors of the sub-division?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) The Commissioner having learnt from a private source that it had been stated that the Circle Officer of Kalna was offering himself as a candidate for election to the District Board, informed the Sub-Divisional Officer that the Circle Officer should not stand for election.

(*b*) These allegations were made in a petition received by the Commissioner. An inquiry was made and the allegations were found to be groundless."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

Election of Chairman, etc., of the Burdwan District Board.

XXV.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that on the 22nd April last a meeting of the Kalna Local Board was held for the election of a Chairman, a Vice-Chairman, and two delegates to the District Board?

(*b*) Is it a fact that five members of the Local Board, namely, Babus Manmatha Nath Ray Mahashay, Srimohan Singh, Ramkrishna Goswami, Panchanan Ray, and Chowdhury Abdul Razzaq met at the private residence of the Sub-divisional Magistrate and had a consultation with him about the election?

(*c*) Is it a fact that on the 22nd of April a caucus was formed, of which the Sub-divisional Officer was a member, to secure the election of Babu Manmatha Nath Ray and Babu Srimohan Singh as members of the District Board?

(*d*) Are the Government aware that Babu Purna Chandra Datta was the Chairman of the Kalna Local Board for the last three years and that he has now been replaced by the Sub-divisional Magistrate?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) It has been reported that four members of the Local Board, of whom three were candidates for election to the District Board, went to the residence of the Sub-divisional Officer to canvass for his vote, and that there was no consultation about the election.

(*c*) The reply is in the negative.

(*d*) Yes. The Sub-divisional Officer was elected Chairman of the Local Board."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXVI.

Increase in cost of living.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that the cost of living for the people of Bengal is increasing day by day?

(*b*) If so, have the Government taken any steps, or are they considering the desirability of taking steps, to check its progress?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) Government are aware that the prices of certain articles have gone up in Bengal, and that the cost of living has thereby increased. This is the result of conditions, arising mainly out of the war, over which Government have no control. The Government of Bengal have taken steps, as the Hon'ble Member is aware, to check profiteering and speculation in the case of salt, kerosene and cloth, and, should the situation demand it, they will proceed to the manufacture and distribution of standard cloth. They have no further remedial measures in contemplation at present."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXVII.

Anarchism in Bengal.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that anarchism has again sprung up in Bengal?

(*b*) If so, are the Government considering the desirability of devising some means, other than police force, to root out the seed of this evil?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) Government are aware of the history of the revolutionary movement including its more recent developments in this Province.

(*b*) Government has throughout sought means of combating sedition otherwise than by mere repression, and as an example of the discussion of possible lines of provincial reform the Hon'ble Member is referred to the report of the District Administration Committee."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXVIII.

(*a*) Are the Government aware of the damage done by the recent floods in the districts of Eastern and Northern Bengal? Floods in Eastern and Northern Bengal.

(*b*) Do the Government apprehend famine or scarcity or the spread of epidemics in those districts?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state what remedy they have under their contemplation to avert the danger likely to arise on account of the aforesaid floods?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

"(*a*) Government are aware of the damage done by recent floods in the districts of Northern and Eastern Bengal.

(*b*) and (*c*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the Press *Communiqués* of the 9th September and the 1st November which give the information required relating to Northern Bengal. Copies of the same have been sent to the Hon'ble Member and placed on the Library table.

As regards Eastern Bengal, floods are by no means unusual. Some damage has been done to the crops, but there is no question of scarcity or epidemic."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXIX.

With reference to my question No. XIV (Unstarred) asked at the meeting of the Council held on the 22nd January, 1918, will the Government be pleased to state when the Medical School will be started at Chittagong? Medical School in Chittagong.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"Government are not in a position to make a definite pronouncement on the subject, as the whole question is still under their consideration."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXX.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state under what circumstances the Government establish high English schools in sub-divisions of districts? High English schools in sub-divisions.

(*b*) How many sub-divisions have been granted Government high English schools?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state the names of the sub-divisions, with the districts in which they are situated?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) (*b*) and (*c*)—The establishment of Government high schools at places other than district head-quarters is not in accordance with the general policy of Government. Government have, however, taken over under special circumstances and for special reasons at different times the management of five high schools at sub-divisional head-quarters. The names of the sub-divisions and districts in question are as follows :—

Sub-division.			District.
Barrackpore	...	...	24-Parganas.
Baraset	...	...	24-Parganas
Dakshin Shahbazpur (Bhola)		...	Bakarganj.
Pirojpur	...	...	Bakarganj.
Jamalpur	...	...	Mymensingh

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXXI.

Government Middle English School at Cox's Bazar

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) what is the annual expenditure of the Government Middle English School at Cox's Bazar;

(*b*) what was the income from fees last year from that school;

(*c*) for what reasons no high English school is established there; and

(*d*) what the expenditure would be if the school be raised to the status of a high English school?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) The average annual expenditure for the last three years was Rs. 3,217.

(*b*) The income from fees during 1917-18 was Rs 1,072-

(*c*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the statement to be made in reply to the Resolution of the Hon'ble Member that a Government High English School should be established at Cox's Bazar.

(*d*) The total annual recurring expenditure may be estimated at about Rs. 8,400. There would also be the capital expenditure required for providing extra accommodation as well as the cost of pensions"

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXXII

Students in Cox's Bazar sub-division.

Is it a fact that over two hundred students from Cox's Bazar sub-division have gone to Chittagong to pass their Matriculation Examination and that they are caused great inconvenience?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"It has been ascertained that there are now 102 students of the Cox's Bazar sub-division studying in high schools at Chittagong. Government are not aware that they are put to great inconvenience on that account."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXXIII.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) what is the annual Government expenditure for the Weaving school at Cox's Bazar; Weaving school at Cox's Bazar.

(*b*) whether the school is intended for *Magh* students only;

(*c*) when it was first started; and

(*d*) the number of students who have read in that school during the last three years, showing the number in each of those years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) The average annual Government expenditure for the last three years was Rs. 1,367.

(*b*) The school was originally intended for the benefit of the local weaving community, which is composed of *Maghs*. Members of other classes are eligible for admission.

(*c*) The 18th March 1913.

(*d*)

1915-16	...	...	10 pupils
1916-17	...	...	11 "
1917-18	...	...	12 "

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXXIV.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that the price of cattle has risen very high within the last few years, and that cattle are a source of livelihood to the Bengal raiyats? Price of cattle.

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state to what cause this rise is due?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

"(*a*) Government are aware that the price of cattle has risen during recent years, and that cattle are a source of livelihood to Bengal raiyats.

(*b*) The rise in the value of cattle is believed to be due primarily to the rise in the value of agricultural produce, which tends to the utilization of land for agriculture in preference to cattle-breeding."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXXV.

(*a*) Is it a fact that the Forest Department in Chittagong have not been granting passes for grazing buffaloes in the reserved forests for the last two years, and that this has caused great inconvenience to the cultivators of the Hathazari and Fatikchari thanas in the Chittagong district who are living near these forests and who have no pasture lands? Chittagong Forest Department.

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the amount of fines realized from the people of Hathazari and Fatickchari who are prosecuted for infringing the forest rules?

(*c*) Is it a fact that the Government forests and the reserved forests are intermingled in the Fatikchari and Hathazari thanas, having no specific boundary?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*i*) whether there were any prosecutions for infringing rules in the Government forests in those two thanas during the last two years;

(*ii*) if so, what was the number of those prosecutions; and

(*iii*) for what reasons the number of prosecutions from the reserved forests has been so very high?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

"(*a*) Passes for grazing buffaloes have not been issued since the 1st April, 1917. Government have no information that this has caused great inconvenience to the cultivators of Hathazari and Fatikchari thanas.

(*b*)

1916-17	...	...	Rs. 253
1917-18	...	...	„ 442

(*c*) It is not a fact. There is a well-defined cleared boundary line six feet wide with boundary pillars in conspicuous places and at suitable intervals between the Government *khas* forests and the reserved forests.

(*d*) (*i*) There were prosecutions for infringing rules in the Government *khas* forests.

(*ii*) Three, all in Fatikchari thana.

(*iii*) It is natural that there should be more prosecutions with reference to reserved forests than with reference to Government *khas* forests. In the two thanas in question the area of *khas* forests is small, and they contain little valuable produce. In the reserved forests supervision is strict, and the presence of a large number of casual purchasers in the reserved forests is likely to result in forest offences."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXXVI.

Chittagong Agricultural Department.

Will the Government be pleased to state what amount of expenditure Government have incurred in Chittagong for the Agricultural Department, and with what result?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" As a District Agricultural Officer was only appointed to Chittagong in April last no separate figures for expenditure incurred in the district can be given apart from the figures for the division. *Indrasail* paddy was distributed both last year and this with excellent results, whilst the utility of bone-meal has been demonstrated on the laterite tract round Fatickchari."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXXVII.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

The Chittagong Madrassa and the Dacca University.

(*a*) when the Madrassa students of the Chittagong Madrassa and elsewhere under the new scheme will pass their final examination this year;

(*b*) what their status will be; and

(*c*) where they will go for further education when the Dacca University ceases to exist?

Answer by the Hon'ble Mr. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) A copy of Government order No. 61 T.—Edn., dated the 25th April 1918, is laid on the table, from which it will be seen that a special Islamic Matriculation examination will be held in 1919.

(*b*) Pending the establishment of the Dacca University, students who pass this examination will be eligible for admission to a post-matriculation class and to the special Islamic Intermediate examination to be held in 1921

(*c*) The Dacca University has not yet been established, and the question of its ceasing to exist does not therefore arise."

Government order referred to by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *in his answer to question No.* XXXVII (*Unstarred*) *asked by the Hon'ble* KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI *at the Council Meeting of the 26th November, 1918.*

No. 61 T.—Edn., dated Darjeeling, the 25th April 1918.

From—THE HON'BLE MR. L. S. S. O'MALLEY, I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department,

To—The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

I AM directed to refer to your letter No. $\frac{24}{1M-31-B-17}$, dated the 12th January 1918, in which you have submitted the following proposals in connection with the students of those madrassas that have adopted the reformed course of instruction :—

(*i*) That a special Islamic Matriculation and a special Islamic Intermediate examination should be held in 1919 and 1921, respectively.

(*ii*) That an Advisory Board, as proposed in paragraph 3 of your letter under reference, should be constituted to assist the Education Department in conducting the examinations.

(*iii*) That a post-Matriculation class should be started in 1919-20 and two more in 1920-21 and that these should be accommodated in the Dacca Madrassa, where they will be placed under the direct supervision of the Principal of the Madrassa.

(*iv*) That the following additional temporary staff should be appointed in the Dacca Madrassa to conduct the classes referred to above :—

(*a*) One Arabic Professor and one English Professor, in the Provincial Educational Service, on Rs. 200 a month each for a period of two years, with effect from such date in 1919 as the proposed classes are formed.

(*b*) A second Arabic Professor, in the Provincial Educational Service, on Rs. 200 a month, for a period of one year, with effect from the date in 1920 when the second session of these classes will begin.

(*v*) That an additional library grant of Rs. 1,000 in the 1st year and Rs. 500 in the 2nd year should be given to the Dacca Madrassa

(*vi*) That the expenditure involved in conducting these examinations as shown below should be sanctioned :—

	Rs.
Islamic Matriculation examination	940
„ Intermediate „	1,350

2. In reply, I am to say that Government sanction your proposals, subject to the proviso that these arrangements will be cancelled if the Dacca University is established in time to arrange for the conduct of the examinations. Sanction is also accorded to the draft regulations for the examinations forwarded with your letter under reply.

3. The examination fees received from the candidates should be deposited in the Treasury. You are authorised to make necessary provision in the Education budgets for the years 1919-20 and 1920-21.

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXXVIII.

Provincial and Subordinate Executive Services.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that nominations for the Provincial Service from the subordinate Executive service are made from the 3rd and 4th classes of the subordinate Executive service; and

(*b*) what principle is followed in making selections for the Provincial service from the subordinate Executive service?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" The Hon'ble Member is referred to rule 6 of the rules for the recruitment of the executive branch of the provincial civil service. The principle followed is that the best officers are selected for promotion, having regard to the different considerations involved of which seniority is one among others."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XXXIX.

Export of cotton.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) what quantity of cotton was exported last year from Chittagong;

(*b*) the total quantity of cotton exported during the same period from Bengal to other countries; and

(*c*) the total production of cotton during that period in this Province?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" (*a*) Nil.

(*b*) 147,791 cwt.

(*c*) 19,000 bales of 400lbs."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XL.

Manufacture of cotton threads and *dhotis*.

In view of the present scarcity of cloth, are the Government considering the desirability of starting a mill for manufacturing cotton threads and preparing *dhotis*?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XLI.

Will the Government be pleased to state whether the Chittagong College will have the privileges of the 1st grade colleges like the college at Dacca and other like cities? The Chittagong College.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" The sanction of the Government of India has been recently given to the affiliation of the Chittagong College to the Calcutta University—

(*1*) in logic to the Intermediate Arts standard;

(*2*) in English to the B.A. honours standard; and

(*3*) in political economy and political philosophy to the B.A. pass standard;

with effect from the commencement of the session 1918-19."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XLII.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that the number of graduates, under-graduates and matriculates are increasing year by year? Dacoities by graduates, under-graduates etc.

(*b*) Is it a fact that many of these persons, having no means of livelihood, are in desperation doing mischief by committing dacoities?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The question is discussed to some extent in the report of the Rowlatt Committee, to which the Hon'ble Member is referred. From the concluding portion of paragraph 33 it will be seen that the motive of private gain was operative only in a very small proportion of a number of crimes examined by that Committee regarding the motive for which information was available."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XLIII.

Will the Government be pleased to state— Divisional Commissioners and District Magistrates.

(*a*) whether it is a fact that District Magistrates are not allowed to remain in one district for more than 3 to 5 years;

(*b*) whether this is also the case with the Divisional Commissioners; and

(*c*) if so, whether any exceptions to these orders are made in this Province, and for what reasons?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" There are no orders limiting the period for which District Officers and Divisional Commissioners may hold their posts in particular districts or divisions. The general policy of Government is to make transfers only when they are necessary in the interests of the public service."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XLIV

Ministerial appointments in Civil and Revenue Departments

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the total number of ministerial appointments in the Civil and Revenue Departments in all the Divisions of this Presidency, in each grade separately, and the number of such appointments held by Muhammadans ?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"Two statements are laid on the table. Figures have not been given separately for each grade, as their collection would have involved an unnecessary amount of labour and delay."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *to Question No.* XLIV (*Unstarred*) *asked by the Hon'ble* KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI *at the Council Meeting of the 26th November, 1918, showing the number of ministerial appointments in offices subordinate to Commissioners and District Officers and the number of those that were held by Muhammadans on the 31st March, 1918.*

NAME OF DIVISION.	Number of permanent appointments.	Number held by Muhammadans.	Total number of probationers.	Number of Muhammadan probationers.	REMARKS.
Burdwan ...	614	54	56	9	
Presidency ...	754	107	65	36	
Dacca	581	112	47	25	
Chittagong ...	407	109	29	16	
Rajshahi ...	695	180	43	18	
Total ...	3,051	562	240	104	

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *to Question No.* XLIV (*Unstarred*) *asked by the Hon'ble* KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI *at the Council Meeting of the 26th November, 1918, showing the number of ministerial appointments in the Courts of District Judges, Sub-Judges and Munsifs and the number of those that were held by Muhammadans on the 31st March, 1918.*

NAME OF DIVISION.	Number of permanent appointments.	Number held by Muhammadans.	Total number of probationers.	Number of Muhammadan probationers.	REMARKS.
Burdwan ...	479	43	49	6	
Presidency ...	558	67	53	17	
Dacca ...	623	87	60	31	
Chittagong ...	365	96	36	14	
Rajshahi ...	328	97	24	10	
Total ...	2,353	390	222	78	

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XLV.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing— Appointments in the Jail Department.

(*a*) the total number of appointments in the Subordinate Executive branch of the Jail Department of this Presidency made during the last five years, and the number of such appointments held by Muhammadans; and

(*b*) the total number of ministerial appointments made in the following branches of the Jail Department, namely, in the office of the Inspector-General of Prisons, in the Central Jails and in the Subsidiary Jails, during the last five years, and the number of such appointments held by Muhammadans?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" A statement is laid on the table "

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *to Question No.* XLV (*Unstarred*) *asked by the Hon'ble* KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI *at the Council Meeting of the 26th November, 1918.*

	Appointments made from 1913—1917.	Filled by Muhammadans
(*a*) Subordinate Executive Branch ...	... 15	4
(*b*) Ministerial appointments—		
Office of Inspector-General of Prisons	... 8	...
Central Jails	... 16	3
Subsidiary Jails	... 53	7

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XLVI

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*i*) whether it is a fact that the weekly paper *Joti* derived from the publication of sale proclamations in Chittagong Rs. 4,430-8 in 1915-16, Rs. 5,129-9-6 in 1916-17, and Rs. 6,040-6 in 1917-18; and The *Joti* newspaper.

(*ii*) in how many cases the sales have been upheld depending upon the publication of the proclamation in the Paper?

(*b*) Is it a fact that little or no importance has ever been attached to its publications either by the Munsifs or the Sub-Judges?

(*c*) If so, are the Government considering the desirability of issuing orders prohibiting the publication of sale proclamations?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DUVAL :—

" (*a*) (*i*) Yes.

(*ii*) No definite information is available.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) The question does not arise."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XLVII.

Medical practitioners from unrecognized schools

Will the Government be pleased to state whether the medical practitioners who passed from unrecognized medical schools, but were unable to appear at the Final Licentiate Examination of the State Medical Faculty held in November, 1916, will be permitted to appear at the next Final Licentiate Examination, at which the candidates who were plucked in one or two subjects in the examination of November, 1916, have been permitted to appear?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"The question is not altogether clear, but if the inquiry is whether it is intended to extend the scope of the orders already passed regarding the admission of candidates to the Faculty Examination, the answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XLVIII

Recognition of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, India.

Are the Government considering the desirability of recognizing the College of Physicians and Surgeons, India, which is managed by Lt.-Col. D. Bosu, Lt.-Col. S. C. Nandi, Major B. K. Bosu, Major N. P. Singha and many other doctors with British qualifications, for the purpose of the Schedule to the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914)?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI :—

XLIX.

Government high school teachers and recurring grant.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) from what date the teachers of the Government High English Schools will get the benefit of the new recurring grant of nine lakhs given by the Imperial Government;

(*b*) on what scale the grant will be distributed among the different classes of teachers; namely, English teachers, classical teachers, drawing teachers, vernacular teachers and drill instructors;

(*c*) whether there will be any difference in increments between the trained and untrained teachers; and

(*d*) whether there will be any difference between the normal old 3rd year and the new 2nd year passed teachers, or will they both be treated as trained teachers?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*)—Government regret that they are not in a position to make a statement on the subject as their proposals are under discussion with the Government of India and final orders have not yet been passed."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

L.

(*a*) Is it a fact that the people of the district of Jalpaiguri have submitted a memorial to the Government of Bengal praying for the extension of the system of trial by jury to that district? Jury system in the district of Jalpaiguri.

(*b*) Have the Government considered the facts and arguments contained in the said memorial?

(*c*) Have the Government come to any decision with regard to it? If not, are they considering the advisability and propriety of extending the jury system to that district?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DUVAL :—

"(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Yes. Government have decided not to extend the jury system to the Jalpaiguri district at present."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

LI.

(*a*) Is it a fact that Mr. Robertson, Settlement Officer of Midnapore and Bankura, has been on leave since July last? The case of Mr. Robertson, Settlement Officer of Midnapore and Bankura.

(*b*) Is it a fact that Babu Bejoy Behari Mukherjee has been doing all the duties of Mr. Robertson during the latter's absence on leave?

(*c*) Is it a fact that the Collector of Midnapore has been made the *ex officio* Settlement Officer during the absence of Mr. Robertson?

(*d*) If the answer to (*b*) is in the affirmative, is it a fact that, though Babu Bejoy Behari Mukherjee has been doing all the duties of Mr. Robertson since the latter has gone on leave, he is not being paid any acting allowance and, if so, will the Government be pleased to state the reason for this?

(*e*) Will the Government be pleased further to state whether the Collector of Midnapore is drawing any acting allowance as *ex officio* Settlement Officer during the absence on leave of Mr. Robertson?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

"(*a*) No Mr. Robertson was on leave from 10th July to 1st August and on deputation to military duty in the I A. R. O. from 5th August till 4th October.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) As there was no Special Settlement Officer, the Collectors of Midnapore and Bankura became *ex officio* Settlement Officers of their respective districts under Rule 47 of the Government Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

(*d*) Needs no reply.

(*e*) No."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

LII.

Theft on Eastern Bengal Railway.

(*a*) Is it a fact that a robbery was committed in a female compartment on the Eastern Bengal Railway in the first part of July last between the railway stations Saidpur and Darwani?

(*b*) If so, what steps have been taken for preventing similar occurrences in future?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*) and (*b*)—The facts are as follows :—

On the 7th July, 1918, just after No. 1 Up Mail had started from Saidpur station, a third class passenger travelling from Kumarkhali to Siliguri pulled the alarm chain. On the train stopping, he reported to the guard that a man had jumped up on the offside of the train, snatched a gold necklace from his wife's neck and run off with it. The matter was duly reported to the Government Railway Police, Saidpur, who stated that the case had been thoroughly investigated and finally reported as true, but that no clue had been obtained. It is not clear what precautions can prevent the possibility of occurrences of this nature."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

LIII.

Railway between Khulna and Barisal.

Is it a fact that the project of a railway from Khulna to Barisal has been abandoned on the ground that it would unduly interfere with the rivers and make them useless and injurious to health?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" Yes; this was one reason along with others."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

LIV.

The *Jalpesh* fair.

(*a*) Is it a fact that the income of the *Jalpesh* fair, held annually on the Shivaratri day in the compound of the *Jalpesh* temple, situated in the Government *Khas Mahal* in Jalpaiguri, is credited to Government?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the income and expenditure of the *Jalpesh* fair for the last 10 years?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that the dome of the *Jalpesh* temple, which collapsed at the earthquake of 1897, has not yet been repaired?

(*d*) Are the Government considering the desirability of repairing the temple at an early date?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

(*a*) No. The income of the *Jalpesh* fair is credited to the Western Duars Market Fund which is a local fund and is not credited to Government. The fair is not held in the temple compound. The temple is situate in Taluk Gartoli, whereas the fair is held on a block of *khas* land in Taluk Bhuskadanga at a distance of about two furlongs from the temple from which it is separated by a river.

(*b*) In the circumstances no statement is required by the question.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) No. This is a matter for the *Jalpesh* Temple Trust Committee to deal with.

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

LV.

(*a*) Is it a fact that the Sadar Ferry Ghat of Jalpaiguri, known as the Up-Doar Ferry, has been made over to the railway free of rent? Sadar Ferry Ghat at Jalpaiguri.

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state the reasons for doing this?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"(*a*) and (*b*). No. The facts are that by an agreement entered into in 1891, between the Secretary of State for India in Council and Messrs. Octavius Steel and Company, the promoters of the Bengal Duars Railway Company, the exclusive right to establish and work a ferry across the Teesta river between the terminus of the Bengal Duars Railway on the eastern bank opposite Jalpaiguri and the Eastern Bengal Railway on the west bank, was granted to the promoters. No charge was levied for that right as the ferry is intended as a link between the two Railways

On the establishment of the Railway ferry, the Sadar public ferry at Jalpaiguri ceased to be used by the public and was therefore closed.

The Railway ferry now goes by the name of the Abu Duar Ferry, which was the name by which the Sadar public ferry was known while it existed."

By the Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR :—

LVI.

(*a*) When did the Land Acquisition Department of the Collectorate of Jessore get the requisition of the District Board of Jessore to acquire land in Bidyanandakati, thana Keshabpur, district Jessore, for the excavation of a tank for drinking water? Acquisition of land for a tank in Bidyanandakati.

(*b*) What steps are being taken for the acquisition of the land?

(*c*) What is the cause of the inaction of the Land Acquisition Department in this matter?

(*d*) Why has there been no statutory declaration for the acquisition as yet?

(*e*) Was not the Chairman of the District Board placed in possession of funds by an outsider for the proposed work as early as January, 1918, and could not the work have been done in the last dry season if the usual acquisition proceedings had been taken in hand by the Land Acquisition Department in time?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) The requisition of the District Board was received on the 4th March last

(*b*) Administrative approval to the acquisition of the land has recently been given by Government. The declaration will shortly be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and action taken for acquisition of the land

(*c*) There was some delay owing to heavy land acquisition work. As it was not stated that the land was urgently required, pending projects were dealt with first

(*d*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the reply to (*b*) and (*c*).

(*e*) A private gentleman placed the Chairman of the District Board in possession of Rs. 1,000, which is about one-third of the total cost of the project. The requisition for acquisition was received too late to enable the work to be executed in the last dry season."

By the Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR :—

LVII

Sanitary improvements in the Jessore District.

Is the Chairman of the District Board of Jessore getting every facility for the speedy performance of his duties, in the way of sanitary improvements, from the District Officer?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"No complaint has been received on the subject."

By the Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY :—

LVIII.

Condition of the Kidderpore Bridge.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) how and when they became aware that the Kidderpore Bridge had become unsafe for vehicular traffic and tramcars;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that suggestions had been made, from time to time, for a number of years for improving the Kidderpore Bridge, or replacing it by a new one? If so, why no steps were taken for so long to carry out the suggestions?

(*c*) within what time a new bridge is going to be constructed; and

(*d*) what steps have been taken for the purpose of constructing a new bridge?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"(*a*) The President of the Committee appointed to examine the bridge structure under Bengal Government Resolution No. 78-86 T.—I. of the 2nd May, 1918, reported to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Irrigation Department, on the 4th September, 1918, that in the opinion of the Committee, immediate steps should be taken to stop all heavy vehicles, including tramcars, from using the bridge. It was closed to heavy vehicular traffic and to the tramcars from the morning of Saturday, the 7th September, 1918. The full report of the Committee was issued on the 14th September, 1918, and after a careful consideration of the report, all vehicular traffic over the bridge was stopped from midday of the 27th September, 1918.

(*b*) The Commissioner of Police in July, 1913, invited the attention of Government to the congestion of traffic on the Kidderpore Bridge and its approaches and suggested that either the bridge should be considerably widened or a subsidiary bridge constructed by the Hastings Bazar Since that time the question has been under discussion with the Corporation of Calcutta and the Calcutta Improvement Trust.

(*c*) It cannot be definitely stated within what time a new bridge will be constructed.

(*d*) As previous knowledge showed the existence of bad quicksand underneath the site of the bridge, borings have been made on the Kidderpore side of the bridge to ascertain definitely the nature of the subsoil in which the foundations for a new bridge will have to be laid. The results obtained from these borings are being examined."

By the Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY :—

LIX.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that in the reports on the land-revenue administration the percentage which the land-revenue is said to bear to the gross rental is calculated on the assumption that the gross rents received by the landlords and the total valuation of the raiyats' holdings are one and the same thing? Reports on the Land-revenue Administration.

(*b*) Is it a fact—

(*i*) that the valuation of a raiyat's holding on which cesses are based is not necessarily the gross rental of the holding;

(*ii*) that in the total valuation of the raiyats' holdings on which cesses are based are included a large number of rent-free holdings; and

(*iii*) that the statements made in the Annual Reports on the Land-revenue Administration, and also in some of the Government resolutions thereon, regarding the net income of the land-holders and the percentage which the land-revenue is said to bear to the gross rental, are incorrect and misleading?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" (*a*) The answer is in the negative.

(*b*) (*i*) The valuation of a raiyat's holding for cess purposes is the annual value as defined in section 4 of the Cess Act.

(*ii*) The valuation of rent-free lands is shown separately in Part IV of the Valuation Statement. The gross rental in column 3 of Appendix XXXIII of the Land Revenue Administration Report includes the valuation of rent-free lands.

(*iii*) The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY :—

LX.

Will the Government be pleased to state why, in the matter of apportionment of Settlement costs, the superior landlords of permanent tenure-holders in certain districts of Bengal are exempted from paying any costs while in others they are made to pay a certain portion thereof? Apportionment of Settlement costs.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" The distinction is based on grounds of equity In districts where the cases in which the landlords of permanent mokarrari tenure-holders derive substantial advantage from a record of rights of such subordinate tenures are negligible, and where the record of such subinfeudation does not present any unusual difficulty affecting the cost of its preparation, the landlords of such tenure-holders are exempted from paying any share of the cost in respect of the tenures. In other districts where either of these conditions does not obtain, they are usually assessed."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

LXI.

District Sub-registrars on extension.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*i*) the number of District Sub-registrars who are on extension of service; and

(*ii*) in each case for how long they have been on extension?

(*b*) Is it a fact that under the rules now in force extensions are not granted to any officers unless the services of those officers are indispensable or are absolutely necessary in the interest of the public service?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

(*a*) (*i*) and (*ii*)—

(1) Rai Sahib Tarapada Ghosh—Has extension of service for three years from the 3rd December, 1915.

(2) Khan Sahib Sattar Baksh—Has extension of service for one year from the 29th November, 1917.

(3) Babu Tarak Nath Biswas—Has extension of service for two years from the 8th February, 1917.

(*b*) The latest rule on the subject is contained in article 459 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, as recently revised, which states that officers other than ministerial, who have attained the age of 55 should ordinarily be required to retire, and should not be retained in service except where unquestionable public grounds for retention exist, and there is no doubt as to the physical fitness of the officer."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

LXII.

The case of Mokbul Ahmad.

Will the Government be pleased to state the facts, in detail, of the case of Mokbul Ahmad, a respectable Muhammadan of the Kustia subdivision, who was convicted in the criminal court, and was engaged in clearing the jungle in the compound of the Sub-divisional Magistrate the same afternoon?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DUVAL :—

" Mokbul Ahmad was convicted on the 10th June, 1918, of theft by the Sub-Deputy Magistrate of Kushtia and sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for 15 days. The conviction was upheld on appeal, and the High Court on a motion declined to interfere. He figured several times as an accused in criminal cases during the last two years and a case under section 211, I.P.C., is still pending against him.

It appears that the sentence was passed at about 1 P.M. on the 10th June. Mokbul Ahmad was taken to the court lock-up and thence at about 2 P.M. to the sub-jail which is close by. At about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the Deputy Superintendent of the sub-jail sent him to work with other prisoners to clear jungle (as is frequently done) in the compound of the Sub-divisional Magistrate. He worked there for about an hour."

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 3.

The Hon'ble Mr. Kerr laid on the table a paper* containing the information promised in his reply to question No. III (unstarred) regarding the Nawab of Dacca's steam launch at Barisal, asked at the meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council held on the 3rd September, 1918.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 4.

THE BENGAL PRIMARY EDUCATION BILL, 1917.

The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray moved that the Bengal Primary Education Bill, 1917, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Sir Nilratan Sarkar, the Hon'ble Mr. Arden-Wood, the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, the Hon'ble Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, the Hon'ble Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley, the Hon'ble Mr. Wordsworth, the Hon'ble Mr. Payne, the Hon'ble Rai Priya Nath Mukharji Bahadur, and the mover, with instructions to submit their report in time for its presentation at the December meeting of the Council.

He said :—

"My Lord, in December last when I had the honour to introduce the Primary Education Bill in Your Lordship's Council, nothing gave me greater pleasure than the welcome it received from the member in charge of the education portfolio, Sir S. P. Sinha. He considered that it was a necessary and long due measure and commended my Bill on behalf of Government for the earnest consideration of the Council and the country at large and trusted that there will be a burning desire on the part of every one to contribute to the best of his capacity for the purpose of providing education for the poor. The country has had an opportunity of giving its opinion on the Bill, and it is a matter of sincere satisfaction to me and to those who are interested in the spread of primary education in the province to know that the Bill has received almost the unanimous support of officials and non-officials, public bodies, municipalities and district boards and last but not least of the Calcutta University. There is one other fact which has struck me while going through the opinions which have been forwarded to us by the Legislative Department, and it is this. The Muhammadan Associations throughout the province have with one voice given the Bill a hearty. I may say an enthusiastic, support. While approving of the principle of the Bill very valuable suggestions have been received by Government as regards its detailed provisions. They will no doubt be duly considered by the members of the Select Committee. Some have suggested that the Bill should be so modified as to extend its provisions to girls. To them I can only say let us proceed step by step. I shall first quote the opinions of some of the municipalities because the Bill will principally affect them. In my own district, the district of the 24-Parganas, the Chairman of the Naihati municipality, an European gentleman, writes as follows to the Magistrate of the district :—

'The Commissioners concur with the general principles of the Bill, and do not think that the measure is likely to result in hardship, in view of the safeguards provided in clauses 17 and 18, under which it is contemplated that the payment of fees shall not be obligatory in all cases and that primary education shall be given free of charge in any municipality where Commissioners may in their judgment impose an "Education Cess" with the previous sanction of Government, the revenue derived from it being ear-marked exclusively for this purpose.'

The Magistrate of 24-Parganas writes to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division :—'The Commissioners of the Garden Reach, Baruipore,

* *Vide* Appendix A.

Baranagore, Baduria and Kamarhati municipalities support the Bill as it stands.' The Chairmen of Navadwip, Santipore, Ranaghat and Kustea municipalities intimate that the Commissioners of these municipalities are entirely in favour of free and compulsory primary education being introduced within the municipalities as provided in the Bill. The Chairman of the Krishnagore municipality, Rai Biswambhor Roy Bahadur, and the Vice-Chairman of the Bhatpara municipality, Rai Syama Charan Bhattacharji Bahadur, both approve of the Bill. The municipalities of the Burdwan Division generally approve of the provisions of the Bill. The Howrah municipality, under its able and enlightened Chairman, not only approves of the Bill but has expressed its willingness to impose an education cess, if necessary. The Commissioners of Bally, Hooghly-Chinsura and Serampore, Kutrung, Bansbaria and Arambag municipalities all support the Bill. The opinion of the Chairman of the Champdani municipality approved of by the other Commissioners of the municipality is as follows :—'In my opinion the Bill, if passed, would undoubtedly in time be of the greatest advantage not only to the public but to the country itself.' The Chairman of the Uttarpara municipality, whom I am glad to see in this Council to-day, in supporting the Bill says : 'The importance of mass education as a necessary factor in the political life of a nation has long been recognised,' and he quotes the following passage from Mill's treatise on 'Liberty':—'Is it not almost a self-evident axiom that the State should require and compel the education up to a certain standard of every human being who is born its citizen ?' The Chairman of the Burdwan municipality suggests that when the Primary Education Act is found to be working successfully within the urban areas, it may be extended to rural areas. The Commissioners of the Raniganje municipality resolved at a special meeting that the provisions of the Bill should be adopted within the municipality. So also those of Kalna and Katwa.

The Commissioners of the Midnapore municipality passed the following Resolution :—'That this municipality accords its complete support of the principles involved in the Bill and holds that the primary education should be compulsory and free, and while assuring the Government of complete co-operation, desires to lay stress on the fact that the income hitherto received is completely ear-marked, and requests it may be apprised of the extent to which state-aid may be expected to enable the municipality to see how the balance, if any, is to be raised.' In the district of Midnapore the municipality of Ghatal thinks that there are no doubt many difficulties that might stand in the way of introducing compulsory primary education in the country. But there is no help for it. The masses should be raised at any cost from the depth of ignorance. Welfare of the people and the country demand that some beginning should be made in the direction. The Bill as framed will afford facility for paving gradually the way to the spread of primary education. Most of the other municipalities of the Midnapore district approve of the Bill. The municipalities of the districts of Birbhum and Bankura support the Bill. In the Dacca division, the Municipal Commissioners of the Dacca municipality approve of the Bill. It has been favourably received by the Municipal Commissioners of Narayanganj, who have passed a resolution that the municipality will be glad to take advantage of the Bill, if passed into an Act, provided the Government be pleased to contribute a reasonable share of the cost in that connection. The Commissioners of the Mymensingh municipality are unanimous in their opinion that primary education should be compulsory in the municipality, and in approving of the general principles of the Bill in the Rajshahi division, the Rampur-Boalia municipality accepts the principle and the main features of the Bill. The Commissioners of the Rangpur municipality are in full sympathy with the object of the Bill and they are of opinion that the Bill, after necessary amendments, should be passed by the Legislature into law. The Commissioners of the Bogra municipality think that there is no difference of opinion about the general principles of the Bill. The Chairman of the Pabna municipality says : 'In my opinion the extension of primary education in all the municipalities in Bengal is a necessity.' The Commissioners of Darjeeling municipality are

in favour of compulsory primary education and support the provisions of the Bill. provided education is made free, while those of Kurseong approve, after careful consideration, of the general principle embodied in the Bill. There are other municipalities in the Rajshahi division which also approve of the Bill.

In the Chittagong division the Municipal Commissioners of Chittagong are of opinion that primary education may be made compulsory provided no education cess is imposed upon municipal rate-payers, whereas those of Cox's Bazar approve of its provisions. In the district of Tippera in the Chandpur municipality the Commissioners resolved that the introduction of compulsory primary education within their municipality be approved, whereas the principle of compulsion and the power of levying additional education cess are generally appreciated. As regards the Noakhali municipality, none of them raised any objection to legislation for the extension of primary education in all municipalities in Bengal.

Having quoted the opinion of many of the municipalities of the Presidency, I shall now quote the opinions of some of the Union Committees. Your Lordship knows that it is sought to extend the provisions of the Bill to municipalities as well as to Union Committees. The Chairman of the Kotalpur Union Committee in the district of Bankura says: 'The labouring classes are most likely to improve and prosper by the spread of primary education among them.' The Chairman of the Polashdanga Union Committee says: 'The Primary Education Bill has been very judiciously drawn up, and if steps be taken, according to the Bill, when it will be the law of the country to make primary education compulsory and free throughout Bengal, then a long-felt want will be satisfied and the aim of primary education will be fully attained.' The Chairman of the Bolepore Union Committee in the district of Birbhum says: 'I perfectly agree with the general principles underlying the Bill which, in my opinion, ought to be passed into law.'

I shall now quote only one paragraph from the opinion of the Corporation of Calcutta: 'That the Corporation approve the principle of the Bengal Primary Education Bill, 1917, in so far as it seeks to make primary education compulsory.' The Calcutta Corporation as well as the Indian Association suggest that there should be a Provincial Education Board to control the whole of the primary education of the Presidency in so far as it is governed by this Bill. My Lord, it was for the constitution of this Education Board that I moved a resolution in Your Lordship's Council on the 4th September, 1917, but it was opposed not only by the officials but also by a large number of non-official members, and at least two of them were also Commissioners of the Corporation of Calcutta, and I now find these members supporting the constitution of an Education Board, probably suggested by the official Chairman.

I shall now quote the opinions of some of the Commissioners of divisions and district Magistrates and subdivisional officers as well as district deputy inspectors of schools who have to do so much with the primary education of the province. The Commissioner of the Presidency Division says: 'So far as municipalities are concerned, I see no reason to oppose the Bill.' The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division writes: 'The municipalities of the division generally approve the provisions of the Bill. The municipalities are reluctant to impose taxation to meet the additional expenditure, and it seems clear that unless Government bears a considerable share of this expenditure very little will be done by the municipalities.' The Commissioner of the Dacca division writes: 'I have consulted the district officers and through them the municipalities and individual gentlemen and associations of local importance in the division. From the opinion received it appears that the Bill is welcomed by almost all classes.' The Commissioner of the Rajshahi division speaks in the following terms about the Bill: 'Non-official opinion is strongly in favour of the Bill. All District Officers support it except Mr. Lindsay, who thinks that the cost will be prohibitive. I do not share these fears. Mr. Ray has made a genuine attempt to solve a difficult problem,

and his Bill deserves the most careful consideration. Its great merit is that it aims, not at improving the education of the literate classes, but at extending elementary education to the illiterate classes. Bengal's greatest need at the present time is to make a practical knowledge of the rudiments of reading, writing and arithmetic universal among the masses, and as quickly as possible. Without this, self-government will be government not by the people but by the demogogues of a bad type; the people will be undone and Bengal will not take any appreciable part in the history of the world. I unreservedly accept the principle of free elementary education. Free education should be suited to the requirements of the masses who cannot afford to pay and who will not ordinarily continue studies further.' The Commissioner of the Chittagong division writes: 'There is a general agreement to the provisions of the Bill. I am in entire agreement with the provisions of the Bill and recommend that it may be passed into law.'

I shall now quote the opinion of some of the District Magistrates. The District Magistrate of the 24-Parganas says that the general desire is not to oppose the Bill but to extend it so as to suit local conditions. My own view is that the Bill should not be opposed. The District Magistrate of Nadia writes: 'Personally I am in favour of the Bill being passed as it stands,' whereas that of Jessore says: 'In my opinion the provisions of the Bill appear to be good enough to begin with.' The Magistrate of Hooghly writes: 'On the whole I think the Bill might be accepted, and it is certainly a move in the right direction.' The District Magistrate of Dacca says: 'The Bill is welcome by all classes and if passed into law there is good reason to hope that it may soon be brought into effect in some parts of the district, and seeing the benefits derived from it, the residents of other areas will gradually become eager to participate.' He also says 'that opinion generally is in favour of the Bill being made applicable to Union Committees.' The Magistrate of Faridpur sees no objection to the introduction of the Act and observes that the safeguards appear to be sufficient and it is an experiment which is worth a trial. The District Magistrate of Rungpur says 'that there is a concensus of opinion both amongst official and non-official gentlemen and public and local bodies regarding the desirability of the passing of the proposed Bill into law. Personally, I am in full sympathy with the objects of the Bill and consider that the draft Bill is suited for the attainments of these objects.' The District Magistrate of Bogra considers that a Bill of this nature is now required and all those whom he consulted are agreed on the point. The District Magistrate of Pabna says that all whom he consulted supported the principle of the Bill. His own individual opinion was that on the existing state of public feeling an Act of the kind has become a necessity. The Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling says: 'I am strongly in favour of the general principles of the Bill. The introduction of a measure of compulsory education in the more advanced areas of the Presidency is long overdue and it is right that local bodies should be responsible for it, but the cost of compulsory education should, in my opinion, be met by a rate and no fees should be charged.' The Deputy Commissioner of Jalpaiguri thinks that from his own experience of the way in which municipal affairs in some municipalities are managed he considered that any measure calculated to raise the standard of education and intelligence amongst the inhabitants of the towns is a step in the right direction.

In the Chittagong Division, the Magistrate of Tippera says that on the whole he is in entire agreement with the provisions of the Bill, whereas the Magistrate of Noakhali says that the public are generally in favour of the measure.

I shall now quote the opinion of some of the district deputy inspectors of schools. It is they who are in charge of whatever primary education there is in the Presidency and their opinion is therefore valuable. The district deputy inspector of schools of Rungpore observes: 'It cannot be gainsaid that compulsory education is the only means to uplift the masses of the people steeped in

ignorance, and, as such, it should be introduced not only in municipalities but district board areas also. In my opinion, the provisions of the Bill offer sufficient safeguards to any oppression on poor and indigent persons. It might have been argued that compulsion without exception would bring distress to those who cannot depend on the earnings of boys of school-going age, or who are not in a position to pay for books, papers, etc., but in the face of clause 16 such an argument will not hold. I for one would like to see compulsory primary education introduced in those areas also where Union Committees have been established, along with the municipalities in view of the fact that in those places greater funds are available to help the introduction of the system and that the surrounding people would then be able to realise its importance and necessity and thus like it.' The deputy inspector of schools of Bogra says: 'The clauses of the Bill which aims at the extension of primary education will serve the purpose for which they are intended and have no objectionable features in them.'

The district deputy inspector of schools of Burdwan is of opinion that the provisions of the Bill have generally been most carefully and cautiously prepared and as such they may be passed. As regards Inspectors of Schools, I find that the Inspectors of Schools of the Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions approve of the Bill in its present form, whereas that of Burdwan approves of the Bill with certain modifications. The Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education observes: 'As general compulsion is not possible at present the choice of municipalities for the experiment is wise.'

Many of the subdivisional officers have generally approved of the provisions of the Bill.

The British Indian Association suggests that the scope of the Bill should be limited to the mufassal municipalities of the Presidency. The Bengal Landholders' Association give it their entire support. They consider that in a province like Bengal primary education is a vital necessity for the elevation both of the intellectual and social welfare of its people. The North Bengal Zamindars' Association fully sympathise with the object of the Bill and generally approved of the scheme as contained in the same. The Indian Association have given their whole-hearted sympathy with the objects and aims of the proposed Bill.

It is a matter of great satisfaction that the Muhammadan Associations of the province have with one voice expressed their approval of the Bill. One of the Associations suggests that the operation of the Act should be extended at once to Union Committees. The Muhammadan Association of Rangpur fully approve of the Bill and would like to see it passed as soon as possible. The Provincial Muhammadan Association of Dacca observes: 'There is no gainsaying the fact that illiteracy in this land is almost scandalous, and illiteracy among the Moslems is unfortunately more deplorable than among any other community in India. It being so, the principle embodied in the Bill has the whole-hearted support of the Association.'

The Calcutta University agrees with the principle of the Bill in so far as it aims at making primary education compulsory. Some gentlemen connected with Co-operative Credit Societies warmly welcome the Bill. A large number of non-official gentlemen were invited to give their opinion and they have done so. They are generally in favour of the Bill. I shall quote only two of them. Maharaja Kshounish Chandra Roy Bahadur of Nadia generally approves of the provisions of the Bill. Rev. Dr. Sutherland of Darjeeling observes: 'Such a modest measure seems an excellent introduction to some sort of compulsory primary education. The Bill, I hope, will soon be passed and action taken throughout Bengal. It will be a great thing to have a beginning made.'

If there have been in some instances—and they are few, very few—any note of dissent against the Bill it is on account of the poverty of the country. There are some who think that the country is too poor to afford to pay for

primary education and they are against the imposition of an 'education cess.' To them I can only say that I am fully aware of the poverty of the country and difficulties in the way of promoting education, specially among the masses. Without substantial help from Government the work of education, specially primary education, cannot spread But we have got the example of the Bombay Government before us. As soon as the Bombay Primary Education Act came into operation the Governor in Council wisely announced in Council that substantial provision would be made in the Budget for carrying out the policy of introducing free and compulsory education in those municipalities proposing to take advantage of the new Act.

We all know that primary education is one of the subjects to be included in the transferred subjects under the Reforms Scheme. It will then be the duty of the members of Councils to find out ways and means to make primary education a success in the country. I have already quoted the opinion of the Commissioner of the Rajshahi division. He is probably in a position to speak with greater authority than many of us because he is no other official than Mr. Samman, who was only the other day the Secretary in charge of the Education Department of this Government. I cannot resist the temptation of quoting another portion from his letter to Government on the Bill, because, I think, he has clearly demonstrated and that within a few lines that the cost of introducing primary education in municipalities will not be prohibitive. This is what he says: 'All district officers support it (the Bill) except Mr. Lindsay, who thinks the cost will be prohibitive I do not share these fears. At the last census, boys between the ages of six and ten formed about 6·32 *per cent.* of the total population, and according to the last report of Public Instruction in Bengal, lower primary education cost Rs. 3 *per* head a year. The cost of teaching all boys between the ages of six and ten the rudiments of reading, writing and arithmetic should, therefore, not exceed Re. 1 for every five of the total population. This is about the cost of the village watch. Municipalities already spend more than a lakh of rupees a year on education of all sorts. With a population of less than two millions only four lakhs would be required for universal free education of boys between the ages noted. The difference of three lakhs represents an incidence of 2½ annas a head of the municipal population of Bengal, outside Calcutta.' My Lord, there is a class of critics in this country who consider that primary education cannot be made compulsory in the country and as such the Bill ought not to be supported because the money necessary for the proper accommodation, proper equipment and proper staff would not be forthcoming. There is an idea among some of the critics of the Bill that unless you have marble palaces for accommodation, mahogany chairs, tables and benches and a library with up-to-date standard books and Smith prizemen as teachers, primary education cannot and ought not to be introduced. They forget that the class of boys who will attend these schools live in huts and that if they read in a school which has a hut or couple of huts for accommodation they will not be worse off and they will not consider it *infra dig.* They lie and sit upon mats in their houses and it will not be beneath their position if they have to sit on mats in schools. The old Guru Mahasaya or the class of teachers who now form the teaching staff of the existing primary schools of the province will be sufficient. We do not want expensive board schools for boys for whom the Bill is intended. Theirs will be the short and simple accommodation and equipment for the poor. India has been a seat of learning from time immemorial. The Rishis of old never imparted their education in palaces. Naya, Sankhya and Patanjal were taught in huts, on naked floors and amidst blank walls. Poor school accommodation and poor school equipment never stood in the way of ourselves or our fathers from getting the benefits of education in our boyhood. There are primary schools at present in the whole of the province scattered over municipal as well as rural areas. There is an Education Committee attached to each district board. The result of passing of the Primary Education Bill will be practically to increase the number of such schools and to compel boys of school-going age residing within municipal areas and within Union Committees to attend schools.

These are, My Lord, the very critics who say in season and out of season that self-government cannot be given to the Indians because the masses are uneducated. But when an attempt is made for the spread of primary education in the country they try to lay down certain impossible conditions under which alone they say primary education can and ought to be given.

It is a matter of regret that primary education has not made that progress in British India which it has made in some of the Indian States. In answer to my question I received the following reply from the Commissioner of Education, Baroda State, only in August last :—

'(1) that primary education is free and compulsory in the Baroda State, (2) that the State bears all the expenses of such education, (3) that it is compulsory in respect to both boys and girls and (4) that the standard age of admission to schools under the compulsory Act is seven complete years in the case of boys and girls, but that the age for leaving schools is complete fourteen years for boys and twelve for girls.'

A similar reply has been received by me from the Mysore Government. The Secretary to the Education Department of the Mysore Government has written to me as follows :—

'(The introduction of the Compulsory Education scheme has been sanctioned in the case of 238 centres and the scheme is in full operation in 144 centres. Primary education is free in all the Government schools, but small contributions from the villagers are levied in the case of village aided schools.')

There are some who consider that primary education should first be on a voluntary basis, that there must be sufficient number of schools in the province before the compulsory system is sought to be introduced. I think if they carefully go through the provisions of clauses 3 and 4 of my Bill they will find that, whereas it is sought to invest Municipal Commissioners with power to declare primary education compulsory within the municipality or any part thereof under clause 3 of the Bill, clause 4 of the Bill expressly lays down that no such notification can be issued unless the Commissioners have made such provision as the Local Government consider necessary and sufficient for the primary education of all children within the area mentioned in the notification for whom such education would be compulsory on the issue of such notification. It will therefore be seen that not only the Municipal Commissioners will have to take necessary steps to provide schools and make other provisions for primary education of boys but that they should satisfy Government that this has been done, and it is only when Government are satisfied that the notification empowering Municipal Commissioners to declare primary education compulsory shall be issued. (If you leave the matter of primary education to the voluntary system it will never spread, it will never prosper. It has not done so in any country and it cannot be expected to do so in India.) I find that the number of those under elementary education in Baroda has risen greatly since compulsion was introduced and now stands at 12 *per cent.* of the population.

That the Government of India have been taking a sincere interest in the primary education of the country is well known to everybody. In February 1918, in opening the Imperial Legislative Council, His Excellency the Viceroy said :—'Of education at the other end of the scale—of primary education—I made some mention in addressing you last September. I said that we were agreed that a definite advance must be made in this sphere, and it was only the fact that there were other connected problems awaiting solution which prevented my giving an indication of the policy which we had in view on this most important question. (The support of primary education is a function of local bodies and its extension is, in the main, an operation of finance. While, therefore, the future powers of local bodies and the future relations of local, provincial and Imperial finance are still undetermined,

it is, as you will readily understand, a matter of no small difficulty to set forth a definite policy of future development for our primary schools, and it will be necessary for us to wait a little longer before we can take definite steps for the realisation of such a policy. In the meantime, we have determined to place no obstacle in the way of such local legislatures as may decide on any reasonable measures to forward the same end, whether those are the precise measures which we would ourselves be prepared to initiate or not. The last few months have accordingly seen the first beginnings of legislation to allow of compulsory education in this country. A private Bill has been introduced and passed into Law to admit of the adoption of compulsion by district municipalities in Bombay. Arrangements have been made for the introduction of similar Bills in Bengal, and in Bihar and Orissa. The Punjab Government has drafted a Bill dealing with the same subject on comprehensive lines and has published it for criticism. I need hardly say that I shall watch with deep interest the use which local bodies make of the powers conferred upon them by measures of this description.'

The Industrial Commission have recommended universial primary education in India.

My Lord, we are now passing through a critical period in the history of our country. The dawn of a new era is breaking. Industrial development and popular education will bring about a state of things which it is the desire of the best well wishers of the country to effect and which they are striving to attain. There is a cry to elevate the depressed classes and I need hardly say that this can be done only by educating them. Lord Chelmsford and the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State have justly said in the Report on Indian Constitutional Reforms: 'There is an immense work of education to be done throughout the countryside. Everything that tends to waken the Indian raiyat's intelligence, that helps him to be an independent self-determining man, everything that breaks down the barriers between communities and makes men regard each other as neighbours, and not as the wearers of some caste or creed insignia, hastens on the day when self-government within the Empire will be attained. All this is work that the educated Indian can and ought to undertake.'

The reasons and arguments that I have had the honour to lay before Your Excellency and the Members of this Council, I believe, must have brought conviction to their minds as to the vast importance of educating the masses of the people, for in education alone lie the germs of the progress and advancement of a country in its political, economic and social spheres. It is this advancement that I have sought to bring about by the introduction of this Bill and it remains for Your Excellency to give life and animation to the scheme and to make the country you have the honour of governing a power in the world."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"My Lord, I rise to add my humble voice to the general chorus of approval that has been given to the Bill introduced in this Council by the Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray. The special reason why I wish to speak is, that this Bill interests the members of my community more than that of others, and that the general approval which Muhammadans of all shades of opinion—those who are politically minded and those who are not—have accorded to it shows that there is a great demand for the introduction of a measure like this among Muhammadans. Some time ago when my friend the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul Huq tried to introduce a Bill in this Council for the levy of an Education Cess on muhammadans, and although it was received sympathetically by Your Excellency's government, the Bill could not be introduced owing to the opposition of the Government of India. I believe, my Lord, that the introduction of this Bill will, to some extent, satisfy the demand made and will do the work which was intended that we would be able to do by the imposition of an Education Cess. I only wish to

submit to Your Excellency's government that so far as the Muhammadans in general are concerned, the extension of the provisions of the Bill to municipalities only—of course it will be of some advantage to have it extended to some municipalities—will not be of much use unless it can be extended to rural areas, and I hope that the Select Committee will take the matter into consideration and will see their way to extend it to rural areas in the near future. With these few words, I support the motion."

The Hon'ble Mr. Wordsworth said :—

"My Lord, I have only to say on behalf of Government that Government are agreeable to the reference of the Bill to Select Committee. In Committee certain suggestions will be put forward on behalf of Government and it will be necessary also to consider many suggestions made by the gentlemen and public bodies to whom the Bill had been circulated for opinion. Many of these suggestions are of so detailed a nature that they can best be considered across the table in Committee, at least in the first instance, and of such importance that their inclusion in the Bill would considerably modify the principle on which the Bill is based. For these reasons Government propose to offer no further observations now, and to reserve the definition of its attitude until a later stage."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 5.

THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT No. 2) BILL, 1918.

The Hon'ble Mr. Cumming moved that the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment No. 2) Bill, 1918, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Kerr, the Hon'ble Mr. Stevenson-Moore, the Hon'ble Mr. Duval, the Hon'ble Rai Priya Nath Mukharji Bahadur, the Hon'ble Mr. Altaf Ali, the Hon'ble Khan Sahib Aman Ali, the Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter, the Hon'ble Rai Sri Nath Ray Bahadur, and the mover, with instructions to submit their report in time for its presentation at the December meeting of the Council.

He said :—

"Your Excellency, opinions have been received on the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment No. 2) Bill, 1918, which was introduced in this Council in July last, and the next stage would naturally be that these opinions should be considered in Select Committee. I therefore beg to move this motion."

The Hon'ble Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray said :—

"My Lord, this is another patchwork amendment of the Bengal Tenancy Act within the year. When the first one was brought before the House, I objected to this sort of patchwork legislation. The Bengal Tenancy Act requires a thorough overhauling to secure a harmonious co-operation and mutual understanding between the landlords and the tenants. Instead, I find, with grave concern, that only such amendments are being brought forward before the Council, which are only advantageous to the raiyats. I do not grudge them their good fortune, but I most respectfully submit that this kind of preferential treatment cannot but engender a feeling of bitterness and resentment in us, and in the long run must widen the gulf of misunderstanding and distrust between the two great communities vitally interested in land. But let me hope, My Lord, that before Your Excellency leaves Bengal something will be done to foster a more pleasant relationship between the zamindar and his raiyat.

I now turn to the proposed legislation before the House. It involves two important questions. *First* it imposes a further reduction on the right of contract of the people, a right which is an essential factor in the economic development of our lands. *Secondly*, it proposes to carry a retrospective effect along with it to the utter disregard of the interests of the people who based their land transactions on documents hitherto held valid by High Court rulings. It was on the grounds of public policy that in 1885, the freedom of contract as to rents and other incidents of tenancy, was taken away from the raiyats. It is on the same grounds again, that further restrictions on the right of contracts as to cesses, are being imposed. 'On grounds of public policy' is a very convenient phrase as it saves a good deal of explanation and furnishes an excellent cover against unpleasant criticisms. But I cannot help remarking that the restrictions imposed in 1885 are primarily responsible for our apathy towards the agricultural development of our lands. Who would care to invest capital on land improvements, when no agreement between him and his raiyat as to the returns on his outlay, could be valid in the eyes of the law? My Lord, after an experience of 35 years, we expected that the Government would realise the disastrous economic consequences of curtailing the freedom of contract, and that there would be a change in the angle of vision regarding the matter; but instead I find that Government is bent on perpetuating its policy by extending the restrictions to contracts regarding cesses.

The other matter involved in this legislation is rather serious. I mean the question of giving a retrospective effect to its operation. I wonder the unfairness of the whole thing was not apparent to the learned framers of the Bill. It is like punishing the people for the blunder of the official law-scribes of 1885. How can the Government set at naught, by the stroke of a pen, a claim which was hotly contested in the highest court of the land and allowed. My Lord, whatever the all-powerful Executive might think of a peoples' right, British Justice does not fail us. Let me read what the Hon'ble Judges of the High Court say on the subject, in their notes dated the 5th August 1918 :—'Retrospective operation of the section would also effect persons who have dealt with properties on the basis of contracts which have hitherto been declared valid by courts of law.'

After this, I think I may safely hope that the Select Committee would set the matter right.

Then, my Lord, there is another little matter to which a passing reference should be made. I refer to paragraph 3 of the Statement of Objects and Reasons, which says that this legislation will not affect permanent leases. But it is not so. Section 179 of the Bengal Tenancy Act on which this statement is based does not apply to permanent leases created before the said Act came into operation. There is also no saving clause regarding contracts by rent-free holders. I think that these defects should be removed by clear and unambiguous provisions in the law."

The Hon'ble MR. CUMMING said :—

"My Lord, referring to the remarks of the Hon'ble Member regarding certain details of the Bill, I can give him every assurance that the points which he has mentioned will receive due attention. Possibly in some of them he will find that there is a misapprehension which I trust we shall be able to remove. As regards the main question, namely, that this is a piecemeal legislation, of course that cannot be denied. No one is more conscious than I am and the Bengal Government too, that before any large change in the Tenancy Act be affected, it will be necessary to have another Rent Law Commission. Until such a thing can be completed, we can only carry out changes, as we find it necessary to do so."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 6.

THE CALCUTTA HACKNEY-CARRIAGE BILL, 1918.

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY moved that the Report of the Select Committee on the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Bill, 1918, be taken into consideration.

He Said :—

"My Lord the most important question which arises out of the report of the Select Committee is whether control should be transferred to the Commissioner of Police or remain with the Corporation. This question is dealt with in the motion about to be moved by the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur to which I shall reply on behalf of Government. I hope then to explain the attitude of Government towards the proposal for transfer."

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 7.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR moved, by way of amendment, that the Bill, as amended by the Select Committee, with the Report of the Select Committee, be republished.

He said :—

"My Lord, my object in moving this amendment is this : that the Bill as originally published and which was circulated to public bodies and local authorities concerned, for their opinion, did not contain, this most important provision, that the administration of the Hackney-carriage Department be transferred from the Corporation to the Commissioner of Police. On this point, the public bodies who were invited to give their views on the original Bill had no opportunity to express their opinion nor had the municipalities concerned. Of course, Sir, I am aware that the two public bodies, namely, the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and, I believe, the Calcutta Trades' Association, and also the Corporation by a bare majority—the suggestion in the case of the Corporation came from the Chairman first,—agreed to the transfer of the administration of the Hackney-carriage Department to the Commissioner of Police ; the Corporation making it a special condition that as a *quid pro quo* the Calcutta Fire Brigade should be transferred to them. On that condition they consented to the proposal. I think, my Lord, that this is a must fundamental change in the Bill and therefore this Bill should be republished, and that the opinions of the public bodies and municipalities concerned should be invited on this most important point.

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

My Lord, in reply to this motion I may remind the Council of the long time this Bill has already been under consideration. The present Act was passed in 1891, and since then various proposals had been brought forward from time to time with the object of improving the hackney-carriage service in Calcutta. Eventually the Calcutta Corporation appointed a special Committee in 1910 to consider the whole question In 1911 their proposals were submitted to Government with a recommendation that the Act should be amended so as to ensure stricter control of the service and enable improvements to be made in it. The proposals of the Corporation were generally accepted by Government, and an amending Bill was prepared and sent to the Corporation for their views in 1912. They replied in February 1913, asking for the acceptance of certain recommendations and suggestions almost all of which were agreed to by Government. In the meantime, the Commissioner of Police proposed that the Hackney-carriage Department should be transferred to his control. The Corporation were consulted, but at that time they were opposed to the proposal and the idea was dropped. Further alterations and additions were made in the Bill, which was at last introduced in Council

in July 1916 and referred to a Select Committee. The Select Committee came to the conclusion that the Bill did not go far and that a more extensive measure was necessary. A new consolidating and amending Bill was then drawn up, in accordance with the suggestions of the Select Committee, embodying the provisions of the former Bill as well as other modifications which were found necessary. The Bill, which is now before Council, was eventually introduced in February 1918.

It is now eight years since the special Committee of the Corporation dealt with the question of improving the Hackney Carriage service and it cannot be said that there has been precipitate haste over this legislation. If the Bill was republished, there would be still further delay without any corresponding advantage. It cannot be said that the question of the transfer of the control to the Police is a new one; it has been under discussion from time to time for the last eight years. It has been more recently considered by the Corporation and the Commissioner of Police. It has been specially dealt with by different public bodies in giving their opinions on the Bill. If the Bill were to be republished, it would only enable any one who wished to do so to volunteer his views on its provisions. There would be no circulation of the Bill to the different local bodies or associations; and the practical effect would be to postpone still further the enactment of a measure which has been pending for eight years. I would therefore deprecate further delay and urge that the question be settled in Council without republishing the Bill.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said:—

"My Lord, I am fully aware of the history of this measure as described by the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley; but my Lord, if the Bill as originally drafted and placed before the Council in 1916, and considered by the Select Committee, had been before us, and if the original Bill as introduced before it was committed to the Select Committee had been before us with other amendments without this fundamental change involving the transfer of the administration *en bloc* from the Corporation to the Commissioner of Police there would have been no necessity for moving for the re-publication of the Bill. The Hon'ble Member is well aware that this most important proposal was not in the original Bill which was published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and on which Government invited the opinion of the public bodies and the Municipalities concerned. The Hon'ble Member has stated that the Commissioner of Police had been asking for the transfer of the administration of the Hackney Carriage Department from the Corporation into his own hands. The Corporation was opposed to it; but, of course, the Corporation, constituted as it is, can easily change its views by a bare majority and I believe I shall not be far wrong if I say by the casting vote of the Chairman. As this is a radical amendment of the Bill, I think this Bill should be republished. My original motion as I sent it to the Legislative Secretary, suggested, that the Bill should be republished and circulated to the Public bodies and local authorities for an expression of their opinion on the proposal to transfer the administration of the Hackney Carriage Department from the Corporation to the Commissioner of Police. I understand that there are some technical difficulties in moving the amendment in that way according to Rules. This amendment has been put in this shape under the advice of higher authorities; but my main object is to have public opinion on this subject. The Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley says that even if the Bill is republished, it will not be circulated to public bodies—if I understood him aright. I do not think, my Lord, that Government should assume such an attitude. If the Council consents to the re-publication of the Bill, there will be no loss to Government if the attention of the public bodies and local authorities concerned is drawn to the important change and their opinion asked for. I do not think it will involve much clerical work in the office of the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley, it will take only half a minute to obtain the Secretary's or the Under-Secretary's signature to it. On these grounds, my Lord, I would press my motion. I reserve my remarks on the merits of the question in connection with further amendments.

The motion was then put to the vote, and a division was taken with the following result :—

Ayes—16.

The Hon'ble Mr. Aminur Rahman.
" " Raja Hrishikesh Laha, C.I.E.
" " Mr. Provash Chander Mitter.
" " Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, Kt., C.I.E.
" " Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur.
" " Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy.
" " Maulvi Abul Kasem.
" " Mr. M. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri.
" " Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.
" " Khan Sahib Aman Ali.
" " Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray.
" " Rai Sri Nath Ray Bahadur.
" " Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur.
" " Babu Surendra Nath Ray.
" " " Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri.
" " " Ambika Charan Mazumdar.

Noes—23.

The Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.
" " Mr. J. G. Cumming, C.S.I., C.I.E.
" " Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E.
" " Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O.
" " Major-General, W. H. L. Robinson, C.B., I.M.S.
" " Mr. J. Donald, C.I.E.
" " Mr. L. S. S. O'Malley.
" " Mr. H. P. Duval.
" " Mr. M. C. McAlpin.
" " Mr. F. A. A. Cowley.
" " Mr. W. C. Wordsworth.
" " Mr. F. C. Payne.
" " Mr. S. G. Hart.
" " Rai Priya Nath Mukharji Bahadur, I.S.O.
" " Sir Rajendra Nath Mookerjee, K.C.I.E.
" " Mr. J. Mackenzie, O.B.E.
" " Mr W. H. H. Arden-Wood, C.I.E.
" " Babu Siv Naram Mukharji.
" " Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray.
" " Mr. Arun Chandra Singha.
" " Mr. F. W. Carter, C.I.E., C.B.E.
" " Mr. W. S. Crum, O.B.E.
" " Mr. E. B Eden.

The following member abstained from voting :—

The Hon'ble Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, C.I.E.

The following members were absent :—

The Hon'ble Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan.
" " Mr. C. H. Bompas, C.S.I.
" " Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad, Amir-ul-Omrah. K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O.
" " Sir Nilratan Sarkar, Kt.
" " Mr. J. W. Hely-Hutchinson.
" " Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri.
" " Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur.
" " Mr. G. A. Bayley.
" " Mr. H. R. A. Irwin, C.I.E.
" " Altaf Ali.
" " Babu Akhil Chandra Datta.
" " Mr. K. B. Dutt.

The Ayes being 16 and the Noes 23, the motion was lost.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 8.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR moved, by way of amendment, that the Bill as amended by the Select Committee, be recommitted to the Select Committee for modification of the Bill so as to provide for the retention by the Corporation of Calcutta of their control over hackney-carriages, and for that purpose to amend clauses 6, 7, 17(*2*), 30(*2*), and other clauses of the Bill.

He said :—

"My Lord, in this connection I have to acquaint the Council with the history of this legislation : it is, indeed, well known to some of the members of this House. It was in 1864 that the first Act was passed called 'the Hackney-carriage Act' to restrain the extortion of native livery-stable-keepers, to provide a regulated scale of fares and otherwise to place the relations of the carriage-hiring community and the owners and drivers of gharries on a satisfactory footing. Then, in 1878, an amending Act was passed, authorising the local Government to place the administration of the Hackney-carriage Act under the control of the Corporation of Calcutta : that is to say, from 1864 to 1878, the administration of the Hackney-carriage Department was under the Commissioner of Police ; but in 1878 an amending measure which is ordinarily called Mr. Reynold's measure was introduced. It authorised the Local Government to transfer at its discretion the administration of the Hackney-carriage Department from the Commissioner of Police to the Corporation of Calcutta. My Lord, that was merely the power of delegation that was vested under that Act in the Local Government, and the Local Government, in exercise of their power, transferred the administration of that department to the Corporation in 1878, and from 1878 to 1891 the Corporation administered the department under the delegated authority of the Local Government. In 1891 a Bill was introduced, on the representation of the Corporation, asking for several modifications of the Act of 1878 with a view to more efficient administration of the Hackney-carriage Department.

In introducing this Bill, the Hon'ble Mr. Cotton observed :—

'The Municipal Commissioners of Calcutta, responding to the public sentiment on the subject, took the matter into their consideration last autumn, and appointed a Committee to enquire into the working of the Act and to suggest amendments. In this Committee, the leading members were two representatives of the Trades' Association—Mr. Phelps and Mr. Remfry—and it is to those gentlemen in particular, as well as to the Committee in general, that the thanks of the Calcutta community are due for working out a scheme to improve the working of the hackney-carriage service of Calcutta. The Committee sat several times and their report was laid before this Government on the 30th of March last. Their recommendation was that legislation should be resorted to and that further powers should be given to the Corporation to carry out the objects of the Act. It was felt by the Government that it was very necessary to assist and encourage the Corporation in their praiseworthy endeavours to improve the administration of the hackney-carriage service, and no time was lost therefore in preparing a draft measure and in obtaining the permission of the Government of India to introduce it into this Council.'

Further in another part of his speech, he said :—

'That Act (*i.e.*, Mr. Reynolds' Act) empowered the Local Goverment to make an order authorising the Corporation to exercise the powers exercised by the Commissioner of Police, and under that law the necessary order was passed; and since 1878 the registering office and the administration of the Hackney-carriage Act have been transferred from the Commissioner of Police to the Municipal Commissioners of Calcutta.'

Then, My Lord, he said :—'The first of the changes effected under the new Bill is to lay down that the working of the Act is to be entirely under the control of the Corporation of Calcutta.'

My Lord, I need not tire the Council by quoting the opinions of Government and of the public bodies concerned on the labours and untiring efforts of the Corporation of Calcutta to improve the hackney-carriage service, but it will be seen from the speech of the Hon'ble Mr. Cotton, who was the Member in charge of the Bill, that Government was so fully satisfied with the working of the Hackney-carriage Act by the Corporation, that they not only

amended the Act of 1878 with a view to place the entire working under them, not by a mere delegation from the Local Government, but as a matter of right conferred upon them statutory authority to control the administration of the Hackney-carriage Department : that took place in 1891. In these days of constitutional reforms, the withdrawal of that authority is a striking example of retrogression. The Hon'ble Mr. Cotton observed that the most important thing was the framing of bye-laws. The bye-laws used to be framed by the Commissioner of Police and sanctioned by the Local Government ; but Mr. Cotton stated that the bye-laws would be framed by the Municipal Commissioners of Calcutta subject to the approval of the Local Government. Now, My Lord, these were the two important changes made in 1891. In 1891, these important changes were made to encourage a popular body to discharge the duties much more zealously ; and in 1918 it is proposed to go back to the old system—to take away the powers which they possessed and which they exercised so efficiently—with a view to restore the one-man rule, because the Commissioner of Police has for some years been trying to get that power ; and he has however succeeded now in getting it, although Government has not yet expressed any decided opinion on the subject. Look at that picture and this picture. I find on looking through the list of transferred and reserved subjects in the Chelmsford-Montagu scheme that the administration of the Hackney-carriage Department is included in the list of transferred subjects. Well, in the face of that and in the face of the improvements that have been made by the Municipal Commissioners, I do not think that this should be transferred back to the Commissioner of Police.

Then, My Lord, in 1914 the Corporation did not agree, in 1918, the Corporation as constituted at present is of such a chameleon character that it has changed its views. At the beginning of the year when the question was first raised at a Committee meeting, Mr. Phelps stated that the hackney-carriage service had attained a certain amount of efficiency after many years and the Police had a lot of important things to do, and he therefore failed to see what advantage would accrue from the transfer. Of course, My Lord, this opinion gradually metamorphosed and underwent a change. The Hon'ble Raja Hrishi Kesh Law, representing an important section of the community, thought that the public would not like the transfer, because they would not be able to approach the Police so easily as the Corporation. That is a fact, My Lord. It is not very difficult to approach the Chairman, because he sits in our midst and he can be heckled. If any one wants to see the Commissioner of Police, he will have to pass through a number of *Barkandajes* and policemen. My nerves shake within myself to go and see the Commissioner of Police and to acquaint him with our grievances. Therefore, My Lord, even if it is said that it should be in the hands of a very high officer, I do not think that the Chairman of the Corporation is in any way an officer who occupies a position lower than that of the Commissioner of Police or has less administrative capacity. My Lord, it may be said, and I anticipate it that as the Police regulate the traffic the Police should have the registering business in their own hands. My Lord, private carriages are registered by the Corporation and carts are also registered by them. To direct the traffic '*dyna jao*' or '*bya jao*' is quite different from the registration of carriages which requires looking into the condition of horses, carriages and other things. The Corporation have got an expert department with an expert officer—a European—with some European and Indian assistants as Inspectors. It is admitted on all hands that there have been some steady improvements, what have they done that this department should be snatched away from them and handed over to the Commissioner of Police ? It will be seen that since 1895 the Corporation have always been keeping an eye on this administration. In 1895 the Corporation appointed a Committee ; and in 1910 they appointed another Committee, they have always been thinking about this matter how to improve the hackney-carriage service—and they have done a lot in this matter. The outcome of the latest Committee of 1910 was the Bill that was introduced in 1916. If the Bill that was introduced in 1916 had been passed and if the Select Committee had not on the further suggestion of the Corporation

made certain material alterations which in the opinion of the Hon'ble Nawab Syed Shams-ul-Huda, the then Member in charge of the Bill, did require the sanction of the Government of India, this question of transference to the Commissioner of Police would not have arisen. But, unfortunately, the Bill had to be sent back to the Government of India for sanction. That sanction was obtained with reference to certain provisions of the Bill and there would have been no trouble about this Bill but in the intermediate stage when the redrafted Bill came, the attempt was again revived by the Commissioner of Police and supported by others to secure the transfer of the administration of the Hackney-carriage Act to the Police. My Lord, of course I admire the tenacity of the Commissioner of Police: the Commissioner of Police has won and his tenacity has been rewarded. I hope the Hon'ble Council will wait and pause before it gives its final seal to this proposal. My Lord, I do not want to cast any reflection on the Commissioner of Police. I should like to read to Your Excellency the observations of one or two members of the Calcutta Corporation who are members of the Trades' Association and who have taken a good deal of interest in the matter of the administration of the Hackney-carriage Department. Mr Shelton said 'that the control exercised over the taxi-cabs in Calcutta was not as it should be.' There was no classification of the taxi-cabs, no uniformity in the dress of the drivers, and no inspection of fittings or machinery. He, therefore, suggested that the taxi-cabs should be brought under the control of the Corporation.' Further, Mr. Shelton said: 'When this question of controlling the taxi-cabs in Calcutta was discussed previously, it was thought that under the Police they would be more efficiently managed; but it proved otherwise. As they had a well-organized department in the Corporation, namely, the Hackney-carriage Department, he thought they could very efficiently deal with the taxi-cabs. These vehicles were generally in a dirty condition, and therefore, stricter supervision was necessary.'

My Lord, it will, therefore, be seen that even some of the European Commissioners, representatives of the Trades' Association on the Corporation, were not quite satisfied with the administration of the Police in regard to taxi-cabs, and having regard to this fact and to the fact that the Corporation of Calcutta managed the Hackney-carriage Department for the last 40 years so satisfactorily, received encouragement and encomium from the public and Government, I do not see why in this progressive year—the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen—we shall go back to the period anterior to 1891. Your Excellency is presiding over our deliberations in this Council here as an impartial dispenser of justice, and I appeal to Your Excellency's sense of justice. If Your Lordship thinks that my submission has appealed to you, I hope you will kindly veto the proposal. The administration of the Hackney-carriage Department is a small matter, it will neither increase the prestige of the Commissioner of Police nor invest him with any higher authority than he already possesses. We, the children of the soil, are fighting for some little crumbs of power and Self-Government from the British Government and I hope, My Lord, that the little crumbs which we possess will not be taken away from us."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

My Lord, Government are unable to accept this motion, and I propose to give a full and frank explanation of their reasons for opposing it. The control of hackney-carriages, palanquins and rickshaws in Calcutta is a matter merely of local administration, and being a local matter Government thought it would be better not to come to any decision before it received the report of the Select Committee, on which there was a strong majority of members with local knowledge. There were only four official members on the Committee, and, they had no mandate from Government. With the exception of the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, the official members were either past or present officers of the Corporation. On the other hand, there were seven non-official members fully representative of the interests of Calcutta and other municipalities, such as Howrah and Hooghly-Chinsurah. I mention these

facts to show that Government gave practical expression to its belief that this was a measure which should be dealt with in Select Committee by those who have local knowledge, local experience and local interests to represent. The report of the Select Committee showed that, with only three dissentients, all the members, official and non-official, were in favour of transfer of control to the Commissioner of Police. All but two of the residents of Calcutta advocated it. The views of the Select Committee so constituted naturally carried weight with Government. Government were also impressed by the arguments in favour of making the Commissioner of Police the controlling officer as well as by the fact that the two authorities concerned, the Corporation and the Commissioner of Police, agreed to it, while important associations like the Chamber of Commerce and the Trades Association had advocated it. Although therefore the Bill introduced by Government provided for the continued control of the Corporation, Government felt that they should agree to the recommendations of the Select Committee.

It is an acknowledged principle that the Police are responsible for the safety of the public streets. On this account, the control of vehicles plying for the hire of passengers in the streets, hackney-carriages as well as taxi-cabs, is vested in the Police in nearly all large cities. Not to multiply instances, this is the case in London and Rangoon. It scarcely needs demonstration that the existence of a single superior authority serves to secure efficient supervision and regulation of vehicular traffic, which cannot be so well secured under a system of dual control, under which also there are possibilities of friction. Calcutta has been in the anomalous position of having its taxi-cabs regulated by the Commissioner of Police and hackney-carriages by the Corporation. The Commissioner Police in his opinion on the Bill pointed out the practical inconvenience he is put to in effecting the arrest of drivers. He is ready to take over control not because he is anxious to increase his work, but because he considers that a distinct improvement would be affected thereby, which would be in the best interests of the public. The Corporation has also consented to the change. It is true that it also desired to have the transfer of the Fire Brigade made over to it and that Government cannot at present give any promise about that matter although it realises that there is much to be said in favour of the proposal. The amendment of the Licensed Warehouses and Fire Brigade Act would be necessary in order to enable the control of the Fire Brigade to be made over to the Corporation, and Government must ascertain the views of Howrah and suburban Municipalities, which contribute to the upkeep of the Brigade as well as Calcutta, before agreeing to an amendment of the Act. Their views have been asked for and after they are received Government will consider whether it should undertake legislation: the Howrah municipality has already replied and declared itself in favour of the proposal.

Apart from the question of the transfer of the Fire Brigade, Government is satisfied that the transfer of the control of hackney-carriages and the licensing of drivers to the Commissioner of Police would be a move in the right direction as securing unity of control over traffic plying for hire of passengers in the streets of Calcutta—bullock carts, which are intended for the transport of goods and not of passengers, are outside the scope of the Bill. The arguments in favour of vesting the control of public vehicles in the same authority have been forcibly and clearly presented in the letter of the Chamber of Commerce, from which I may quote: 'The Committee of the Chamber of Commerce believe that it will be only by the unification of control that a good service of cabs—whether horse or motor—is likely to be provided, and it is, they think, not unreasonable to expect that the difficult problem of traffic regulation might likewise be to some extent simplified if authority were centralised in that authority. Seeing also that the regulation of traffic in the city is in the hands of the Commissioner of Police, it follows that he should be the authority for registering, licensing and controlling all classes of public vehicles. The Committee urge, therefore, most strongly that Government

should accept this proposal, and, further, that the registering officer, in view of the great responsibility attaching to his work, would be a Police officer of seniority and standing.' "

The Hon'ble MR. EDEN said :—

" My Lord, after what has fallen from Mr. O'Malley and after the arguments deduced by him, I do not propose to use any arguments against the amendment which the Hon'ble Rai Bahadur has proposed. I would, however, like to remove a little misconception regarding the attitude of two of the members of the Calcutta Trades' Association who were members of the Corporation. Mr. Phelps is reported as having given his opinion that the control of hackney-carriages should remain with the Corporation. So recently as March or April this year, the matter was very thoroughly discussed in the Calcutta Trades' Association and Mr. Phelps withdrew his objection and supported the proposal that the control of hackney-carriages should be transferred to the Police. As regards Mr. Shelton, he is now away in England. He has taken a very active part in looking after the Hackney-Carriage Department of the Corporation, but in 1916, before I spoke on this subject at the Dacca meeting, I consulted Mr. Shelton as to what his opinion was on the matter of transfer, and although he expressed himself as having strong feelings in favour of the control remaining with the Corporation, he said he was not unwilling that if the whole department could be transferred to the control of the Police, he would withdraw his objection."

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY said :—

" My Lord, I deem it my duty to give to this Council my reasons for supporting the proposal which has been made or mooted in the report of the Select Committee regarding the transfer of the control of the hackney-carriages from the Corporation to the Commissioner of Police in Calcutta. The first thing that I would ask this Council to remember is that this legislation affects Calcutta, and it does not directly affect the question of the control of hackney carriages which may be established regularly in any city or town in the district. I do not know whether every member of the Council is aware of the difference in the control which prevails in England as between the metropolis and the boroughs. In the boroughs the control of hackney and stage carriages is vested in the local authorities. In the metropolis, that is, in the city of London, the control of hackney carriages or rather hackney and stage carriages as they are called there, and of drivers and conductors, is in the hands of the Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police, who acts as the deputy of the Home Secretary. This distinction is, it seems to me, based upon sound reason. Ordinarily, no doubt, one would sympathise with the feelings of my hon'ble friend Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur that hackney-carriages should be controlled by local authorities, but in the metropolis where the traffic is excessively heavy, even the British people, to whom local self-government is so dear, do not object to the control of hackney and stage carriages being vested in the Commissioner of Police under the Home Secretary. Now the reason which induced me at any rate to support the proposal in the Select Committee was simply this. We all know that the heavy traffic of the streets is controlled by the Police. My hon'ble friend Mr. Pal has suggested that the argument that there is much efficiency in the unity of control is a hackneyed argument which does not appeal to him. It is not a hackneyed argument ; the principle of the efficiency of united control is one of the soundest arguments which should regulate the conduct of the executive. If I may compare very small things with great, if the efficiency of this principle was not realised in England soon the war would not have ended so early. I do not desire to detain the Council at any length upon this point, but it seems to me that to overlook the principle of efficiency and to try to raise the question of encroachments upon the sacred principle of local self-government in a side issue like this, is to miss the whole point. I am, I hope, as strong an advocate of responsible Government as my hon'ble friend Mr. Pal, but I do not lose sight of the fact that

real responsible Government does not consist in controlling hackney carriages in the town of Calcutta. My hon'ble friend has referred to a matter, occurring in the Schedule, which was tentatively prepared, in the joint report of the Viceroy and the Secretary of State as to the subjects which should be treated as transferred subjects. Well, one may endorse the soundness of the principle without quarrelling with the recommendations of the Select Committee, because legislation may be deemed necessary in the near future for the control of hackney carriages in the districts. I do not suggest, and I do not think that Mr. O'Malley would suggest, that even in the districts in the mofussil, where legislation is deemed necessary for the purpose of controlling the service of hackney carriages, the police should necessarily there do the work which might better be done as it is done in the boroughs in England by the local authorities, so that keeping the subject of the control of the hackney carriages generally as an item in the list of transferred subjects, does not militate against the special provision that we may feel it necessary to make for a town like Calcutta, in view of the extremely heavy character of the traffic."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, in the first place I would reply briefly to the Hon'ble Mr. Eden. It is quite obvious I believe to the Hon'ble Member that the two representatives of the Trades' Association, until March last, were strongly of opinion that the continuance of the administration of the Hackney-Carriage Department should continue in the hands of the Corporation Mr. Phelps changed his views in March 1918, and Mr. Shelton although retaining still his strong feeling for the retention of the administration in the hands of the Corporation, found that he had no objection to the transfer after Mr. Eden had a talk with him. It will thus be seen that two of the members of the Trades' Association who had at one time very strong feelings against the transfer, and who had practically taken part in the administration of that department, subsequently changed their minds, and thought that that department should be transferred from the Corporation to the Commissioner of Police. I must give them credit to say that whether they agreed whole-heartedly to the transfer or not, they have got the unity of action which we perhaps lack very much, and if that were not the case, the spectacle of European non-official members voting in favour of Government proposals in some of the contested divisions, would never have been seen, and we might have defeated the Government on many occasion. I cannot divest myself of the impression that Messrs. Phelps and Shelton, two of the most active members of the Corporation, who were against this transfer, afterwards changed their views only in deference to the views of their colleagues in the Trades Association. Further I may inform the Council that another European Commissioner, Mr. Jones of the *Statesman*—I do not think that he is very anxious that we should have an over-abundance of self-government—was also against the transfer.

I would not dwell on the speech of the Hon'ble Babu Mahendra Nath Ray. My Lord, much has been said about dual control. I repeat this is a hackneyed phrase which has been used with a view to effecting this transfer. What is this dual control? The control of traffic is one thing, and the examination of horses and carriages and the licensing of them is a different thing. All the latter has been carried on by the Corporation for the last 40 years. Past Commissioners of Police and past Governments have never raised that question, my Lord. Am I to understand that the present generation is infinitely wiser than the past generation so profoundly as to see the folly of leaving the control in the hands of the Corporation. On the contrary, I find from the proceedings of past Councils that with a view to encourage the Municipal Commissioners in their good work, the Government amended the law and placed the control entirely in the hands of the Corporation, they also amended the law in other directions in order to give them better control over horses, carriages, etc. The only argument that has been put forward against my proposal is that of dual control which has been in existence for

the past 40 years. On the one side, there is the examination of horses, carriages, etc., including those of livery stables, such as Messrs. Hart's, Cook's and others ; they are not licensed by the Commissioner of Police. On the other side, there is the regulation of traffic which is under the control of the Police. Where then is the clashing of interests even under this dual control ? Therefore I do not see that any case has been made out for a transfer. As regards the question of self-government, it has been stated that in London, hackney carriages are under the Commissioner of Police. I do not know how far the Police there is under popular control. When it suits their purpose, people would compare London with Calcutta, and say that such and such a practice prevails in London and therefore it is good for Calcutta, but when we say that such and such a thing prevails in London or America, or in other self-governing dominions, they say, 'No, this cannot be applied to an Eastern people in India.' My Lord, 'the proof of the pudding is in the eating thereof.' I have ransacked the Police Administration Reports covering a period of 40 years, and I have not been able to find out that a single complaint has been made by the Police about the so-called dual control. In order, however, to help the Police in the matter of service of processes, etc., in the course of their duties in connection with the regulation of traffic that the Bill has provided that the name of every driver and his address, or change of address should be inserted in a register and a copy of that register forwarded to the Commissioner of Police. This was in the original Bill. All this has been transformed and the term Commissioner of Police has been substituted for the term Chairman of the Corporation. I do not think I should occupy more of the time of the Council, I will leave my motion to the Council.

The motion was then put to the vote and a division was taken with the following result :—

Ayes—12.

The Hon'ble Raja Hrishikesh Laha, C.I.E.
" " Mr. Provash Chunder Mitter.
" " Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, Kt., C.I.E.
" " Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur.
" " Maulvi Abul Kasem.
" " Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.
" " Khan Sahib Aman Ali.
" " Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray.
" " Rai Sri Nath Ray Bahadur.
" " Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra, Bahadur.
" " Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri.
" " Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar.

Noes—28.

The Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.
" " Mr. J. C. Cumming, C.S.I., C.I.E.
" " Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E.
" " Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O.
" " Major-General W. H. B. Robinson, C.B., I.M.S.
" " Mr. J. Donald, C.I.E.
" " Mr. L. S. S. O'Malley.
" " Mr. H. P. Duval.
" " Mr. M. C. McAlpin.
" " Mr. F. A. A. Cowley.
" " Mr. W. C. Wordsworth.
" " Mr. C. F. Payne.
" " Mr. S. G. Hart.
" " Rai Priya Nath Mukharji Bahadur, I.S.O.
" " Sir Rajendra Nath Mookerjee, K.C.I.E.
" " Mr. J. Mackenzie, C.B.E.
" " Mr. W. H. H. Arden-Wood, C.I.E.
" " Mr. Aminur Rahman.
" " Mr. J. W. Hely-Hutchinson.
" " Babu Siv Narayan Mukharji.
" " Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray.
" " Mr. Arun Chandra Singha.
" " Mr. F. W. Carter, C.I.E., C.B.E.
" " Mr. W. E. Crum, O.B.E.
" " Mr. E. B. Eden.
" " Mr. Altaf Ali.
" " Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, C.I.E.
" " Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy.

The following members were absent :—

The Hon'ble Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan.
" " Mr. C. H. Bompas, C.S.I.
" " Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad, Amir-ul-Omrah, K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O.
" " Sir Nilratan Sarkar, Kt.
" " Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri.
" " Rai Dobender Chunder Ghose Bahadur.
" " Mr. G. A. Bayley.
" " Mr. H. R. A. Irwin, C.I.E.
" " Mr. N. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri.
" " Babu Akhil Chandra Datta.
" " Babu Surendra Nath Ray.
" " Mr. K. B. Dutt

The Ayes being 12 and the Noes 28 the motion was lost.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 9.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR moved, by way of amendment, that the Bill, as amended by the Select Committee, be recommitted to the Select Committee for modification of the Bill so as to provide for the transfer of the control over hackney-carriages to a Board consisting of the Commissioner of Police, two representatives of the Corporation, and one of Howrah and of each of the other municipalities concerned, and for that purpose to amend clauses 6, 7, 17(*2*), 30(*2*), and other clauses of the Bill.

He said :—

"My Lord, this a sort of compromise that I have suggested—a sort of half-way house—with a view to having the representatives of these municipalities associated with the Commissioner of Police: the Commissioner of Police instead of himself performing the functions of the Act will be associated with the representatives of the Municipalities concerned. The framing of by-laws is a most important part of the function and then there is the appointment of officers and all that. As regards the traffic, I may say that the proposed Board will have nothing to do with that matter because the traffic is regulated under the Calcutta Police Act, which has nothing to do with the Hackney Carriage Act. This Act extends to the outside Municipalities of Howrah, Cossipore-Chitpur, Maniktollah, Dum-Dum, Garden Reach and Tollygunj; the registration business is done in the office of the Calcutta Corporation. These are matters relating to the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act. This Board will be composed of people's representatives and will be associated with the Commissioner of Police, and therefore I hope, my Lord, although it is a very distant hope, that this motion may be accepted. The members of the Board will not take any participation in executive work, they will be sitting round the Commissioner of Police and will make suggestions in the same way as the Board of Visitors of jails. In the jail administration there is some exchange of views regarding the treatment and diet of prisoners—we get some sort of chat round and across the table with the Commissioner of Police. This is a sort of benevolent despotism. The people will have the privilege of having some conversation with the Commissioner of Police."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, I oppose this motion for the reasons I have explained in reply to the previous motion; and I need not recapitulate the reasons I then adduced. It seems to me, however, that there are other objections also to this proposal. It does not appear to me that a Board of this kind will be likely

to be very effective. Its members will be drawn not only from Calcutta but also from Howrah across the river and also from each of the other Municipalities concerned, *e. g.*, Baranagore, Dum-Dum, Tollygunj. I should anticipate not only difficulties about holding meetings but also divided counsels, as there would be such different interests represented, and I cannot believe that a Board of this character would be likely to take prompt action in case there was any serious trouble with owners or drivers such as a strike. These are some of the difficulties which suggest themselves to me. The main objection to the proposal is that it is another expedient for perpetuating a system of dual control and preventing the unity of control which Government consider desirable."

The motion was then put and lost.

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley's original motion (item No. 6 in the List of Business) was then put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 10.

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY moved that the clauses of the Bill be considered for settlement in the form recommended by the Select Committee.

The motion was put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 1.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR moved that in clause 4 the following sub-clause be inserted, namely :—

(*4*) "The Corporation" means "The Corporation of Calcutta."

He said :—

"My Lord, I do not wish to make a speech and I simply move this formally."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, Government would have no objection to accepting this amendment if it were necessary; but I fail to discover any reference to the Corporation in the Bill. The expression 'The Corporation' does not occur. The only object of this amendment would be to enable further amendments to be made, vesting the control of hackney carriages and other vehicles in the Corporation; and this is a subject on which the Council has already pronounced its opinion. I therefore oppose this amendment."

The motion was then put and lost.

AMENDMENT No. 2.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR moved that in line 3 of clause 5 for the words "Commissioner of Police" the word "Corporation" be substituted.

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, I oppose the amendment."

The motion was then put and lost.

AMENDMENT No. 3.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR moved that in line 3 of clause 5 for the words "Commissioner of Police" the words "Chairman of the Corporation" be substituted.

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, I oppose the motion."

The motion was then put and lost.

AMENDMENTS Nos. 4, 5, 6 and 7.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, it is useless for me to trouble Your Excellency and I would ask for permission to withdraw this amendment."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"How many of the Hon'ble Member's amendments does he propose to withdraw?"

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I withdraw all the amendments under clause 6."

The following motions were then, by leave of the President, withdrawn:—

That for "clause 6" the following be substituted, namely :—

"(*1*) The Registering Officer shall be appointed by the Corporation, and shall keep a register in which he shall enter every hackney-carriage under the class prescribed therefor by by-law made under section 71.

Duties of Registering Officer.

(*2*) Every act, matter or thing done by the Registering Officer, under or by virtue of this Act, shall be subject to the control of the Chairman of the Corporation.

(*3*) The provisions of section 63 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, shall apply to the appointment of the Registering Officer."

If motion No. 4 be not carried, also to move that in lines 1 to 3 of sub-clause (*1*) of clause 6 for the words "a Deputy Commissioner of Police specially appointed by the Local Government for this purpose" the words "appointed by the Corporation" be substituted.

If motion No 4 be not carried, also to move that in lines 3 and 4 of sub-clause (*2*) of clause 6 for the words "Commissioner of Police" the word "Corporation" be substituted.

If motion No. 4 be not carried, also to move that in clause 6 the following sub-clause be inserted, namely :—

"(*3*) The provisions of section 63 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, shall apply to the appointment of the Registering Officer."

AMENDMENTS Nos. 8, 9 and 10.

The following motions were also, by leave of the President, withdrawn :—

That for clause 7 the following be substituted, namely :—

"The Registering Officer may, with the sanction of the Chairman of the Corporation, by general or special order in writing, delegate to any officer all or any of the powers and duties conferred or imposed upon the Registering Officer by this Act or any by-law made thereunder."

Power to Registering Officer to delegate his functions.

If motion No. 8 be not carried, also to move that in line 2 of clause 7 for the words "Commissioner of Police" the word "Corporation" be substituted.

If motion No. 8 be not carried, also to move that in lines 3 and 4 of clause 7 for the words "police-officer not below the rank of sergeant" the word "officer" be substituted.

AMENDMENT No. 11.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that at the end of clause 11 the words "and a certified copy of such particulars shall be furnished to every person applying for the same on payment of a fee of eight annas" be inserted.

He said :—

"My Lord, this clause refers to the details specified in the license. I think that these particulars should be available to every person on payment of a certain fee; and this is provided in another place with reference to the particulars of drivers, horses, etc. Therefore, with regard to carriages, I submit that this provision may be inserted."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, Government are pleased to accept the amendment."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 12.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that at the end of clause 13 the words "or the horse used therewith is not licensed for that class of carriage, or the harness used with such horse is unfit for public use" be inserted.

He said :—

"My Lord, this clause provided that the Registering Officer may cancel or suspend for such period as he thinks fit, the registration of any carriage and the license granted to the owner under this Act, whenever it appears to him that such carriage is unfit for public use. I think that some provision should be made for the contingency that if the horse or harness, is unfit for public use or if an inferior class of carriage is used, the registration of such carriage may be suspended. I hope this amendment will be accepted."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, Government agree to this amendment."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 13.

The following motion, which stood in the name of the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, was, by leave of the President, withdrawn :—

That in line 2 of sub-clause (*2*) of clause 17 for the words "Commissioner of Police" the word "Corporation" be substituted.

AMENDMENT No. 14.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that at the end of sub-clause (*1*) of clause 27 the words "and a certified copy of such particulars shall be furnished to every person applying for the same on payment of a fee of eight annas" be inserted.

He said :—

"My Lord, this amendment is the same as the previous one (No. 11) which has been accepted by Government. Clause 27 relates to the particulars of the class of hackney-carriage, the name and residence of the owner and the number assigned to the horse. I think that these particulars may be supplied to any person requiring them on payment of a certain fee."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, Government agree to this amendment."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 15.

The following motion, which stood in the name of the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, was, by leave of the President withdrawn :—

That in line 2 of sub-clause (*2*) of clause 30 for the words "Commissioner of Police" the word "Corporation" be substituted.

AMENDMENT No. 16.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that in line 3 of sub-clause (*2*) of clause 49 for the words "five miles within one hour" the words "six miles an hour in the case of first and second class carriages, and five miles an hour in the case of any other class of carriage" be substituted.

He said :—

"My Lord, the limit of 5 miles which is prescribed by this clause is not suitable for all classes of carriages. I therefore suggest that a limit of six miles an hour be prescribed for first and second class carriages and a limit of 5 miles an hour in the case of any other class of carriage.

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY, said :—

"My Lord, this is a matter which Government are content to leave entirely to the discretion of Members of Council. The present law requires a minimum speed of four miles an hour. The Select Committee considered that this should be raised to five miles an hour ; and the Hon'ble Mover proposes to raise it to six miles an hour in the case of first and second class carriages and to five miles an hour in the case of other classes of carriages. It is an open question whether considering the class of ponies used, the food they get, the work they do and the risk of cruelty if they are made to do six miles an hour, that speed should be fixed as a minimum for first and second class carriages."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 17.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that in line 5 of clause 50 after the word "shall" the words "on the complaint of the aggrieved party or of any public officer or servant" be inserted.

He said :—

"My Lord, this clause lays down that any owner, driver, or person in charge of any hackney-carriage registered under this Act, who, without sufficient excuse (the burden of proving which excuse shall lie upon him), refuses to let such carriage for hire, shall be liable for every such offence to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, and, in default of payment of fine, to simple imprisonment for a period not exceeding fourteen days and shall also pay to the party complaining such compensation as the Magistrate thinks fit.

I think it will make the matter clear if the aggrieved party has the right to make a complaint. I hope my amendment will be accepted."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY, said :—

"My Lord, Government accept the amendment."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 18.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that after sub-clause (*m*) of clause 51, the following sub-clause be inserted, namely :—

"(*mm*) refuses to let a carriage on hire by time or distance as the hirer may require."

He said :—

"My Lord, this clause imposes a penalty on a driver for certain offences which are enumerated in it. I want only to add after *clause* (m) that *if a driver refuses to let a carriage on hire by hour or distance as the hirer may require.* As frequently happens the drivers refuse to let the carriage on hire and for these things one has to run to the Police which no one ordinarily does. This is a clause which, I think, may be be inserted."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, the amendment is accepted by Government."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 19.

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley moved that in the penultimate line of clause 51 after the word "or" the word "to" be inserted.

He said :—

"My Lord this is a purely formal amendments which is intended to improve the phraseology."

The motion was put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 20.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that in lines 4 and 5 of sub-clause (*l*) of clause 57, the words "the Court of" be omitted.

He said :—

"My Lord, the clause states that 'the hirer may require the driver to drive to the Court of the nearest Magistrate or to the Registering Officer.' My object in moving this amendment is that the occurrence may take place at night or after 5 o'clock in the evening when the Court of the Magistrate may be closed. It would afford great facilities to the public if it is stated that the hirer may drive to the nearest Magistrate, which expression I believe will include the Honorary Magistrates. There may be some Honorary Magistrate living close to the complainant's house. The Registering Officer will probably be in Lall Bazar."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, this amendment, if carried, will order a new terror to the life of Magistrates in Calcutta. The law at present provides that if there is a dispute between a hirer and a driver of a carriage and if any Magistrate is then sitting, the hirer may require the driver to drive to the Magistrate's Court, or, if no Magistrate is sitting at the time, to drive to the Registering officer. Clause 57 of the Bill, as now drafted, gives the hirer the option of requiring the driver to drive either to the Court of the nearest Magistrate or to the Registering officer. Naturally, if the dispute occurs at a time when the Magistrate's Court is not open, the hirer will elect for the Registering officer.

If this motion were accepted, the driver would be able to go to the Magistrate, wherever he chanced to be and whatever the hour. The Magistrate would be liable to be wakened out of his sleep or called out from his dinner to settle a dispute between an angry passenger and an obstreperous driver. This would be an unfair tax on the Magistrate, whether honorary or stipendiary. He ought to be called on to settle disputes only in Court hours and in his Court; and his private life ought to be free from interruptions of this kind. In the interests of the Magistrate, Government feel that this amendment should be opposed"

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, the Registering officer, who will probably be the Deputy Commissioner under this Bill, will be in Lall Bazar. I do not think that Magistrates, honorary or stipendiary, who are for administering justice, will ever grudge this task, as this work will be something like a *Kazir Bichar*. As we all know, the garrywallahs are not very reasonable and they have the upper hand of the *bhadralog class*, as the latter feel shy to go to the Magistrate's Court. I think that in the interests of the public this amendment may be accepted."

The motion was then put and lost.

AMENDMENT No. 21.

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley to move that in line 1 of clause 58 after the words "disputes as to" the word "the" be inserted.

He said :—

"My Lord, this is a purely verbal amendment, due to a clerical error."

The motion was put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 22.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that in lines 1 and 2 of sub-clause (*1*), of clause 60 the words "in consultation with the Commissioner of Police" be omitted.

He said :—

"My Lord, in this case, as a matter of fact, the Corporation always consult the Commissioner of Police. As the Commissioner has been put on the top that is why I have sent this amendment, which however, I do not want to press."

The motion was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

AMENDMENT No. 23.

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley moved that in line 3 of sub-clause (*2*) of clause 63 after the words "of the owners" the words "and drivers" be inserted; and in line 5 of the same sub-clause after the words "to the owners" the words "and bearers respectively", be inserted.

He said :—

"This is what is known as a consequential amendment. The Select Committee added to the Bill a new clause requiring that notice should be given of changes of driver's address or driver's residence, in order that the registering officer should know where the driver actually lives. It is obviously desirable that there should be a similar provision in the case of palanquin bearers."

The motion was put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 24.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that in line 1 of sub-clause (*1*) of clause 71 for the words "Local Government" the word "Corporation" be substituted.

He said :—

"My Lord in clause 71, the term 'local Government' has been inserted in lieu of 'the Corporation.' I want to re-insert the term 'Corporation' here. It is a legislative power; it has nothing to do with the regulation of traffic or with the registration of hackney-carriages or with any other administrative work. It is simply legislation, and therefore without any way militating against the principle which has been adopted by the House that the administration should go over to the Commissioner of Police, the law-making function should be left to the Corporation, subject of course, to the approval of the Local Government. The Bill as amended by the Select Committee will not be affected in any way; this will not go against the principle of the Bill in any way; but will prevent the Commissioner of Police from framing whatever by-laws he chooses and submit them to Government. I do not mean to say that Government will accept everything he suggests, but it is better to have the by-laws framed by the Corporation subject of course to the approval of the Local Government."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, I am afraid that on behalf of Government, I must oppose this amendment. The Select Committee have stated in their Report their reasons for putting in the words "Local Government": they say that now that the control of hackney-carriages is to be transferred to the police it is advisable that by-laws under the Act should be made by the Local Government. It is realised that by-laws cannot be made by the Commissioner of Police and it is felt that if the Corporation had independent power to make by-laws, it would militate against the control of the Commissioner. It is therefore necessary that this power of making by-laws should be entrusted to the superior authority, namely, Government, and I have no doubt that, where necessary, before making by-laws, the Corporation of Calcutta will be consulted by the Government.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

My Lord, the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley has said that before making by-laws, Government would consult the Corporation, but if you consult the Corporation, their suggestions might also militate against the control by the Commissioner. What I suggest is this : let the legislative power be exercised by the Corporation, subject to the approval of the Local Government. I understand that Government will frame the by-laws. Why not let the Corporation do it ; they have been doing it for a long time and they know everything about hackney carriages and stands, etc., therefore I fail to understand why the legal power should not be vested in the Corporation subject to the approval of the Local Government. Nothing will be lost thereby. It is the law making power that I want to be left in the hands of the Corporation.

The motion was then put and lost.

AMENDMENT No. 25.

The following motion, which stood in the name of the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, was, by leave of the President, withdrawn :—

If motion No. 24 be not carried, also to move that in line 1 of sub-clause (*1*) of clause 71, before the words "The Local Government," the words "The Corporation with the sanction of" be inserted.

AMENDMENT No. 26.

The Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur moved that in sub clause (*1*) (*d*) of clause 71 the following words be added, namely :—

"and the manner in which the mark is to be used."

He said :—

This amendment relates to the marks of identification of horses to be used in hackney carriages, and so I wish to add these words. Unless this is done, there will be difficulty, my Lord, in having that particular by-law carried out. I therfore move this amendment."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, Government accept this amendment."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 27.

Amendment No. 24 having been lost the following motion, which stood in the name of the Hon'ble Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, was deemed to have been withdrawn :—

If motion No. 24 be carried, also to move that for sub-clause (*2*) of clause 71 the following be substituted, namely :—

"(*2*) By-laws made under this section shall be subject to the sanction of the Local Government and shall, if sanctioned, be published in such manner as the Local Government may direct."

The Council was then adjourned for lunch.

AFTER LUNCH.

AMENDMENT No. 28.

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley moved that in line 2 of the proviso to clause 79 after the words "the Commissioner" the words "or such other officer" be inserted.

He said :—

"My Lord, this is a formal amendment. The first Part of clause 79 provides that the Commissioner of Police or other police officer appointed by him shall return lost property to the owner, but the proviso omits the other officer. It is necessary for the sake of both uniformity and consistency that there should also be a reference to the other officer in the proviso.

The motion was put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 29.

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY moved that in line 6 of clause 79B for the word "rule" the word "by-law" be substituted.

He said :—

"My Lord, this is a verbal amendment."

The motion was put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 30.

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley moved that sub-clause (*a*) of clause 79B be omitted.

He said :—

"My Lord, clause 79B is a new clause added by the Select Committee. They considered it 'necessary to provide in the Bill that the driver of a hackney carriage or the bearer of a pulanquin should not be arrested nor the carriage or palanquin seized when it is actually used for the conveyance of a passenger until some arrangement is made for the passenger to proceed to his destination.' 'We have suggested,' they added 'two methods by which this may be affected."

"Government sympathise with the object the Select Committee had in view. Government quite realize the delicate situation *pardanashin* ladies may be put in if a driver is arrested and they are left stranded in the Street. Government feel, however, that there are practical difficulties in working the first of these two methods. As the clause runs, if a passenger tells a police officer that he must provide another ticca-garry, the police officer has no alternative but to provide another. If he is in an unfrequented part of the town, the policeman must either go off to get another, in which case the driver will probably whip up his horses and be off, or he must detain the carriage until another ticca-garry turns up, which he can engage. This would put him in an awkward predicament. It is unfair to the policemen to lay this statutory obligation on him. It should be quite enough to provide (as will be provided if this amendment is accepted) that the passengers shall be allowed to proceed to their destination before the arrest is made."

The motion was put and agreed to.

AMENDMENT No. 31.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR moved that in line 2 of sub-clause (1) of clause 80 for the word "Government" the words "a fund called the Hackney-Carriage Fund" be substituted.

He said :—

"This clause runs as follows :—

'(1) All fees and fines realized under this Act shall be credited to Government, and all charges incurred on the administration of this Act shall be met from such fees and fines. At the end of each year the balance of fees and fines realized during the year, after all such charges have been met, shall be paid to the Calcutta Municipal Fund.'

I think it will make the matter more clear if it is stated that all fines and fees realized under this Act shall be credited to a fund called the Hackney-Carriage Fund. I do not know whether the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley has any objection to accepting this amendment."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, I regret that Government are unable to accept this amendment. The clause, as it stands, has been copied from the Burma Act; and it is felt that it is a practical method of dealing with this matter."

The motion was then put and lost.

AMENDMENTS Nos. 32, 33 and 34.

The following motions, which stood in the name of the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, were, by leave of the President, withdrawn :—

To move that in line 2 and in lines 4 and 5 of clause 81 for the words "Commissioner of Police" in the two places where they occur the words "Chairman of the Corporation" be substituted.

If motion No. 32 be not carried, also to move that in lines 1 and 2 of clause 81 the words "the Commissioner of Police or" and in lines 4 and 5 of the same clause the words "the Commissioner of Police or of" be omitted.

To move that in line 7 of sub-clause (*1*) of clause 82 after the words "Corporation of Calcutta" the words "the Chairman of the Corporation" be inserted.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 11.

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley moved that the Secretary be directed to renumber the clauses and sub-clauses of the Bill in consecutive order and to make corresponding alterations in all cross-references thereto.

The motion was put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 12.

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley moved that the Bill, as settled in Council, be passed.

He said :—

"My Lord, it only remains for me to expres the thanks of Government to the members of the Select Committee for their labours and to acknowledge the improvements which have been made in the Bill by the amendments

moved by the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur. I now formally move that the Bill as settled in Council, be passed.

The motion was put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 13.

THE BENGAL VILLAGE SELF-GOVERNMENT BILL, 1918.

13. The Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler moved that the Bengal Village Self-Government Bill, 1918, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Kerr, the Hon'ble Mr. Stevenson-Moore, the Hon'ble Mr O'Malley, the Hon'ble Mr. Duval, the Hon'ble Mr. Hart, the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray, the Hon'ble Mr. Altaf Ali, the Hon'ble Rai Sri Nath Ray Bahadur, the Hon'ble Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, the Hon'ble Mr. Aminur Rahman, the Hon'ble Mr. M. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri, and the mover, with instructions to submit their report in time for its presentation at the January meeting of the Council.

He said :—

"My Lord, the Bengal Self-Government Bill was introduced in this Council by Sir S. P. Sinha on the 4th April 1918, and I am sure that, while we much appreciate the reasons which have taken Sir S. P. Sinha elsewhere, yet we all regret that this Council will not have the advantage of his presence and advice in the later stages of this measure. Owing to that fact, and also to the unfortunate illness of the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan, the task of moving this further motion has devolved upon me."

The Bill has now been before the province since its introduction, and a large number of valuable opinions have been received upon it, to which the Select Committee will have to give its most careful consideration and which will be of great value in arriving at possible improvements and amendments. As a general statement, I think it may be said that, just as the Bill was welcomed on its introduction, so it has received general approval on its further circulation for public opinion. The trend of the opinions received, whatever may be the views held on matters of detail, is favourable to the main principles of the Bill, welcoming it as a distinct advance in a much needed direction. There are naturally differences disclosed on matters of detail, and, in particular, as the Hon'ble Members who have read the opinions will have seen, a considerable number of recommendations have been made in connection with the respective powers of the union committees and the District Magistrate in the matter of the village chaukidar ; that, of course is a very ancient subject of discussion in Bengal. It will now come under the examination of the Select Committee, which will have to deal with the different points of view placed before them in the replies that have been received.

"Another matter, which has attracted attention, is the judicial powers which the Bill seeks to confer upon village courts and village benches. There is a certain amount of opinion expressed that the clauses dealing with these points give somewhat wider powers than is altogether wise ; but I think it has been overlooked in some of the criticisms which have been made that the conferment of these powers is at the discretion of Government, which in a matter of this kind will move slowly. Certainly Government would only select first those village committees which are clearly fit for the exercise of these powers ; also, under the Bill as it stands, resort to the village courts will be optional, the concurrent jurisdiction of the ordinary courts remaining. Therefore, people, who do not trust the village courts need not go to them.

"These are two main aspects of the bill towards which criticism has been directed, (though, of course, many other details have been touched upon), but there is also one large issue of principle that has been raised to which

I would like to invite the attention of the Council, and that is with regard to the whole proposed constitution of circle boards. As those who have read the District Administration Committee's Report will be aware, the proposal for the creation of circle boards emanated from that body, the idea being that district boards covered too large a unit for effective supervision over these village bodies; experience has shown that local boards have not been altogether a success in the general scheme of local self-government, and it was thought therefore, that it would be an improvement to substitute a body having jurisdiction over a smaller area and therefore able to take a more direct and personal interest in the village unions within its charge. The general purpose of the circle board, as explained in clause 49, is to superintend the working of the village unions, to exercise their powers in the event of supersession, and to distribute among them the grants made by the district board, since they should possess the local knowledge which will enable them to make an equitable division. In the replies received there is a fair body of opinion that the circle board is an unnecessary addition to the Bill, which will render superior supervision top-heavy, and will add another body between the union committee and the district board which may not altogether make for ease and smoothness of working. That is a view which the Select Committee will have carefully to examine. If we do away with the circle board the question will then arise: what is to be put in its place? There are various expedients conceivable, one of which is that it would be feasible to leave the local board as it is; that would involve, possibly, the minimum of dislocation of the existing system; but against that, you have the fact—to which I have already referred—that the local board has not altogether given satisfaction in the past in the matter of the value of the work which it has turned out. There may be reasons for this result. It may be said that local boards have not had enough funds to distribute, since the district boards do not trust them with responsibility, and that therefore they have not done as much as they could. However, the fact remains—and I think it is the general opinion—that the local board has not been a great success. Another solution of the matter which is mentioned in the replies is that we might constitute standing committees of the district boards for the supervision of smaller areas within the old jurisdictions of the local boards. That is a point, Sir, which will merit examination. It would eliminate an intermediate body, and possibly stimulate greater interest on the part of the district board in the working of these union committees if it had some of its members directly cognizant of the details regarding them.

Apart, however, from the issue whether the circle board is or is not a desirable part of the future machinery, there is another matter to be considered. The Bill, as framed, would be fairly simple and easy of working, provided it was introduced throughout a district or even throughout a subdivision. But in the opinions which have been received there is the view expressed that it will not be found feasible, as a matter of practical working, to make an extension covering as much even as a whole subdivision, as there are not many subdivisions throughout which these village bodies could be constituted with any very hopeful certainty of success. The view is also expressed that it would not be expedient to take a larger unit than the thana, and that even within the thana there is the risk of a certain amount of unsatisfactory working in the more backward portions of its jurisdiction. But if, retaining the system of circle boards, the Act is extended to an area smaller than a whole subdivision, we are likely to get into rather deep water; that is to say, there might be the circle board exercising its jurisdiction in one part of the subdivision and the old local board controlling the balance, and if either the transferred part or the residue were small, one of these bodies would obviously exercise its authority on an insignificant scale, while the existence of both simultaneously would be awkward; again, the existing system of election by local boards to membership of the district boards would be complicated. That is a point which will have to be carefully gone into If standing committees of the district boards were constituted it might be possible to get over part of the difficulty, though it might be

objected that this entails needless interference with the areas over which the present local boards exercise jurisdiction, since areas within which village unions will not be created under the Bill would still pass under the jurisdiction of the standing committees.

That is, I think, the largest issue of principle which it will be for the Select Committee to tackle, and apart from it, it will be mainly a matter of examining the detailed suggestions with the idea of seeing whether they suggest any improvements in the clauses of the Bill."

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said:—

"The people of Bengal welcome the Bengal Village Self-government Bill, 1918. I may be permitted to discuss some of the underlying principles enunciated in it, namely, (*1*) the protection of the village by rural police, and (*2*) the exercise of municipal administration in rural areas.

The growing popular feeling was that the Bengal Village Chaukidari Act of 1870 did not prove successful by the interference of the police. The provisions of Bengal Act I of 1886 and of Bengal Act I of 1892 disturbed the object and policy of the Chaukidari Act. The present Bill has affirmed the main principle of the Chaukidari Act. It aims at local self-government from the lower stratum and therefore the amalgamation of the panchayat and the union committees has secured considerable improvement of local self-government in villages. But while recognising this principle, I find there is a departure in clauses 23 and 24 of the Bill. The appointments of the village chaukidar and daffadar lie with the District Magistrate although their salaries are to be paid by the village committee Restricted powers are given to the village committee under sub-clause (2) of clause 24 of the Bill as regards the dismissal of chaukidars and daffadars. The punishment to be awarded is authorized to be given by the District Magistrate. He is authorized to appoint a daffadar. This seems to be an inconsistency in the provisions of the Bill. The principle to my mind is that larger powers are to be given to the village committee. I notice that the control of the District Chaukidari Reward Fund is given to the Magistrate in preference to the village committee.

There is another idea prevailing in the scheme of the Act. The Bill provides for the formation of the circle board. To guarantee the success of the work of the village committee these boards are to be constituted. There is a difference of opinion as to the abolition of the local boards and the substitution in their place of the circle boards which are considered unsuitable to the condition of Bengal and are viewed as more expensive.

I suppose the Select Committee will modify the various clauses of the Bill and I shall not enter into details as for example the meaning of the word resident in clause 5 of the Bill.

There is another principle which has been lost sight of in the Bill. I contend that all roads and drains existing at the time of the establishment of a village committee or of a circle board, not being private property and not being maintained by Government or by the District Boards, shall also vest in the village committee the or circle board. The formation of village courts is a marked and distinctive feature in the Bill. These courts are to be established for the convenience of the rural population.

I venture to think that it will not be to the interest of suitors, if legal practitioners are not allowed to appear in these courts, otherwise suitors will be in the hands of touts. Besides, these suitors and the judges are not expected to know much of law and therefore justice demands that pleaders should not be prohibited to conduct such cases which are tried by these Courts. The words in clause 83 of the Bill appointing all or any of the members of the committee to be a village court is open to criticism. There ought to be a bench of two or more judges. The judgment of a single judge is not expected to be more satisfactory than that of many. Besides, the member or members are untrained lawyers. It is satisfactory to note that in this Bill the trial of civil cases by a bench of judges is an indication of the trial

by a jury. No doubt the value of suits must be small, but it is gratifying to the people that Government have recognised to a small extent the trial of civil cases by a bench of judges. The success of the scheme depends in the selection of the judges of the court. The same argument *mutatis mutandis* applies to the formation of the bench for trying criminal cases.

There is one clause in the Bill which demands the consideration of the Member in charge. The necessity of the final framing of the rules by Government after due publication. Rules are framed by Government on the authority given by the Legislature. They have the force of law. The Executive Government frame them and not the Legislature. This practice has been observed for sometime, but, I venture to think, that if they are drafted by Government and legal force is given to them, it is just and proper, at any rate, that Government will be pleased to accept public criticism on the publication of these rules.

The Village Self-Government Bill shows a desire that the administration of local affairs ought to be in the hands of the people. Any one who reads the Bill carefully will be convinced of the fact that village committees ought to be independent units in the administration of local affairs. They may prosper if there be less interference by the District Magistrates and if the several clauses of the Bill divest the interference by the Magistrate."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, I am sorry I am unable to agree with the previous speaker and the Hon'ble Member of Government. It seems to me that the better course would have been to wait for some time than to proceed with the Bill at present. The main idea of the Bill is to improve the village sanitation, the village drainage and conservancy with power for taxation if necessary under the supervision of the local officers who will be under the supervision of the District Magistrate and the Commissioner; and when these new bodies contemplated in the Bill will come into existence the existing local Boards and Union Committees, wherever they are in existence, would be abolished. For the last quarter of a century, ever since 1885 I believe, the District Board administration was under the supervision of the District Magistrate and the Commissioner; it is only recently and in a few instances that non-official chairmen have been appointed. I could not understand why Union Committees were not established all over the country and why real improvement could not be effected in this direction. Funds for the purpose have only to be taken out of the district fund which is at the disposal and the management of the District Board, and with some taxation that fund shall have to be augmented and utilised for effecting this improvement. In the Local Self-government Act of 1885 there is a provision, I believe it is section 118, which gives such power for assessing any taxes in the Union Committees. Unfortunately, however, only local Boards were established in many places and not Union Committees. The real work is to be done by Union Committees. The local Boards being only the supervising authority, it is not possible for the local Board to pay proper attention to the needs of the several thanas in their jurisdiction If anything is to be done it is to be done by the Union Committee, but unfortunately that could not be done. My Lord, it may be asked why at a time when larger questions are as Union Committees were not established being considered as to how far popular control should be established upon local bodies such a proposal has been put forward. As I was trying to show, all these improvements could be carried out by the District Board and Union Committees, and special officers could be appointed in the District Board to supervise and train villagers in that direction. If that could not be done under the supervision of the District Magistrate and the Commissioner for so long a period, where is the guarantee that it would be done now? If the funds are to be taken from the District Board, why should they be deprived of the power of supervision? These are things which it seems to me can be best considered in the Reformed Council. I do not know how long it will take to establish it, but at any rate,

it seems to me there is no hurry about the present Bill. The Bill has been circulated, and opinions have been received. There is difference of opinion as to the special provisions that have been introduced by the Member in charge. As to the Chaukidari Act, the Act of 1870 was more useful; the Act of 1892 created difficulty and some of the powers given in the Act of 1870 were taken away by the Act of 1892. Now, there are two bodies side by side; one is the village punchayet and another the Union Committees in some places, and the Local Boards in another. There is not much power in the hands of the panchayets and in the present Bill, also I do not find that it is proposed to give them much power. As to the judicial work, I am not sure how far it will be a real benefit to the people, or whether it will be at all possible for the proposed village court to come to a decision on points of *res judicata* and so forth without the help of trained lawyers, or whether it will be only the village touts who will get the dvantage. Of course there are some safeguards that the people, if they are not satisfied, will go to the district headquarters or subdivisional headquarters for the purpose. However, I am not concerned with these and such other details at present; my idea is, and I respectfully submit for Your Excellency's serious consideration, whether it would not be better to postpone the consideration of the Bill for the present and let us see how far over the local bodies popular control would be established, and in what better way that can be done.

With these remarks, I oppose the reference of this Bill to Select Committee."

The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHERESWAR RAY said :—

"My Lord, I shall make only two suggestions in connection with the Bill now before the House. First, I suggest that a maximum rate of assessment should be fixed by law. Section 39 empowers the Village Committee to assess according to circumstances and the property within the village of the person liable to assessment. This gives an extremely wide power to the Committee and might prove dangerous in cases of strong party feelings in the village. Maximum rates of Chaukidari Tax and Road and Public Works Cesses are fixed by statute and I would strongly urge that some such rate should be fixed for the Village Fund requirements.

The other point that I would like to suggest for the consideration of the Select Committee is that petty rent suits, not exceeding Rs. 25 in value, should be included within the jurisdiction of village courts, with the proviso that on application to the Munsiff, by the defendant, they should be transferred to his own file. This will be of immense advantage both to the ryots and the zemindars. It is a general complaint of the ryots that they are unnecessarily harassed by repeated and vexatious rent suits. They say that if they have to attend far off courts, in addition to their personal inconvenience in a strange town, their work at home also suffers considerably by their absence; and oftentimes these suits are instituted, they allege, in order to make them submit to illegal exactions of the zemindar. Admitting for the sake of argument, that their allegations are true, it would be considerably to their advantage if the petty rent suits are tried in their own village. As for the zemindars, it is an outstanding complaint that petty rent suits, thanks to to the legal formalities and enforced exactions of court people, are not at all a paying affair from a financial point of view. Thus, if the tenants of small holdings, resist the payment of rents, as they generally do if there are joint landlords, the latter find it extremely difficult to realise their dues. It is therefore to the advantage of zemindars as well, if petty rent suits are tried by village courts. I therefore, urge that provision should be made to make these suits triable by village courts.

There is one further point to which I should draw Your Excellency's attention. It is regarding the composition of the Select Committee. The zemindars are vitally interested in this legislation. The burden of local taxation will fall heavily on the zemindars and there are also other matters which affect our interests. But I am sorry to observe that not a single

representative of our community in this Council has been taken on the Committee. The same remarks apply to the Select Committee on the Primary Education Bill. I do not know whether it is a studied neglect of our representatives. But I think I ought to make my humble submission to Your Excellency regarding the matter.

The Hon'ble SIR HENRY WHEELER said :—

My Lord, of the three Hon'ble Members who have spoken on this motion, the speeches of two deal mainly with matters of detail arising out of the Bill, and I can only assure the Hon'ble Members that these details will be duly examined by the Select Committee. With reference to the remark of the last speaker regarding the constitution of the Select Committee, I can assure him that there was absolutely no intention whatever on the part of the Government not to consult the zemindars in a matter of this kind. As a matter of fact, in selecting names for the Select Committee we first took those of some members representative of District Boards, as the subject of District Boards enters so largely into the Bill, and following upon that, we tried to make the Select Committee representative of official and non-official interests and of the two great communities of Hindus and Muhammadans I do not think it can be said that there are many points in the Bill which so distinctly refer to zemindars that they cannot be adequately dealt with unless the special representatives of the latter sit on the Select Committee—moreover there is always the right of moving amendments in Council—and some members of the Select Committee are zemindars themselves, although not representing special zemindari constituencies.

The only point of principle that has been raised is that taken by the Hon'ble Babu Kisori Mohan Chaudhuri, who has, as I understand him, suggests that we should postpone the Bill on the ground that its introduction at the present moment is inopportune. I am afraid I cannot agree with the reasons which he has advanced. Even historically this is not a new subject. The desirability of encouraging and advancing village self-government, even taking modern times, certainly goes back to the days of the Police Commission. It was advocated in the Decentralisation Commission's Report, and it was also urged in 1913 by the District Administration Committee. It is constantly referred to as the burden of many newspaper articles and it is frequently mentioned in the speeches of public men as one of the crying needs of the province. It cannot be said that we have suddenly hit upon a novel idea and are going to rush it through with indecent speed. On the contrary, this Bill might well have been introduced by the late Government of Lord Carmichael, and it would have been a matter of satisfaction to the present Government if the Bill had been passed through by our predecessors in whose time it originated in the report of the District Administration Committee. Secondly, apart from the fact that it is not a new subject, it is particularly opportune at the present moment, as it seems to me, to pursue it. The air is just now full of proposals and suggestions for extensive alterations in the superstructure of Government. It is a matter of common agreement that for the successful working of that superstructure we must look to the soundness of the foundations, and it is also a matter of common agreement that those foundations are to be found in the villages, and in small bodies composed of the villagers themselves doing work in the immediate neighbourhood of their homes. The point is dwelt upon in the report of the Secretary of State and the Viceroy, and I do not wish to elaborate it, but it appears to me to be particularly appropriate, that, simultaneously with this large advance which is coming in higher spheres, we should endeavour to enlarge and improve what after all is the imediate local foundation of Government in this country, the administration of the village itself. Therefore, Sir, I can not advise the Council to accept the view which has been put forward by the Hon'ble Member—a view which reading the opinions received on this Bill and the views as expressed on platforms and in the press, is one which is held, if at all, by a small minority, even if it be not by a minority of one.

The motion was then put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 14.

THE BENGAL JUVENILE SMOKING BILL, 1918.

The Hon'ble Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy presented the Report of the Select Committee on the Bengal Juvenile Smoking Bill, 1918.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 15.

RESOLUTIONS

(*under the rules for the discussion of matters of general public interest*).

The Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur moved the following resolution :—

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that Government do take steps for the prevention of the pollution of the water of the Bhagarathi (especially near the Municipal areas which are not provided with the supply of filtered water) by trade waste waters, mineral oils, other washings, and trade refuse from neighbouring mills, factories, workshops and distilleries, etc., in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Howrah and Hooghly."

He said :—

"My Lord, the water of the Bhagarathi is nowadays polluted to a larger extent than before by trade waste waters, mineral oils, and other washings by cleaning the different parts of the machinery and trade refuse from the neighbouring mills, factories, workshops, etc., which are evidently on the increase. In 1879-80 there were in India 22 jute mills at work with 4,964 looms and 70,840 spindles only. But now (1915-16) there are jute mills in Bengal as shown below :—

Jute Mills.

Districts.	No. of mills.	No. of looms.	No. of spindles.
24-Parganas ...	42	24,032	478,875
Hooghly ...	12	6,693	141,236
Howrah ...	12	8,518	178,730
Total ...	66	39,243	798,841

Besides there are on the river side 11 cotton mills, 2 paper mills, 2 distilleries and various other kinds of large industrial establishments in the above-mentioned three districts.

The subject of the disposal of trade waste demands serious attention of Your Excellency's Council, The unfiltered water of the Bhagirathi taken very near the edge, is the drinking supply of many millions of the population in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Hooghly and Howrah. Only a very small number of municipal towns in these districts is provided with filtered water, but in the majority of municipal towns, *viz.*, North Dum-Dum, Boranagore, Kemarhatty, Panihatty, Barackpore, North and South Barrackpore, Titagarh, Garulia, Bhatpara, Naihatty Halisahar in the district of 24-Parganas, Rishra-Konnagore, Baidyabatty, Bhadreswar and Kotrung in the district of Hooghly and Bally in the district of Howrah, there has not as yet been any arrangement for the supply of filtered water to the people.

The question connected with the sanitary condition of the water of the Bhagirathi of the present day in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Hooghly and Howrah has as a matter of fact become a very complicated problem on account of the presence of the sewage of effluents from the manufacturing processes of the neighbouring mills, factories, etc.

The principal kinds of trade refuse and washings of the different parts of the machinery met with in these places in ordinary practice are derived from following heads :—

(*1*) Waste waters resulting from the cleansing and other preparatory processes connected with jute and cotton fibres,
(*2*) Paper making,
(*3*) Distilleries, and
(*4*) Various chemical works, etc.

1. *Jute cotton*—Raw cotton as it reaches the spinner contains about 5 per cent. of inpurities. which, if not removed would impair the whiteness of manufactured goods and would interfere with subsequent dyeing and printing operation? These impurities, according, to Dr. E. Schunck, comprise :—

(*1*) A cotton wax.
(*2*) A fatty acid which appears to be either margaric or a mixture of palmitic and stearic acids.
(*3*) Nitrogenous colouring matters.
(*4*) Pectic acid, which forms the greater bulk of the impurities.
(*5*) Albuminous matter.

The bleaching of raw jute whether in the yarn or the piece is essentially the same as the process used for cotton. It is however longer and more tedious and the various processes, boiling, chemicking and souring must be repeated several times before a satisfactory result is obtained. The raw jute contains a greater proportion of inpurities than raw cotton.

Dr. H. M. Wilson, M.D., B.SC., and Dr. H. T. Calvert, M.SC., P.H.D. E.I.C. (the former being the Chief Inspector, West Riding, of the Yorkshire Rivers Board and the latter Chief Chemical Assistant, West Riding, of Yorkshire Rivers Board), Authors of a Text Book on Trade Waste Waters ; Their Nature and Disposal. Published by C. Grifin & Co. Ltd., London, state " that septic tank treatment of liquids containing organic matter can never by itself suffice to produce effective purification and the opinion is now generally held that it does not serve to bring them into the best condition for subsequent biological treatment, as they are also wholly robbed of dissolved oxygen and contain sulphuretted hydrogen. Septic tank treatment is seldom to be recommended for trade waste waters..... "

2. *Paper making*—Esparto grass is used for the highest class of printing papers. For writing paper, rags are used, whilst for news-papers wood-pulp is largely used. The quantity of water used is generally greatest at mills where rags and esparto are used. The waste liquors produced in the manufacture of paper from esparto grass are very often found polluted. The liquid from the boiling process is usually mixed with the liquor obtained from the fist washing of pulp. In the manufacture of brown-paper, the dirty nature of the materials creates very strong polluting liquids. Owing to the large amount of caustic soda used, in nearly all the processes of paper making the effluents from paper mills are almost invariably exceedingly alkaline, and therefore very injurious to fish life and streams in general. The adequate treatment of the strong ' kier ' liquors is very difficult and up to now there seems to be no efficient and economical way of dealing with them.

3. *Distilleries.*—The waste liquid derived from distilleries is mostly water which is always polluted and it speedily decomposes, lactic and butyric acids being formed. The presence of distillery waste in any quantity is apt to cause considerable nuisance. Distillery waste has been successfully treated on land and also in percolating filters, the usual course being to precipitate with lime as a preliminary process. The great point appears to be to deal with the liquid. before it becomes acid.

4. *Various chemical works.*—The refuse from chemical works is generally poisonous and polluting.

Mineral oils.—Various kinds of mineral oils are often used in cleaning machinery in mills, factories and workshops. These oils are sometimes visible on the surface of the water of the Bhagirathi and pollute the river to a great extent.

In the majority of cases, the solutions of the problem have been found signally wanting when actually put to the test. There is no best method of the disposal of the trade waste and mineral oils used in cleaning machinery, into the river, the unfiltered water of which is the drinking supply of many millions and which can be universally adopted regardless of local conditions in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Hooghly and Howrah.

To mention all the various trade processes in detail and the different waste produced by each, would require a much longer time than the limit of time at my disposal in moving this important resolution concerning the welfare of many thousands of the population. Under the circumstances, I do not intend even here to mention very briefly the mass of most valuable information which exists in the reports of the various committees formulated by civilised Governments in Europe and in America, and Royal Commissions which have been appointed in England from time to time, giving the best views of the period on the subject.

It would be quite impossible within the short limit of time at my disposal to-day to deal with all the points connected with the trade waste waters, mineral oils mainly used in cleaning the machinery, other washing and trade refuse which now pollute the water of the Bhagirathi.

Trades are carried on where there is generally no means of access to sewers and consequently pollution of the Bhagirathi generally occurs.

Trade wastes may consist of solids or liquids. As a general rule, however, the bulk of trade waste is in liquid form consisting of water used for trade purposes, and for carrying various impurities both in solution and suspension.

The fact must not be lost sight of" that solids in the form of heaps of chemical refuse may, through the agency of rain water, become a most serious source of pollution, either continuous or intermittent.

The Government of India in a recent resolution on sanitation concludes that "the Governor General in Council appeals with confidence to all who have interest in the well-being of India to join with him and the local Governments in a sustained endeavour to give effect to His Imperial Majesty's most gracious wish that the homes of his Indian subjects may be brightened and their labour sweetened by the spread of knowledge with all that follows in its train, a higher level of thought, of comfort and of health."

With these words, I beg to move this important Resolution on sanitation in which Your Excellency takes a keen interest. And I hope and trust that this Resolution may be accepted by all the members—official and non-official European and Indian Members of your Excellency's Council.

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"My Lord, I whole-heartedly associate myself with the resolution which has been moved by my hon'ble friend, though I am not prepared to travel over the ground of the scientific researches to which my learned friend has referred. It is an admitted fact that the River Hooghly, from Calcutta upwards, to a distance of over 20 miles, as far as the tide goes, is a receptacle of all sorts of pollution ; and it has to be admitted also that in spite of the few waterworks that may have been established in some of the riparian municipalities, a large number of the population of the towns and villages on both sides of the River Hooghly who have scruples to use filtered water, do actually use the river water both for drinking as well as culinary purposes. If Government feel that it is justified in suspending Municipalities for defects of waterworks, I think it cannot ignore its own responsibilities of giving as much

protection as is possible to the river-water of the Hooghly from Calcutta upwards. With these observations I support this resolution."

The Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, the resolution is somewhat wide in its scope, for it refers to the discharge into the Hooghly of trade waste and refuse from all kinds of industrial undertakings, whether big or small, and whatever the nature of the material they deal with; and the Hon'ble Member seems to think that all trade waste is noxious. Legislation would be necessary to give full effect to the resolution; for in Bengal there is no such measure as the Rivers Pollution Prevention Act, which is in force in Great Britain. Government cannot at this stage undertake to introduce legislation of this character, as there are not sufficient data to show how far legislation is necessary, and what form it should take. The Sanitary Commissioner has made an enquiry and finds that while some of the industrial works on the Hooghly discharge trade waste into its water, others do not. Some have installed recovery plant to prevent waste or loss of material, others have not. The Sanitary Commissioner's enquiry, however' is only a preliminary investigation. It is not exhaustive, and Government have at present not got full information as to all the discharges that come into the Hooghly and as to their hygienic effects. Dr. Fowler stated in a report on rivers that 'rivers may be polluted with trade effluents that will give all manner of strange chemical analysis, but these will not materially increase the number of pathogenic organisms. The question of river pollution is not a simple and easy one It is also not concerned merely with trade waste but extends to other things, for instance, the dumping into the river of municipal refuse and street sweepings by the authorities of riparian municipalities, etc. Before undertaking legislation it is necessary to have a full enquiry to show exactly how matters stand, what nuisances should be provided for and in what way. Otherwise there are certain to be omissions which would defeat the object of legislation. Again, it may not be necessary to prohibit some matter from being discharged into the river; other discharges may be permissible if subject to proper safeguards and so on. Government are also bound to see that any action which may be taken, while providing proper safeguards for the public health, does not imperil the industries, large or small, on which the prosperity of Calcutta and the riparian towns so largely depends. While, therefore, Government is unable to accept the resolution as it stands, it is ready to institute a full enquiry in order to ascertain whether legislation, and if so what kind of legislation, is necessary; and I trust the Hon'ble Mover will be satisfied with this assurance."

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, as far as I understand the words of Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley, Government intend to make a full enquiry and then, if necessary, to introduce legislation. It is very gratifying to get this information. There cannot be any doubt, Sir, that it is very uncomfortable for one who lives on the river side and the people who go to bathe in the river to see trade-refuse and other filthy things floating on the river. Thousands and thousands of applications have been made to many persons and authorities but they have been of no avail. Therefore it is highly necessary that step should be taken by Government in this connection and I approach Your Excellency's Government with that object and that object alone. Your Excellency will consider that time will be necessary to make an enquiry on the subject and legislation, if introduced, will take further time. What shall be done in the meantime is a problem which Your Excellency will have to consider. If I do understand that the people who are complaining of this nuisance are perfectly right in putting their complaint before their authorities, it is a question for consideration whether immediate steps should be taken or not. My Lord, I am not in a position to suggest to Your Excellency's Council what these steps will be, but it is for Your Excellency's Council to consider that if

legislation is necessary upon the materials and facts which have been supplied to the Council, it is also necessary that immediate steps should be taken in this connection. It is a growing complaint and I cannot emphasise my idea better than this—that Government ought to take immediate steps to put a stop to the commission of this nuisaance. We can trace, Sir. the place where the nuissance is committed and if we do that then certainly some kind of injunction, some kind of steps—effective steps—should be taken immediately. Your Excellency will consider that, after a good deal of consideration, after studying the various reports of the authorities on the subjects and after personal inspection of the locality, I have come to Your Excellency's Council, complaining of the very fact which is the daily complaint of those who live on the riverside. This is all that I can say.

The motion was then put and lost.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 16.

The Hon'ble Khan Sahib Aman Ali moved the following resolution:—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that a Government High English School be established at Cox's Bazar in the district of Chittagong.

He said :—

"My Lord, Cox's Bazar is a subdivision of Chittagong. Its population is about 7 lacs ; its income from Khas Mahal only is about 7 lacs. It has come under British sway nearly 200 years ago. It is a matter of regret that up to now it has no Government or aided school there. It is not half a century that the Hill Tracts in Chittagong has come under the British rule. It has got a Government Middle English School some 20 years back at Rangamati. The inhabitants of Cox's Bazar consist of mugs, lower class Hindus and uneducated Muhammadans. It being situated far away at the east extremity of this Presidency in the south-east is left uncared for in the matter of education, though it has been given a munsif's court, a subdivision office, a *Khas Mehal* office and a Sub-registry office, and several police thanas; though there is a good number of pleaders, muktears, revenue agents and amlas to meet the requirements of the several offices of the court, but among them, Your Excellency will be surprised to learn, not even one of them belongs to this unfortunate subdivision. The reason is not far to seek. It is in want of English education. I believe this fact alone will commend itself for the establishment of a Government school there.

This subdivision had once the good fortune to have the advent of the Director of Public Instruction with the Inspector of Muhammadan schools, and a deputation headed by the Subdivisional Officer waited upon him, and the Director of Public Instruction was pleased to tell them that if a High English school be established there it would be a Government High English school. It is a talk of some 6 years back—no indication of establishing a High English school is yet visible. Last year Mr. Biss, Assistant Director of Muhammadan Education, went there and gave them hope that a High English school would be given. Some 60 boys belonging to this sub-division reading in Chittagong flocked there, but unfortunately the Director of Public Instruction did not fulfil their expectation and they had to revert to Chittagong again. According to the report of the Buddhist Association more than 100 students read in Chittagong ; most of them read in several schools in class VII and upwards. Complaints from Amlas of several offices and even from Hakims such as Munsifs, Sub-divisional Officers, Khas Tahsildars and Sub-Registrars are heard that they cannot give their children education at Cox's Bazar, there being no High English school. Similar complaints are heard from the people of the legal profession and from Amlas. I trust complaints like these are not unworthy to be heard. I asked the present Director of Public Instruction to visit that place. but I think that he could not find time perhaps owing to pressure of work.

My Lord, the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam had given this sub-division a Government Middle English school and had given hope of raising it to the status of a High English school. With the disappearance of that Government that expectation has disappeared like several other hopes.

My Lord, this Council will be struck with surprise that, under this Presidency, which is known to be a most advanced one in British India, there is a sub-division having no High English school. Government have given Government High English schools in several places. I fail to understand why this sub-division which is most backward is not given a High English school. Nature is not unkind to this place ; many European gentlemen far from this place frequent Cox's Bazar for change of climate and to take sea baths to remove skin diseases. In point of climate it is congenial to health. In point of education it is lamentable, it is very backward. It requires the special care of the Government, a Government which is famous for taking care in order to ameliorate the condition of its subjects.

Further delay for improving the condition of this sub-division in the matter of education will bring blasphemy upon the good name of British rule.

The Middle English school is located in *Khas Mahal* land. It has a boarding house, and the land in possession of the Middle English school is quite sufficient for a High English school. Additional expenditure for the erection of 4 upper classes is necessary, and if the present Government expenditure be doubled all the requirements for a High English school will be quite enough. Now by the grace of God, the financial difficulty has gone with the close of the unfortunate war. With these observations. I beseech Your Excellency's Government on behalf of lacs of Your Excellency's subjects to award a Government High English school to Cox's Bazar by accepting my resolution.

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"My Lord, I rise to support the resolution which has been moved by my hon'ble friend to the right. I only want to say that if the Government find it difficult, as I believe they will find difficulty, to accept the resolution as it stands to pledge themselves to establish a Government High School at Cox's Bazar, I hope my friend and the people interested in Cox's Bazar and residing therein will be satisfied if the Department of Education only promise to help towards the establishment of aided High School and also encourage the local people with a grant-in-aid. I believe that is a more practical way of dealing with this matter. Considering the situation and the fact that there are no high schools, I think the matter will receive careful consideration at the hands of the Director of Public Instruction."

The Hon'ble MR. WORDSWORTH said :—

"My Lord, the subject of this resolution is one that has received long attention departmentally and particularly at the commencement of this year when a petition was submitted to Government making the same request. The matter was then investigated carefully, by educational officers on the spot, by the superior administrative officers of Government in the district and division and by educational officers who went from Headquarters at Calcutta ; and it was the deliberate decision of Government, after a long and careful enquiry, that no case had been made out for the establishment of a Government High English School in the subdivision. The words of Government were that Government were unable to accede to the request inasmuch as it was not the general policy of Government to establish Government High English Schools in subdivisions. The circumstances of the situation are briefly these. In this big sub-division, Government is a large landlord. The population are diverse in caste, creed and customs, and are backward in education, using the words in the ordinary sense ; they have not made much advance towards what we call secondary education. Government, however, mindful of its position as landlord, and also in

accordance with its general policy, has done much and is doing much to encourage education in this subdivision, and I have amongst my papers a long list of the various schemes which Government has worked out and put into operation for the educational welfare of this district. They touch mainly primary and vernacular education and the training of teachers. they include special facilities for the education of Burmese children, and Mohamedan children, Government also ten years ago provincialized, *i.e.*, turned into a Government school, a local Middle English school and so has afforded facilities here for giving education to boys up to the age of 13 or 14. This was intended to be a test of the position and of the needs of the district. This Middle English school has not flourished. It has been a great expense to Government and the expense appears to be increasing as the roll number is steadily diminishing. There is in this experiment nothing that will warrant us in going forward confidently to the establishment of a Government High English School, for in this matter of the establishment of Government High English Schools, Government has a practice and a policy. Government High Schools are regularly maintained at district head-quarters. It is true that we have in Bengal a few Government schools at subdivisional head-quarters, but there are special reasons for them. Those in Western Bengal are mainly survivals from a very early date of English education in Bengal when schools were established near Calcutta. In Eastern Bengal we have some Government schools at subdivisional head-quarters as a legacy from the late Eastern Bengal and Assam which took over temporarily and turned into Government schools certain schools at subdivisional head-quarters which there was reason to suspect were being used for purposes other than educational. This is our practice and it is based upon a policy on which the most recent authoritative statement is this. The Government of India in a resolution of 21st February 1913, stated the policy in these words : 'Subject to the necessities of variation in deference to local conditions their policy in regard to secondary education required among other things the establishment of Government High English Schools in such localities as might on a survey of local conditions and with due regard to educational effort and expense be proved to require them."

It was by this test that the needs of the Cox's Bazar subdivision were considered this year, when Government decided that no case had been made out for the establishment of this school.

The appeal to the Government is an appeal partly to Government's duty as a Government, partly to Government's duty as a landowner, and partly to Government's compassion. I have amongst my papers letters written from these different points of view, and the appeal to Government's compassion is, I believe, a confession that the local public do not believe that a high school in the Cox's Bazar subdivision can be a successful high school judged by ordinary standards. Usually when there is a real need for education in a district or locality not served by a Government school, the local public transform and put this need into effect; they establish a high school which as soon as it can prove that it is likely to be successful establishes a claim to Government's interest and assistance. This has not been done in Cox's Bazar. I believe one or two sporadic attempts have been made to form a High English school, but they have not flourished long enough to attract the attention of Government and the appeal now is that we should establish a Government High English School there because the local public are diffident about moving on their own initiative. Government therefore has considered that the need in not proved, and while I am not able to say what may happen in the future, and while I cannot recommend the Council to accept this resolution, I do ask the Council to believe that we are not insensible to the difficulties of a place like Cox's Bazar, or to our obligations as an Education Department."

The Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI said :—

"My Lord, the Director of Public Instruction has been kind enough to admit that Government is the landlord of that subdivision, and is the ruler of it also. There is no denial of that fact. Government realises several lacs of

rupees annually from that *khas mahal* as a zemindar and there are besides other sources of income. Several thousands of people live in that subdivision. But what steps have the Government taken for the good of the people of that division within the last hundred years? We are fully aware that Government is in full sympathy with the educational needs of the people. Government has recently taken over Rangamati and has already established the *Chakma* High School there at a heavy cost. Government has given the people a chance there, without knowing whether it is going to be successful or not, and yet no steps have been taken for the improvement of the Cox's Bazar Subdivision which is inhabitated mostly by *Maghs* and some low class Hindus. The Director of Public Instruction has admitted that for special reasons in certain sub-divisions Government themselves established High English Schools. This sub-division should, I think, also be treated in the same way. There are many public offices in this sub-division and the local people cannot be appointed because they are not educated sufficiently in English. I have been told in answer to a question of mine that the initial expenditure would be Rs. 3,000 on a High English School. If we consider the income Government derives from that sub-division, then, I think, that a High English School can be easily established and supported there. The school can be situated on *khas mahal* land and there will be no necessity for acquisition of land. The school which is already there has a few classes and a few more classes can be added thereto. Then if Government see that the people do not appreciate the school, the matter can be dropped at once. If Government start one class just now, they will see that it will be filled up with students who have to live in Chittagong now. Cox's Bazar is a very healthy place, and the people pay a sufficient amount on rates and taxes, and Government as a zemindar have got a duty to perform by the people and they should establish a High English School in this sub-division."

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 17.

17. The Hon'ble Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council—

(*1*) that a sifting inquiry be made by a committee, consisting of experts and non-official gentlemen, to ascertain—

(*a*) the causes which led to the recent unprecedented flood over a large area in the districts of Rajshahi, Bogra, and Dinajpur ; and

(*b*) the conditions of the Atrai, the Gadai, and the Baranoi rivers and the waterways connected with them, and, in particular, if the recent lowering of the railway bridges by about 3 feet in or near the affected localities has caused serious obstruction to the natural waterways of the country and has made the recurrence of such a flood possible ; and

(*2*) that such remedial measures be adopted as may be recommended by that committee.

He said :—

My Lord, it will perhaps be needless for me to dilate at length on the ravages caused by the recent flood in parts of the districts of Rajshahi, Bogra, Pabna and Dinajpur because details have been published in the newspapers, from which the Hon'ble Members must have already come to know of the nature and extent of the same. I can only say this that the suffering has been very great and more so because the people of the affected area are not habituated to such floods. I, for one, do not remember

such a flood ever having taken place in this part of the Rajshahi Division within my life-time. Therefore, my Lord, what I want is a prevention of the recurrence of such floods in future for, as we all know, prevention is much better than cure. Of course the Government has done much to relieve the sufferers after the flood came and it will be sheer ingratitude on my part not to express to them and especially to the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming, who went to the locality for a personal inspection, my sincere thanks on behalf of the people of the Rajshahi Division, and I shall also be failing in my duty if in this connection I omit to mention the splendid services rendered in this respect by Mr. Cassells, the District Magistrate of Rajshahi, but for whose prompt action the suffering of the people of the Naogaon subdivision would perhaps have been double, the District Magistrate of Bogra and other Government officers and non-official bodies such as the Ramkrishna Mission and other relief committees local or otherwise whose genuine sympathy and untiring personal labour, at considerable self-sacrifice, for the people, have evoked great admiration and respect. But, my Lord, when the suffering caused by the flood is so great, something ought to be done, if that is possible and within our power, to prevent the annual visits of such devastating accidents and I want a committee of experts and non-officials to enquire into the causes of this flood and suggest remedial measures.

It has been suggested that heavy downpour continuously for 48 hours was the only cause. But, my Lord, to my ears this seems rather strange because the natural drainage in that part of the country has always proved adequate on account of the existence of several rivers passing through the Chalan bil and further there is no explanation why the flood was confined to limited areas and did not extend to the whole area through which these rivers pass. My information, on the other hand, is that water logging on account of the Railway bridges over the rivers and other waterways is rather the main cause of this unprecedented flood. There has been an interruption to the natural drainage by the lowering of, and diminution of spans, in the Railway bridges in the newly constructed Broad-gauge Railway lines from Pakshi to Santahar and Ishurdi to Serajgunge.

I have been credibly informed that the two rivers, the Jumna and the Atrai, meet at Suktigachha on the west of the Atrai bridge on the Northern Section of the Eastern Bengal Railway, but the waterways through the Railway line being insufficient, the water level on the west of the line after the heavy rain became 4 or 5 feet higher than that on the eastern side; and this resulted in the sudden flood in parts of the Naogaon Subdivision and Dinajpur drained by those two rivers. Similarly obstructions in the river Nagor by the Santahar-Bogra Railway line caused the flood in Bogra. The Gurnadi which is the confluence of the Jumna and the Atrai meets the river Baranai near Sherkole in the Nator Subdivision and then the river Barole or Gadai near Shaoil to the west of Chalan bil and then these rivers pass through it; but the Chalan bil water being obstructed at Bera Faridpur by the Ishurdi-Serajgunge Railway line caused the heavy flood in the areas covered by Singra and Panchupur police-stations in Rajshahi a few days afterwards. In the Kalikuri bil again the water level on the west of the Serajgunge line was 4 or 5 feet higher than that on the eastern side. This heavy rush ultimately washed away a portion of the railway line and then only the flood began to subside. It is also my information that over 500 feet of the waterways were closed when the broad-gauge line from Pakshi to Santahar was constructed. It is rumoured that the Bogra line has recently been inspected and widening of several bridges advised. Such arrangements are also necessary in the Pakshi to Santahar and Ishurdi to Serajgunge lines. If the facts, as stated by me, are true, then there is, to my mind, a clear case for a sifting enquiry for which I appeal to Your Excellency with as much earnestness as is in me and I fervently hope Your Excellency's Government will see their way to accept my humble request. As the Railway administration is with the Government of India, whatever is to be done is to be done by them. This is another reason why a sifting enquiry is necessary in this case."

The Hon'ble MR. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI said:—

"My Lord, it requires very few words of mine to support this resolution, in view of the sympathetic interest taken by Government and the prompt and effective measures which were taken by the authorities on the spot, and besides a Member of the Government, the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming, personally went over and inspected the place. We all know how much of this distress has been caused by the recent floods and it will only be a sheer waste of time to repeat all that has been said in the papers and in the recent Government *communique* on the subject. I need only say that about 80 square miles in the Rajshahi Division and 40 square miles in Bogra were under flood and people were put to much distress by it. This flood is unprecedented in the annals in the history of Rajshahi; nobody knows when they will occur again, and when it does occur, how are we going to combat it? Some attribute these floods to the railway embankment for the new Sara-Serajganj Railway running from Ishurdi to Serajganj, obstructing the free passage of water to the Padma and Jamma, a length of about 50 miles, and it has only one or two openings. It is therefore absolutely necessary that a sifting enquiry should be made, and if it is found that it is due to these railway embankments, more openings should be constructed and other action taken on the advice of experts. I alluded in my budget speech last year to this Sara-Serajganj Railway and I drew attention to the fact that on one side of the embankment, water was found to be lying stagnant and crops were being damaged. My Lord, I support this resolution heartily, and I take this opportunity of thanking the Government officials who were on the spot at the time of the floods, and especially Mr. Cassells, who went waist deep into the water in Nowgong to rescue children one after another."

The Hon'ble MR. HELY-HUTCHINSON said :—

"My Lord, I should like to associate myself with this resolution, though I think that I should not like to dictate to Government what should be the composition of the Committee of enquiry which they appoint. The hon'ble mover of the resolution has said that it should consist of officials and non-officials, but I should leave it to Government to decide what form the Committee should take. The motion under discussion raises the question of railways in a river country. When railways are constructed in this country it is to the interest of the engineers who make a preliminary scheme to see that this scheme gives as much chance of profit as possible, and it is my experience that they are apt to do so at the expense of the flooding of the country and at the expense of waterways, and to a certain extent at the expense of the agriculture of the country generally. I therefore feel very strongly that an enquiry should be made to prove whether this flood is due to the embankment of the Sara-Serajganj Railway or not. If it is, then I think that steps should be taken as soon as possible to provide adequate culverts and sufficient places for the water to go through in times of flood. I beg to associate myself with the resolution."

The Hon'ble MR. CUMMING said :—

"Sir, the resolution of the Hon'ble Member is to the effect that a sifting enquiry should be made by a Committee consisting of experts and non-official and official gentlemen, first, into the causes of the great flood in certain districts of Northern Bengal; and secondly, regarding certain waterways and certain railway embankments."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"I accept the suggestion made by the Hon'ble Mr. Hely-Hutchinson as to the constitution of the Committee."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"Order, order, the Hon'ble Member will have an opportunity of explaining when he replies."

The Hon'ble MR. CUMMING (continuing) said :—

"He further suggests that some remedial measures should be proposed by such a Committee. I can at once reassure the gentlemen who have spoken on this matter that Government desire an enquiry ; in fact they have been making an enquiry; but the only point on which I draw issue with the Hon'ble Member is whether the Committee that he proposes is the more satisfactory way of dealing with the situation. A Committee is undoubtedly a useful agency when data are available ; but, as I shall shortly show, that is not the case here ; and I think I shall be able to show also to the Hon'ble Gentlemen that Government will be able to follow out the enquiry which he desires by its own agency. I must thank him for his appreciation of the two officers of Govevernment intimately connected with this recent calamity, namely, the District Officers of Bogra and Rajshahi who gave most devoted work on the occasion of the flood and of the fact that Government have shown themselves not insensible to the sufferings of the people of the locality. Nevertheless, I must ask him and others to refrain from exaggeration. Undoubtedly, it was a severe flood, but many of the statements in the press are an over-coloured picture ; and, although undoubtedly the sufferings were considerable, they were only temporary.

In the first place, I wish to deal with the question of the causes of the flood. As it was an exceptional natural calamity, we should look for some exceptional cause. It may be that the railway embankments in question, some of which are comparatively modern, have contributed ; but nevertheless, there is one exceptional cause which can explain the great flooding of particular places quite apart from the railway embankment, and that is the exceptional rainfall. In that part of the country there were floods in 1830, in 1865, and again about 50 years ago ; but for the last 50 years there has been no such untoward rainfall in a very defined and restricted area. I shall make that clear by stating that in one place which bore the brunt of it, the rainfall was four times what it usually has been. Furthermore, this extensive rainfall in a very restricted area, which has not occurred for the last 50 years, happened at a time when both the Brahmaputra and the Ganges were themselves in high flood ; and embankment or no embankment, the gradient was not very steep towards these rivers. That, I may shortly say, is the reason for the great flood ; and the facts being so, it does not require a Committee to find out a reason for the flood

As regards the condition of these waterways principally in the south of Rajshahi district, the unfortunate fact is that Government are not in possession of hydraulic data for the area ; and the reason is obvious. If big floods of this description occur at long intervals of 20, 30 or even 50 years, the necessity of keeping hydraulic data does not arise. However that may be, we have not the data in sufficient quantity and we desire to obtain information. In order to obtain information, we require a staff and time ; and it should be remembered that at the present time the Public Works Department is 40 per cent of its normal cadre. Therefore, I say that the Committee would not be in a position to deal with the matter, even if it were appointed at once, inasmuch as it could only come to conclusions on the basis of material, and that material does not exist at present.

As regards the railway emkankments, that is a matter in regard to which an enquiry has already been instituted, and Government are quite conscious of the countervailing points of view which have been put forward by the Hon'ble Mr. Hely Hutchinson, the point of view of the railway adminstration on the one hand and of the people who reside in the vicinity on the other. The actual facts regarding the allegation which have been made are under investigation ; and until the investigation is completed, a committee would be unable to form any conclusion. Therefore, Sir, I say that we are prepared to give an undertaking that we shall examine the matter as soon as possible when staff is available ; but I am unable to accept the resolution in the form in which it stands. I trust that on that assurance the Hon'ble Mover will not press his resolution.

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"My lord, I desire to say a few words on this matter. I am glad to find that Government has already taken some steps to enquire into the matter ; but there are certain points which, it seems to me, require further investigation. The Hon'ble Mr. Cumming has stated that the main causes of the flood are excessive rainfall in a limited area and the fact that the Brahmaputra and the Ganges were full at the time. But I understand from people of the locality that the flood on the offside of the embankment was much less than that on the other side ; that water on the offside subsided much more quickly and that there was no appreciable distress on the offside of the embankment. That is a point which goes to indicate that the embankment had something or other to do with the matter.

My lord, as regards the question of distress, I do not know whether it was exaggerated in the press ; but it must be admitted that the necessities of the matter require that the matter should be attended to as soon as possible. Not only should the matter be attended to but the public ought to be taken into the confidence of Government. If as a matter of fact the railway embankment had nothing to do with it, then it ought to be made possible for the Government to explain that fact to the public. From that point of view, I suggest that a sifting and open enquiry be made by the Government. My lord, my whole object is that in that enquiry the public will be entitled to place before either the Committee or the Government officials who hold the enquiry their point of view. I further suggest that the result of the enquiry be published at an early date. I quite appreciate the difficulties of the Government at the present moment. Government is no doubt shorthanded in regard to officers of the Public Works Department ; but the question is one which does not admit of delay. The Council has heard from the Hon'ble Mr. Ashraf Ali Khan that about 120 square miles suffered, it may be temporarily. In a question like this it may perhaps be necessary that additional officers should be appointed. If officers have to be drafted from other provinces, they should be so drafted. I therefore suggest that Government should make a sifting and an open enquiry and should publish the result of that enquiry and, if necessary, should take adequate steps.

If Your Excellency will permit me, I should like to move an amendment to this resolution to the effect that "a sifting and open enquiry be made by Government as regards sub-clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of clause (*1*) of the resolution. As regards clause (2), I suggest that the result of such enquiry be published, and if necessary adequate steps be taken at an early date."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"It is a question for the Hon'ble Member in charge to decide whether he objects to this amendment being moved."

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"My Lord, under the rules, we are required to give 7 days' notice but the list of business was circulated to us only on Thursday last (21st). I was not in town on that day and if I were in town I could have given only 3 days' notice."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I am told that this particular resolution was circulated 11 days before the meeting of Council."

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"My Lord, I am sorry that I made an incorrect statement due to a misapprehension. I was referring to the list of business. I now remember that copies of the resolutions were as usual circulated earlier."

The Hon'ble MR. CUMMING said :—

"My Lord, I am in some difficulty in replying to a matter of this kind at such short notice. I do not wish to take advantage of the fact that such short notice has been given ; but I should like to have time to consider this proposal for an open enquiry. I am not prepared at the present moment to agree to such an arrangement. The matter primarily concerns the Railway Board and the Government of India. I am not quite sure whether the Hon'ble Member, in making this suggestion, was thinking of some of the arrangements which the local Government have made to meet the unfortunate results of the floods, or whether he was referring to the enquiry proposed as regards the cause of the flood and its connection with the railway embankment. If he was referring to the latter matter, then at the present moment I am not prepared to accept the arrangement that there should be a public enquiry. As I have already stated on behalf of Government, we are quite prepared, when we get men and material,—which I hope will be in a short time,—to continue the enquiry which we have already started."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"Under the circumstances, the Hon'ble Member in charge objects to the amendment and I cannot accept the amendment."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, it is not necessary for me to add anything to what has already been said by my friend the Hon'ble Mr. Mitter. Of course, it would have been better if my friend's suggestion could be accepted. I am however glad and thankful to Government that an enquiry has already been instituted in this matter. My only suggestion is that a public enquiry be made, or at any rate the public may be taken into confidence and that the result of such enquiry be made public. As an enquiry is being held, if there are persons who have local knowledge, they may be asked to submit their suggestions ; and I shall be quite satisfied if that is done. I have submitted to Your Excellency the fact—and if it is true it demands consideration—that on the west bank of the railway embankment the level of the water was 4 or 5 feet higher than that on the east. This clearly shows that this was due to obstruction and that is what caused the flood. That is a matter on which special attention may be given and all possible assistance from the public may be taken. Of course as there is an assurance from the Government I do not press this resolution."

The motion was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 18.

The Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the orders of supersession of the Municipalities of Burdwan and Hooghly-Chinsurah be reconsidered and withdrawn.

He said :—

"My Lord, it is with some amount of diffidence that I rise to move this resolution before this Council. The question of the dignity and of the honour of the towns of Burdwan and Hooghly cannot be a matter of greater concern to anybody else more than it is to the Hon'ble Member in charge of the portfolio of Local Self-Government, and it would look that it is a bold step on my part to question an order passed by him. But my Lord, as a non-official Member representing the Burdwan Division in this Council, I felt it my duty to bring forward this motion because the question had caused great

excitement not only in the two Municipal towns but throughout the Province, and I felt that I would be shirking my duty if I did not do so. My Lord, I do not hold any brief on behalf of the Municipal Commissioners neither am I a great admirer of the defunct body nor was I one of their supporters; but I must say and I also feel that the drastic measures adopted to punish them have not been justified. I know the faults of the Municipal Commissioners of Burdwan, and I know their failings and shortcomings and also I know that they are not few, but still the extreme measure was not called for. Besides they had some extenuating circumstances in their favour, as the body of Municipal Commissioners of Burdwan had done also some good works at critical times. Their difficulty arose since the days of the floods of 1913 when their roads were swept away, houses were practically levelled to the ground and great damage was done to property and to the town and to municipal works and on account of that there was a large accumulation of arrears and a great change in the condition of rate-payers, which made it very difficult for the Municipal Commissioners to realize their dues; and it is for this reason and other causes that large arrears were allowed to accumulate. As has been explained by the Municipal Commissioners, these are the arrears about which a good deal has been said in the Government resolution. The arrears were also delayed on account of the difficulties of realization of the assessments on holdings and the appeals that had to be disposed of before any taxes could be realized. It has also been said that there was want of control over municipal employees.

In the first place, My Lord, so far as that part is concerned, I cannot agree with the Government resolution that there has been any marked want of control on the part of the municipal executive over the municipal employees. No doubt, there was a case of embezzlement and some other cases of theft, so far as the municipal properties were concerned. But, my Lord, that does not show necessarily that there was want of control. Have not there been cases of embezzlement in Government treasuries as well as in Collectors' offices and District Judges' offices also? Does that mean to show that there was want of control? These things do happen now and then. Even only the other day a Post office clerk embezzled a large amount of money out of the Savings Bank account and he was not detected in this embezzlement till the Accountant-General of Posts and Telegraphs found it out some months after. The man was arrested, prosecuted and sentenced to imprisonment, but nobody ever suggested that because there was such an embezzlement either the Department of the Post Office should be suspended or superseded or the Postmaster-General should be punished on that account. Then, again, my Lord, the Municipal Commissioners have this much in their favour that they have during the period they have served increased a large supply of water to the town of Burdwan. The number of house-connections has been vastly increased; and they were also going to almost complete the elevated reservoir for a better and continuous supply of water to the town of Burdwan. Unfortunately, however, they could not complete it owing to the contractor not being able to supply certain instruments and materials which he wanted in this time of the war. Besides that, my Lord, the difficulty in these days of transit and of getting materials and the rise in the prices have not enabled them to carry out many improvements which they would have otherwise done.

A reference has been made in the resolution itself about the fact that no arrangement had been made for flushing the drains. But, my Lord, I wish to tell this Council that when Government sanctioned the drainage scheme for Burdwan some people of that place said: "Before we start the drains you should arrange for their proper flushing and a system for the supply of unfiltered water to the town." Then the Sanitary Engineer and other advisors of Government said:—'Let the drains be completed first and the question of flushing will be taken up later on'; and for this reason there is no supply of unfiltered water. But, at the same time, it must be said that the drains have not been allowed to remain uncleansed, and every attempt was made by the defunct Municipality to do all that should have been done.

Above all, my Lord, my objection is not so much about Municipal Commissioners because we ourselves have a good deal of complaint about them. But my objection is that we, the ratepayers of Burdwan, had done absolutely nothing to justify the punishment meted out to us. The Municipality was established in Burdwan nearly 33 years ago and it was, I am told, the first Municipality which enjoyed the rights of election and since then the citizens of Burdwan have exercised their franchise with credit and advantage to themselves and to the satisfaction of Government officials. Till now nothing can be said against us; and, I may inform this Council and the Hon'ble Member in charge of the department, that it was only nine months back that the ratepayers of Burdwan found it necessary and desirable to start a Ratepayers' Association to see for themselves, to supervise and at the same time help the Municipal administration and also to see that the necessities of the ratepayers were carefully looked into. What was the significance of the establishment of this Association after 32 years, if it was not that the ratepayers perceived that there was some apathy or neglect on the part of the Municipal Commissioners to do their work properly, and as soon as they found slackness on the part of the Municipal Commissioners, their masters, the ratepayers of Burdwan established their association to put a check on their work and conduct and they proved themselves to be hard taskmasters. I might also inform the Council that the ratepayers appointed ward committees to look into the matter and to advise the association on the working of the municipal questions. There were some Commissioners who did not give satisfaction and, I believe, those Commissioners included both the Commissioners appointed by Government, as well as those elected by ratepayers. The ratepayers have been punished for the faults of those Commissioners; but Government has not punished those whom they appointed as Commissioners of that Municipality. Then we were anxiously looking forward for these Commissioners should to be brought before the Tribunal of the ratepayers at an early date to receive the verdict on their work, and, I think, the verdict of the ratepayers would fully justify the confidence that has been reposed in them. But that opportunity was denied. The present body of Municipal Commissioners, who have been superseded, had served the full term of their office and they ought to have gone out by the 16th of December last but they were allowed to remain as fresh elections were to be held, and it was notified towards the end of September that the general election of the Commissioners would be held on the 8th November 1918. Unfortunately this privilege was denied to us by the order of supersession passed on the 1st October and we were not given an opportunity of exercising the right that we had of choosing our representatives and of passing our judgment on the work of these Municipal Commissioners. I see no justification, my Lord, even admitting that the Municipal Commissioners of Burdwan and their executive were guilty of gross neglect and misconduct, for disenfranchising the whole body of the ratepayers because they had the foolishness or stupidity to elect these men. If there had been cases in which Government officials were found guilty of gross neglect, nobody would ever challenge that Government were guilty for the conduct of these men. Here justice demanded that the Municipal Commissioners should have been punished and not the ratepayers of Burdwan.

"With reference to the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality, I think, my Lord, that I speak the sense of my non-official friends when I say that a great wrong has been done to a worthy body of public men and public workers. Nothing has been said either in Hooghly or elsewhere about the public spirit, the zeal and the energy displayed by the Executive and the Commissioners of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality. In the Government resolution much has been said about the water-works, about meters, about the supply of coal and about the mis-spent expenditure of water-works money and about the waste of water. But it must be remembered, My Lord, that it is due to the energy, zeal and enthusiasm shown by the present body of Municipal Commissioners and especially their worthy Chairman that the present water-works came into existence. It was his exertions and endeavours which made it possible for the Municipality of Hooghly-Chinsurah to have the

advantage and luxury of the supply of filtered water. The late Chairman of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality was the leading spirit of the whole movement which brought about the establishment of water-works. No doubt the Municipal Commissioners and the Chairman received a good deal of help from Government and a great deal of sympathy and assistance too, but the idea originated with them and they worked hard for it, and the late Chairman himself contributed a princely sum for the establishment of water-works. Is it reasonable to expect that a man who worked so hard for the establishment of water-works and to whom the question was so dear, will do anything which will cause the mismanagement of the same fund or bring the whole administration into discredit? It has been reported, My Lord, that there was some difference of opinion between the Municipal Commissioners and the Sanitary Engineer at the very start and it was through the intervention of the then Collector of Hooghly, Mr. Prentice, that matters were set right. But, my Lord, since then, there have been some differences of opinion between the Sanitary Engineer to the Government and the Municipal Commissioners about many things. The principal charge against them is that they have persistently neglected to have a storage of coal for six months' consumption. The Municipal Commissioners say that they wrote to several firms, both Indian and European for the supply of coal, but they were told that they could not get that supply. My Lord, even then what was the harm if they had a month's supply? The water-works never stopped for want of coal supply; nor was there any imminent danger on that score.

The greatest offence of the Municipal executive was that they refused to put in meters in those houses where there was water-connection. My Lord, I am told—and I think a statement has been publicly made in the Press and elsewhere—that the Government asked the Municipal Commissioners to put up meters and that they agreed to do so. A challenge was however drawn up by the ratepayers that they were not bound to do it and that if the Commissioners wanted to put up meters, they must pay for it themselves. The Commissioners being thus in a dilemma did the only thing they could possibly do—to approach the Legal Remembrancer through the Collector for an opinion as to whether they could or could not realise the money from the ratepayers for the installation of these meters. They had not at any rate received the reply from the Legal Remembrancer when the order of supersession was passed. There can be no doubt that they wanted to put up meters but the only thing they wanted to do was to satisfy themselves that they would not be legally liable for the cost of the same. I am told that there are two cases pending for judgment in the High Court. regarding the setting up of meters in private houses, when they were not sure that they could realise the money from the rate-payers. As regards the Municipality paying it themselves, their funds would not permit it. I am told that they also appealed to Government for a loan for the purpose, if the Government insisted in having those meters set up, but the prayer was not acceded to. Then again, why should the question of not putting up meters affect the Municipalitity. Has there been any considerable wastage of filtered water in Municipal towns? The average consumption of water in Hooghly is not much more than it is in other Municipalities of a similar nature. It has been stated that the roads are not good and the streets not properly lighted. But my lord, the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality is in a very unfortunate position in this respect. They have got a large area to administer, and a very large area of roads to maintain, and these roads pass through jungles and mango groves; they realise a very small amount in taxes and they have to maintain very long roads, and for this purpose their roads cannot be kept in a condition they would like to put it. But I want to know whether the condition of roads in Burdwan and Hooghly are in any way worse than those of other Municipalities, whether under non-official or official chairmen. Of course, they connot campare with the roads of the southern portion of Calcutta or the new Capital of Dacca, Ramna, but speaking of other towns, I think they are not worse than other Municipalities. My Lord, so far as my countrymen are concerned, we have not been

convinced that there was any case made out for the supersession of these Municipalities, and in the case of the Hooghly Municipality, the Commissioners when they found that the Government was pressing them hard to do things they could not reasonably perform, I may say that as trustees to the rate-payers, they did the best thing they could and they resigned in a body and the only Commissioner now left is the Civil Surgeon of Hooghly. If the Government thought that they misspent the rate-payers' money or mismanaged the rate-payers affairs, the proper course would have been to sit on judgment on those Commissioners, and to pass their verdict on their conduct. It was not fair to disenfranchise the ratepayers for the crime of the Commissioners.

In the case of Burdwan there may be some justification for punishing the Commissioners, but there was absolutely none for the disenfranchisement of the citizens of Burdwan, and especially when it was only recently that they had begun to show a greater interest and more activity in municipal affairs and in matters of municipal elections. My Lord, the citizens of Hooghly and Burdwan say that if they had an opportunity of drafting resolutions, they could make out a better and more convincing and stronger case for the abolition of some of the departments under Your Excellency's charge, and I think my lord, that considering the circumstances and considering the fact that in these days we are looking forward to greater liberty in the matter of local self-governing bodies, I think it is very unfortunate that advantage has been taken of one or two mistakes to supersede two of the most important municipalities in this Presidency. Up till now, there has been only one case of supersession of a municipality and it was that of Santipur many years ago, and that municipality was superseded because the Commissioners persistently refused to carry out Government's orders regarding the supervision of conservancy. But in this case when the Municipal Commissioners of Hooghly and Chinsurah found that they were unable to carry out Government orders, they resigned making room for a fresh set of Municipal Commissioners to see if they could carry out those orders. The rate-payers were not given an opportunity of passing judgment on the conduct of the Municipal Commissioners, and in justice to the Municipal Commissioners of Burdwan, I must say that bad as they were, they were never called upon to offer an explanation of the charges that were brought against them, and they were never even apprised of the fact that a measure like this was in contemplation, and they were taken aback—the citizens much more so than the Commissioners themselves.

With these words I beg to move my resolution and I hope Your Excellency's Government will see their way to accept it, or at any rate to see that the citizens of Hooghly and Chinsurah are allowed the privilege of choosing a new set of representatives for the working of their local affairs.

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"My Lord, I have gone very carefully through the papers connected with the case of the Burdwan and Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipalities as far as they were available to me. I am not quite sure that the order against Burdwan was altogether unmerited, and it would have been very desirable on the part of the Hon'ble Mover of the resolution to divide the two cases, and to ask the vote of this House first on Burdwan and then on Hooghly-ChinsuraM unicipality. However, I am free to say that I am not fully satisfied that the Commissioners of the Burdwan Municipality did not or rather had not failed in their duty, strictly speaking. Whether there were actual cases of embezzlement and of theft as my hon'ble friend said, I do not understand what more is required to condemn the Commissioners of a municipality where theft can take place and embezzlement can be possible. Of course the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem is perfectly right in saying that for the offence of the Municipal Commissioners, it is the rate-payers who have been really punished. To that extent I fully agree with him, and the proper course for the Government would have been, not to supersede the Municipality, but to have watched a few weeks, and then to have another election which was coming on. But, my Lord, I am

constrained to say that as regards Hooghly-Chinsurah, I have gone carefully through the papers, and I am sincerely of opinion that the Commissioners of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality have been more sinned against than sinning. Two indictments have been brought against them, viz., shortness of the supply of coal and secondly of insufficiency of meters. With regard to coal, it was said that they had only one month's supply, whereas there was a large order from the Sanitary Engineer for six months' supply. My Lord, I know of cases of jails, which are departments of Government, where the whole concern of brick manufacture failed at the time for want of an adequate supply of coal. That was a very critical situation, which we all know, and which ought to have been taken into consideration in the order of the Sanitary Engineer. My Lord, on the 9th of October, the supersession was passed by Government and it would be interesting to know how many months' supply of coal has been collected in Hooghly during the time the District Magistrate has been in charge of this municipality. I do not think that he has collected six months' supply of coal, although times are now altered, and the war is now practically ended. Then, with regard to meters, I understand from the papers that have been supplied to me that a number of meters had been purchased by the Municipal Commissioners, but the ratepayers objected to purchase them, and there was a question pending as to the legality of putting up meters by the municipality and trying to realise the actual cost from the rate-payers. That question was not also settled, and I would like to know, as I have already said in the case of coal, it would be very interesting to know how many meters have been fixed by the District Magistrate of Hooghly since the 9th October up to date. The thing is I cannot for a moment divest myself of the conviction that the order of Government in the case of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality was a hasty order. More inquiry should have been made and more opportunities should have been given to the Commissioners to comply with the wishes of the Sanitary Engineer, and it is still more deplorable that simply because the Sanitary Engineer had his own fad, viz. that you must have a supply of six months' coal, and because they failed to do so, they should have been superseded. It is a very drastic measure and it augurs not at all well for other municipalities in the country. If the commissioners of Hooghly-Chinsurah after having themselves initiated this great improvement in the town and having spent so much for the installation of water filters, have come to grief simply because they were unable to stock six months' coal, I doubt whether it would not be a positive discouragement to any other municipality to come forward to inaugurate similar improvements in their town. They had established this water work in 1914, as I understand, and within four years and under such trying circumstances as were created by the war, Government did not pause to consider whether such a drastic step should or should not have been taken with regard to the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality. I fully believe there is greatness in owning one's mistake; there is no greatness in persisting in error and I hope and trust that Government will rise to the fullest height of the occasion and admit their mistake, and then restore the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality to its former position and allow them sufficient time and opportunity to deal with the difficult situation. Whether official prestige will suffer or increase in the estimation of the public, it will of course be a matter for the Government and the public to decide. If I am to give my own opinion my free conviction is, as I have already said, that the Municipal Commissioners have been more sinned against than sinning, and the Government would rather rise in the estimation of the public if the error which it has committed in regard to Hooghly-Chinsura, were sooner than later rectified.

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, at this hour I do not like to take up much of the time of the Council. All I can say is that the decision with regard to the late Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality has not satisfied the public, and as far as we have been able to gather, they are not seriously to blame, and I suggest the explanation which has been submitted may be accepted, and that Government would

reconsider its decision, and the punishment that has been meted out to this municipality may be withdrawn. As regards the Burdwan Municipality it is very difficult for us to know all the facts, but this much I can say that we sympathise with the rate-payers. There may be some shortcomings on the part of the Municipal Commissioners, but why were the rate-payers deprived of the privilege of electing a new body of Commissioners to set matters right we fail to understand. Whatever may be the real facts, at least they have a just ground of complaint and we hope that in these two cases the Government will reconsider the situation and restore their privileges.

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ said :—

"My Lord, the question raised in this Resolution is of such paramount importance to the growth and development of self-government in this country that I feel I cannot record a mere silent note when this matter is being discussed in the Council. I therefore propose to say a few words in support of the resolution, but having regard to the lateness of the hour, I promise to be very brief in my remarks. My Lord, I cannot help beginning by saying that it is a matter of very great regret that at a time when the whole world is emerging towards freedom and progress it should have been left to the Government of Bengal to sound a retreat by adopting a policy which I very much regret to say is somewhat inconsistent with those enlightened principles which have hitherto formed the key-note of British administration in this country. I beg to assure your Excellency that my feelings are very strong in the matter as I feel that the decision that has been arrived at, if pushed to its logical length, means the deathblow of the progress of self-government and the development of self-governing institutions in general and I consider it herefore a matter of great regret that this decision should have been taken at a time when for all nationalities and for all races the right of self-government has just been so triumphantly vindicated by the shedding of the best blood in the world.

My Lord, the resolution relating to the two municipalities although worded in one sentence and although permitted to be discussed together, will be, as I understand, open to voting separately. I do not wish to go over the ground already covered by the Hon'ble Member or the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar, but I wish to make one or two remarks as regards some particular points that arise for discussion and for consideration. I may say at once that the position I take up is this, to use a legal phraseology, that although in these cases the evidence justifies a verdict of guilty against the accused the extreme punishment was certainly not called for. I thought I noticed a sort of diffidence in both my Hon'ble Friend Maulvi Abul Kasem and Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar when referring to the case of Burdwan as if, so far as the order with reference to that municipality is concerned, their hearts were not moving with their tongues, or in other words, they were full of eloquent words so far as the condemnation of the decision is concerned, but that they were not quite satisfied that the order was not justified. What I submit is that whatever the evidence against these two municipalities may be, as I have already submitted, some punishment other than that already meted out to these municipalities should have amply met the requirements of justice. It is not therefore necessary for us to apportion the measure of guilt or blame to the Commissioners and the ratepayers or to differentiate between the exact nature of the offence committed by either of the Municipalities concerned. Reading the Government Resolution on the subject I find there are two main charges standing out prominently amongst the various charges that have been levelled against these two Municipalities. The first charge is that these Municipalities are practically on the verge of bankruptcy, that the Municipal Commissioners have shown the most extraordinary slackness in realizing taxes, and that works of public utility have had to be postponed for lack of funds. My Lord, I think it is a matter of almost every day experience with those who have

studied the working of Municipalities in any Indian town that these Municipalities are extremely poor so far as finances are concerned and in the vast majority of cases, they have got an area to administer for the administration of which the funds at their disposal happen to be absolutely inadequate. One reason for this is that the people who are taxed to supply the finances to the Municipalities are extremely poor. I think I do not exaggerate when I say that, speaking generally, in the vast majority of cases, a very overwhelming number of the majority of ratepayers cannot pay the taxes that are imposed although these taxes are really very low. The people are too poor. My Lord, we read in the Montagu-Chemsford Report that the people in this country generally are poorer far below the standards of Europe. Examples have been given showing how poor really the average Indian is and I think it is a matter well-known to your Excellency's Government that the average Indian who has got to pay his Municipal taxes really finds it difficult to pay those taxes in time. The result is that the money that is raised by Municipalities by taxation is absolutely inadequate. In these circumstances the proper duty for the Government is not to pass extreme measures like the one under discussion but to come forward with generous grants from provincial revenues. In reading the Resolution of the Government of India on Local Self-Government I find these two observations which I would certainly think puts the whole case in a nutshell. There is a growing demand, says the Resolution, on every side for improvements. Speaking of Municipalities it says, it is not possible for all Municipalities to finance large schemes of water-supply and drainage. Then the Resolution goes on to say that the Government of India have also accepted the further recommendation of the Commission—refering to the Decentralization Commission—that assistance should be given by Government to poorer Municipalities which, without it, would be unable to carry on the normal administration required of them. My lord, historians tell us that amongst the ancient Arabs there was a horrible custom of infanticide which was as revolting to the finer instincts of human nature as could possibly be. We are told that when children were born in a family and their number was increasing, the Arabs used to decide how many children should remain and for the rest the decision was that they should be killed in order to relieve the family. This may be a short and safe method of dealing with an uncomfortable situation but it is hardly a pattern for a civilized Government to follow. Because a municipality is poor, because it cannot get on with its work and because Government is not ready to offer financial help—therefore according to the principles laid down by Government the municipality must be superseded! Is it necessary, is it fair, is it just, it is consistent with all the principles on which civilized Government is based, that the municipality should be throttled and the custom of the pre-Ishmalite Arabs should be adopted? I submit, to a question like this, there can be but one answer.

The second charge against these municipalities is that there was a prevailing corruption and that the administration of those municipalities has been disgraced by cases of theft, embezzlement, etc. My lord, as my Hon'ble friend has already remarked—where is the department under Government which will be free from such charges? The Hon'ble Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray is going to give us today a lengthy statement so far as corruption in public offices is concerned and we expect, if the matter is taken up at this late hour, to listen to a tale of bribery in public offices. What about that fancy department of Government—which should be nameless for the present—which is always being pampered and which has become a blot in the fair fame of the British Administration in this country? Can it be suggested that because this corruption existed, the head of the department should be held responsible and punished with extreme penalty for faults which he has not the power of controlling? My lord, I have not had the honour nor the privilege of knowing the conditions of things in Europe, but I do think that if an inquiry is made, it will be found that bribery and corruption do exist in European municipalities also. But would anybody suggest that because these defects do exist therefore the one punishment to which

the municipalities can be subjected is that of immediate strangulation? I submit that even accepting the case, other punishment could have been deemed adequate to the requirement of the situation.

Then my lord, my Hon'ble friend the Mover has made a reference to the fact that the punishment has been inflicted not on the Municipal Commissioners because they had already served out their term, but to the rate-payors, and that in the case of the Burdwan Municipality it was hardly necessary, because the Municipal Commissioners there had been mismanaging the work of the Municipality in such a way that they had already lost the confidence of the ratepayers and in the election which was to have been held in November it was quite on the cards that they would not be given another opportunity of coming into office and mismanaging the affairs of the Municipality. That right has been rudely taken away from them for practically no fault of their own.

"My Lord, I do not wish to take up further time of this Council. If one reads the report of the Mesopotamian Commission I think he would come to the conclusion that a heavier indictment was made against the Government of India than that made by the Government of Bengal against these Municipalities."

(At this stage, the Hon'ble Member having reached the the time-limit, had to conclude his remarks).

The Hon'ble Mr. O'MALLEY said :—

"My Lord, in reply to the resolution I may say, at the outset, that the view of Government in passing orders of supersession was that, considering the long continued mismanagement, the persistent neglect and incapacity of both municipalities, it had no option, if it was to be true both to its trust and to its position as the supreme controlling authority over local bodies, but to supersede them. It is an essential part of local self-government that Government should reserve to itself, and unhesitatingly exercise, powers of external intervention in case of grave and gross maladministration. Self-government has its responsibilities as well as its rights, and it is the duty of Government to see that municipalities discharge their responsibilities. The Hon'ble Mr. Fazlul Haq has said that the Bengal Government have sinned against the principles of self-government and their development. I may quote from the resolution of the Government of India on local self-government from which he himself has quoted. The Government of India there say : "It is certainly necessary to maintain ultimate powers of intervention which are in no way peculiar to India, and which carry out the view that the control of Government over local bodies should be exercised from without rather than from within." At the same time, Government is extremely chary of exercising its power to supersede incompetent municipalities. As was pointed out by one Hon'ble Member, there has been only one previous case of supersession during the 34 years the Bengal Municipal Act has been in force. Apart from other considerations, it means a heavy addition of work to an already overworked District Officer, and I can assure the Council that Government would not add to the burden he bears except under the compulsion of grave necessity. If further proof of the unwillingness of Government to supersede is needed, I may point to the long time that elapsed before Government took this step—how patient it was with both Municipalities in spite of their persistent neglect of advice, instruction and warning. In both cases again it was careful to supersede not for a long time but only for one year, and the state of both municipalities is so bad that although the District Magistrate will undoubtedly reform the administration, he will find it a hard and difficult task to bring the administration up to the standard which Government would desire to see established before the year expires and the Municipal Commissioners resume management.

"Government, however reluctantly, felt that it was their bounden duty to discharge the trust vested in them. It is not a case of one or two or of a few mistakes as stated by the Hon'ble mover. There was long continued

mismanagement in both municipalities. In Burdwan, year after year, the same gloomy tale of faction, inefficiency, waste of public money—in fact, general mismanagement and maladministration—had to be told. The Collector, the Commissioner and the Government had stigmatized the laxity of administration throughout the time the Municipal Commissioners had held office, but no attention was paid. There was no attempt at reform: things went from bad to worse. There were undoubtedly some Municipal Commissioners who were anxious for reform, but either their energy or their power was insufficient and they failed to effect any improvement. The influence at work, the prevailing spirit, is sufficiently clear from the fact that when a special enquiry was held this year by a Deputy Magistrate under the District Magistrate's orders, it was impeded by efforts to suppress the facts and to alter or destroy incriminating documents.

"In Hooghly-Chinsura, the Municipal Commissioners failed to fulfil their primary duty of managing their affairs so as to pay their way. The District Magistrate had the unpleasant task of taking over a Municipality with arrears of Rs. 32,000 and a cash balance of only Rs. 850. Collections had been neglected, there were arrears of taxes aggregating Rs. 12,000: no warrants had been issued for the first quarter of the year, and as the period of limitation is 3 months after the demand is presented, they cannot now be issued. All that can be done is to hope that the defaulting rate-payers may be persuaded to pay up or forced to do so by the slow and tedious process of civil suits. Bills were unpaid for over two years and more: the unpaid bills for coal alone amount to Rs. 5,000. Much has been made of the difficulty about getting coal, but it is fairly obvious that contractors must fight shy of supplying people who do not pay their bills.

"Much has also been made of the general difficulty of ways and means. I do not propose to go into details about this. But the broad issues may be summarized in two proverbs: One is, you must cut your coat according to your cloth, which, in this case, means that if you want a pure water-supply and other civil amenities you must tax yourselves properly and sufficiently to get them and keep them up. If you do not, you must go without them. The other is, when there's a will there's a way; and the Municipal Commissioners of Hooghly-Chinsurah showed no willingness to put their house in order.

"So far to the contrary—so far did the fatal habit of procrastination prevail—that a month before supersession, at a time when the Commissioner had insisted on their facing the growing gravity of their financial position, at a time when their unpaid bills amounted to over Rs. 30,000 and their cash balance to a little over Rs. 200, they deliberately resolved to postpone the consideration of the question. And a month later, when Government superseded them, they had only Rs. 850 in hand to pay bills amounting to over Rs. 30,000.

"As regards the question of meters, the Government Resolution speaks for itself. Briefly the facts are: Nearly three years ago Government published rules under the Act prescribing meters for house-connections, the object of which is to prevent the interests of poor people, who have to get water from street hydrants, from being sacrificed to their richer neighbours who have private house-connections and can afford to pay for an excess quantity of water. So far from observing these statutory rules, the Commissioners had within seven months after the issue of these rules given nearly 300 house-connections without meters. Even after Government issued orders insisting on the rules being observed, the Commissioners procrastinated, and while they procrastinated, prices rose and the supply of meters on the market grew less. I need not recapitulate the correspondence. Matters came to a head at the beginning of this year (January 1918) when the Municipal Commissioners were told that they would be superseded unless they took effective action. The Commissioners then followed the instructions of Government by buying meters but took no steps to get them fixed. By September this year only 55 out of 400 connections were metered. Of these, 40 were on Government buildings, and there were only 15 on private

connections. It was at this time—and this is a point to which the Hon'ble Mover has referred—nearly 3 years after Government orders were issued that the rules must be carried out—that the Commissioners went into legal questions and stated a case for opinion. All this time the consumption of water was rising and the cost of the water-works increasing without proper payment being made by the well- to-do for private connections.

"As to the supply of coal for the water-works, I may merely point out that for 2½ years the officers of Government had been trying to get the Municipal Commissioners to realize their duty and make proper business-like arrangements which would not only prevent a breakdown, but also be economical. There was, however, a breakdown, and there was a serious outbreak of cholera which the Civil Surgeon attributed to the failure to keep up the supply of filtered water from the water works and that again to the neglect to get sufficient coal. The Sanitary Board itself addressed the municipality a grave warning: but the warning produced no effect, and in the last month before supersession the management of the water-works was as bad as ever.

"In spite of this, Government decided to allow the municipality a last chance and the Hon'ble Member-in-charge of the Municipal Department gave the Chairman and Vice-Chairman an interview, in which they were informed that the Commissioners might save themselves from supersession if they took steps to do all that was necessary. So far from endeavouring to do anything 17 Commissioners resigned. It is difficult to resist the suspicion that their action was designed to prevent supersession, their idea being that if they resigned, Government could not supersede them or would at any rate be embarrassed or have its hand forced. If this view is correct, their action bears some similarity to that of culprits to whom a merciful Judge offers the chance of reformation instead of sentence and who think that they can avoid sentence by absconding. The idea that they hoped to prevent supersession has some support from the articles contributed to the newspapers which use almost identically the same words. They say: 'It is clear that the action taken by the Government in superseding gentlemen who were not in existence as Commissioners is quite illegal, improper and *ultra vires*.' 'I do not wish to enter into legal niceties. I may merely say that when Municipal Commissioners are superseded they are superseded not as individual persons but in their corporate capacity; and I can assure the Council that the question was considered by Government before their orders were passed and that Government acted on the highest legal authority.

"It has been asked, and this has been the chief point raised in the debate, why should not Government have left things as they were till a fresh election was held. In the case of Hooghly, a peculiar situation had been created by the resignation of the 17 Commissioners. Having resigned, there would have had to be a bye-election for each vacancy among the elected Commissioners. A new Municipal Board would have had to be formed which would hold office till the general election was due, and the Commissioners who had so long mismanaged the Municipality would have managed to get the opportunity of carrying the bye-elections and continuing their mismanagement. In the meantime the town would have suffered, and this was a contingency which Government could not tolerate.

"In the case of Burdwan, there was good reason to believe that there would not be a straight election. A ratepayers' association had, it is true, been formed to voice public grievances, as pointed out by the hon'ble mover; but it was of comparatively recent birth and public opinion was not strong enough to counteract the influences at work. Those who are familiar with municipalities know that there are various ways in which a party in power can maintain its position—for instance, by enhancement or reduction of the valuation on holdings, condoning licenses for trades, granting or withholding facilities of water-supply, instituting or omitting to institute prosecutions for breach of bye-laws, suffering decrees to be time-barred, and the like. These practices are known to have gone on, and it is significant that there were over Rs. 30,000 of arrears of taxes outstanding just before the election. And

if the Commissioners had been allowed to remain in office, it was practically certain that there would not have been a free and fair election."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHANDRA GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I would only refer to one or two facts in connection with the charge brought against the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality, *i.e.*, the shortage of the coal supply for the water-works. As I gather the facts, in the Bengal mofussil municipalities, where water-works are in existence and in question, the Government Sanitary Engineer rules the situation. His instructions are to be carried out by the municipality and if there is a failure on the part of the Commissioners to carry out his instructions, then the Government condemns the Commissioners. I understand that the instruction of the Sanitary Engineer was that there should be in stock a six months' supply of coal for the water-works. These instructions were not carried out and they had just sufficient coal for one or two months. As there was a disobedience on the part of the Commissioners to the orders of the Sanitary Engineer, Government took it very seriously and chose to supersede the municipality.

I happen, my Lord, to be connected with a municipality and I have the honour to represent the Corporation of Calcutta on this Council The resources of the Calcutta Corporation are very large and the resources of our coal-suppliers are also very large. We are going to have a meeting of the Corporation tomorrow in which we have to consider—how to deal with our coal supply. The coal is supplied by a firm of great repute and standing—I shall not name the firm as it is not necessary. They are unable to supply coal of the required quality and quantity as per contract and they say that unless the relations between the parties are re-adjusted they will stop the supply. The executive, who are responsible for the facts being placed at tomorrow's meeting, say that the supply which their firm is making is sufficient for two a three days and that is the way in which supplies have been made for some time past. Of course, every one knows that there is a coal difficulty and there is also railway difficulty, but in the case of Calcutta we do not feel that difficulty to any extent, because the Chairman of the Corporation makes it his business to ease the situation by communicating with the proper authority ; the difficulty is felt by the coal supplier for reasons I need not mention. There is the fact, however, that we have in our pumping station coal for two or three days' consumption and that has been going on for some time. It is fortunate that we are not controlled by the Government Sanitary Engineer in this matter. If it had been so, probably we would have been hauled up before Government for our laches. I believe the shortage of coal supply is the principal charge, but not the only charge against the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality. I think that the shortage in the supply of coal is due to the circumstances created by the war."

The PRESIDENT, said :—

"There are a number of gentlemen who wish to take part in this debate. I regret to say that I have an engagement myself at 6 o'clock of a public character. Under these circumstances, I propose to adjourn the meeting now until 11 o'clock tomorrow morning when we will take the remainder of the discussion of this motion and of the other motions which stand on the paper."

ADJOURNMENT.

The Council was then adjourned till Wednesday the 27th November at 11 A.M. in Government House, Calcutta.

A. M. HUTCHISON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council.

CALCUTTA,
The 9th December 1918.

APPENDIX A.

[REFERRED TO IN ANSWER TO QUESTION NO. III (UNSTARRED) OF THE 3RD SEPTEMBER 1918.]

Paper referred to in item 3 of the List of Business for the meeting of the Council held on the 26th November, 1918, containing information regarding the Nawab of Dacca's steam launch at Barisal. The information was called for by the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI *in Question No. III (unstarred) asked at the meeting of the Council held on the 3rd September, 1918.*

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Is it a fact that a steam launch is maintained at Barisal Ghat for the estate purpose? How much does it cost annually? For how many days from 1907 to the 31st March 1918, was she out from the Barisal Ghat for the estate purposes?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

Yes. The average annual cost is Rs. 2,351. No record has been kept of the number of days on which the launch was used for estate purposes."

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council assembled under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1915.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber at Government House, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 27th November, 1918, at 11 A.M.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE LAWRENCE JOHN LUMLEY DUNDAS, EARL OF RONALDSHAY, G.C.I.E., *Governor of the presidency of Fort William in Bengal, Presiding.*

The Hon'ble SIR HENRY WHEELER, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. J. G. CUMMING, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. J. H. KERR, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE, C.V.O.

The Hon'ble MAJOR-GENERAL W. H. B. ROBINSON, C.B., I.M.S.

The Hon'ble MR. J. DONALD, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. L. S. S. O'MALLEY.

The Hon'ble MR. H. P. DUVAL.

The Hon'ble MR. M. C. MCALPIN.

The Hon'ble MR. F. A. A. COWLEY.

The Hon'ble MR. W. C. WORDSWORTH.

The Hon'ble MR. C. F. PAYNE.

The Hon'ble MR. S. G. HART.

The Hon'ble RAI PRIYA NATH MUKHARJI BAHADUR, I.S.O.

The Hon'ble SIR RAJENDRA NATH MOOKERJEE, K.C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. J. MACKENZIE, O.B.E.

The Hon'ble W. H. H. ARDEN-WOOD, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. AMINUR RAHMAN.

The Hon'ble MR. J. W. HELY-HUTCHINSON.

The Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER.

The Hon'ble BABU SIV NARAYAN MUKHERJI.

The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY.

The Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI.

The Hon'ble MR. ARUN CHANDRA SINGHA.

The Hon'ble SIR DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI, KT., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble MR. F. W. CARTER, C.I.E., C.B.E.

The Hon'ble MR. W. E. CRUM, O.B.E.

The Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY.

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM.

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ.

The Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI.

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY.

The Hon'ble MR. ALTAF ALI.

The Hon'ble RAI SRI NATH RAY BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY.

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. K. B. DUTT.

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR.

RESOLUTIONS.

(*Under the rules for the discussion of matters of general public interest.*)

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 18—*contd.*

The PRESIDENT said :—

"We will continue discussion on item No. 18."

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"My Lord, I listened with great attention to the discussion on this item yesterday, and I for one think that in the interests of Local Self-Government, if the interests of the situation demand it, if there has been gross maladministration, then the Government would be perfectly justified in suspending the municipality as it has done. But, My Lord, although I venture to think that the order of suspension perhaps was justified—I say perhaps because I can only proceed upon the Government resolution on the subject—beyond certain observations I heard yesterday, I had no opportunity of examining the facts, and not having that opportunity I prefer to follow the facts as stated in the Government resolution. Taking that as my standpoint, I desire at the same time to bring to the notice of Your Excellency's Government and of this Council, certain points which struck me on reading the Bengal Municipal Act.

In the first place, section 65 of that Act undoubtedly authorizes the Government to suspend any municipality if the contingency referred to in that section occur, but it also authorizes the Government to direct that the supersession should be the period to be specified in the order. If that section stood by itself, there would be nothing to prevent the Government from superseding a municipality for two or five or even ten years if the interest of the situation demand it, but, My Lord, there is another section, section 21. That section lays down the term of office of a Municipal Commissioner. Under that section every Commissioner shall vacate his office at the end of three years from the date of his appointment or election as such Commissioner. Now, My Lord, I take it the position is this. The ratepayers elect certain Commissioners, and those Commissioners for the time being are the representatives of the ratepayers. Section 65 speaks about the suspension of Commissioners, that is, the representatives of the ratepayers. I understand, My Lord, that in the case of the Burdwan Municipality, election was due in September, and I understand, further, from certain observations of the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem that, as a matter of fact, the election was to take place in November. Assuming that the Government was perfectly justified in suspending the municipalities. I venture to think that the order of suspension for one year was beyond the spirit of section 65. I do not propose to discuss the point as a lawyer, nor do I propose to discuss the point on mere technicalities, but looking broadly at it, I would like to know what is the object of the Government. I have not the slightest doubt that the object of the Government is to improve the administration of local self-government. If that be the object of Government, that object is perfectly vindicated by this order of suspension, and that object will be equally vindicated after the lesson that these municipalities have had, if an early order were passed to the effect that there should be a fresh election in January or February. That is my humble suggestion which I lay before Your Excellency's Government, and my position with regard to the matter is that while I do not see eye to eye with the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem that the order of suspension was bad, at the same time I do not feel justified in accepting the position of the Government that the suspension for one year was good.

"There is only another point on which I would like to address the Council very shortly. It may be said that unless the suspension be for one year, the district officer will have no chance of really putting the administration of these two unfortunate municipalities on a proper basis. To this, my answer is that at any rate, speaking for myself, a trained administrator will always administer more efficiently than any local self-governing body, however anxious they may be. But, at the same time, for several reasons, it is an accepted proposition that local self-governing bodies should be allowed to do their best. They may lose in point of efficiency, but there are other advantages in allowing local self-governing bodies to administer their functions in the best possible way. Regard being had to that position, it may be said that if you look to the question of mere efficiency, perhaps administration by a trained administrator would be better for all times. If, for other reasons, we want to give a real chance to local self-governing bodies, then I should think that these municipalities have had their lesson, and I should think the new Commissioners should be allowed to do their best. From the point of view from which I look at the question I think that will give them a chance of really trying to do away with the past bad administration."

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY said :—

"My Lord, I do not propose to go over the ground already covered by the previous speakers to this resolution. The charge against the two now defunct municipalities is, I take it, one of gross inefficiency, coupled in one case with corruption, and in the other heightened by a reckless disregard of consequences to public health that might easily have followed.

"Unfortunately, My Lord, inefficiency or failure to rise to the height of one's responsibility, is not confined to the municipalities of Bengal. Corruption, jobbery, and oppression were not very uncommon attributes of municipal administration in the land of our rulers, prior to the Municipal Corporations Act of 1835, after years and years of its inception. But, so far as I am aware, these circumstances were never made the pretext for stifling local self-government or setting back the hands of the clock. There are, no doubt, provisions in England for compelling inefficient or unwilling local bodies to do their duty. But there is one fundamental difference in the case. In England. it is one popular and self-governing body controlling another, the central authority itself being responsible to and composed of the representatives of the people. And, to be frank, here in India there has grown up through years past a barrier of mutual distrust—a sort of lurking suspicion and antagonism—between the self-governing bodies and the central authority The controlling authority appears more in the light of the Grand Moghul—a hectoring, dictatorial, fastidious personality—nothing of that friendly task-master which the English local bodies have in the central authority as represented by the Local Government Board. It is a position which does not benefit either Government or the local bodies. I concede that the control over these bodies is always exercised by Government with the best of intentions. But. unfortunately, Government do not very often get any credit for their *bona fides* in these matters—the result being that neither the local bodies themselves, nor the people at large, are satisfied with any exercise of extraordinary powers on the part of Government. I need not remind Your Lordship that it is necessary not only that justice should be done, but that the people should be made to feel that justice and nothing but justice is actually done.

"My Lord, I plead for a greater patience with our self-governing institutions which have yet to attain maturity. As I said, inefficiency is not their exclusive characteristic. The record of our provincial administration itself is not an unbroken and glorious stretch of success and efficiency. Without raking up the past, I would just refer to the cloth question with which we are all familiar. What a sad story of fatal inaction and bungling—that has cost the lives of so many of our poor brothers and sisters—not to mention terrible sufferings of the people in general. Here it was not a case of problematical loss of human life, as in the case of Hooghly-Chinsurah shortage of coal over which Government have shown so much concern—but actual death of men and women who were driven to seek it at their own hands as a deliverance from nudity and dishonour. Since the 4th September, 1917, when attention was first drawn to the cloth problem by me in this chamber, Government succeeded in finding very many excuses on various occasions for not interfering with a situation which was certainly remediable to a great extent. And when the psychological moment had slipped by, Government awoke from their stupor.

"My Lord, one should not judge others by too exacting a standard, lest he himself is judged as strictly!"

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY said :—

"My Lord, I want to say only a few words with reference to this resolution. As Chairman of a mufassal municipality, I know the difficulties of Municipal Commissioners and of Municipal Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen, especially when the municipality is not a very solvent one. I know the difficulties they experience in making two ends meet. With reference to the Burdwan Municipality it is alleged that defalcations had been going on for years, and that there was nobody to check those defalcations. That may be a fact against the municipality, but I know defalcations have taken place in District Boards under official Chairmen and large sums of money—lakhs and lakhs of rupees—have been defalcated from Government treasuries without the official head knowing anything about it. With reference to the

Burdwan Municipality, it has been urged by some of my hon'ble friends that the ratepayers should not suffer on account of the neglect of duty on the part of the Commissioners and the municipal executive. I think that is a very powerful argument in support of the resolution, especially when you know that the 8th November was fixed as the date of election. If the ratepayers had persisted in electing the same Commissioners, Government probably would have been quite justified in suspending the municipality or in taking such action as they thought proper under the circumstances. We hear that a Ratepayers' Association has been formed there, and such an association is generally formed when the ratepayers are dissatisfied with the working of the present staff of the municipality. An opportunity ought to have been given to the ratepayers of Burdwan to elect new Commissioners and new executive officers to guide the affairs of the municipality.

"Then with reference to the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality. There are two charges against it. I mean two serious charges, one is shortage of coal, and the other is indiscriminate house connections without meters. Well, I may say without any breach of confidence that, being a member of the Sanitary Board, we brought this matter to the notice of Government, but it was further from our wish that Government should take such drastic steps as to suspend the municipality for neglecting to keep coal for six months or for this indiscriminate house connection. There is one fact which may not be known to many of us, but which is known to the Hon'ble Mr. Payne and the Hon'ble Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, and it is this, that when Howrah was under an official Chairman, there were indiscriminate house connections, and the result was that the people of Howrah got water only about four or five hours every day, never more than that. Well, that was the result of indiscriminate house connections during the time of the official Chairmen. Did the Government take any steps to suspend the Howrah Municipality when it was under the official Chairman because the public of Howrah did not get a sufficient supply of water? It is only now, under a non-official Chairman, that steps have been taken to fix meters whenever there has been a new house connection.

"Then, as regards this shortage of coal. Government wanted that six months' coal ought to be stored; there were difficulties in getting this six months' supply, as explained to Your Lordship. As regards meters, it is well known that the price of meters has gone up very much, probably more than twice the original price. And because a poor municipality like the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality could not purchase meters worth Rs. 40,000, which is probably the net annual income of the municipality, therefore they have been suspended. I ask one question. Your Lordship must have heard, or must be aware, of the breakdown of the Kidderpore bridge. I should like to ask whether this is not a greater scandal than the breakdown of the Burdwan or the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipalities. Here you have a bridge, an important bridge over which thousands and thousands of people cross, over which tramcars run and probably about 10,000 carriages, horses, and motor-cars run every day; well, one evening, about 4 o'clock, the Tramway Company received notice that from the next morning the tramcars should cease running over the bridge. What was Government doing all along? Is it for the first time that they came to know that the bridge was not in a proper condition and was not safe? It was a Government department, the Public Works Department, who should have brought this to the notice of Government, but it was the engineer of the Calcutta Improvement Trust who brought this matter to the notice of Government. What was the Government of Bengal doing all along with its large establishment? Then, I may tell Your Lordship that for the last 7 or 8 years I myself have been telling the heads of the Public Works Department who are in charge of this bridge that a new bridge ought to be built; the Tramway Company have been telling the Government the same thing, and I myself saw Mr. Green, who was a Secretary to the Government, and then I found from an answer given to a question which I asked in this Council yesterday....."

The PRESIDENT said : "Order, order. I must point out to the Hon'ble Member that he is getting a little bit wide of the question under discussion. The question under discussion is the supersession of the municipalities of Hooghly-Chinsurah and Burdwan. I have no objection to the Hon'ble Member referring to the Kidderpore bridge in passing, but I think that I must call him to order if he goes into that question at any great length."

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY continuing said :—

"Government, with its large resources, are not in a position to say when the Kidderpore bridge will be put in order, and a poor municipality like the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality, with its small income, is required to spend Rs. 40,000 on the purchase of meters. These are facts which ought to have been taken into consideration before superseding this municipality. It is thus that the death sentence has been passed. Government ought to have given proper warning to these municipalities before suspending them. I think the best way of getting out of the difficulty would be to withdraw the order of suspension and allow these municipalities to elect new Commissioners and a new executive. With these remarks, I support the resolution."

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY said :—

"My Lord, the municipalities which have been superseded are two of the most important of my constituencies and of my friend the Hon'ble Mr. Dutt. I have naturally taken a very keen interest in the orders of supersession. These orders coming in quick succession within an interval of a week have created very great consternation in the province, and one section of the Press has not missed the opportunity of basing upon the facts of these two successive supersessions a strong case against constitutional reforms. The statutory powers under which Your Excellency's Government superseded the two municipalities are contained in section 65 of the Bengal Municipal Act. Your Excellency and the Council will forgive me even at this late stage of the debate if I venture to refer to the provisions of that section. That section empowers Your Excellency's Government to supersede Commissioners who are not competent to perform or persistently make default in the performance of duties imposed on them by or under the Act or otherwise by law, or exceed or abuse their powers. These powers are based on the law. I might remind the Council that side by side with this extreme penalty there is a provision in section 64 of the Act which empowers Your Excellency's Government in case of a default of Commissioners in certain particulars, or in respect of certain works, to take over the management of that work, on condition that the cost of management comes out of the municipal fund.

"My Lord, I am aware of the reasons which Your Excellency's Government have given in writing for the supersession of these two municipalities. I am aware, My Lord, of the fact that in the case of the Burdwan Municipality there were serious malpractices or abuses of power within the meaning of section 65 of the Act, for it was pointed out that, when an enquiry was made into certain alleged cases of defalcation, papers were suppressed in many cases on the plea that they could not be traced, neither the Chairman nor the Vice-Chairman showed alacrity in assisting the investigation, and the Municipal Commissioners would not disclose facts that might reflect discredit on their administration. There is the further fact pointed out that the collections were very very badly in arrears, and, as the order says, the two grounds upon which this particular municipality has been superseded were, first, incompetency as provided in section 65 and then abuse of power; the incompetency being a general one involving incapacity to collect arrears and inefficiency involving waste of public money. I am bound to say that if all these facts are well founded—and we must take it that Government proceeded upon proper materials—it is perhaps a case where Government would have the power to supersede the municipality under section 65. But one thing, My

Lord, is obvious. The supersession of the municipality involved disenfranchisement of the people of an important town, and unless Your Excellency's Government were convinced that there was such an identity between the Commissioners for the time being and the whole body of ratepayers in the town that even if a fresh election was directed the result of that election would be the reappointment of all the Commissioners, it would be, I submit, although Government has the statutory power, not a case where that power should be exercised. We all know that section 65 of the Bengal Municipal Act and the corresponding section of the Local Self-Government Act make provisions for extreme cases which should only be exercised if there is no other alternative, and the question is whether Government could not have remedied or improved the affairs which were certainly passing from bad to worse by ordering a fresh election. We have been informed that the fresh election was due in the month of November.

"My Lord, with regard to the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality the matter, I think, stands upon a different footing. There the grounds upon which supersession is directed are, as I find, grounds of incompetency and persistent default in the performance of duties. The specific cases which are set out to support the indictment under these two heads—incompetency and persistent default in the performance of duties—are these. I am sorry I may have to go over the same ground which has been traversed so many times by all the speakers in the Council Chamber this morning and last evening. But one of the first points which were made was that the municipality, in spite of persistent directions, defaulted in securing a supply of six months' coal in advance. Well, My Lord, whether the municipality was failing to do a statutory duty imposed upon it because it failed to carry out the order of keeping six months' stock of coal in advance, is a question which is not free from doubt. There is no law which requires that every municipality should keep six months' coal in advance. One municipality, with the management of which I am entrusted, at the present moment keeps, as Mr. Payne knows very well, two months' stock of coal in advance and during the stress of the four and a half years through which we have passed, the Howrah Municipality has met with absolutely no difficulty in respect of the supply of coal, simply because it keeps only one or two months' coal in advance. The peremptory order to keep six months' coal in advance was an order which, I make bold to say, is justified by no precedent and is justified by no absolute necessity. With the Sanitary Engineer to the Government of Bengal and with the Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of Bengal we have often our quarrels, and I myself have often quarrelled with them. But I am not convinced that under the instructions of the Sanitary Engineer to the Government of Bengal a mufassal municipality could be directed under the statute to keep six months' coal in advance. It might have been—and I have no doubt it was—a wise advice in view of the difficulties of the times and perhaps the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality should have, if they were able to do so, tried to give effect to the advice; but the failure to keep six months' coal in advance is not a breach of statutory duty nor such as would justify a suspension under section 65 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

"Then, there are other matters, My Lord, for example the alum. Well, I am convinced that something is absolutely necessary to purify water, be it alum or aluminum ferric, and I was really surprised to learn that my friend, the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur, did not pass stringent orders for the supply of a sufficient quantity of alum for the purification of water with the result, we are told, that the water showed in July last intense fœcal deposits, due to insufficient filtration, as a result of which the water was not better than the raw river water. Here, again, there is no breach of statutory duty. The water, at any rate, was not worse than river water, but I am sorry that the result was not satisfactory, and I admit that it was very unsatisfactory. We were then told, My Lord, in the resolution that the municipality failed to perform its duties by not raising the water-rate to an adequate extent. Well, the Act provides for the levy of 7½ per cent as the maximum. In the Howrah Municipality, we impose 6 per cent, and I believe the municipality of Hooghly-Chinsurah imposes a rate of 6½ per cent. Well, if that is so,

it can hardly be said that the rate which was imposed in the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality was not an adequate rate. I am not aware of municipalities where water-rates are higher than 6½ per cent. I am sorry, further, that the meter question presented to them so much difficulty. In the Howrah Municipality we enforce Government rules in spite of the protests of ratepayers, but we are in a very different position. The meter rules came into force in February 1915. Long before that Howrah had a very large number of house connections and the law does not allow retrospective effect being given to the rules in order to require old house-owners enjoying house connections without meters to furnish them now at their own cost. In the case of an old municipality like Howrah, the rule is enforced only in the case of applications for new connections, and we have persistently refused such applications without meters, meters being furnished at the cost of the ratepayers.

"In the case of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality, however, the inauguration of the water-works and the introduction of the rules were simultaneous, resulting in this, that if the rule was strictly enforced no house-owner could have any meter connection from the time of the commencement of the works unless he either paid for the meter or furnished a meter for himself. Well, whether the Municipal Commissioners should have risen up to the occasion and enforced the rules without waiting for Law Courts to decide whether the rules were *ultra vires* is a matter which I would leave to them. My Lord, my opinion is that the municipality should have enforced the meter rules; that is, however, a matter of opinion."

[At this stage the Hon'ble Member, having reached the time-limit, had to conclude his remarks.]

The Hon'ble MR. K. B. DUTT said :—

"My Lord, in supporting this resolution I must, in the first place, make my position perfectly clear. I have carefully read both the resolutions—one regarding Burdwan and the other regarding Hooghly-Chinsurah; and I must say that the case of Burdwan stands entirely on a different footing. The resolution clearly states the circumstances which bring the case of Burdwan under section 65 of the Bengal Municipal Act. But, with regard to Hooghly, I myself entertain very grave doubts whether the Government could have taken action under section 65 of the Act. If the Government found that the municipality had been persistently neglecting its duties with regard to a particular matter, section 64 of the Act gave ample powers to the Government to take action under that section. However that may be, what I really felt was that at the time when we had been considering the Reform Proposals and when, with regard to Burdwan, the election was fixed to take place on the 9th November, was it desirable to take the action which was taken in this matter, taking for granted that the Municipality had been guilty of malpractices and of abuse of powers? What the people in the Burdwan Division—and, if I may say so, in the whole of Bengal—have really felt, is: was this drastic measure necessary when the difficulties could possibly have been avoided by a fresh election?

"Then, My Lord, as I have already stated, the supersession of the two municipalities, one coming after the other, certainly created a mischievous impression—I may say, personally speaking, a wrong impression—but it is my duty not to conceal the impression which was being freely talked about not only in Bengal, but all over India, that this action on the part of the Government has been taken with a view to show that the people of Bengal specially are not fit for responsible government. I candidly say that it was far from the intention of Government. However, people say so. A long telegram had also been sent by Reuter to England to that effect. Therefore, the best solution—if I may be permitted to suggest—is to withdraw this order and to order fresh elections. That would satisfy, no doubt, the Government on the one hand and the people on the other."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"Gentlemen, I am sure that we shall be at one when I say how deeply we regret the absence from our deliberations of the Hon'ble Member in charge of this department, the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan. We shall be at one in regretting still more the unfortunate cause of that absence, and I am sure that we shall all wish that the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur will be restored to complete health at a very early date.

"Well, in the absence of the Hon'ble Member of the Government who is in charge of the department, concerned with this motion, it devolves upon me to say a few words in explanation of the action which the Government has taken. First of all, let me dispose of the charge against us—if I may say so a very childish charge—referred to by the last speaker that we had taken this action for the express purpose of casting discredit upon the people of this country and for demonstrating their inability to manage their own affairs. Surely, it may be fairly argued that if that had been our object we should have been very much more likely to have achieved it by allowing the two Municipal Boards to continue in office. No, gentlemen, whatever else the Bengal Government may be, they are not a Machiavellian Government. I would respectfully ask the Hon'ble Members of this Council to look at us. Do we look like three Machiavellis? Do we look the sort of people who would sit round in secret conclave, hatching, with bated breath, far-fetched schemes for discrediting the people amongst whom we live and over whom we exercise authority? No, I feel sure that we are in reality precisely what we look—as to two of us, straightforward and simple Scotsmen; and as to the other, a straightforward and simple Englishman. And if I may say so, this charge is a little ungracious in the case of the present Bengal Government. Have we not, during the comparatively short period of our existence, done more than any previous administration in Bengal to advance the cause of local self-government? Only yesterday we reached an important stage of a Bill, framed and advanced by us for the purpose of laying firm the foundations of self-government in the villages of this Presidency. Does that look as if we wish to discredit the ability of the people of this Presidency to manage their own affairs? And then, again, who was it who gave to certain of the District Boards in this Presidency, for the first time in their history, the right of electing their own non-official Chairmen? Why, it is this Government which, we are now told, is bent childishly and vindictively on superseding municipalities for the express purpose of discrediting the very policy which they themselves are pursuing. Surely, the charge is ridiculous upon the face of it. The action which was taken by this Government was taken with extreme regret; it was taken in the interests of the people and the ratepayers of the two localities primarily concerned; and if, indeed, it be a fact that the failure of the Commissioners in these two cases satisfactorily and efficiently to manage their affairs has had the result of creating in the minds of anyone a suspicion that the people of Bengal are not fit to discharge these duties, then I say that it is not so much to the fact of their supersession that that impression has become due, but to the wide advertisement which has been given to their failure in the Press and still further, I am afraid, by the debate which the Hon'ble Member inaugurated in this Council yesterday. I do not know whether the Commissioners concerned will be grateful to the Hon'ble Member for having given this further advertisement to their unfortunate failure satisfactorily to discharge their duties; but I should be disposed to doubt whether they would. At any rate, from that point of view I myself frankly confess to feeling some regret that this discussion has been forced upon us. I do not propose to travel in detail over the ground which was admirably trodden by the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley yesterday and which has been traversed by many other speakers in the course of this debate; but there are one or two points which have been raised by the speakers, to which I feel bound to make some reference.

"For example the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar has given it as his opinion that our action in this matter had been ill-considered and hasty.

I can assure the Hon'ble Member that whatever else our action may have been, it most assuredly was not hasty. The facts are indisputable. And what are the facts? The facts are these: that ever since March 1915, a period now extending over from three to four years, a whole series of authorities have represented to Government the faults and the omissions of duty which they put down to the Commissioners of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality. Let me say a word in passing with regard to a remark made by an Hon'ble Member yesterday. Government realise and appreciate, as much as does any other member of this Council, the great service which the late Chairman of the municipality rendered by the zeal, the enthusiasm and the patience with which he laboured to secure for that municipality an adequate system of water-supply; we appreciate his public service in that respect. But I would respectfully suggest that, while we enormously appreciate all that he has done in securing to the municipality an adequate system of water-works, that does not absolve us at the same time from deploring the administration which has resulted in the fruits of his labours being rendered sterile. I have referred to the fact that these complaints have been made during a period of some 3½ years. It was suggested by one speaker yesterday that the Sanitary Engineer had a personal grudge of some kind against the Municipal Commissioners and that he had succeeded in persuading Government to take this action in order to satisfy his own feelings of vindictiveness. Surely, that is a somewhat unworthy suggestion, and in any case it can be shown easily to be without foundation. The complaints which have been made and the warnings which had been issued to the municipality were not by *one* man only, but by no less than *eight* different authorities. We have had complaints from the District Magistrate, from the Commissioner of the Division, from the Sanitary Engineer, from the Assistant Sanitary Engineer, from the Government Inspector of Water-works, from the Civil Surgeon, from the Local Examiner of Accounts, and last but not least from the Sanitary Board itself. In submitting a report to Government which was made by the Sanitary Board, the Secretary to the Board writes as follows, and I would ask Hon'ble Members to give serious attention to these words:—

'The Sanitary Board decided at their last meeting that it was necessary for them to bring to the special notice of Government this instance where the neglect of their most elementary duties by the Commissioners of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality has resulted in serious loss of life. A serious outbreak of cholera recently occurred at Hooghly-Chinsurah, which was due, as pointed out by the Civil Surgeon, to the inadequate supply of water. The shortage of supply was the result of the failure of the municipality to maintain a sufficient stock of coal at the water-works. The Sanitary Board and the Sanitary Engineer have on several occasions pointed out to the Municipal Commissioners the danger of keeping such a small quantity of coal in stock, and in February last the Sanitary Board advised them to keep a six months' supply in reserve.'

"When the Hon'ble Member who presides with such conspicuous ability over the affairs of the Howrah Municipality raises the question of the necessity of keeping six months' supply of coal, I may point out that that is a recommendation *not* of the Government *but* of the Sanitary Board. Well, it is possible that four or five months' stock of coal might be deemed adequate. But I may point out that in the case of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality the supply was reduced to one or two days; indeed they had to burn firewood on one or two occasions in order to keep the water-works going at all, because there was no coal available.

"But although the greatest amount of stress has been laid upon the inability of the Municipal Commissioners to manage the water-works, that is by no means the only respect in which they have failed in the discharge of their duties.

"In the note of the audit of the Municipal accounts which was dated 13th November, 1917, the Examiner of Local Accounts observed that the taxation accounts were in a deplorable condition, and in his annual report for 1917-18,

dated 1st September last, the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, after referring to the fact that the Municipal Commissioners had appointed neither a Health Officer nor a Sanitary Inspector as required by the statutory rules of Government, went on to say as follows: 'There has been a lack of supervision over the Municipal staff with the result that serious irregularities and embezzlements have occurred, heavy arrears of taxes have accumulated, large outstanding liabilities have not been met, and the closing balances have been unduly reduced The outstanding liabilities are considerable and the financial position is very unsatisfactory. This is partly due to the imposition of an inadequate water-rate, the income from which is insufficient to meet the charges for water-supply.' As a matter of fact, a further examination of the accounts by the Commissioner showed that the actual cash balances on the 31st August was only Rs. 225-8, while the amount due on account of unpaid bills which had actually been received by the Commissioners aggregated Rs 24,368. It was also estimated that in addition to the bills that had been received, there were further outstanding liabilities amounting to an additional Rs. 5,000, so that in all the municipality was in debt to the extent of approximately Rs. 30,000. Well, that was the position when on the 6th September last the Government Inspector of Water-works made a further inspection, and sent in a report to Government which showed that all previous warnings had been quite useless and that no notice whatever had been taken of the repeated and accumulated warnings of 3½ years and it was under these circumstances that on the 8th September I requested the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan—as I was very anxious, if possible, that the municipality should get one further chance—to invite the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the municipality to meet him and to inform them that greatly though we should deplore the necessity of taking over the administration ourselves, yet in view of all the past history which lay before us, we should feel compelled to do so unless the Municipal Commissioners found themselves in a position to comply with certain requests which we made to them by a certain date. Well, that in brief is the position so far as Hooghly-Chinsurah is concerned.

"I noticed that the Hon'ble Member who moved this motion described the action of Government yesterday as punitive action. He spoke perpetually of the punishment which Government were inflicting not only upon the Commissioners but upon the ratepayers and the public. If I may say so, that illustrates the extraordinary difference in the point of view from which the Hon'ble Member approaches this matter, and from which I do. I never regarded this action as a punishment inflicted by Government like a school master inflicting a punishment upon a recalcitrant school boy. Nothing of the sort. I realized that since repeated warnings had failed to effect an improvement and since as a result of continued maladministration of their affairs the Commissioners found themselves on the verge of bankruptcy, the best service which Government could render to the municipality and to the ratepayers was to take over, for such period only as to enable them to pull the affairs of the municipality together, the administration. I do not regard it as a punishment. I regard it as a service rendered by Government to the public.

"The Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar said yesterday that he wondered very much what improvement had been effected by the Government since they had taken charge. Well, the Government have had charge of this municipality's affairs for a very short time, but I am happy to say, according to the latest report which has reached me, that a very gratifying measure of success has already rewarded the efforts of the District Magistrate in putting the affairs of the municipality into shape. I would like to take this opportunity of publicly expressing my appreciation of the whole-hearted way in which the District Magistrate, Mr. Mookerjee, who has just left Hooghly and who is now succeeded by another very able officer, Mr. Moberley, threw himself into the task, the very thankless task of pulling the affairs of the municipality together. Let me tell you briefly what the report says: It says that when he took over the administration of the

municipality he found Rs. 32,000 due to the Board from the ratepayers. Some thousands of this sum had been outstanding for various periods running back as far as 1909-10, which again disproves the suggestion of the Hon'ble Member that we have been acting in haste. Between Rs. 10,000 and Rs. 11,000, over one-third of the total sum outstanding, has already been collected by the Magistrate. In view of the fact that many of these sums have been outstanding for periods of 4, 6, 7 and 8 years and many of them must necessarily be wholly irrecoverable, I think the Magistrate must be congratulated upon the fact that within this very short period of a few weeks he has already been successful in collecting one-third of the total outstanding liabilities of the ratepayers. Then again, so far as the water-works are concerned, since the Commissioners were superseded, about 280 tons of coal have already been secured for the water-works and there is now already more than four months' supply in stock. In view of that I find it a little bit difficult to understand the plea of the Municipal Commissioners that they were unable to obtain coal. When the Magistrate took over charge, the cash balance was Rs. 850 only. The collections which he has made and which I have already spoken of, have enabled him to pay off nearly Rs. 10,600 worth of liabilities, while he has a cash balance in hand of some Rs. 2,300. Nevertheless there are still very considerable outstanding liabilities which it will be essential for us to endeavour to discharge during the coming months, and I fear, therefore, that it may be some time before it will be possible for us to place the affairs of the municipality upon a completely firm foundation once more. We shall do our best.

"Well, then, so far as the municipality of Burdwan is concerned, if I may say so, there seemed to me to be an extraordinary unanimity of opinion amongst Hon'ble Members that the Municipal Commissioners in this case were unworthy of the trust imposed in them. I do not know whether it was the intention of the Hon'ble Member who moved this motion to in any way defend them; I do not think it was. If it was his intention, then he has succeeded only in damning them with faint praise. As in the case of the Hooghly Commissioners, warning after warning has been unsuccessful in bringing about any improvement in their conduct of affairs. When I had occasion personally about a year ago to look into the affairs of this municipality I was so impressed with the astonishing laxity of control over the whole administration that I felt called upon to go the length of issuing a personal warning to them. Speaking in Burdwan on the 9th January, I felt called upon to use these words: After I had referred to the outstanding liabilities and the unfortunate financial position of the municipality, I said:— 'On enquiry as to the cause of this unfortunate state of affairs, I am told that the proper procedure of issuing warrants each quarter has not been followed by you, and that last year very few warrants were issued after the first quarter. From this fact, and from other reports which I have received, I am forced to the conclusion that the affairs of the municipality have not been conducted with the efficiency which the ratepayers are entitled to expect. Where I have found so many grounds for praise'—I would mention here that the grounds which I found for praise were in connection with the administration of the District Board not the Municipal Board—'it is distasteful to me to have to impute blame and I content myself therefore with expressing an earnest hope that future reports of the working of your municipality will be of a more reassuring nature than those which I have received hitherto.' Unfortunately my warning passed unheeded, and on the 10th August last the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division reported as follows:— 'The collection of taxes in the year 1917-18 were worse than in any previous year. The uncollected balances at the close of the year amounted to Rs. 38,855 or more than a third of the whole current demand.' Later on in the same report, he says 'the serious irregularities and embezzlements which had been disclosed are due to the failure of the Chairman, and Vice-Chairman to exercise any supervision over the municipal staff.' May I here enter a respectful protest against what appeared to me to be a certain indifference with which the Hon'ble Member who moved this motion spoke of

irregularities in this connection? He said that in fact they were the ordinary things which we must expect not only in the case of municipalities and District Boards, but in Government Departments, and, in fact, in every department of public life. Well, I very strongly dissent from an attitude of this kind; we have got to do everything that lies in our power to show our horror and detestation and our astonishment at the occurrence of irregularities of this kind; and I would respectfully suggest to the Hon'ble Member, though I am sure he did not mean to create this impression, that it will not help us to spread that attitude throughout the whole range of our public bodies if they read in the reports of the debates held in this Council speeches in which these matters are spoken of as no doubt unfortunate, but still as matters which are more or less as inevitable as the rising of the sun. What we want to do is to do away with that attitude and that idea. What we want to create in the public life in this Presidency is the feeling that these things must not occur, and if they do occur, they must be stamped out with all the vigour which it is possible to apply to them. So far as this particular aspect of the case is concerned, in connection with the Burdwan Municipality, I have been so impressed with the seriousness of it, that I consider it necessary to order an enquiry into the matter; a Committee is about to be appointed which will consist of an experienced accounts officer deputed by the Accountant-General and an experienced Magistrate to enquire into and investigate these matters, and pending a report of that Committee, I do not propose to dwell at any great length upon that aspect of the maladministration which has taken place in Burdwan.

"Now, I have explained frankly and I hope clearly, the reason why Government have taken this action. Far from our regarding our action as likely to discredit the capacity of the people for managing their own affairs, it seems to us that when we did find obvious and glaring cases of maladministration covering a long period of time, it would be to the advantage of the cause of self-government if we showed that we should not overlook matters of this kind. And in conclusion I would venture respectfully to make this suggestion to the Hon'ble Members of this Council. No one is more zealous for the honour and reputation of this Council than I am. Let Hon'ble Members realise that when they are asked to cast their vote upon a question of this kind, they are being asked to exercise a grave responsibility. Let every Hon'ble Member consider for himself what will be the effect of the vote which he casts. Is it not obvious in view of the record of these two municipalities that every vote cast for this resolution will be interpreted by those who are looking eagerly at the present time at the working of the Legislative Councils in this country as a vote given in condonation of inefficient public administration. It can be regarded as nothing else by an impartial observer. I can sympathise with Hon'ble Members when they have to come to a decision as to how they are to cast their vote. I know the sympathy which they must feel with the Municipal Commissioners who have for a short time only been relieved of their responsibilities, but they must remember that those who are looking on, who are assessing and estimating the capacity of the members of the Councils in this country to discharge onerous and wider duties will not be impressed by any vote which is given upon sentimental grounds. Hon'ble Members in this Council have the opportunity now to show that they are capable of rising above personal feelings and above sentiment; they have the opportunity now of showing that they are capable of casting their vote not in accordance with personal feelings or sentiment, but in accordance with reason and in the best interests of the public. Let me impress upon them once more, and these shall be my last words, that these supersessions are not punishments. This action has been taken only under stress of what appeared to the Government to be grave necessity. The primary object of the action is so to pull the affairs of these mismanaged municipalities together that when the time comes for the ratepayers to elect new representatives, these representatives will not be hampered by finding themselves placed in charge of bankrupt concerns, but will be given a fair and fresh start which will enable them to display a proof of their public spirit and their capacity adequately to manage their own affairs."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"My Lord, after the speech delivered by Your Excellency it will be rather bold on my part to press this resolution before this Council, but I want to offer a word of explanation.

"In the first place, with reference to the Burdwan Municipality, I began by saying yesterday, and I repeat it to-day, that I did not stand here as an apologist for the defunct Municipal Commissioners. I venture to say that I do not even attempt to give them a whitewash. I told this Council that I shared the opinion of the Government that they had failed in their duty. It was, my Lord, after the 9th of January last—if I am correct, only in the third week of January—that the ratepayers formed that association and in a notice which they issued calling a public meeting of the ratepayers, they said that the meeting was called to form an association as a check upon the neglect of duty of the Municipal Commissioners.

"My object in introducing this debate in this Council was not to whitewash the Municipal Commissioners of Burdwan, but to inform Your Excellency's Government in this Council that the ratepayers were quite alive to the fact that their representatives in the Corporation had failed to do their duty, and that they were very anxious to pass a judgment on their conduct, and in the course of this speech, if I referred to some of the good works done by the Commissioners, it was to show that I did not come here simply to abuse them or run them down. I am glad to know, my Lord, that a Committee is to be appointed to look into the whole matter, and that will of course clear up many things in connection with the municipal affairs of Burdwan that want clearing up.

"There was one remark made by the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley yesterday, that a fresh election was not allowed because it was apprehended that it would not be a straight election. I know more than anybody else that in the election three years ago there were some grave irregularities. I know that some of my friends submitted a petition to the District Magistrate, Mr. Marr, who was then in charge of the district, stating the irregularities and he sympathetically considered the question, but said that under the Municipal Act he had no authority to interfere. I then brought his written order to the Hon'ble Nawab Syed Sir Shamsul Huda; he also said that the Municipal Act was defective, and remarked that the next time the Act was under amendment, this matter would be taken into consideration. In Your Excellency's speech to which we have just listened, you have said that for three years they have been guilty of these lapses. I admit that it has been so, but during these three years, the ratepayers had no opportunity of judging their conduct or passing their verdict on their work because when once elected the ratepayers cannot unseat them, and it is only after three years that they can pass their judgment and if I asked for the withdrawal of these orders, I did so because I wanted the ratepayers to express their views on the conduct of the Municipal Commissioners and the executive officers of the now defunct Burdwan Municipality.

"My Lord, the Commissioners complain and in speaking on this resolution I feel it my duty to explain that in the case of Burdwan, of course, warnings were given but no explanation was asked for; as in the case of Hooghly they were not told to do certain things within a certain period on the threat of supersession. However, as regards the supply of coal in the case of Hooghly, much has been said and I do not like to dilate upon this matter further. Besides, I have not much personal experience of this matter beyond those facts which I have placed before this Council.

"As regards the ratepayers, I can only say that this supersession of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality has caused great excitement among the ratepayers of Hooghly. They held a public meeting and expressed themselves in

unequivocal terms and the meeting was presided over by a gentleman who never interested himself with public affairs or at any rate who never appeared on the public platform. He himself remarked that it was the gravity of the situation and the necessity of the case that made him come out of his seclusion and preside over a public meeting; and that public meeting expressed its appreciation of the services rendered by the late Chairman of the Hooghly-Chinsurah Municipality. I am also gratified to find that Your Excellency has appreciated the services which have been rendered by the late Chairman. I still express the hope that the Government will reconsider the resolutions that have been passed, and that a smaller period of suspension will be fixed and that the ratepayers of Burdwan and Hooghly will be asked to elect their representatives much sooner than the period fixed by the Government resolutions.

"My Lord, in view of the grave importance of the questions involved and of the fact that my non-official colleagues have taken a lively interest in this matter, I would ask Your Excellency's permission to allow me a little more time—say five minutes—to consult my non-official friends as to whether I should withdraw or press the resolution."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I am afraid that it would be very irregular to adjourn the debate for a purpose of his kind. The Hon'ble Member has had enough time—the whole of Tuesday and this morning—to consult his friends, and I am sorry that I cannot allow an adjournment for him to consider the matter further".

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"May I have Your Excellency's permission to put the resolution in two parts before this Council ?"

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I am prepared to meet the Hon'ble Member in his desire that the motion be put in two halves. I will put the motion regarding Burdwan first."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"My Lord, in view of the fact that a committee is going to be appointed I beg to withdraw the resolution regarding Burdwan."

The following portion of the resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn, namely :—

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the orders of supersession of the municipality of Burdwan be reconsidered and withdrawn."

The following portion of the resolution was then put to the vote, namely:—

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the orders of supersession of the Municipality of Hooghly-Chinsurah be reconsidered and withdrawn."

A division was then taken with the following result :—

Ayes—19.	*Noes—20.*
The Hon'ble Mr. Aminur Rahman.	The Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.
„ „ Babu Siv Narayan Mukharji.	„ „ Mr. J. G. Cumming, C.S.I., C.I.E.
„ „ Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray.	„ „ Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E.
„ „ Mr. Arun Chandra Singha.	„ „ Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O.
„ „ Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, KT., C.I.E.	„ „ Major-General W. H. B. Robinson, C.B., I.M.S.
„ „ Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur.	„ „ Mr. J. Donald, C.I.E.
„ „ Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur.	„ „ Mr. L. S S. O'Malley.
„ „ Maulvi Abul Kasem.	„ „ Mr. H. P. Duval.
„ „ Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.	„ „ Mr. M. C. McAlpin.
„ „ Khan Sahib Aman Ali.	„ „ Mr. F. A. A. Cowley.
„ „ Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray.	„ „ Mr. W. C. Wordsworth.
„ „ Mr. Altaf Ali.	„ „ Mr. C. F. Payne.
„ „ Rai Sri Nath Ray Bahadur.	„ „ Mr. S. G. Hart.
„ „ Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur.	„ „ Rai Priya Nath Mukharji Bahadur, I.S.O.
„ „ Babu Surendra Nath Ray.	„ „ Sir Rajendra Nath Mukharji, K.C.I.E.
„ „ Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, C.I.E.	„ „ Mr. J. Mackenzie, O.B.E.
„ „ Mr. K. B. Dutt.	„ „ Mr. W. H. H. Arden-Wood, C.I.E.
„ „ Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri.	„ „ Mr. J. W. Hely-Hutchinson.
„ „ Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar.	„ „ Mr. F. W. Carter, C.I.E., C.B.E.
	„ „ Mr. W. E. Crum, O.B.E.

The following members abstained from voting :—

The Hon'ble Mr. Provash Chunder Mitter.
„ „ Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy.

The following members were absent :—

The Hon'ble Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan.
„ „ Mr. C. H. Bompas, C.S.I.
„ „ Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad. Amir-ul-Omrah, K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O.
„ „ Sir Nilratan Sarkar, KT.
„ „ Raja Hrishikesh Laha, C.I.E.
„ „ Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri.
„ „ Mr. E. B. Eden.
„ „ Mr. G. A. Bayley.
„ „ Mr. H. R. A. Irwin, C.I.E.
„ „ Mr. M. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri.
„ „ Babu Akhil Chandra Datta.

The Ayes being 19 and the Noes 20 the resolution was lost.

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I may perhaps add a word in further explanation of the position As I said in the course of my remarks, our object is to give the new Municipal Boards when they come into existence a clean sheet to start with. That being so, if I find from the reports which I receive that the Government officers have been enabled to pull things round in a shorter period than one year, then I should be prepared to consider the question of ordering election sooner. (Applause.) But from the present reports that I have received I cannot say that I feel very sanguine that it will be possible to do that in less than one year."

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 19.

The following resolution which, stood in the name of the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem, was, by leave of the President, withdrawn :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the members of the Provincial Executive Service acting as personal assistants to the Commissioners of Divisions and to the Inspector-General of Registration be granted a special allowance.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 20.

The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that an inquiry be made by the Government into the nature and extent of the alleged prevalence of corrupt practices amongst the ministerial staff of the mufassal courts, and that necessary action be taken to improve the existing state of affairs.

He said :—

"My Lord, the Secretary to the Council has put in the word "alleged" in my resolution. English is not my mother tongue and I speak subject to correction, that this word carries with it a challenge that my statement must be substantiated. I did not think that the fact of the existence of corrupt practices amongst the ministerial staff required any proof. As it is, it is a self-evident truth and nothing but the truth. However, if the introduction of the word is meant as a challenge, let me quote a few extracts from some of the many letters which I have received from all parts of Bengal, written by people most competent to express an opinion on the subject :—

British Indian Association :—

'Fully sympathise with your object which is indeed a laudable one.'

East Bengal Landholder's Association :—

'The magnitude and extent of hardships to which the litigant public are often subjected, baffle all description. The committee lend their whole-hearted support to your proposal which should engage the immediate serious attention of the Government.'

North Bengal Zamindars' Association :—

'A very nauseating, not to say dismal, state of things will present itself before the public eye.'

Dinajpur Landholders' Association :—

'The association fully supports your resolution.'

Murshidabad Association :—

'Your resolution has full sympathy and support of the Association.'

Anjuman-i-Islamia :—

'This Anjuman has full sympathy with the object of your resolution. The sufferings of the public are inestimable.'

Provincial Muhammadan Association :—

'Strongly supports the resolution.'

The Hon'ble Maharaja Bahadur of Cossimbazar, Member of the Imperial Legislative Council :—

'Something should be done to put them down as soon as possible.'

Burdwan Bar Association :—

'The evil has taken possession of all the districts of Bengal, and it is now high time that vigorous efforts should be made to root it out.'

Malda Bar Association :—

'The prevalence of corrupt practices amongst the ministerial staff has become notoriously prejudicial to the parties in civil and criminal courts and seriously affects the public. Steps should be taken to effectively check it.'

Berhampore Bar Association :—

"Inquiry should be made by the Government into the nature and extent of the prevalence of corrupt practices among the ministerial staff."

Pabna Bar Association :—

'Corrupt practices are prevalent amongst the ministerial staff. . . . The Association is willing to make suggestions if the Government be pleased to make an inquiry and take steps to remedy the evil.'

Noakhali Bar Association :—

'Emphatically denounce the corrupt practices that obtain amongst the ministerial staff in mufassal courts.'

Khulna Bar Association :—

'Relieve the poor mufassal litigants from the widespread malpractices of the generality of the ministerial staff of mufassal courts.'

Tippera Bar Association :—

'Court officers take illegal gratifications from litigants. . . . . We approve of your moving the resolution.'

Bankura Bar Association :—

'It is needless to say that the practices are rampant.'

Fatikchari Bar Association (*Chittagong*) :—

'We cannot help blushing with shame and utter disgust when we see the atmosphere so surcharged with the bacilli of this demoralising malady. . . . . if evidence of general repute be of any avail as in cases under sections 109 and 110 of Code of Criminal Procedure . . . . . 90 per cent. of the ministerial staff will be lodged within the high walls of the jails.'

Keshoregunj Bar Association (*Mymensingh*) :—

'It is a patent fact that, with only microscopic exceptions, corrupt practices have for a long time been prevailing amongst the ministerial staff . . . . Every effort should be made as early as possible to remove them, as they are increasing daily in undue proportions and assuming gigantic shape.'

Jhenida Bar Association (*Jessore*) :—

'Strongly protests against the prevalence of corrupt practices amongst the ministerial staff . . . . . and urges that immediate and effective steps should be taken by the Government for their suppression.'

Bolepur Bar Association (*Birbhum*) :—

'There is no doubt that the members of the ministerial staff are corrupt to the backbone and their conscience has become entirely callous.'

Kasba Bar Association (*Tippera*) :—

'The evil practice is of such long standing and magnitude that it is strange that it has escaped the notice of the Government.'

Satkania Bar Association (*Chittagong*) :—

'Corrupt practices amongst the ministerial staff have really become a serious menace to the litigants. . . . an effective redress is essentially necessary.'

Feni Bar Association (*Noakhali*) :—

'The corruptions of the ministerial staff must be put a stop to by all means.'

Basirhat Bar Association (*24-Parganas*) :—

'We are fully aware of the malpractices which have been going on for a long time . . . . and view with alarm the extent to which these corrupt practices have spread.'

Kurigram Bar Association (*Rangpur*) :—

'If the Government remain indifferent in the matter, corrupt practices will be gradually increased and the litigant public would be put to much inconvenience and difficulty.'

Nator Bar Association (*Rajshahi*) :—

'We are smarting under the grievances with no prospect of any redress. . . Things are going from bad to worse.'

"To this I might add my personal testimony. My Lord, fresh from the University, I was sent direct to my father's zamindari, and I carried with me all the high ideals of a young graduate and a sportsman. I remember very well that within a few days of my arrival there I was asked to pass a pleader's bill in which we had submitted to the grossest possible illegal exactions of court officials, beginning from the Sheristadar down to the petty peons. Exactions were made right and left, for filing the plaint, for entering hajira of witnesses, for serving summonses, for drawing up a decree, for returning the papers filed, for cashing the cheque, and I do not know for what not. I can hardly tell you, Sir, what my feelings then were. I could not believe that such things were possible in a British Court of Justice. But our old Dewan pointed out that there was no other alternative but to submit to these extortions. I paid no heed to his words and stopped all such payments. But the result was disastrous. The Dewan was right, and I was overruled by superior authority. Ever after this, through all these years, I have tried my best, in all possible ways, to oppose these exactions, but I have been very seldom successful.

"I hope that these statements would satisfy even the most exacting Judge.

"I do not know whether the Member in charge proposes to argue the point by quoting statistics of formal complaints and actual convictions. I took some pains to get at these figures, but I find that their number is not very high. I do not know whether it is intended to make capital out of this. But I submit that these statistics do not prove anything in matters like these. For obvious reasons, when a man submits to the illegal demands of the court people, he dare not make a formal complaint. Law does not spare the man who pays illegal gratifications. Again in cases where no such gratification is actually paid, no strong case lies against the person who demands a gratification and, moreover, it is very difficult to prove such a mere demand. But let me say without any fear of contradiction that many such cases of unfair demands and illegal extortions are informally brought to the notice of the presiding officers who generally finish

them off with a verbal warning to the ministerial officer concerned, a warning which enters through his one ear to get out of the other then and there. My Lord, I have been told by some officials that the best way to cope with the evil would be not to give any illegal gratifications at all. They, in fact, blame us more than their ministerial staff for the prevalence of corrupt practices amongst the latter. To cherish a good opinion of one's own people is a well-known human failing and I do not blame the officials for their attitude. But I must say that their advice regarding withholding illegal payments has no meaning in practice. We would call a man either a fool or eccentric if he were to allow his case, involving important rights and interests, to be lost simply on account of his conscientious objections to submit to illegal but inevitable exactions of the creatures of the court.

"To try to improve the morals of the ministerial staff of mufassal courts, who are corrupt to the backbone, by asking the litigants not to pay them anything even at the risk of incurring great personal loss is, I should say, the Chinese way of facing a difficulty. The ways of the English are quite different. To be afraid of taking up a good work because it is difficult, is alien to British instincts. I know the work before us is very difficult but I also know that I am appealing to the British Government for redress. I earnestly hope that no attempt will be made by the member in charge to oppose this motion but a helping hand would be stretched out to us to tackle the question in true British spirit. I do not say that matters would be set right at once, but much good would result by an inquiry into the nature and extent of the prevalence of corrupt practices. It would undoubtedly help us to devise means for securing an effective check to these pernicious practices. I consider an official inquiry essential, as it is impossible for a layman to suggest the right course of action. So far as my experience goes, I find that a certain procedure followed in courts greatly help the ministerial staff to carry on their trade of illegal exactions with impunity. To give one example, I might say that all plaints are filed before the sheristadar who without assigning any reason for it in writing is authorised not to admit any plaint which, in his opinion, does not conform to legal technicalities. Under cover of this extraordinary power, he can refuse to admit any plaint for which a filing fee is not paid into his pocket. Now if it be laid down that any refusal to admit a plaint should be reported to the presiding officer and the orders should be passed under his signature, I think an effective check could be put to exactions of this nature. I could give many instances of this kind, but the best course would be to institute an official inquiry into the matter, because official knowledge and experience would be extremely valuable for the purpose of making practical suggestions in such matters. My Lord, I have left to the Government to decide what should be the mode of the inquiry. I would, however, suggest that a special officer of some experience might be deputed to make a sifting inquiry. Much, of course, will depend on the selection of the right man. He must be sympathetic and painstaking and imbued with a desire to get at the root of the matter solely with a view to bring about an improvement in the existing state of affairs. The nature of the inquiry ought to be informal. Witnesses should not be scared away by threats of prosecution for paying illegal gratifications or the like. I do not want him to report against individual members of the staff; this would complicate matters. What I want is that he should make such feasible suggestions as would enable the Government to effect a change for the better at once without incurring heavy expenditure for the purpose. In this connection I might say that some people are of opinion that the pay of the ministerial staff should be increased. But I do not agree with them. Clerks in the Postal and Registration Departments do as much responsible work and are recurited from the same class of people, with same qualifications as the clerks in the mufassal courts, and though they do not get higher pay, yet the Postal Department is one of the best managed and the least corrupt of the Government Departments and the Registration Department, too, is comparatively pure. The real thing is that it is the system that is rotten in our mufassal courts and this requires a thorough overhauling.

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"My Lord, I feel a little delicacy in having to speak something against this motion. The resolution before us may be called a 'purity resolution', and anyone having regard to purity and sanctity would naturally feel some reluctance in standing against a resolution of this kind. But I may be permitted to say to the hon'ble mover of this resolution that anyone who is older than 32 years of age has got a different experience of our courts from what has been given expression to by my hon'ble friend. It seems to be undeniable that the *morale* of our ministerial services has considerably improved during the last 30 years. My friend has given this Council a harrowing description supplied by a member of Bar Associations in different parts of Bengal which all go to show that there is prevalence of corruption and corrupt practices.

"My Lord, I have been practising in one of the heaviest mufassal bars for the last 45 years, and I think I owe it to myself to bear testimony to the fact that what I have seen of them when I entered the profession and what I now see of them is perfectly different ; they are now considerably improved. and my hon'ble friend's remark seems to be rather sweeping ; he says that this corrupt practice prevails from the highest to the lowest—from the Sheristadar down to the lowest ministerial officer. But I have experience of a man who drawing the poor pay of a muharrir of a record-room in a collectorate on Rs. 30 a month has never touched a single pice by way of illegal gratification, and this is not a solitary instance ; many of the ministerial staff at the present day are above reproach ; they live from hand to mouth but still they do not yield to temptation. I do not deny that there are some black sheep even now and they ought to be eradicated. But, My Lord, to ask for an inquiry in a matter of this description would be something like mounting a long-range gun to kill a swarm of gnats. They are ill-paid and they live from hand to mouth. There are corruptions and malpractices even in higher spheres of life, and if we have to begin the operation we have to begin from above, and not from below. I do not for one moment contend that they should not be above reproach but to make them above reproach you ought to make their salaries sufficient to enable them not to yield to temptation. I would have thought that my friend would have brought forward a resolution to increase the pay of ministerial officers, but of course he has told us that he is not in favour of that and he wants that these people might be even starved and still expected to create a Utopia for us. I do not consider that this resolution is at all desirable ; no doubt, there are some officers who invariably take illegal gratifications although they are not in straitened circumstances, but still I do not think that their number is so large as to justify an inquiry. There is a standing order of Government that heads of departments ought to see that there are no malpractices in their courts and offices I know of some officers and some Judges and Collectors who do take care to see whether there is this malpractice or not. A reminder given to them now and then is quite enough. A lengthy process of inquiry into a matter like this seems to me to be quite out of proportion to the evil complained of."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, I do not oppose the motion altogether as I see that the Hon'ble Member has been approached by many Bar Associations and other respectable bodies, but at the same time I sympathise with the ministerial staff as regards their very inadequate pay. If anything is to be done—and something should be done—their position should be considered. It should also be considered whether their pay is sufficient to maintain themselves and their families ; if it is not sufficient then I think something should be done to raise their pay. They have hardly any time to supplement their income by doing extra work. I do not oppose the motion, but what I want is that something should be done for these ministerial officers. If an inquiry is going to be held, I hope that their position will also be taken into consideration by the Committee."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, when I read the notice of motion of the Hon'ble Kumar Shib Shekareswar Ray it reminded me of the terms of the Government resolution relating to the formation of the late Rowlatt Committee. Most of us knew of the existence of seditious conspiracy, but the Government chose to appoint a Committee to inquire as to whether such a thing, whether such a seditious conspiracy, existed or not. Well, in that view, the terms of the present resolution of the Hon'ble Member may be supported, *i. e.*, if you are going to take measures to check malpractices amongst the ministerial staff of the mufassal courts then you must commence with an inquiry. I do not think that the inquiry will do much good because nobody will come forward to tell the Committee that he has been receiving bribes or giving bribes. Therefore the inquiry will be on the reports of people who have the impression that such malpractices obtain amongst the ministerial staff of the mufassal courts. That is the only way the inquiry can be conducted. My Lord, I was once connected with a court not far from Government House for a pretty long time. I have lost touch with them for about 10 years and, therefore, before making up my mind to take any part in this discussion on this resolution, I thought it better to obtain up-to-date information about the working of the ministerial staff of these courts. After inquiry I was confirmed in the view which I entertained at the time, that at the present time the heads of departments are free from corruption. I suppose that is also the case in the distant mufassal courts. As regards the staff which come in the lower ranks there is corruption, and that corruption is a thing which can be checked.

"My hon'ble friend on my right has *sotto voce* referred to the Calcutta Small Cause Court. In my opinion the resolution does not cover that court, and I suppose the hon'ble mover is not aware of the state of things in the Calcutta Small Cause Court. There also is corruption amongst the lower ranks. The law is clear in these cases, it requires no amendment. You can punish the giver and the taker of a bribe, but the difficulty is that these things are done in secret and it is only the giver and the taker who can be witnesses, and as they would be liable to punishment under the law neither of them would be keen in giving evidence. If the law requires amendment it would be in the direction of doing something to take away the penalty from one of the parties, but upon that point I cannot express any positive opinion at the present moment. The present attitude of the presiding officers of these courts, I speak subject to correction, is that unless a thing comes directly to their knowledge they seldom go out of their way to take special efforts to check bribery. When a case of bribery comes to their knowledge, if there is insufficient evidence, they do their duty by dismissing the man whom they suspect, but this has not been a great deterrent. Unless you employ special detective officers of the police you cannot ferret out these cases of bribery in the law courts. The remedy lies not simply in punishing the wicked, not simply in punishing the corrupt ministerial officers, or the process-server, who is a great culprit. They have their excuses. The process-server has been only receiving Rs. 6 a month in pre-war times, and during the period of the war he has been paid Rs. 7 or Rs. 7-8, and this rate has been temporarily increased to Rs. 10 now. Committees have been formed who have recommended the increase in the salaries of ministerial officers ; the last Committee sat a few years ago with the Hon'ble Justice Holmwood as its president. This Committee did not suggest any real increase of salaries, but revised the rates of increment ; there has been no substantial increase, and unless you increase salaries in accordance with the responsibility you place on these people, this state of things will continue. I do not agree with the Hon'ble Member who refers to the Postal Department, a most popular department, as an example. In this country there is no corruption in this department, nor in the Registration Department. But their responsibilities are not the same. That accounts for the absence of corruption in these departments and the prevalence of corruption in the law courts. You cannot exactly argue from the absence of corruption in the Postal Department, where the postal peon

can tamper with latters without delivering them to the addressee, as the system of supervision in the Postal Department is such that you can easily detect and dismiss the peon at once. That is not the case in the law courts and I would, therefore, suggest that you make an inquiry—it is high time that an inquiry should be made, and something done to check malpractices. Salaries in the lower ranks should also be revised and raised according to the responsibility given to these men and the powers vested in them. The worst offender is the process-server. Something should be done in the same way as has been done in the Police Department. It is a scandal that a suitor has to submit to being fleeced by these people attached to the lower courts before he can get some sort of justice. Something has been said, and I regret that it has been so said by the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar, that corruption prevails in higher posts and higher quarters, and that these humble people with small salaries should not be judged too harshly. I am very sorry that the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar has chosen to give expression to such remarks. I am a student of these things, and I certainly think that the higher services—I mean the Subordinate Judicial and Subordinate Executive as also the Civil Service—are free from corruption in this country."

The Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar interrupting said :—"The Hon'ble Member is not correct in his statement. I never mentioned the Civil Service or the Judicial Service at all."

The Hon'ble Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur said :—"I am glad to hear that. With these observations I do support the motion of my friend the Hon'ble Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I am long past the age of 32, and have yet to wait a long time before I can reach the venerable age of my friend the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar and, therefore, I am still in a position to support the motion of my friend the Hon'ble Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray. I support this motion, My Lord, because it is an admitted fact, although positive proof cannot be easily given at a moment's notice, that there is a general complaint throughout the Presidency that the exaction in law courts has become intolerable. My Lord, I do not know whether the scandal was greater some 20 or 25 years before, and whether it is less now, but I don't think there should be any opposition to an inquiry. I am sorry this motion has been confined only to mufassal courts. I am not sure whether I shall be in order and, if Your Excellency will permit me to change the word 'mufassal' into 'law courts', it may extend the scope of the inquiry. If Government accept this motion it may embrace both Calcutta and mufassal courts."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"The Hon'ble Member must give notice of amendments when he wishes to move them."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"I was doubtful, My Lord, whether this would be permitted, and I craved Your Excellency's permission; if that permission were given the inquiry would extend to all courts, and not only to courts in the mufassal. I admit frankly that there are a large number of members of the ministerial staff who are honourable men, whether highly paid or not, and who are free from the corrupt practices which have been referred to. But, My Lord, from my experience of law courts, I consider that an inquiry is necessary. My Lord, as regards departmental heads, I have nothing to say. They are all honourable men and they, I believe, try their best to put down this evil, but I am afraid that, nothwithstanding their desire to do so, and the existence of a standing Government order to which the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar has referred, no effective check has been placed on these exactions.

Then, My Lord, my hon'ble friend to my right, the Hon'ble Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur, has mentioned the process-servers on a salary of Rs. 6 a month. It is true that they are ill-paid men, but there are other ministerial officers who are also ill-paid. If a thorough inquiry is made it will be found that many of them both in Calcutta and the mufassal have fallen victims to temptation. Of course, there are ministerial officers who are above temptation. However, I think that something should be done to put an effective check to the evil practice referred to.

Then, as regards the increase of the pay of these officers, I am sorry I cannot agree with the Hon'ble Mover, nor do I think that he can expect the Council to share his views, that the salary of these officers need not be increased. I do think that the salary of these ministerial officers requires improvement ; they have got to live, and many of them do not earn a living wage and, therefore, they easily fall victims to temptation. If an inquiry is taken up, the Government will also take up the question of the revision of the salary of these officers. I have nothing more to say, but I hope the Government would make an inquiry into the matter and take necessary steps to put down the evil."

The Hon'ble MR. DUVAL said :—

"I fear the taking of illegal exactions in this country is undoubtedly one of very long standing, but it is by no means confined to some Government clerks and servants. To do what they can to prevent such exactions in mufassal offices the policy of Government has been to try and pay its officers a fair wage, and not to entertain unpaid agency. That system of unpaid agency has been abolished in recent years, and so has the system which was prevalent 20 years ago of having, in addition to unpaid assistants, a large number of officers who used to be paid by commission fees. I fear, however, that outside Government offices it is not the invariable rule to pay servants. In civil courts many pleaders employ clerks whom they do not pay, but leave it to the litigant to pay them something when they employ them, nor do I think that landlords pay their servants highly enough to prevent them seeking to add to their pay by petty exactions.

"Government believes that in its officers the evil is decreasing ; but it can never wholly disappear except with the help of public opinion.

"As to the question of an inquiry, I would point out that full inquiries into the salaries of ministerial officers were made about 10 years ago, and the pay of lower grade clerks increased. Only a few months ago process peons too had their pay increased. When cases of such exactions come to the notice of District Officers and Judges the matter is always investigated, and the offender severely dealt with if found guilty. Unfortunately, however, many of the charges made come to the District Officers anonymously in the shape of letters which cannot be investigated, and there is often difficulty in getting persons to come forward to prove allegations made. Government servants cannot any more be convicted on pure hearsay or suspicion. Government is, therefore, not prepared to hold a general inquiry at the present, but must continue to depend on its District Officers and Judges to deal with each charge on its merits as it is made."

The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHAREŚWAR RAY said :—

My Lord, I admit that I am only 32 years of age, perhaps the youngest Member of this Council, but when the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar says that my youth stands in the way of properly appreciating the real state of affairs, My Lord, I certainly differ from him. I am rather of opinion that age brings with it a tolerant attitude because of its incapacity, owing to various causes, to move with the times. My Lord, a Bengali poet has sung about the crowning glory of youth "যৌবনে দাও রাজ টীকা" and I am a firm believer in its truth : it is youth which has won the war.

Even some Bar Associations of Faridpur district from which my friend hails have written to me about the prevalence of these practices. I do not admit that matters have improved. I tell the house from my personal knowledge that the filing fee in some of the courts has been doubled owing to the war. My Lord, I do not make the charge against all officers; there are many honourable exceptions. As for asking the presiding officers to keep an eye on the conduct of their ministerial staff, My Lord, I beg to point out that they are so overworked that it is not possible for them to keep an efficient check on their clerks. I personally know many officials who try hard to keep their courts pure, but they are helpless on account of some defects in the procedure. I am sure the Hon'ble Mr. Duval will bear me out, he has made himself famous on account of the concern he has shown for the morals of his court officials. Unless an inquiry is made, how is the Government to know what actions are necessary?"

The Hon'ble SIR HENRY WHEELER said :—

"My Lord, although the ground on behalf of Government has been covered by what the hon'ble Mr. Duval has said, yet in the regrettable absence of my Hon'ble colleague the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan, to whom the reply to this resolution would normally have fallen I might perhaps say a few words in the hope of making it clearer why we do not support an inquiry of the kind outlined by the Hon'ble Mover. It is not that we do not know that, unfortunately, corruption prevails in many Government offices, and it is not that we do not deplore the fact and do not desire by every means possible to root out these evil practices; but it is because we think that the expedient suggested of sending round a special officer to all districts will not have the desired effect. Local officers are aware of the facts and are already trying to check the evil. I know only of four main lines of check. One is to endeavour to improve the class of men recruited for Government services; that Government already does and is doing, and we are constantly trying to raise the standard of education among our officers. The second is to enhance the rate of their pay so as to put them beyond the temptation of taking bribes. As we all know, as funds permit, we are gradually doing this. The third is to adopt an organisation which brings those ministerial officers as far as possible under the supervision of reliable superior officers and does not place it their hands to take the initiative in executive matters. That also is an object which we strive to attain. The fourth is, when malpractices are brought to notice, to try energetically to root them out. When I was a Joint Magistrate and junior Collector it was my lot to be posted to a district in Bihar which had a very bad reputation in this matter. I was then young and energetic, and spent much of my time in seeking to check these evils. I punished a great many, from the sheristadar downwards, at the cost of a great deal of personal effort, and I believe I effected some improvement. That is the experience of most Government officers who are sitting here, but my point is that the remedy devolves upon the local officers and must rest with them. The deputation of one special officer will not help much.

"On the non-official side, there are two matters particularly in which help can be afforded. One is the strengthening of public sentiment and opinion, so as to ostracise and pillory these underlings in our courts who have the reputation of being bribe-takers and corrupt. The second is to come forward and to bring to the notice of superiors instances in which the public have suffered at the hands of subordinate officers. I think I can fairly assure the Council that the average superior officer is perfectly willing to energetically investigate any reasonable charge that is brought to his notice; and I think the Hon'ble Mover has underestimated the value of giving such information and the possibility of doing it. It means, no doubt, a certain amount of trouble to the person who suffers to go and complain to a superior officer, and he may feel that, rather than be so burdened, he would willingly pay eight annas or a rupee. That is a natural feeling. But unless people who do suffer

will take the trouble to prosecute their charges and bring them home to those who are guilty, it is very difficult for Government officers to intervene.

"Sir, our position is that we do not deny the evil; we all wish to see it rooted up, but we do not think that the deputation of a special officer will really help us in achieving that object."

The resolution was then put and lost.

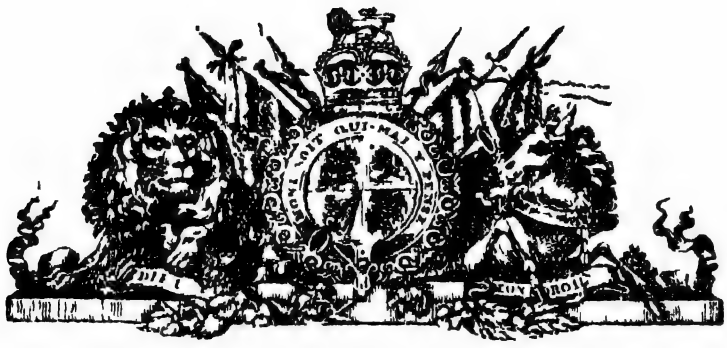
ADJOURNMENT.

The Council was then adjourned to Thursday, the 19th December, 1918, at 11 A.M., at Government House, Calcutta.

A. M. HUTCHISON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

CALCUTTA;
The 10th December, 1918.



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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd December 1918.*

INDIA, WEST COAST—BOMBAY HARBOUR.

Temporary beacon erected at Pau Pir, Trombay Island.

No. 366 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 94M. of 1918), are republished :—

Position of Pau Pir :—

Lat. 18° 59′ 53″ N.
Long. 72° 54′ 50″ E.

Details.—In connection with the erection of a jetty at Pau Pir a temporary beacon will shortly be erected at the end of this jetty.

Description.—The beacon will have a Red Disc on the top by day and will exhibit a Red Light by night.

Caution.—The space between the beacon and the two piles already erected about 1,050 feet south of Dhanjibhai's Pier is now closed to traffic.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 2621. Bombay Harbour
„ 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1909, page 220.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 7th November 1918.

CEYLON—EAST COAST.

Trincomali Harbour—(a) Extension of Shoal.

(b) Buoy laid.

No. 367 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 96M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—Admiralty No. 231 of 1918 and R. I. M No. 35M. of 1918. *(This office No. 88 of 1918.)*

(a) Rock :

Position.—At a distance of 1,920 feet 244° (S. 65° W. Mag.) from the head of the Kachcheri Pier.

Details.—A rock with a least depth of water of 2 fathoms over it at L. W. O. S. has been found slightly north-eastward of the 2¼ fathoms shoal marked on the chart.

(b) Buoy :

Position.—At a distance of 1,920 feet 245° (S. 66° W. Mag.) from the head of Kachcheri Pier in 22 feet of L. W O. S.

Lat. 8° 33′ 38″ N.
Long. 81° 14′ 12″ E. } On chart No. 816.

Description.—A barrel buoy, painted red.

Details.—The above-mentioned buoy has been laid to mark the position of the shoal.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 816, Trincomali Harbour.
„ 815, The Harbour and Bays of Trincomali.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 167.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer H. M. S. "Juno". Hydrographic Note, dated 19th October 1918.

PERSIAN GULF—SHATT-AL-ARAB ENTRANCE.

Inner and Outer Bar—Non-existence of Wrecks.

No. 368 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 97M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former Admiralty Notices.—Nos. 29 and 262 of 1914. *(Calcutta Notices Nos. 605 of 1913 and 78 of 1914.)*

(a) Inner Bar Wreck.

Position.—On Inner Bar, at a distance of about 9 cables north-westward of the Inner Bar Red Gas Buoy.
Lat. 29° 56′ 50″ N.
Long. 48° 35′ 30″ E.

(b) Outer Bar Wreck.

Position.—On outer bar, at a distance of about 4 cables north-eastward of the Fairway Gas Buoy.
Lat. 29° 48′ 43″ N.
Long. 48° 45′ 23″ E.

Details.—The wrecks shown on the Chart in the above positions are marked "(1913)" and "(1914)" respectively and have been removed together with the green wreck marking buoy, moored about a cable north-eastward of the outer bar wreck.

Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 282.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Basra, dated 15th November 1918.

CHINA SEA, GULF OF PECHILI—TAKU BAR, APPROACH TO THE HAIHO.

Taku Bar Inner Leading Marks (lights) discontinued.

Taku Bar Leading Marks (lights) established.

No. 369 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 670 of 1918 that the Taku Bar Inner Leading Marks (Lights) have been discontinued.

Two Beacons, to be known as the Taku Bar Leading Marks, have been established on the sea-coast about 1 mile to the southward of the entrance to the Haiho. These beacons are *black* open-work structures of iron, each surmounted by a *black* spherical daymark.

The low (or front) mark is 46 feet high and is situated 1·26 miles S. 9° W., magnetic, from the North Fort Cavalier. This beacon exhibits an occulting *white* light every second, thus—

Light	...	...	...	0·3 second.
Eclipse	...	...	...	0·7 „

The high (or rear) mark is 80 feet high and is situated 4,962 feet N. 72° 34′ W., magnetic (variation, 4° W.), from the low (or front) mark. This beacon exhibits a fixed *white* light

These beacons in line lead through the channel across the Taku Bar.

The Entrance Buoy, which has been off its station during dredging operations in the New Channel across the Taku Bar, has been placed in position as advertised in Notice to Mariners No. 653, namely, from the Buoy the North Fort Cavalier bears N. 61° W., magnetic, distant 6·08 miles.

„ *The 25th November 1918.*

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER.

Tsungming Island—South-west beacon moved.

No. 362 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given notice (No. 668 of 1918) that the South-west Surveying-beacon situated on the southern coast of Tsungming Island, Yangtze River, has been moved 0·76 cable, N. 63° E., magnetic, from its former position.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER, KIUSHAN POINT (ROUND) CHANNEL.

Kiushan Point—Surveying-beacon moved.

No. 363 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given notice (No. 669 of 1918), that the Surveying-beacon situated on Kiushan Point (round) Channel, Yangtze River, has been moved 0·59 cable, S. 77° E., magnetic, from its former position.

GULF OF ADEN.

Aden Harbour—Prohibited Area.

No. 364 (second publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 1150 of 1918), issued by the Port Officer, Aden, is republished :—

> As the laying of a submarine pipe-line for Liquid Fuel at this Port is in progress no vessel of any description is allowed to anchor within the area enclosed by an imaginary line drawn through the Red Lighted Buoy off Flint Island and the west end of Flint Island continued to the mainland, and an imaginary line drawn through No. 8 Buoy and the east end of Flint Island continued to the mainland, and an imaginary line drawn through No. 8 Buoy and the Red Lighted Buoy.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches Light-vessel and Buoy —Amended position of.

No. 365-I (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 93M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notices.—Admiralty No. 41 of 1916; Royal Indian Marine No. 92M. of 1918. *(This office No. 346-I of 1918.)*

Subject.—The correct position of the South Patches Light-vessel and the South Patches Buoy, is as follows; other particulars given remain as before :—

Position of Light-vessel.—Lat. 21° 29¼′ N.
Long. 91° 37¼′ E.

Position of Buoy.—Lat. 21° 29¼′ N.
Long. 91° 38′ E.

Remarks.—The Buoy is moored seven cables due East from the Light-vessel.

Variation.—¾° E.

Charts affected.—No. 859, Matla River to Elephant Point.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 630.
Indian Light List, 37th issue, 1918.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Chittagong, dated 28th October 1918

The 18th November 1918.

RED SEA—ZEBAYIR ISLANDS.

Centre Peak Island—Rock reported eastward of.

No. 348 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1063 of 1918), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of $2\frac{1}{10}$ miles, 90° (*S. 89° E. Mag.*) from Centre Peak Island Light-house.

Lat. 15° 01¼′ N., long. 42° 11⅛′ E.

Depth.—Not stated.

Note.—This rock, which was not examined, is to be indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet and marked "*Reported (1917).*"

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 453, Plan of Zebayir Islands.
„ 143, Jabel Teir to Perim Island.
„ 8*d*, Red Sea, Sheet IV.
„ 2523, Red Sea.

Publication.—Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1909, page 126.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. *(H. 2372-18.)*

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—PORT SEBU APPROACH.

Bantolinao Point—New Light established.

No. 349 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1071 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—On edge of reef, and at a distance of $1\frac{3}{10}$ cables, 19° (*N. 18° E. Mag.*), from the former light on Bantolinao Point.
Lat. 10° 20¼′ N., long. 123° 59¼′ E.

Abridged description of new light.—Lt. Fl., *Red, ev. 2 sec., 30 ft., vis. 7 m.* (U).

Details.—The fixed red light has been discontinued and replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Characteristics :

Character.—A *flashing red* light *every two seconds.*
Elevation.—30 feet.
Visibility.—7 miles.
Structure.—A white concrete pillar.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—1° E.
Charts affected—No. 3193, Port Sebu and approches.
„ 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro Sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1179.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I., 1911, pages 394, 395.
Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1949 of 1918 (*H. 4819-18.*)

JAPAN, KIU SIU—NORTH-WEST COAST.

Omura Wan Entrance—Alteration in depth on shoal.

No. 350 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1078 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about .18 cables eastward of Shira Se Lighthouse.
Lat. 33° 05¾′ N., long. 129° 39½′ E.

Depth.—5¼ fathoms, instead of 4¾ fathoms hitherto shown on the chart.

Remarks.—The black and red horizontally striped buoy surmounted by a red ball, marking this shoal, is situated at a distance of 17¼ cables, 86° (*East Mag.*), from Shira Se Lighthouse.

Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 2387, Io Jima to Madara Jima, etc.
„ 359, Nagasaki to Karatsu, etc.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 50
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 27 of 1918. (*H. 3323-18.*)

JAPAN—INLAND SEA, HARIMA NADA.

Shodo Shima—Wreck eastward of.

No. 351 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1083 of 1918), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of 10 miles, 81° (*N. 86° E. Mag.*), from Okado Bana Lighthouse.
Lat. 34° 27½′ N., long. 134° 31¼′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck, believed to be that of a sailing vessel with masts showing about 10 feet above water.

Variation.—5° W.
Charts affected.—No. 3566, Izumi Nada and Harima Nada.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 26 of 1918. *H. 3322-18.*)

CHINA SEA—BILLITON ISLAND.

Cheruchup Bay—Existence of a shoal.

No. 352 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1084 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 16½ cables north-westward from the northern end of Batu Tuku.

Lat. 2° 45′ 06″ S., long. 107° 30′ 24″ E.

Depth.—2½ fathoms.

Remarks.—The black can buoy with truncated cone topmark in this vicinity has been moved about 4 cables to the northward and is now situated in lat. 2° 45′ 00″ S., long. 107° 30′ 18″ E.

Charts affected.—No. 3597, Approaches to Tanjong Pandan.

„ 2137, Gaspar Strait.

„ 2149, Banka and Gaspar Straits.

„ 2160, Carimata Strait.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 159.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1113 of 1918. (*H. 5020-18.*)

CHINA—EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay—Meteorological signals.

No. 353 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1091 of 1918), are republished :—

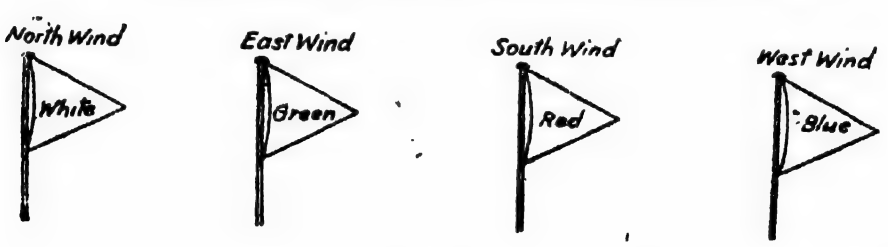
Former Notice.—No. 864 of 1918. (*This office No. 301 of 1918.*)

Position.—Tsingtau storm-signal station, lat. 36° 04¼′ N., long. 120° 19′ E.

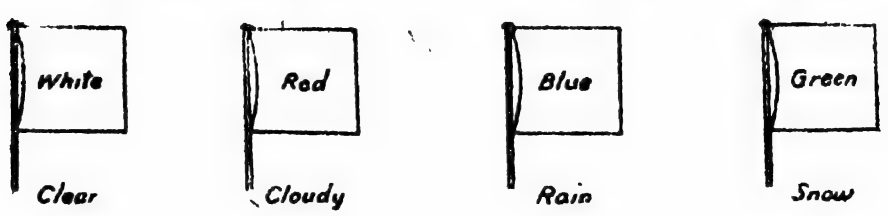
Details.—In addition to the storm-signals described in the former Notice, the following weather forecast signals are now in use at the above station :—

The weather forecast signals are of three kinds :—

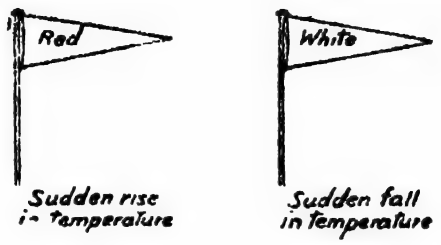
1. Indicating the direction of the wind. Triangular flags are employed for this purpose, as under.



2. Indicating the clearness, cloudiness, rain or snow. Square flags are used for this purpose, as under.



3. Indicating sudden changes of temperature. Long triangular flags are employed for this purpose, as under.



When more than one of the conditions "Clearness, Cloudiness, Rain or Snow" occurs in the forecast, only the most important feature is indicated in the signal. When the forecast is divided into two phases the signals are exhibited in the same order.

Note.—The weather predictions refer to the period of 24 hours from 6 p.m. to 6 p.m. the following day.

The forecasts will be shown before 5 p.m. every day, and, when necessary, alterations will be made thereafter.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 422.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 155 of 1918. (*H. 4907-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—New South Wales.

North Solitary Island—Amended position and description of rock reported northward of.

No. 354 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1092 of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 1093 of 1917. (*This office No. 342 of 1917.*)

Position.—At a distance of about 6 cables north-eastward from position shown on charts and 6 cables, 353° (*N. 17° W. Mag.*), from north-west rock.

Lat. 29° 54′ S., long. 153° 24′ E.

Description.—A rock with a depth of 2 fathoms, reported in 1917.

Remarks.—This rock was formerly indicated on the chart by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet.

Variation.—10° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1026, The Solitary Islands and adjacent coast.
„ 1027, Coffs Islands to Evans Head.
„ 3622, Port Jackson to Cape Byron.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, page 81.

Authority.—Department of Navigation, Sydney. (*H. 4799-18.*)

JAPAN—Inland Sea, Gulf of Osaka.

Kobe Bay—Mooring-buoy established.

No. 355 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1094 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Off Kobe Zaki, at a distance of 4 cables, 64° (*N. 69° E. Mag.*), from the red light on the outer end of No. 1 pier.

Lat. 34° 41′ N., long. 135° 12¼′ E.

Description.—No. 17 mooring-buoy.

Variation.—5° W.

Chart affected.—No. 2265, Kobe and Hyogo Bays.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 280.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 21 of 1918. (*H. 3319-18.*)

INDIA—West Coast.

Bombay Harbour—Buoy temporarily laid.

No. 356 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 89 M of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1·3 miles 121° (S. 59° E. Mag.) from Prongs Lighthouse.
Lat. 18° 52′ 00″ N., long. 72° 49′ 14″ E.

Description.—A can buoy painted black.

Details.—Marks the west side of the channel for ships entering and leaving the port.

Variation.—Nil.

Charts affected.—No. 2621, Bombay Harbour.
„ 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1909, page 217.

Authority.—Port Officer, Bombay, dated 14th October 1918.

PERSIAN GULF.

Henjam Sound—Prohibited anchorage.

No. 357 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 90M of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—R. I. M. Nos. 50M and 68M of 1918 (*This office Nos. 168 and 221 of 1918*) are hereby cancelled.

Position—(*a*) A cable house has been erected on the high line on the Kishm Island, at a distance of about 3¾ cables 317° (N. 45° W. Mag.), from Ras Khargu.

Lat. 26° 41′ 47″ N., long. 55° 55′ 12″ E.

(*b*) A cable house has been erected on the high line on Henjam Island at a distance of about 5½ cables 140° (S. 42° E. Mag.) from Ras-al-Mashia beacon ;
Lat. 26° 41′ 08″ N.
Long. 55° 53′ 55″ E.

(*c*) A pecked line has been put on the chart joining these two positions bearing N. 61° E. (true). S. W.

Details—(1) Vessels are prohibited from anchoring to the southward of this pecked line, mentioned in (*c*), between the two new cable houses, and the remark "Prohibited anchorage south of this line" has been inserted on the chart ; and, "Unadvisable to anchor on this line" shewn, north-eastward of Ras-al-Mashia, on the chart, has been expunged.

(2) Vessels are also prohibited from anchoring to the southward of the pecked line bearing N. 57° W. S. E. shewn on the chart, to the north-westward of Ras-al-Mashia ; the "Caution—Unadvisable to anchor westward of the pecked line" has been expunged, and "Prohibited anchorage south of this line" inserted on the chart, in lieu.

Variation.—2° E.
Charts affected.—No. 3599, Plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 753, Entrance to the Persian Gulf.
Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 209.
Authority.—Commanding Officer, I. G. T. S. "Patrick Stewart" dated 13th October 1918.

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

"Whale Reef" Buoy—Replaced in position.

No. 358 (third publication).—

With reference to this Office Notice to Mariners No. 199 of 1918, the Bombay Government has given further Notice (No. 1578 of 1918) that the Red Buoy on the north side of the "Whale Reef" off the Rajpuri Point, which was removed for the S. W. Monsoon, was replaced in position on the 24th October 1918.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Quilon—Buoys.

No. 359 (third publication).—

The Principal Port Officer, Travancore, has given Notice, dated the 12th, October 1918, that the buoys marking the entrance to the Inner Anchorage at Quilon have been replaced and their position is as follows :—

Red Buoy bears from Tangacherry Lighthouse S. E. distance about 8¾ cables.
Black Buoy bears from Tangacherry Lighthouse S. E. ¾ S. about 11¼ cables.

The attention of Mariners is drawn to the note appearing on the chart of the Quilon Road, Sheet XII, West Coast of India, with reference to these buoys.

The flagstaff and Messrs. Harrison and Crosfields' Tall Red Chimney in line leads into the Anchorage clear of both reefs.

INDIA, EAST COAST.—BAY OF BENGAL,

Madras Harbour—Temporary light removed.

No. 360 (third publication).—

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 377 of 1916 issued by this Office, the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further Notice (No. 55 of 1918) that the temporary fixed red light has been removed and will not be replaced till about 1st January 1919 or thereabouts.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST.

North Channel, Wide Bay Bar—Navigation in.

No. 361 (third publication).—

The Portmaster, Brisbane, has given Notice (No. 9 of 1918) that, on the 25th September 1918, the square white beacons on Hook Point, carrying white lights by night, will be moved, and on and after that date the following directions are to be observed for the navigation of the channel :—

Keep the beacons and lights on Hook Point in line until the beacons (triangular) and lights on Inskip Point are open once their own width to the westward ; then steer for the Inskip beacons or lights, gradually bringing them into line before passing the Red Buoy off Hook Point spit ; after passing this buoy, proceed as formerly directed.

Charts affected.—Nos. 1030 and 1068, Australia Directory, Vol. II.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL IRRIGATION REVENUE REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1917-18.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 9TH DECEMBER 1918.

RESOLUTION—No. 4795*I*.

READ—

The Annual Irrigation Revenue Report for the year 1917-18.

The Major Irrigation Works in Bengal are the Midnapore and Hijili Tidal Canals. The works are in operation. The **Minor Works** for navigation are the Calcutta and Eastern Canals, the Madaripur Bhil Channel, a portion of the Orissa Coast Canal, the Nadia Rivers and the Gaighatta and Baxi Khal. The only irrigation work of this class is the Eden Canal. Training

works on the rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Dhaleswari and Buriganga, and anti-malarial works carried out by this department at the cost of Government, are classed under this head.

2. The capital outlay on the Major Works up to the end of March 1918 amounted to Rs. 1,11,11,990. The works constructed for this outlay comprise two weirs across the Cossye River at Midnapore and at Panchkura and 98·75 miles of main and branch canals, of which 69·75 miles provide for both irrigation and navigation, and 29 miles for navigation only; there are, in addition, 254½ miles of distributaries. The Terapakia Pass Khal, Palaboni Khal and the khal leading to the Gewankhali Lock entrance, of which the aggregate length is 20¾ miles, are also maintained for navigation and included as part of the Hijili Tidal Canal. During the year under review no addition was made to the length of the canals or distributaries.

3. The total receipts from the Major Works amounted to Rs. 2,77,964 and the working expenses to Rs. 1,80,601, the net result being a net revenue of Rs. 97,363 against Rs. 90 904 in the preceding year. This result is chiefly due to the curtailment of all but the essential urgent expenditure on repairs on account of the present financial conditions. The general revenues of these canals, which depend considerably upon receipts from navigation, have suffered of late years from railway competition. During the year under review there was, however, some increase in navigation receipts due to the diversion of traffic from the railway to the canals, owing to restriction on rail-borne goods traffic on account of the war.

4. The area irrigated during the year was 86,786 acres as compared with 85,827 acres in 1916-17 and an average of 82,595 acres for the triennium ending March 1917.

5. The capital outlay on canals classed as **Minor Works and Navigation** was Rs. 3,41,453 during the year, and Rs. 1,37,43,104 to end of the year. The receipts for the year amounted to Rs. 7,89,903 and the working expenses to Rs. 7,08,369. The financial results of the year and the capital expenditure to date are exhibited in the following statement :—

	Capital expenditure (direct and indirect).		Receipts of the year *less* refunds	Expenditure of the year *less* refunds.	Net revenue of the year.	Net revenue of the previous year.
	Of the year.	To end of the year.				
Minor Works and Navigation.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	2,15,909	96,68,170	3,67,290	4,61,129	—93,839	52,500
Madaripur Bhil Channel ...	1,25,544	40,21,896	3,51,617	88,559	2,63,058	2,69,034
Orissa Coast Canal ...	...	..	14,587	31,706	—17,119	—4,205
Nadia Rivers	...	...	16,677	99,187	—82,510	—1,06,179
Gaighatta and Baxi Khal ...	...	...	2,387	...	2,387	1,575
Eden Canal	...	...	37 345	27,788	9,557	—16,166
Grand Trunk Canal ...	...	53,038	...	...	...	...
Total ...	3,41,453	1,37,43,104	7,89,903	7,08,369	81,534	1,96,559

6. **The Calcutta and Eastern Canals** form a series of navigable channels, mostly natural but partly artificial, by which communication is maintained between Calcutta and Eastern Bengal. The receipts from navigation tolls amounted to Rs. 3,46,216 as compared with Rs. 2,98,117 in the preceding year. The capital outlay incurred during the year was expended principally, as in the two previous years, on the improvement of the Gabkhan-Bharani Khal from Chowkighatta to Jhalakati. The work was approaching completion at the end of the year under review.

7. The capital expenditure during the year on the **Madaripur Bhil Channel,** which connects the Madhumati and Kumar Rivers in the district of Faridpur, was incurred on (1) improvement of the Lower Kumar River including easing bends therein, and (2) constructing an embankment with sluices along the south bank of the channel. A complete revised estimate for the project was submitted to the Government of India : but, as desired

by that Government, a completion report of the project is being prepared. The construction estimate has been closed with effect from the 31st March 1917. The total capital outlay (direct charges) to end of the year amounted to Rs. 39,63,430 against the sanctioned estimate of Rs. 34,32,491. The receipts and working expenses (direct and indirect) during the year were, respectively, Rs. 3,51,617 and Rs. 88,559 as against Rs. 3,38,547 and Rs. 69,513 in the year 1916-17. The increase in receipts is chiefly due to the fact that the western entrance of the canal at Manikdah remained free from silt deposit throughout the season as a result of the construction of the bund along the south bank of the canal.

8. **The Orissa Coast Canal** in conjunction with the Hijili Tidal Canal affords communication between Bengal and Orissa, and previous to the opening of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway was the only inland route by which supplies of food could be conveyed into Orissa in time of famine. This canal, which is intended for navigation only, now lies partly (*i.e.*, for a length of 45 miles) in this Presidency and partly in the province of Bihar and Orissa. The receipts and working expenses (direct and indirect) for the portion within Bengal were, respectively, Rs. 14,587 and Rs. 31,706 as against Rs. 14,142 and Rs. 18,347 in the year 1916-17. The increased expenditure during 1917-18 is due to special repairs to the Bhaitgarh Lock.

9. The work in the **Nadia Rivers** consists in the training of the river channels by bandals with the two-fold object of maintaining by the scouring of shoals a sufficient depth of water for boat traffic and at the same time improving the sanitation of the country. The former object is only partially attained, but the work done is of use in the interests of sanitation. The report on the Nadia Rivers by Major F. C. Hirst, I.A., Director of Surveys, Bengal, referred to in the last two years' resolutions, was under consideration during the year by the Committee which was appointed to advise Government upon the steps which should be taken to carry out systematic observations of the changes in the Nadia Rivers and also, if possible, to improve their condition as navigable channels and as feeders for the Lower Hooghly. The Committee have not yet finished their deliberations. The receipts and working expenses of the Nadia Rivers were Rs. 16,677 and Rs. 99,187, respectively, as against Rs. 15,788 and Rs. 1,21,967 in the preceding year. With the growth of railway lines on either bank of the Bhagirathi and the continued inefficiency of these rivers for the purposes of navigation, in addition to reduction in the rates of tollage from 1906, there has been a continuous decline in the receipts from Rs. 2 lakhs in the year 1890-91 to less than a tenth of that sum in 1917-18.

10. **The Gaighatta and Baxi Khal** is a short channel connecting the rivers Damodar and Rupnarain. No expenditure was incurred during the year on the maintenance of the khal. The collection of tolls on boat traffic has been leased out for two years from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1919 at a rental of Rs. 3,400 per annum.

11. **The Eden Canal** was originally constructed for sanitary reasons, but it is now used to some extent for irrigation. It was worked during the year at a profit of Rs. 9,557 against a loss of Rs. 16,166 in the preceding year. This better result was due to a decrease in working expenses, though the area irrigated was 2,460 acres less than in the preceding year, due to copious rainfall throughout the kharif season.

12. The work in connection with the **improvement of the Bidyadhari River** by creating a spill area was in progress during the year. The operations already undertaken have effected some improvement; and it is expected that by the continuation and extension of the operations a further improvement will be effected and the life of the river will probably be prolonged for a number of years.

13. Surveys were continued during the year in connection with projects for mitigating the effects of the Damodar floods, and the following works were started with that object in view :—

(*a*) the retirement of the Baxi Khal embankment; and
(*b*) the improvement of the Ghosapatty Khal.

13. (*i*) **Training works** were as usual carried out in the Dhaleswari and Buriganga Rivers to facilitate navigation and to improve the water-supply of the town of Dacca. The operations, however, were not successful. Some dredging was done near Dacca by the Inland Steamer Companies, Government bearing half the cost.

(*ii*) Training works were carried out also during the year, through the agency of the India General Navigation and Railway Company, Limited, on the river Ganges between Rajmahal and Goalundo.

(*iii*) To improve navigation as well as the sanitary conditions and water-supply of the town of Rampur-Boalia, training works were carried out on the inner channel of the river Ganges.

(*iv*) At the mouth of the Bhagirathi river, at its offtake from the Ganges, no dredging operations were done during the year owing to adverse circumstances; endeavours were made to improve the channel by means of bandalling only, so as to improve sanitary conditions by an increased flow in the river. The operations, however, were not successful.

14. **General.**—As stated in the last year's resolution the most important problems with which the Irrigation Branch of the Public Works Department in Bengal have to deal are mainly of a sanitary character, or are in connection with navigation or works of protection against floods. The solution of these problems depends to a very great extent on the observations of land levels and the collection of accurate hydraulic data over very large areas.

During the year under review an Executive Engineer was placed on special duty to investigate the drainage conditions of the area lying between the Dhaleswari and the Padma Rivers. The object of the investigation is to ascertain whether and in what way it is possible to improve the sanitary condition of the area between these rivers and navigation facilities in the Dhaleswari, Buriganga and the numerous khals to the south of them, especially in regard to the possibility of opening a short navigable route between the Padma and the Dhaleswari.

Investigations in connection with anti-malarial works into the drainage conditions over large areas in the districts of Jessore, Nadia, Khulna and the 24-Parganas were continued and valuable information obtained.

15. The Irrigation Department during the year was in charge of Mr. F. A. A. Cowley. The thanks of Government are due to him for the efficient conduct of the affairs of the department during the year and to Mr. Addams-Williams, C.I.E., Superintending Engineer on special duty, for his zeal and energy in the conduct of the enquiries into the drainage conditions in this Presidency. The good work of other officers has also been noted by Government.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and that a copy thereof and of its accompaniments be submitted to the Government of India in the Public Works Department and circulated to other Governments and to all departments and officers of this Government as usual.

By order of the Governor in Council,

F. A. A. COWLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE SALT MARKET FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF THE YEAR 1918-19.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Separate Revenue Branch (Salt).

No. 33568.R.

Dated Calcutta, the 10th December 1918.

THE following report on the state of the salt market for the second quarter of the year 1918-19, comprising the months of July, August and September 1918, in the Presidency of Bengal, is published for general information.

2. The quantity of salt of every description cleared during the quarter amounted to 3,047,605 maunds (including 2,388,658 maunds issued under the credit system), as compared with 2,395,338 maunds (including 1,817,387 maunds issued under the credit system) in the previous quarter and 1,932,236 maunds (including 1,544,671 maunds issued under the credit system) in the corresponding quarter of the previous year. The net amount of duty levied was Rs. 31,87,150 (including Rs. 23,82,659 adjusted under the credit system), as against Rs. 28,71,234 (including Rs. 21,82,127 adjusted under the credit system) in the previous quarter, and Rs. 23,18,574 (including Rs. 18,41,228 adjusted under the credit system) in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

3. The subjoined Table I shows in detail the importations into the Port of Calcutta and the total clearances of sea-imported salt during the quarter, compared with the figures of the corresponding quarters of the two previous years :—

TABLE I.

Whence imported.	1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.	
	SECOND QUARTER.		SECOND QUARTER.		SECOND QUARTER.	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom	942,776	619,934	142,929	24,161	238,308	66,693
Hamburg and Bremen ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said	513,060	552,019	650,611	586,989	1,279,867	1,439,348
Spain	196,000	166,232	...	134,920	...	28,570
Salif	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aden	371,595	560,410	589,007	586,434	667,571	710,310
Rock Salt	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	471	...	542	...	4,034
Massowah	381,418	258,686	304,890	293,902	370,975	408,712
Madras, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Masulipatam, etc.	48,278	48,276	2,904	...	...	...
North Africa (Tunis), Egypt, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Australia (Victoria) ...	...	...	...	...	...	15
United States of America (Atlantic coast).	...	4	...	...	...	...
United States of America (Pacific Coast).	...	1	...	...	...	33
Ceylon	...	...	...	16	...	3
Total ...	2,453,127	2,206,033	1,690,341	1,616,964	2,556,721	2,657,718*

* Inclusive of 2,388,658 maunds of salt issued under the credit system. Besides this quantity 8,307 maunds of salt were issued under the credit system to inland bonded warehouses.

Compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year and the same quarter of 1916-17, importations were more by 51·25 and 4·22 per cent., respectively, and clearances were more by 64·36 and 20·47 per cent., respectively. As compared with the corresponding period of the previous year, the increased imports from the United Kingdom, and Port Said, are noticeable. There were no imports during the quarter from Madras.

4. Table II shows the quantity of sea-imported salt remaining in the warehouses at the close of the quarter as compared with the preceding four quarters :—

TABLE II.

Where stored.	Second quarter of 1917-18.	Third quarter of 1917 18.	Fourth quarter of 1917-18	First quarter of 1918-19	Second quarter of 1918-19
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Sulkea Government Salt *golas*.	581,243	948,757	883,789	780,378	1,232,887
Chittagong Salt *golas*	62,183	28,390	194,018	407,968	629,380
Narayanganj (private bonded Salt warehouses).	1,615	26,831	10,585	5,120	11,302
Bhairab Bazar (private bonded Salt warehouses).	...	13,472	2,679	8,562	1,465
Jhalakati (private bonded Salt warehouses).	31,312	16,688	12,245	16,287	20,631
Madaripur (private bonded Salt warehouses).	...	...	...	770	...
Chandpur (private bonded Salt warehouses).	3,923	...	3,800	10,830	5,773
Total ...	680,276	1,034,138	1,107,116	1,229,915	1,901,438

5. The figures showing the despatches of salt from Calcutta by different routes during the quarter under report will be published as usual in the *Calcutta Gazette* by the Director of Statistics with the Government of India when they are available.

6. The quantity of salt despatched during the quarter by the East Indian Railway to stations beyond Buxar was *nil* as in the previous quarter and in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

7. The quantity of saltpetre salt excised in the refineries of Bengal during the quarter amounted to 138 maunds as compared with 430 in the previous quarter and 209 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

8. The shipments of Liverpool salt during the quarter for the Port of Calcutta, according to the published market reports, amounted to *nil*.

9. Table III shows the average wholesale prices* per 100 maunds of salt at the Port of Calcutta during each fortnight of the quarter :—

TABLE III.

Description of salt.	Fortnight ending the 15th July 1918.	Fortnight ending the 31st July 1918.	Fortnight ending the 15th Aug. 1918.	Fortnight ending the 31st Aug. 1918.	Fortnight ending the 15th Sept. 1918.	Fortnight ending the 30th Sept. 1918.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Spanish *karkuch*	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said *karkuch*	199 7 1	195 0 0	186 0 0	145 0 0	120 0 0	...
Port Said crushed	236 14 6	222 10 8	188 13 8	138 9 1	124 10 3	189 0 0
Aden crushed ...	236 7 1	221 2 3	174 0 0	133 12 0	125 0 0	195 0 0
Salif crushed ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay *karkuch*	...	...	190 0 0	...	...	...
Madras Salt ...	149 0 0	138 0 0	143 0 0	156 8 0	167 8 0	172 8 0

* The prices are exclusive of the Port Commissioners' special toll of 4 annas per ton and Customs duty of Re. 1-4 per maund.

10. The subjoined Table IV shows the average wholesale prices per 100 maunds of salt at the Port of Chittagong during each fortnight of the quarter :—

TABLE IV.

Description of salt.	Fortnight ending the 15th July 1918.	Fortnight ending the 31st July 1918.	Fortnight ending the 15th Aug. 1918.	Fortnight ending the 31st Aug. 1918.	Fortnight ending the 15th Sept. 1918.	Fortnight ending the 30th Sept. 1918.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Aden ...	240 10 0	225 0 0	225 0 0	181 4 0	156 4 0	243 12 0
Spanish ...	243 12 0	243 12 0	237 8 0	175 0 0	168 12 0	248 7 0
Port Said ...	237 8 0	237 8 0	231 4 0	187 8 0	159 6 0	246 14 0

11. Table V below shows the quantities of sea-imported salt admitted into bond and cleared from bond and shipboard at the Port of Chittagong and at the several inland warehousing stations :—

TABLE V.

Port or station.	Description of salt.	Admitted into bond.		Cleared from bond and shipboard.	
		Second quarter of 1917-18.	Second quarter of 1918-19.	Second quarter of 1917-18.	Second quarter of 1918-19.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Chittagong ...	English *panga*	...	...	1	...
	Aden ...	...	...	85,358	116,293
	Hamburg ...	...	...	...	...
	Spanish ...	...	...	22,627	38,146
	Port Said ...	...	515,280	125,805	153,775
Narayanganj	English *panga*	...	15,000	14,916	10,000
	Aden ...	...	2,500	5,382	2,930
	Spanish ...	3,600	10,082	5,461	9,260
	Port Said ...	7,000	2,500	5,500	3,368
	Massowah ...	...	5,000	...	4,950
Jhalakati ...	English *panga*	29,942	16,365	9,294	9,000
	Spanish ...	...	...	1,041	2,179
	Massowah ...	...	3,100	...	3,069
	Port Said ...	12,100	11,300	16,491	11,195
Bhairab Bazar	English *panga*	...	...	1,629	7,800
	Spanish ...	...	...	...	...
Madaripur ...	English *panga*	...	...	...	...
	Masssowah ...	...	...	...	...
	Spanish ...	...	...	780	...
Chandpur ...	Aden ...	8,200	10,915	8,118	12,073
	Port Said ...	11,100	1,940	12,869	5,849
	Total ...	71,942	593,982	315,272	389,887

As compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year, the quantities admitted into bond and cleared from bond and shipboard were more by 725·64 and 23·67 per cent., respectively.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Third Forecast of the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1918-19.

[*Note.—On an average of the five years ending 1916-17, the area under the Cotton Crops in Bengal has represented some 0·3 per cent. of the total area under Cotton in India.*]

The "early" crop is chiefly grown in the Chittagong Hill Tracts and in the State of Hill Tippera and to a small extent in other districts. The "late" crop is unimportant and is mainly grown in Bankura and Midnapore.

Character of the season.—As stated in the Second Forecast the weather conditions were generally favourable although some damage was reported from Hill Tippera to the early crop through excessive rainfall in July and August. Subsequently the late crop suffered somewhat from absence of rain and the prospective outturn has, in consequence, been reduced. On the whole, however, a fairly good outturn is expected from both crops.

Area sown.—The total area sown, with the early crop, is reported to be 70,786 acres and that with the late crop 2,203 acres against 69,130 and 2,100 acres, respectively, reported in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

Outturn.—The estimated outturn of the early crop works out at 25,272 bales this year against 19,104 and 17,786 bales reported, respectively, in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year. The outturn of the late crop is estimated at 919 bales this year against 1,068 bales last year.

S. MILLIGAN,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DACCA :

The 8th December 1918.

Third Report on the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1918-19.

DISTRICT.	AREA (IN ACRES)— Of current year's crop (1918-19).	Of previous year's crop (1917-18).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or is less than (-) area in—			YIELD (IN BALES) OF 400 LBS. EACH— Of current year, i.e., of area in column 2	Of previous year, i.e., of area in column 4.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (-) area in—		Date at which the harvesting of the crops was began this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
					Column 3.							Column 8.			
			5 yrs.	10 yrs.		5 yrs.	10 yrs.			5 yrs.	10 yrs.		5 yrs	10 yrs.	
1	2	3	4		5	6		7	8	9		10	11		12	13
BENGAL-SIND.															
Bankura—															
Early ...	600*	800*	537	408	+100	+12	+47	228	139	277	209	+67	-19	+8	2.th October ...	(1)
Late ...	1,400*	1,400*	1,400	1,400	...	...	...	847	1,018	1,099	1,109	-17	-23	-24	.....	
Midnapore—																
Early ...	1,600*	1,500*	1,516	1,606	+7	-6	...	88	90	126	127	-2	-30	-31	November.	(2)
Late ...	700	700	620	578	...	+13	+21	49	58	46	41	-8	+7	+19	Will begin by the end of March next.	
Mymensingh—																
Early ...	23	17*	...	..	...	...	...	20	24	...	...	...	...	...	November and December.	(3)
Late ...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	
COMILLA.																
Chittagong Hill Tracts—																
Early ...	51,000	48,000	51,300	40 470	+6	-1	+26	21,675	14,400	19,449	15,384	+51	+11	+41	Beginning of November.	(4)
Late ...	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	.....	
Hill Tippera—																
Early ...	16 667	19,313	22 431	24,486	-14	-26	-32	3,116	3,136	4,739	4,538	-1	-34	-31	Last week of October to 1st week of November	(5)
Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	.....	
Total—																
Early	69,889	69,130	75,784	66,972	+1	-8	+4	25,124	17,786	24 591	20,228	+41	+2	+25		
Late	2,100	2,100	2,020	1,978	...	+4	+6	896	1,068	1,145	1,150	-16	-7	-22		
Total for (a) other Bengal districts which have started cultivation this year—																
Early	897	...	...	...	...	...	...	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	(6)
Late	103	...	...	...	...	..	...	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	.. ...	
GRAND TOTAL—																
Early	70,786	...	...	...	...	...	...	25,272	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Late	2,203	...	...	...	...	...	...	919	...	...	...	..	...	.		

(a) Nadia, Birbhum, Hooghly, Rangpur, Bogra, Malda, Dacca, Bakarganj, Chittagong, Tippera and Noakhali.
* Conventional area

(1) The weather was latterly rainless and was unfavourable to the growth of the crops Harvesting began as usual but could not be continued long as the plants dried up for want of rain before the full season The decrease in the outturn of late crop is due to want of rain since October
(2) Want of rain has affected the growth of the crops to some extent. The date of harvesting was normal
(3) The weather has been fair.
(4) The weather and general condition of the crop have been good The date of harvesting was normal.
(5) Since the submission of the second forecast, the weather has been favourable and the condition of the crop good. The date of harvesting was normal.
(6) The weather and general condition of the crops have not been favourable. The dates of harvesting were normal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 5th December 1918.

Summary.—There was practically no rain during the week excepting very scanty showers in a few districts. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Standing crops are suffering from drought. Transplantation of tobacco seedlings and sowing of wheat and some other spring crops are going on. Damage to standing crops by insects has been reported from some eastern districts. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by about 2·7 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	6⅜	6⅜	Harvesting of winter rice crop is going on. Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	6⅞	7½	
	Barrackpore	0·15	6¼	6¼	
	Barasat ...	Nil	9	9 1/16	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	7¾	7¾	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Prospects of standing crops are not favourable.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Meherpur ...	0·05	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	6½	6¾	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	6¾	7½	Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable. Rain is wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced in the Lalbagh and Jangipur subdivisions.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7	7½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Kandi ...	Nil	7¼	8	
4	Jessore ...	0·05	7	8	Harvesting of *aman* paddy is going on. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Standing crops are suffering from drought. Damage by insects is reported from Magura.
	Jhenidah ...	(*n*)	9	9	
	Magura ...	(*n*)	9	9½	
	Narail ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7	
	Bangaon ...	(*n*)	7 5/16	7	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	8	7	Condition and prospects of *aman* paddy are favourable. Harvesting is going on.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	9	9	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7	7½	Weather clear. All standing crops are suffering for want of moisture. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of potatoes continue. Condition of *rabi* crops is poor.
	Asansol ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	
	Katwa ...	Nil	7¼	7	
	Kalna ...	Nil	6½	6¼	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7	7	
	Rampurhat	Nil	7½	7	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	7½	8	Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Standing crops are suffering for want of rain.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7	7	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	8 1/16	8⅛	Outturn of jute is good. Prospects of sugarcane are fair. Harvesting of winter rice is going on.
	Ghatal ...	0·10	7⅞	6⅞	
	Tamluk ...	0·00	6¾	6¾	
	Contai ...	Nil	7⅓	8	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	6¾	7	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are unfavourable. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Polba.
	Serampore ...	0·09	6	6	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	8	8	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·03	6¼	6¼	Weather cloudy in the beginning of the week. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops continue.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	6½	6¾	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA)	Nil	8½	8	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects are unfavourable.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	9	9	
	Nator ...	Nil	8	8	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7 3/16	7 3/16	Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Prospects of winter rice are not good.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	11	10	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	8¼	(*n*)	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	7½	8	Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	7½	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	DARJEELING	0·09	7½	7½	*Marua* is being harvested. Winter rice is progressing favourably in places and harvesting has also commenced.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	7	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops has been finished. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Prospects of crops are fair.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8	8½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7	7	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Harvesting of winter paddy continues; outturn is poor.
18	PABNA ...	0·03"	7½	8	Weather cool and pleasant. Prospects of standing crops are bad. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is in full swing.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6¾	7	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops are not good. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced in places.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Transplantation of tobacco seedlings and harvesting of *haimanti* paddy are going on. Sowing of mustard seeds has been finished.
21	DACCA ...	0·00	6¾	(*n*)	Weather cold at night. Prospects of winter paddy and *rabi* crops are fair and damage by *ufra* disease and insects is reported from parts of the district. Cattle-disease (*tita*) is reported.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	6	7	
	Narayanganj	0·00	4 9/16	7	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	6	6¾	
22	MYMENSINGH	0·05	4 9/16	6 13/16	Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced. The price of rice is rising.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	8	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6⅜	6⅜	
	Netrokona ...	0·04	7	7½	
	Kishoreganj	Nil	7	7½	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	6¼	7½	*Aman* paddy has been slightly damaged by insects in the Goalundo subdivision. Prospects of crops are fair.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8½	8⅝	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	6½	7	
	Gopalganj*...	Nil	7	7	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	5½ / 8†	6	Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Patuakhali	Nil	6½ / 7½†	6½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7	(*n*)	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	8	9	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	8	10	*Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	7	7	Sowing of *rabi* crops continues in Chandpur. In Brahmanbaria subdivision winter paddy is being damaged by insects. Fodder is insufficient in Brahmanbaria.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8	8⅝	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7	7	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	7	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are progressing; prospects are good. Prices are gradually rising owing to export of rice.
	Feni ...	Nil	8½	8½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS	Nil	6	6	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of cotton crops has been nearly finished: outturn good.

* The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here | † New
(*n*) Not reported.

N. GUPTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, *the 9th December 1918.*

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 7th December 1918.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rice—				
Balam, coarse ...	5 6 0	5 0	0 2 6	0 3 6
„ medium ...	5 10 0	6 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
Patnai, coarse ...	5 14 0	6 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
„ medium ...	6 4 0	6 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
Nagra, coarse ...	5 12 0	6 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
„ medium ...	6 3 0	6 0	0 2 6	0 3 6
Dudhkalma ...	6 4 0	6 0	.....	.....
Rangoon Boiled ...	.....	..	0 2 0	0 2 6
Kajla	5 1 0	5 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
Wheat, Dudhia	7 12 0	.	.....	.....
„ Gangajali	.....	..	.....	.....
„ Jamali	7 0 0	..	.....	.....
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	6 0 0	6 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
„ dal	6 10 0	7 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
Mung , (Hari)	11 0 0	12 0	0 4 6	0 5 6
„ „ (Krishna) ...	10 4 0	10 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
Arhar „	8 0 0	11 0	0 3 0	0 4 0
Masur „ (split)	4 8 0	5 0	0 3 0	0 4 6
„ „ (khanri) ...	6 8 0	7 0	0 3 6	0 4 6
Kalai „	9 8 0	11 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
Salt (Liverpool)	3 2 6	...	0 1 9	.....
Sugar (brown Java) ...	10 8 0	...	0 4 9	0 6 0
Gur, Bheli ...	.....	...	0 2 6	0 3 0
„ Bhursut ...	8 8 0	9 2 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
Milk	9 0 0	10 0	0 3 0	0 5 0
Mustard oil	29 0 0	3 8 0	0 11 0	0 14 0
Flour (country)	10 0 0	110 0	0 4 3	0 5 0
Atta No. 3	5 12 0	...	0 3 0	0 5 0
„ „ 2½	6 4 0	...		
„ „ B	11 8 0	....		
Suji	11 12 0	1 2 0	0 5 0	0 6 0
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.) ...	80 0 0	8 0 0	2 2 0	2 4 0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	70 0 0	7 0 0	1 14 0	2 0 0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	66 0 0	0 0	1 12 0	.....
Maize	4 4 0	8 0	.....	.....
Potato	6 0 0	8 0	0 2 9	0 4 0
Patal	.....	.....	0 5 0	0 10 0
Brinjal	2 4 0	3 0 0	0 1 6	0 2 0
Onion	6 0 0	7 8 0	0 2 0	0 3 6
Fish, Rahu	16 0 0	0 0 0	0 6 0	0 12 0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 10 0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 4 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets :—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kareya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. RAY,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 7th December 1918.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 23rd November 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1918.							
17th Nov.	55·65	...	...	...	...	54·65	
18th ,,	55·6	...	...	...	...	55·0	Evening time has been changed from 6 P.M. to 5 P.M.
19th ,,	55·55	...	...	...	...	55·45	
20th ,,	55·55	...	...	...	...	55·8	
21st ,,	55·5	...	...	...	...	56·3	
22nd ,,	55·6	...	...	...	...	56·3	
23rd ,,	55·6	...	...	...	...	55·95	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·5
5th September	1909	...	67·86
10th August	1910	...	69·86
1st ,,	1911	...	68 46
18th ,,	1912	...	67·16
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1
28rd February	1907	...	51·06
13th ,,	1908	...	51·06
12th March	1912	...	51·06
6th ,,	1914	...	50·6
22nd February	1915	...	50·8
15th ,,	1916	...	50·6
3rd March	1917	...	51·0

Taken at high tide.

Taken at low tide.

DACCA,
The 4th December 1918.

J. K. BHATTACHARYYA,
for *Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 30th November 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1918.							
24th Nov.	55·3	...	...	...	...	55·8	
25th ,,	55·0	8-5 P.M.	55.7	10-25 A.M.	54·7	55·4	Tide turned at 10-30 A.M and 8-12 P.M.
26th ,,	54·6	3-45 ,,	55·5	11-25 ,,	54·1	55·25	Tide turned at 11-30 A.M. and 3-55 P.M.
27th ,,	54·6	4-30 ,,	55·2	12-40 P.M.	53·8	54 8	Tide turned at 12-48 and 4-37 P.M.
28th ,,	54·4	5-10 ,,	54·8	1-8 ,,	53·6	54·7	Tide turned at 1-12 and 5-45 P.M.
29th ,,	54·8	6-53 A.M.	55·0	1-56 ,,	53·7	54 7	Tide turned at 2-5 P.M. and 7 A.M
30th ,,	55·2	7-15 ,,	55·3	2-36 ,,	53·9	54·8	Tide turned at 2-40 P.M. and 7-20 A.M.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	70·5
5th September	1909	...	67 86
10th August	1910	...	69·86
1st ,,	1911	...	68·46
18th ,,	1912	...	67·16
31st ,,	1915	...	69·7
18th ,,	1916	...	68·1
12th ,,	1917	...	67·1
28rd February	1907	...	51·06
13th ,,	1908	...	51·06
12th March	1912	...	51 06
6th ,,	1914	...	50 6
22nd February	1915	...	50 8
15th ,,	1916	...	50 6
3rd March	1917	...	51·0

Taken at high tide.

Taken at low tide

DACCA,
The 4th December 1918.

J. K, BHATTACHARYYA,
for *Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 30th November 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remark
1918.					
24th Nov.	7 A.M.	11·5	11·5	11·6	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
25th ,,	7 ,,	11·2	11·2	11·3	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
26th ,,	7 ,,	10·9	10·9	11·0	
27th ,,	7 ,,	10·5	10·5	10·8	
28th ,,	7 ,,	10·3	10·3	13·6	Its reduced level is 22·41.
29th ,,	7 ,,	10·2	10·2	13·5	
30th ,,	7 ,,	10·1	10·1	13·3	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 9th August 1917
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	1·3 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	... ...	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 30th November 1918.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 30th November 1918.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level: HEIGHT OF SURFACE ABOVE MEAN SEA-LEVEL, Old value.	According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year, Old B. M.	Remarks.
1918.						
24th Nov.	8 A.M.	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	45·52	39·20	49·60	B. M. on College steps 63·42.
25th ,,	8 ,,		45·42	39·10	49·50	
26th ,,	8 ,,		45·32	39·00	49·40	
27th ,,	8 ,,		45·27	38·95	49·20	
28th ,,	8 ,,		45·17	38·85	49·00	
29th ,,	8 ,,		45·12	38·80	48·80	
30th ,,	8 ,,		45·02	38·70	18·70	

			Value according to old gauge.	Value according to new value of B. M. – 63·42.
The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60·18
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	... 40·15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 33·83
Record	... ...	Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62·93
Do	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1880	... 62·76
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 68·80 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 61·89
Do	... ...	Lowest ,,	... 37·63 on 25th April 1881	... 31·31
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883	... 31·81
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32·70
Do.	... ...	Ditto ,,	... 39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32·96

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 30th November 1918.

M. SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 7th December 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 7th December 1918.			Week ending Saturday, the 8th December 1917.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	974	131,230	2,344	582	50,726	818
Jute	155	80,167*	899	151	63,955†	843
Firewood	74	38,175	567	90	50,180	745
Other articles	756	171,532	2,405	749	174,054	2,333
Total ...	1,959	421,104	6,215	1,572	338,915	4,739
Empty boats and rafts ...	657	...	1,541	434	...	944
Grand Total ...	2,616	421,104	7,756	2,006	338,915	5,683

				Mds.
*	Weight by canal measurement	... ...		88,167½
†	Ditto ditto	... ...		60,800

CALCUTTA,
The 10th December 1918.

A. W. DAVIS.
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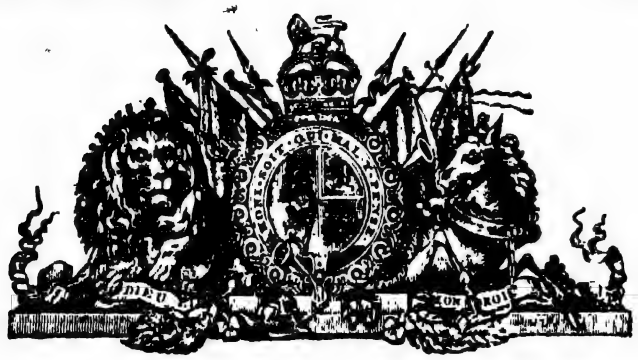

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 7315A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 7082A.—The 10th December 1918.*—Mr. W. R. Gourlay, C.I.E., I.C.S., is appointed substantively to the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the 21st November 1918.

No. 7084A.—The 10th December 1918.—Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Officiating Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Bengal, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 24th November 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 7116A.—The 10th December 1918.—Mr. A. J. Dash, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Noakhali.

Noakhali.

No. 7119A.—The 10th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. H. G. Blomfield, I.C.S., Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to be Additional District Magistrate, Bakarganj, for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Bakarganj.

No. 7145A.—The 11th December 1918.—Mr. L. Birley, C.I.E., I.C.S., is appointed substantively to the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the 6th December 1918.

No. 7147A.—The 11th December 1918.—The Hon'ble Mr. M. C. McAlpin, I.C.S., Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 6th December 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 7150A.—The 11th December 1918.—Mr. F. A. Sachse, I.C.S., Officiating Director of Land Records, Bengal, is confirmed in that apppointment with effect from the 6th December 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 7171A.—The 12th December 1918.—Mr. R. W. Morde, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Bakarganj district.

Bakarganj.

No. 7197A.—The 13th December 1918.—Mr. Sharat Chandra Ghosh, Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of that district during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Burdwan.

No. 7262A.—The 14th December 1918.—Mr. L. Birley, C.I.E., I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the 6th December 1918.

Burdwan.

POLICE.—*No. 7204A.—The 13th December 1918.*—Mr. J. C. Farmer, Superintendent of Police, is appointed to be Superintendent of Police, Faridpur.

Faridpur.

No. 7206A.—The 13th December 1918.—Mr. G. L. H. Stein, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Faridpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police of that district.

Faridpur.

No. 7208A.—The 13th December 1918.—Mr. Sukumar Sen Gupta, Deputy Superintendent of Police, is posted to the Sadar B Division of the 24-Parganas district, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Faridpur.

Faridpur.
24-Parganas.

No. 7210A.—The 13th December 1918.—Mr. R. E. A. Ray substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 7213A.—The 13th December 1918.—Mr. B. Wardle, Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Special Superintendent of Police in the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal.

Dacca.
Calcutta.

No. 7215A.—The 13th December 1918.—Mr. D. M. C. Whitmore-Clarke, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted to the Narayanganj subdivision of the Dacca district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Superintendent of Police in the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal.

Calcutta.
Dacca.

RESIGNATION.

GENERAL.—*No. 7217A.—The 13th December 1918.*—Mr. W. B. Thomson has been permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 21st November 1918.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 7261A.—The 14th December 1918.*—The following promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the Executive branch of the Provincial Civil Service :—

Promoted substantively to the first grade.

Babu Bisweswar Bhattacharji, with effect from the 28th July 1918, *vice* Babu Nityananda Bhar, confirmed as Deputy Collector of Land Revenue and Collector of Excise and of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta.

Confirmed in the second grade.

Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Mr. Srigopal Bhattacharji, confirmed as a Magistrate and Collector of the third grade.

Babu Ashutosh Banarji, with effect from the 28th July 1918, *vice* Babu Bisweswar Bhattacharji, promoted to the first grade.

Confirmed in the third grade.

Babu Annada Charan Gupta, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, confirmed in the second grade.

Babu Debendra Prasad Ray, with effect from the 28th July 1918, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Banarji, confirmed in the second grade.

Promoted substantively to the third grade.

Babu Atul Chandra Datta, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* Mr. Suresh Chandra Sen (No. I), appointed a Magistrate and Collector of the third grade.

Confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Harendra Kumar Ghosh (No. II), with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Annada Charan Gupta, confirmed in the third grade.

Babu Ashutosh Chatarji, with effect from the 28th July 1918, *vice* Babu Debendra Prasad Ray, confirmed in the third grade.

Promoted substantively to the fourth grade.

Babu Narendra Kumar Sen, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* Babu Krishna Lal De, retired.

Babu Hari Charan Bose, with effect from the 16th August 1918, *vice* Babu Atul Chandra Kar, retired.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade.*

Babu Gyanendra Chandra Mukharji, with effect from the 1st August 1918.

Confirmed in the fifth grade.

Mr. R. W. Morde, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Babu Harendra Kumar Ghosh (No. II), confirmed in the fourth grade.

Mr. A. F. M. 'Abdul 'Ali, with effect from the 28th July 1918, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Chatarji, confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Surendra Mohan Basu, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* Babu Narendra Kumar Sen, promoted to the fourth grade.

Maulvi Abdul Majid (No. I), with effect from the 1st August 1918.

Babu Jogendra Lal Nandi, with effect from the 16th August 1918, *vice* Babu Hari Charan Bose, promoted to the fourth grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fifth grade.*

Babu Lalit Kumar Sen, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* Babu Surendra Mohan Basu, confirmed.

Maulvi Mustafiz-ur-Rahman Khan, with effect from the 16th August 1918, *vice* Babu Jogendra Lal Nandi, confirmed.

Khan Sahib Abdul Khair Kabiruddin Ahmad, with effect from the 27th August 1918, *vice* Mr. A. J. W. Harris, seconded while on deputation with the Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

Confirmed in the sixth grade.

Babu Satish Chandra Upadhyaya, with effect from the 16th July 1918, *vice* Mr. R. W. Morde, confirmed in the 5th grade.

Babu Rebati Nath Chatarji, with effect from the 28th July 1918, *vice* Mr. A. F. M. 'Abdul 'Ali, confirmed in the fifth grade.

Babu Karali Charan Gangali, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* Babu Surendra Mohan Basu, confirmed in the fifth grade.

Babu Mani Mohan Ghosh, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Majid (No. I), confirmed in the fifth grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the sixth grade.*

Babu Kanti Chandra Mukharji, with effect from the 1st August 1918, *vice* Babu Karali Charan Gangali, confirmed.

Babu Gyanendra Mohan Chaudhuri, with effect from the 16th August 1918.

Maulvi Muhammad Hedayat Ali, with effect from the 27th August 1918, *vice* Khan Sahib Abdul Khair Kabiruddin Ahmad, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade.

Confirmed in the seventh grade.

Babu Dwijendra Nath Sen, with effect from the 16th July 1918.

Maulvi Sirajul Islam, with effect from the 28th July 1918.

,, Quamaruddin Muhammad, with effect from the 11th September 1918.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 7194A.—The 13th December 1918.*—Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan, is allowed leave for seventeen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Burdwan.

No. 7234A.—The 13th December 1918.—Rai Priya Lal Gangali Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for twenty-nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th November 1918.

24-Parganas.

No. 7265A.—The 14th December 1918.—Maulvi Abdul Majid (No. II), Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is allowed leave for two months and four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd November 1918.

Noakhali.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9488For.—The 14th December 1918.—Under the provisions of section 19 of the Indian Forest Act (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council declares that the forest situated in the Jalpaiguri district and the limits of which are specified below is reserved forest with effect from the 1st February 1919. This forest will be known as Nilpara Reserve. Its approximate area is 360 acres :—

Boundaries.

North—Jotes Nos. 2532, 2108 and 1790.
East—Jotes Nos. 1786, 1659, 3340, jote A, jotes Nos. 622, 757, 3291.
South—A demarcated line from the south-west corner of jote No. 3291 to north-east corner of jote No. 1335, then jote No. 1335.
West—Jotes Nos. 806, 1334, 3344, 1648, 2659, 2662, 3323 and 3324.

Statement of Rights and Privileges.

No rights and privileges are granted in the Nilpara Reserve, with the exception of an existing right-of-way from Nilpara to Kalchini.

No. 9329L.R.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (*2*) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885(Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the external boundaries of the undermentioned Government estate in the district of Faridpur :—

Faridpur.

Serial No.	Name of estate mahal.	Tauzi No.
1	Diara Gopalpur	6513

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;
(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;
(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;
(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;
(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;
(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise ;
(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which it increases ;
(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;
(*i*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;
(*j*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and if so entitled, under what authority.

No. 9330L.R.—The 11th December 1918.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, (V of 1875), the Governor of Bengal in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all lands comprised in Government estate mahal Diara Gopalpur bearing tauzi No. 6513 in the district of Faridpur, and that the boundaries of the estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

Faridpur.

No. 9337L.R.—The 11th December 1918.—It is hereby notified that the survey carried out under the orders of Government under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), and sub-section (*l*) of section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), and embodied in the marginally-noted notifications, is adopted as defining villages for the purposes of clause 10 (*b*) of section 3 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), in the police-station Alfadanga, in the district of Jessore.

Jessore.

No. 10778L.R., dated the 17th November 1914, published at page 2059, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th November 1914.
No. 6798L.R., dated the 8th September 1917, published at page 1458, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th September 1917.

No. 9470L.R.—The 14th December 1918.—Rai Sahib Hara Kishor Biswas, Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Mymensingh, is also appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Rangpur, Pabna and Bogra, with effect from the 9th November 1918.

Mymensingh. Rangpur. Pabna. Bogra.

No. 9480L.R.—The 14th December 1918.—Babu Surendra Nath Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as Sadar Subdivisional Officer in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Khas Tahsildar, Noakhali, *vice* Babu Girija Bhusan Ghosal, reverted to general duty.

Noakhali.

No. 9486L.A.—The 14th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a police sub-section house at No. 6, Dum-Dum Road, in the village of Gupta Brindaban, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·9091 of an acre, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By premises Nos. 6-3, 6-4 and 6-6, Dum-Dum road,

East—By premises Nos. 6-1, 6-12-1, 6-13 and 6-14, Dum-Dum road,

South—By the drain of Dum-Dum road,

West—By premises No. 5, Dum-Dum road,

is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Gupta Brindaban.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section.

No. 9437Agri.—The 13th December 1918.—Mr. T. Southwell, Director of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa, is allowed combined leave for fifteen months, with effect from the 18th December 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 and furlough on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 308 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 9435Agri.—The 13th December 1918.—Dr. Baini Prashad, Superintendent of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa, is appointed to act as Director of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. Southwell, with effect from the 18th December 1918, or any subsequent date on which the latter may avail himself of the leave.

No. 9439Agri.—The 13th December 1918—Babu Surendra Nath Ghosh Zoological Assistant under the Director of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa, is appointed to act as a Superintendent of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa, *vice* Dr. Baini Prashad, who will act as Director of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. Southwell, with effect from the 18th December 1918, or any subsequent date on which Mr. T. Southwell may avail himself of the leave.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9253L.A.—The 10th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Talberia, pargana Belfulia, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·02 acres bounded on the—

Jessore.

North—By the lands of Nilkamal Chakrabarty and Annada Charan Das,
East—By the lands of Annada Charan Das, Rupchand Das and Umesh Chandra Das,
South—By the lands of Umesh Chandra Das, Jnanada Prosad Das, Sarat Chandra Das and Dwijabar Das,
West—By the lands of Dwijabar Das, Taraknath Das, Nilkamal Chakrabarty and Syama Charan Das,

is required within the aforesaid village of Talberia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Narail.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9361L.A.—The 12th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of a chera under the Burgoyne Bridge, Part II, in the village of Hashimpur, thana Patiya, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·29 of an acre, bounded on the—

Chittagong.

North—By parts of c. s. plots Nos. 1954, 1953, 10740, 1948, 1949, 1925, 1924, 1923,
East—By parts of c. s. plots Nos. 1923, 1924, 1925,
South—By parts of c. s. plots Nos. 1949, 1948, 10740 and acquired land,
West—By acquired land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Hashimpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION

No. 9364L.A.—The 12th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of a chara under bridge No. 38 on the Kadalpur road, in the village of Kadalpur, thana Rauzan, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·33 acre, bounded on the—

Chittagong.

North—By khal (c. s. plot No. 14018) and parts of c. s. plots Nos. 14097, 14096, 14008, 14072, 14071,

East—By parts of c. s. plots Nos. 14097, 14096. 14087, 14088, 14090, 14091, 14082, 14078, 14076, 14070,

South—By parts of c. s. plots Nos. 14008, 14072, 14071,

West—By parts of c. s. plots Nos. 14087, 14088, 14082, 14089, 14078, 14077, 14075, 14074 and 14071 and road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kadalpur,

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9419L.A.—The 13th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dinajpur for a public purpose, viz., for a road from Birampur to Sotapir in continuation of the existing road of 5,500 feet in length passing east to west up to the river Jamuna through the villages of Beldanga, Khiorpragpur, Palipragpur and Bhagabatipur, pargana Gilabari, thana Fulbari, zilla Dinajpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land 32 feet in breadth and 5,309 feet in length and measuring, more or less, 4·12 acres, is required within the aforesaid villages of Beldanga, Khiorpragpur, Palipragpur and Bhagabatipur.

Dinajpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Balurghat.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9458L.A.—The 14th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the new storeyard at Saidpur, in the village of Koya, pargana Kazirhat, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·631 of an acre, bounded on the—

Rangpur.

North—By the lands of Ram Charan Baroi and Raghubar Upadhay,

East and South—By the Railway land,

West—By the lands of Raghubar Upadhay and Ujir,

is required within the aforesaid village of Koya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Rangpur.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9461L.A.—The 14th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of Bhanga H E. School, in the village of Hashamdia, pargana Habeli, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·90 of an acre, bounded on the—

Faridpur.

North—By the land already acquired for Bhanga H. E. School and Babu Annada Charan Bhattacharjee's house,
East—By the road, the land acquired for H. E. School, Bhanga, and Kamini Babu's house,
South—By Parbati Babu's house, Sub-Registry Office and the land acquired for H. E. School,
West—By the District Board road and the land acquired for Bhanga H. E. School,

is required within the aforesaid village of Hashamdia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Faridpur.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9464L.A.—The 14th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of two hostels and a play-ground for the Ulubaria High English School, in the village of Parijat, pargana Birh, zilla Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5·81 acres, bounded on the—

Howrah.

North—By the Public Works Department Bund,
East—By Thanda Kalu's homestead land, tank and garden, and Sali lands of Gopal Ch. Pal and Jonab Molla,
South—By Sali lands of Golam Hakkani Kazi, Balai Shaw and Jonab Molla,
West—By the Parijat village road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Parijat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Ulubaria.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal

DECLARATION.

No. 9467L.A.—The 14th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Murshidabad for a public purpose, viz., for re-excavation of the tank named "Talbona" at Dain, in the village of Dain, pargana Sultanujal, district Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·75 acres, bounded on the—

Murshidabad.

North—By the lands of Jahur Shaikh and Manohar Chowkidar,
East—By the village road,
South—By the road to Hilora,
West—By the houses of Rohim Shaikh and Earat Shaikh,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dain.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Jangipur, district Murshidabad.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 9281Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—Babu Srish Chandra Chakravarti, District Sub-Registrar, Jalpaiguri, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-one days in continuation of the leave already granted to him.

Jalpaiguri.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9283Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdur Razzak to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Sripur, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 9284Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdur Razzak to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Sripur, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 9287Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Abdur Razzak Khundkar to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Singair, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 9288Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Abdur Razzak Khundkar to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Singair, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 9291Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Gafur to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Aricha, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 9292Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Gafur to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Aricha, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca. *No. 9295 Regn.—The 11th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Quddus to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Kaliganj and Kapasia, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca. *No. 9296 Regn.—The 11th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Quddus to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Kaliganj and Kapasia, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca. *No. 9299 Regn.—The 11th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiduddin Ahmad to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Manikganj and Saturia, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca. *No. 9300 Regn.—The 11th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Saiduddin Ahmad to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Manikganj and Saturia, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca. *No 9303 Regn.—The 11th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Qudratullah to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Sealo-Ghior, in the district of Dacca.

Dacca. *No. 9304 Regn.—The 11th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Qudratullah to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Sealo-Ghior, in the district of Dacca.

Pabna. *No. 9309 Regn.—The 11th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Enayet Karim to act temporarily as a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Atgharia and Sara, in the district of Pabna, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Mohsin, or until further orders.

Pabna. *No. 9310 Regn.—The 11th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Enayet Karim to act temporarily as the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Atgharia and Sara, in the district of Pabna, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Mohsin, or until further orders.

No. 9315Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Nurul Anam to act temporarily as a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Baranagar, Chitpur and Cossipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Khairul Anam, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 9316Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Nurul Anam to act temporarily as the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Baranagar, Chitpur and Cossipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Khairul Anam, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 9321Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Mannan to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Meherpur, Karimpur, Gangani and Tehatta, in the district of Nadia.

Nadia.

No. 9322Regn.—The 11th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Mannan to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Meherpur, Karimpur, Gangani and Tehatta, in the district of Nadia

Nadia.

No. 9400Regn.—The 12th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Fazlul Haq to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-stations Jessore (Kotwali) and Chaugacha, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Raqibuddin, deceased.

Jessore.

No. 9401Regn.—The 12th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Fazlul Haq to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-stations Jessore (Kotwali) and Chaugacha, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Raqibuddin, deceased.

Jessore.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 224Eccle.—The 12th December 1918.—The Rev. W. A. H. Parker, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Peter's Church, Fort William, Calcutta, with effect from the 30th November 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 229Eccle.—The 13th December 1918.—The Rev. Canon J. F. Smith, a Senior Chaplain of the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is granted combined leave for two years, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for three months, under articles 593 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough without medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 583 (*a*) of the Regulations, with effect from the 1st January 1919 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 232Eccle.—The 13th December 1918.—The following notification issued by the Government of the Punjab is republished for general information:—

No. 21646M., dated Lahore, the 29th November 1918..

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of the Punjab.

THE services of the Reverend T. A. Thomson, Chaplain of Kasauli, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the date on which he relinquishes charge of his appointment at Kasauli.

No 234Eccle.—The 14th December 1918.—The Rev. J. Godber, a Junior Chaplain of the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is appointed to act as Additional Chaplain of St John's Church, Calcutta, with effect from the 17th November 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 1137San.—The 14th December 1918.—Mr. F. C. Griffin, Assistant Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, is appointed to act as Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 2nd December 1918, during the absence on leave of Mr. G. B. Williams.

Notification No. 1059San., dated the 19th November 1918, is hereby cancelled

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Imperial Library.

NOTICE.

No. 1257Misc.—The 16th December 1918.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, during the Christmas and New Year Holidays, the Reading Room of the Library will be closed on the 25th December 1918. On all the other days (including Sunday, the 29th December, and New Year's Day) it will be open from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 226Eccle.—The 12th December 1918.—In Notification No. 57T.—Eccle., dated the 9th October 1918, published at page 1473, of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th October 1918 *for* "The Rev. Arthur Le Feuvre" *read* "The Rev. Arthur Patton-Le Feuvre."

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3363S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1919 will consist of about 5,600 chests of Benares Opium prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1916-17 and 1917-18 in the proportion marginally noted.

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory

	Chests.
Supply from 1916-17	39
Ditto 1917-18	5,561
Total ...	5,600

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held are specified below. The Government of Bengal reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

1st sale ...	... Tuesday,	7th January.
2nd ,, ..	... Tuesday,	4th February.
3rd ,, ...	... Tuesday,	4th March.
4th ,, ...	... Wednesday,	2nd April.
5th ,, ...	... Tuesday,	6th May.
6th ,, ...	... Tuesday,	10th June.
7th ,, ...	... Tuesday,	1st July.
8th ,, ...	... Wednesday,	6th August.
9th ,, ...	... Tuesday,	2nd September,
10th ,, ...	... Tuesday,	14th October.
11th ,, ...	... Tuesday,	4th November.
12th ,, ...	... Tuesday,	2nd December.

3. The quantity to be sold monthly will ordinarily be notified before each sale, but Government reserve to themselves the right, at any time, without previous notice to reduce the quantity or alter the class of opium to be offered for sale.

4. The following are the conditions of sale. Government reserve to themselves the right of altering all or any of these conditions after giving three months' previous notice, and power is reserved to vary the upset price referred to in condition (ii) at any time without such previous notice:—

(i) The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

(ii) The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 3,200 per chest of uncertified opium and will be sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by clause (xiii) of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

(iii) The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of Government, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Government may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

(iv) Each lot shall ordinarily contain five chests.

(v) A promissory note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such promissory notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs 3,600 per chest, Rs 800 per chest.

On bids of Rs. 3,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 4,000 per chest, Rs. 900 per chest.

On bids of Rs. 4,000 and upwards, but less than Rs. 4,400 per chest, Rs. 1,000 per chest.

And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as Government shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

(vi) The said promissory notes shall be absolutely payable in any event and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or, whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

(vii) The promissory notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale, or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

(viii) No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause (v) on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted: provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said promissory note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given, or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. (v) and No. (vi).

(ix) The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day after the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as Government shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

(x) Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorising the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

(xi) No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

(xii) The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a promissory note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

(xiii) With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs. 5 at a time until a bid is

obtained ; and the first *bona fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 3,200 specified in the second of these conditions.

(xiv) The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of opium not exceeding altogether ten lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said ten.

(xv) In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

5. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal :—

No. 1.—Certificate of the opium advertised for sale.
No. 2.—Report of the examination of such opium.

6. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Ghazipur Factory, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal.

7. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Government entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 9th December 1918.*

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5557Emi.—The 12th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*3*) of section 116-C of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), as amended by the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915 (VIII of 1915), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that Mr. Percy Douglas Kirkham, who has been appointed temporarily to be a supervisor by the Assam Labour Board under sub-section (*1*) of the said section, shall, during the period of his such temporary appointment, exercise the powers and perform the duties conferred and imposed upon supervisors by rules made by the Governor General in Council under clause (*e*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 116-F, the said Act and published with the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 295-132C., dated the 20th November 1915, throughout the Presidency of Bengal.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt of. Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2884Medl.—The 11th December 1918.—Mr. Arnold Jenkins is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Eden Sanitarium and Hospital, Darjeeling, with effect from the 31st October 1918, *vice* Mr. G. Nash, resigned.

Darjeeling.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7316A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 7191A.—The 13th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. B. S. Corbet the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Rangpur, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Nilphamari subdivision of the said district,

Rangpur.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Saidpur Bench in the said district.

POWERS.

No. 7171A.—The 12th December 1918.—Mr. R. W. Morde, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the Bakarganj district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and also with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Bakarganj.

No. 7174A.—The 12th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. R. W. Morde, a Magistrate of the first class, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the district of Bakarganj, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (*3*) of the section.

Bakarganj.

No. 7200A.—The 13th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Nalini Kanta Ray, an Honorary Magistrate of the Patuakhali Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Bakarganj, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench—

Bakarganj.

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said Bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Patuakhali subdivision of the said district.

No. 7202A.—The 13th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Maulvi Fazlul Karim, an Honorary Magistrate at Patuakhali, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Bakarganj, for the period during which he has been directed to sit at Patuakhali.

Bakarganj.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 4387J.—The 11th December 1918.—Babu Rajendra Lal Sadhu, Munsif, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Chittagong, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Banwari Lal Banarji, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

LEAVE.

No. 4384J.—The 11th December 1918.—Babu Banwari Lal Banarji, Subordinate Judge of Chittagong, is allowed leave from the 7th November 1918 to the 23rd December 1918, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Chittagong.

H. P. DUVAL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3565P.J.—The 14th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Panchupur police-station in the district of Rajshahi, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the villages specified in the following Schedule which have hitherto been included in that police-station shall be included in the police-station Raninagar in the same district:—

Rajshahi.

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Panchupur.	Remarks.
Mohikuri	... 63 (part of) ...	Previous jurisdiction list No. 95.
Sirkuri	... 268 (part of) ...	„ „ „ „ 409.
Drotobaria	... 217 (part of) ...	„ „ „ „ 442.

No. 3566P.J.—The 14th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Raninagar police-station in the district of Rajshahi,

Rajshahi.

and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the villages specified in the following Schedule which have hitherto been included in that police-station shall be included in the police-station Panchupur in the same district :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Panchupur.	Remarks.
Kabirgari ...	181 (part of) ...	Previous jurisdiction list No. 338.
Hapania ...	269 (part of) ...	„ „ „ „ 407.

Mymensingh.

No. 3535P.J.—The 14th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898) and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Akasri police-station, in the district of Mymensingh, and to the boundaries of that area, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the villages specified in the following Schedule which have hitherto been included in that police-station shall be included in the police-station Kendua in the same district :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Kendua.	Remarks.
Palra ...	269	Called Parla in the previous list.
Sajiura ...	268	Called Baniagati in the previous list.
Telipara ...	267	.....
Tetulia ...	266	Called Hariamala in the previous list.
Harulia Charitala ...	239	Two villages Charitala Harulia and Manang in the previous list.
Chaukidhara ...	238	.....
Baratala ...	233	Four villages. viz., Gogda (part), Battala Khurd, Battala and Mankuria in the previous list.
Chhaydun ...	234	Two villages Chhaydun and Tapiargati in the previous list.
Gogda ...	235	Two villages Gogda (part) and Lakshmipur in the previous list.
Muzaffarpur ...	236	.....
Dighabalia ...	270	Called Parla in the previous list.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th December 1918.

No. 122.—The following extract from a notification issued by the Government of India, in the Army Department is republished for information :—

No. 2844, dated the 6th December 1918.

* * * * * * *

3rd Sappers and Miners.

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Lieutenant C. W. T. Green, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be Acting Captain while commanding a Company. Dated 24th September 1918, *vice* Lieutenant (Acting Captain) R. A. Drake Brockman, Royal Engineers, vacated with effect from the 9th September 1918.

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The 14th December 1918.

No. 124.—Babu Monmohan Sen Gupta, Overseer, Chittagong Division, is appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of the Executive Engineer, Chittagong Division, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Babu Jatindra Nath Mullik, Officiating Executive Engineer, or until further orders.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Fourth publication.]

The 25th November 1918.

No. 5.—The following draft of a notification which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to issue, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 10th January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules for the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala, published with Notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904, at pages 744—746 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*, as amended by Notification No. 16, dated the 13th November 1916, namely :—

For rule 28 of the said rules, *substitute* the following rule :—

"28. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given ; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained."

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th December 1918.

No. 123.—Babu Radha Ballav Sarkar, Overseer, Darjeeling Division, is granted privilege leave for twenty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th November 1918.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 7317A.

No. 7168A.—The 12th December 1918.—Babu Haridas Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 7th November 1918.

No. 7189A.—The 13th December 1918.—Babu Upendra Mohan Basu, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bogra, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Bogra.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 494.—The 12th December 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Zarghamuddin Hyder Hasony, Sub-Registrar of Domkal-Azimganj, in the district of Murshidabad, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Murshidabad.

No. 495.—The 12th December 1918.—Babu Jitendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for nineteen days, in extension of the leave for one month allowed to him in this Department Notification No. 465, dated the 26th November 1918.

Jessore.

No. 496.—The 12th December 1918.—Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Yusuf, Sub-Registrar of Sitakund, in the district of Chittagong, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Chittagong.

No. 497.—The 14th December 1918.—Maulvi Abdul Bari, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Bankura, is allowed leave on medical certificate for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 454, dated the 23rd November 1918.

Bankura.

No. 498.—The 14th December 1918.—Babu Charu Chandra Lahiri, Sub-Registrar of Mirpur, in the district of Nadia, is allowed leave for one month and four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th November 1918.

Nadia.

No. 499.—The 14th December 1918.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabatti, Sub-Registrar of Sujanagar, in the district of Pabna, is allowed leave for one month and two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd November 1918.

Pabna.

No. 500.—The 14th December 1918.—Babu Umesh Chandra De, Probationer of Mymensingh, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Sujanagar, in the district Pabna, with effect from the 10th December 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabatti, or until further orders.

Mymensingh.
Pabna.

No. 501.—The 14th December 1918.—Babu Surendra Chandra Khan, Sub-Registrar of Saltora, in the district of Bankura, was allowed leave on private affairs, under article 337 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 25th October 1918 to the 14th November 1918.

Bankura.

No. 502.—The 14th December 1918.—Maulvi Afsaruddin Ahmad, Probationer of Dacca, is allowed extraordinary leave without allowances for three months, under rule (2) to article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave on medical certificate for three months, granted to him in Notification No. 348, dated the 14th September 1918.

Dacca.

No. 503.—The 14th December 1918.—Babu Sarat Chandra Barman, Sub-Registrar of Gaibandha, in the district of Rangpur, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Rangpur.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABU SATISH CHANDRA UPADHYAY, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, has been placed in the executive charge of the Jalpaiguri Treasury with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd December 1918, in place of Babu Lalit Kumar Sen, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

F. W. STRONG, *Deputy Commissioner.*

JALPAIGURI, *the 3rd December 1918.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

High Court, Original Side.

THE Hon'ble the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, appointed Mr. Surendra Nath Roy, Barrister-at Law, substantively *pro tempore* on full pay, to be an Assistant Registrar on a salary of Rs. 400 to 600 a month on the Original Side of this Court, with effect from 21st November 1918, in place of Mr. Satish Chandra Mitra, Barrister-at-Law, who has been appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be Registrar and Chief Ministerial Officer of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta.

By order,
J. H. HECHLE,
Registrar.

CALCUTTA, *the 10th December 1918.*

BABU NAGENDRA NATH CHATARJI, No. II, Subordinate Judge of Pabna, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is appointed to be a District Delegate under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the executive district of Pabna, and Babu Amritalal Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Pabna, in the same district, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Pabna.

By order of the High Court,
N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL,
The 12th December 1918.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD POST OFFICE, MANBHUM.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

AN examination for first class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held on the 17th, 18th and 19th February 1919. An examination for second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency will be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th February 1919. Both examinations will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, " these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad Post Office, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 17th January 1919.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 30th October 1918.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4510Sales.—The 11th December 1918.—In supersession of the Notification No. 2598., dated the 19th January 1914, it is hereby notified under the provisions of section 3, Act XI of 1859, that the Board of Revenue has determined that in the district of Jalpaiguri all arrears of revenue and all demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realised in the said manner as arrears of revenue, shall, in the case of the undermentioned classes of estates, be paid on or before the following dates in each year :—

Temporarily-settled tea estates ...	1st October. 1st April.
Jotedars in Western Duars and other Government estates.	1st December. 1st April.

2. This order shall take effect from April 1st, 1919.

F. D. ASCOLI,
Secy. to the Board of Revenue, Bengal.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. for the transaction of only urgent business on the following days during the ensuing X'mas holidays:—

28th and 30th December 1918.

N. BHAR,
Collector of Stamp Revenue.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 7th December 1918.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4760J.—Maulvi Fazlul Azim, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is allowed privilege leave for 30 days with effect from the 14th November 1918, under article 242 *(a)* of the Civil Service Regulations.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 9th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4749J.—Maulvi Abdul Ghafur, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is posted to Nator subdivision of that district.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 13th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4756J.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the general election held on the 20th November 1918, the following gentlemen were duly elected to be Commissioners of the Faridpur Municipality for the several wards mentioned against their names:—

Ward No. I	...	1. Babu Surendra Nath Chaudhury. 2. „ Surendra Nath Roy, M.A., B.L. 3. „ Satish Chandra Dutta
„ „ II	...	1. Babu Purna Chandra Maitra, B.L. 2. Maulvi Abdul Karim, B.A.
„ „ III	...	1. Babu Tarak Chandra Chatterjee. 2. „ Lalit Kumar Bose.
„ „ IV	...	1. Maulvi S. Tamizuddin Khan, M.A., B.L. 2. Babu Loke Nath Sircar.
„ „ V	...	1. Babu Nibaran Chandra Ray. 2. „ Tarak Nath Guha. 3. „ Khitish Chandra Ganguli, B.L.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 9th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the 16th February 1919 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner of Ward No. V of the Chandrakona Municipality in the district of Midnapore in place of Babu Nityananda Chandra, deceased.

D. H LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3172M.—It is hereby notified that under section 19(*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act, III (B. C.) of 1885, as amended by Act V (B. C.) of 1908, I appoint Maulvi Zakaria Saber as a member of the Kurigram Local Board, in the district of Rangpur, *vice* Maulvi Abdus Samad, deceased.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 11th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 19(*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Janaki Nath Mukherjee is appointed to be a member of the Sadar Local Board in the district of Birbhum in place of the Sadar Subdivisional Officer, resigned.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 19 (*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Rai Sahib Abinash Chandra Bose, Sub-Registrar of Pingla, is appointed a member of the Sadar Local Board in the district of Midnapore, *vice* Rai Krishna Chandra Praharaj Bahadur, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 11th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4689J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Sadar in the district of Pabna :—

1. The District Magistrate.
2. The Civil Surgeon.
3. The District Engineer.
4. Sadar Subdivisional Officer.
5. The Chairman, Pabna Municipality.
6. The Vice-Chairman, Pabna Municipality.
7. The Vice-Chairman, District Board, Pabna.
8. Rai Dina Nath Biswas Bahadur.
9. Doctor Hem Chandra Bhoumik.
10. Rai Saheb Nritya Gopal Chaki.
11. Babu Sita Nath Adhikary.
12. Maulvi Abdul Gaffur.
13. Babu Durga Kanta Chakravarty.
14. Maulvi Abdul Hamid.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 10th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3169M.—It is hereby notified that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by Act V (B. C.) of 1908, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Pabna :—

Local Board by which elected		Names of members.
Pabna	...	1. Maulvi A. M. Abdul Hamid. 2. Babu Hari Nath Bagchi. 3. „ Mahila Ranjan Sarkar. 4. „ Hemanta Kumar Ray.
Serajganj	...	1. Munshi Ijjatali Taluqdar. 2. Maulvi Khaliluddin Taluqdar. 3. Munshi Muhammad Maherulla. 4. Babu Debesh Chandra Pakrashi.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board :—

1. The Civil Surgeon ... ...
2. The Subdivisional Officer, Serajganj ... ... } *Ex officio.*
3. The District Deputy Inspector of Schools ...
4. Khan Bahadur Maulvi Wasimuddin Ahmed.
5. Maulvi Muazzam Ali Khan.
6. Babu Durga Kanta Chakrabarty.
7. Maulvi Aftabuddin Ahmed.

J. T. RANKIN. *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 11th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 61L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the power conferred on me by paragraph 2 of the Government, Municipal Department, Circular No. 856-60, dated the 2nd August 1918, I confirm the following additional rule framed under section 22 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I (B. C.) of 1885, for the district of Nadia :—

" *Rule 6A.*—The proprietor of every private ferry shall to the satisfaction of the Magistrate provide and maintain for such ferry safe and serviceable landing stages."

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN, CALCUTTA, *the 7th December 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 14964.—The 10th December 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of Gazirmura Gramya Mahajani Shabha (registered No. 341 of 1914) in the district of Tippera under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Circle Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Comilla, to be Liquidator of the said society.

No. 15002.—The 10th December 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Gopalcharan Gramya Dharma Bhandar (registered No. 12 of 1912). in the district of Rangpur, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Rangpur Circle, to be Liquidator of the said Society.

J. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (*2*) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

Plan of proposed public street—Burrabazar Alignment—North-East Section.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (*2*) of Bengal Act V of 1911 as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915 that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a proposed public street in Ward No. 5, known as Proposed Public Street—Burrabazar Alignment—North-East Section.

The plan provides for a series of roads of a width varying from 40 to 60 feet in the area lying immediately south of the proposed public street No. XIII (Jagannath Ghat Road) and bounded on the west by Sibtala Street, on the east by Chitpur Road, Upper, on the south by Banstala Street.

The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following Municipal Holdings:—

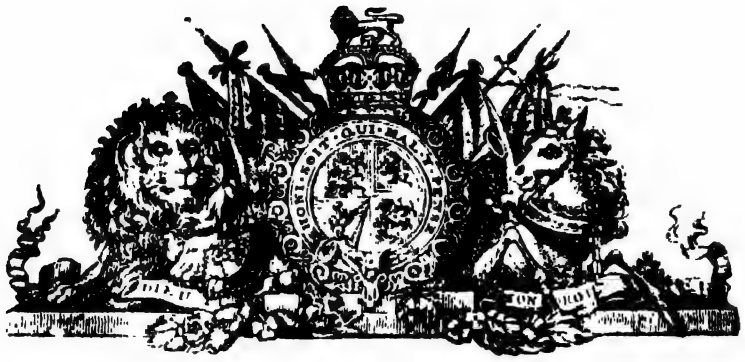
Names of Streets.	Nos. of Municipal Holdings.
Ratan Sarker Garden Street ...	24, 24-1, 24-2, 24-3, 25, 25-1, 26, 36, 37, 56.
Singhee Dutt Lane ...	4.
Raja Brojendra Narain Roy Street.	1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 16, 18, 28, 30, 32.
Baidya Nath Mullick Lane ...	5, 4.
Ray Lane ..	1-1, 5, 7, 9.
Sikdarpara Street ...	1, 10, 10-1, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16-1, 17, 17-1, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 33, 34, 35, 36, 38, 40, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 48-1, 49, 50, 52, 53.
Sikdarpara Lane ...	7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14-2, 17, 18, 19.
Sikdarpara 2nd Lane ...	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8.
Bansidhar Mallick Lane ...	3, 4, 6.
Haraprosad Dey Lane ...	7, 9.
Sibu Thakur Lane ...	1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 16, 18, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47.
Ton Sook Lane ...	2, 8, 10, 12.
Tarini Lane ...	1, 2, 3, 4.
Sham Seal Lane ...	9.
Shibo Nundy Lane ...	1, 3.
Sukh Lal Jahury Lane ...	1, 1-1, 7, 7-1, 8-1, 9, 10.
Sibtala Street ...	13, 14, 16, 17, 17-1, 17-2, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 31-1, 33, 34, 42.
Goenka Lane ...	11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 25.
Banstala Street ...	30, 31, 37, 38, 39, 39-1, 40, 40-1, 40-2, 41, 42, 50.
Chitpur Road, Upper ...	374, 375, 375-1, 378, 383, 383-1, 384, 385.

The plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., Saturday 11 A.M. and 2 P.M. Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of 2 annas per copy and of the plan at a fee of 8 annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 15th February 1919.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 9th December 1918.*



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

24-Parganas. *No. 3026M.—The 13th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the South Dum-Dum Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

Mr. David D. Boath, Assistant Superintendent, Ammuni tion Factory, Dum-Dum (*ex-officio*).

Khan Sahib Nazib Khan.

Nadia. *No. 3029M.—The 13th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Birnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia:—

Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Ali Sulaimanjah.

Babu Abani Kumar Basu.

„ Sourendra Nath Khan.

„ Tarak Nath Basu.

Nadia. *No. 3031M.—The 13th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Kalika Prasad Mukharji to be Chairman of the Birnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES OF BENGAL AND BIHAR AND ORISSA, 1919.

THE examination will be held at the following centres according to the following routine :—

Bengal.—Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (for Khulna), Dacca, Rajshahi, Pabna and Rangpur.

Bihar and Orissa.—Bhagalpur.

Standard time.	8 to 11 A.M	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, 7th March...	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, 8th „ ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Monday, 10th „ ...	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, 11th „ ...	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Elementary Engineering.
Wednesday, 12th „ ...	Surveying ...	Modern English I.
Thursday, 13th „ ...	Modern English II ...	Elementary Science.

[NOTE.—The Manual Training Examination will commence at 8 A.M. on 7th March, and will extend over two or more periods as may be determined by the Examiner.]

2. The examination will be conducted under the general supervision of the B Final Examination Board, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. All applications for admission to the examination must be despatched by the Principals and Head Masters of the institutions concerned so as to reach the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, who is Secretary to the Board, by the 16th January 1919. No candidate whose application has not reached the Principal by that date will be admitted to the examination.

3. The fee for admission to the examination is Rs. 12, which will in no case be returned. Candidates must pay the fees when registering their names with the Head Master or Principal, who will deposit the money in the Local Treasury and send the Treasury receipt with the application forms to the Secretary.

4. The prescribed Registration form must be used and the full details shown as required thereon. Forms may be obtained from the Secretary on application.

B. HEATON,

Secretary, B Final Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 6th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Two State Scholarships in Sanskrit of £200 per annum for Indians* for the year 1919.

*[Including those who, though born or temporarily resident in Native States, are domiciled in British India, but excluding subjects of Native States and members of the European and Anglo-Indian domiciled community.]

THE scholarships will be awarded by the Government of India to Indians to acquire critical and scientific methods of Western scholarship in Sanskrit of the value of £200 a year.

2. The language scholars are not expected to join colleges; but when they join colleges in Oxford or Cambridge with the permission of the Secretary of State for India their allowance will then be increased to £250 per annum.

3. The scholarships are tenable in Europe and for a period of two years in the first instance with possibility of extension.

4. The scholarships will carry with them no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectations of such employment are held out.

5. The scholarships are open to well-qualified students with a genuine taste for Sanskrit studies and to those already employed as Professors of Sanskrit.

6. Intending candidates who are natives of Bengal or domiciled in Bengal are requested to make application to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, on forms obtainable from the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, on or before January 15th, 1919, with a medical certificate of fitness to undergo a course of study abroad.

7. Selected scholars are required to lodge with the Education Adviser for Indian Students at the India Office before their arrival in England the sum of £25 for initial expenses. They will have no claim to payment of any instalment of their scholarship until this deposit has been made.

8. State scholars are required to proceed to England within a reasonable time from the date of their selection so as to arrive there not later than the middle of September and to reside there for the period of their scholarship, unless compelled to return sooner in consequence of ill-health. The scholarship will be payable from the date on which the scholars report their arrival in England. Selected scholars will be provided with a second-class passage to England and also with a second-class return passage if they carry out the instructions of the Secretary of State and complete the full period of residence, or are compelled by sickness to return within that period.

9. Necessary travelling expenses of scholars abroad by second class or by third class, if no second be available, will be defrayed by the Secretary of State. Travelling expenses in the United Kingdom will be borne by the scholars themselves. Charges for University and College fees, for private tuition, for books, hotel bills and medical attendance must be borne by the scholars and will not be defrayed by the Secretary of State.

10. For further particulars pages 1143 to 1155 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 21st June 1916, may be consulted.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

State Scholarship of £200 per annum tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries by °Indian Girls or Women.

°[Including those who, though born or temporarily resident in Native States, are domiciled in British India, but excluding subjects of Native States and members of the European and Anglo-Indian domiciled community.]

THE scholarship will be granted for medical, and occasionally for other educational or professional, courses and will be tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries, for a period of three years in the first instance, with a possibility of extension to five years. The scholarship will carry with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectation of such employment is held out.

2. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates from Bengal are requested to make application to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, not later than 31st January 1919. The application should be accompanied by (1) evidence of having obtained a degree of an Indian University in medicine or educational or professional courses; (2) a medical certificate of fitness to undergo, abroad, the course of study proposed; (3) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that she is a native of Bengal or domiciled in Bengal and of purely Indian parentage; (4) full details including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of her academical career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed; (5) full address of the candidate.

3. The State scholar is required to proceed to England within a reasonable time from the date of her selection, so as to arrive there not later than the middle of September, and to reside there for the period of her scholarship, unless compelled to return sooner in consequence of ill health. The scholarship will be payable from the date on which the scholar reports her arrival in England. The selected candidate will be provided with a second class passage to England, and with a second class return passage if she completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

4. Charges for University and college fees, for private tuition, for books, instruments, hotel bills, medical attendance and travelling (except the two journeys between England and India) are not defrayed by the Secretary of State.

5. For further particulars pages 1143 to 1155 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 21st June 1916, may be consulted.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified, for general information, that the Sixth Standard English Reader, written by Mr. L. Tipping and published by Messrs. Macmillan & Co., price As. 10, is hereby prescribed for class VI of Madrasahs under the reformed scheme, for the session 1919-20.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 10th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned candidate is awarded a post-graduate scholarship of Rs. 100 a month for a period from the date on which he actually undertakes research up to 30th June 1919:—

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Subject of research.	Place of work.
1	Babu Haridas Mitra, M.A.	Comparative Philology	Varendra Research Society, Rampur-Boalia.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE "Dutt Scholarship" of Rs. 14 a month, tenable for one year with effect from the 1st June 1918, is awarded to Dhirendra Nath Pal, who matriculated from the Keshab Academy, Calcutta. and stood first in literature among the successful candidates at the Matriculation Examination of 1918.

The scholarship is tenable at the Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.

J W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 13th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

ERRATA.

IN the list of text-books published in Part IC of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 6th November 1918,—

(*i*) *Read* on page 873, under Bengali Literature for class II of Vernacular Schools, Eastern Bengal, "Sisukatha. (Jadunath Chakravarti.) As. 2" *for* "Sisupath. (Jadunath Chakravarti.) As. 3."

(*ii*) *Read* on page 862, under Bengali Literature for class I of High and Middle English Schools, Eastern Bengal, "Sisukatha. (Jadunath Chakravarti.) As. 2" *for* "Sisukatha. Jadunath Chakravarti. (Author.) As. 4."

J. W. GUNN,
for *Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.*

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA, *the 12th December 1918.*

THE undermentioned candidates are awarded Middle English Scholarships with effect from the 1st January 1919. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 5 a month and it is tenable for four years in a High School :—

Name of Scholar.	Name of school from which the candidate appeared.	Where the scholarship is made tenable.
	DACCA DIVISION.	
1. Labanya Prova Bairagi ...	Baptist Mission Girls' M. E. School, Barisal.	United Missionary High School, Bhowanipur, Calcutta.
2. Basantilota Das Gupta ...	Barisal Sadar M. E. Girls' School.	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
	CHITTAGONG DIVISION.	
1. Kanika Dutt ...	Faizunnessa Girls' School, Comilla.	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
2. Ivy Lota Dutt ...	Ditto ...	Dr. Khastagir's High School for Girls, Chittagong.

M. V. IRONS,
Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.

DACCA, *the 10th December 1918.*

THE undermentioned girls are awarded Middle Vernacular Scholarships with effect from the 1st January 1919. The value of each scholarship is Rs. 4 a month and it is tenable for two years in High and Middle English Schools and Training Classes and Training Schools :—

Name of Scholar.	Name of school from which the candidate appeared.	Where the scholarship is made tenable.
	DACCA DIVISION.	
1. Lilaboti Ghose ...	Donovan Girls' School, Madaripur.	Donovan Girls' School, Madaripur (subject to transfer if the school is not formally recognised as a M. E. one).
1. Kalitara Das Gupta ...	Ditto ..	Training Class attached to the Eden High School, Dacca.

M. V. IRONS,
Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.

DACCA, *the 10th December 1918.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lots of land no longer required by Government, situated along the Bhairab-Tangi Branch of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the district of Dacca, will be put up to sale at the Dacca Collectorate, at 11 A.M., on the 21st day of December 1918, corresponding with the 6th of Paus 1325 B.S.

The purchasers of the several lots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway land, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in case of original sale.

4th.—The lots of land will be sold to the highest bidders subject to the payment of usual rent to their immediate superior landlords.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchasers.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which side is situated.	Situated on which side of railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and acres. B. K. Ch.	A. R. P.	Remarks.
1	Dacca	Pargana Saripur, mauza Ghoraal.	25	North ...	0 14 0	0 1 10	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
2	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Ditto ditto.
3	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 2 0	0 1 18	Ditto ditto.
4	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
5	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 0	0 0 13	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests only are to be sold.
6	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 0 10	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
7	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 7 15	0 0 20	Proprietor's interest is only to be sold,
8	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 4 3	0 1 14	Ditto ditto.
9	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 10 10	0 0 27	Ditto ditto.
10	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Ditto ditto.
11	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 15	0 2 4	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
12	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 19 15	0 1 13	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
13	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 3 0	0 1 21	Proprietor's and tenure-holder's interests are to be sold.
14	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 10	0 0 4	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
15	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 0	0 1 0	Proprietor's interest is to be sold.
16	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 15 5	0 1 1	Sixteen annas interest is to be sold.
17	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 11 5	0 2 2	Proprietor's interest only is to be sold.
18	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	2 0 15	0 2 26	Ditto ditto.
19	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 18 0	0 1 8	Ditto ditto.
20	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 0	0 0 32	Ditto ditto.
21	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 7 0	0 1 32	Ditto ditto.
22	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 0 18	0 0 2	Ditto ditto.
23	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	1 14 3	0 2 10	Tenure-holder's and tenant's interests are to be sold.
24	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 1 2	0 0 3	Ditto ditto.
25	Do.	Ditto ...	25	Do. ...	0 12 17	0 0 34	Tenure-holder's interest is to be sold.

Dacca, the 25th October 1918.

S. G. HART, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 10th January 1919, at 12 o'clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
312	Ph. Batitaki, M. Palgora.	630 1 7	Entire ...	.....	Jogendra Nath Pal and other, Sebait of Lakhmi Janardan Jew Thakur.	.....	36 0 7	...
314	Ph. Batitaki M. Phulbhery.	1,602 3 0	.....	Residuary share excluding Separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 only. The following share of the mauzas will be sold. Mauza Sitibati, Taki, Abhaya Mukundapur, Astidangar, Baja, Bhatbarh, Bhuyan, Bhojpur, Chhatrisbetya, Dahuka, Dangarpara, Dasagram, Durgachak, Dharmachak, Elagora, Erhaldangar, Fulbheri, Gargarhyachak, Gurhi, Gobindachak, Gobindapur, Gopalbarh, Jamuria, Jodi, Kalankichhata, Karangi, Kalikachak, Kunarpur, Kotal, Khagrabheri, Khandarbheri, Khursal, Lakhanda, Madhuberh, Muhammadchak, Muhammadichak, Masagan, Mukundapurhat, Palasidakhin, Radhamohanchak, Ramchak, Ramdangar, Salbani, Simulia, Siruchak, Surha, Sonadharchak, Srichandanpur, Tapsia, Tala, Tal Gha, Trilochanpur, 9 as. 11gds. 1kt. 1dt. share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sales.	Ramani Dasi, guardian of Amulya Chandra Jana and another.	954 3 2	.....	71 5 2
947	Ph. Kasijora, M. Gogras, Patna.	1,513 2 3 (including Police).	.....	Separate account No. 1, 10as. 13gds. 1ch. 1kt. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mr. R. S. Nang and 5 others.	1,008 1 6 (including Police).	.....	27 5 6 (including Police).
1077	Ph. Kurulchora, M. Alangiri *alias* Alangarui.	974 12 10	.....	Separate account No. 1 ... ... The following share of the mauzas will be sold :— A. G. C. D. Mauza Atia ... 16 0 0 0; ,, Akandi ... 16 0 0 0; ,, Alangiri ... 16 0 0 0; ,, Bele ... 16 0 0 0; ,, Kulida ... 16 0 0 0; ,, Khari ... 16 0 0 0; ,, Jhapri ... 16 0 0 0; ,, Maisamari ... 16 0 0 0; ,, Mustafabad ... 16 0 0 0; ,, Chualkasia ... 5 6 2 6; ,, Dal Kuchail ... 5 6 2 6. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ditto ...	756 2 3	.....	19 12 3
1786	Ph. Moynachora, m. Kunarchak.	666 2 4	Entire ...	.....	Surja Kumar Majumdar and others.	.....	52 2 4	.....
2366	Ph. Sabang, m. Mohar.	1,302 1 0	.....	Residuary share excluding Separate account No. 1, 8 annas share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale, Part II.	Krishna Das Mandal and another.	651 0 6	.....	50 15 0 June and September 1918.
2382	Ph. Palaspur, m. Mirjapur Kismat.	520 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Nil Kanta Rath and 12 others.	.....	3 1 9	.....

Midnapore, the 6th December 1918.

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for September 1918 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
67	Gopalnagar, etc., pargana Jahangirabad.	2,047 2 0	.....	Residuary share 13as. 6g. 2k. 2kr. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nogendra Bala Dasi and others.	1,021 8 0	.....	49 5 10
136	Gouripur kismat, pargana Chhutipur.	1,219 5 9	.....	Residuary share 12as. 19g. 3k. 2kr. [illegible]d. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	K. P. Basu and others.	989 1 9	.....	1 4 1
169	Asuri, etc., pargana Satsaika.	2,360 9 11	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Rameswar Aich and others.	.....	254 6 11	.....

Burdwan, the 20th November 1918. R. F. LODGE, Offg. Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
250	Taluq Panchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar.	3,682 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	...	170 1 0	...
5553	Nyamatulla, pargana Jalalpur.	1,558 9 10	No ...	Residuary—11as. 2gds. 2kts. 75[illegible]till 2,[illegible]dt. share. The following shares are excluded from sale :— Separate Account No. 1.—13gds. 2kr. 24[illegible]tils. Separate Account No. 2.—16as. share of pargana Tappa Birmohan, 10as. 13gds. 1kr. and 1kt. share of pargana Baugrora. Separate Account No. 3.—3gds. 2kr. 50tils. Separate Account No. 4.—3as. 11gds. 1kr. 2kts. 1[illegible]dt. Separate Account No. 5.—3gds. 3kr. 1[illegible]dt.	Mohammad Mal naddin and others.	686 7 8	...	52 10 9
6772	Taluq Kumar Sasi Kanta Acharjee, pargana Kasimpur Shehalapatti.	1,485 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raja Sashi Kanta Acharjee Bahadur.	...	990 0 0	...
6786	Taluq Sashi Kanta Acharjee (alluvial accretion to Estate No. 9670), Dacca Collectorate, pargana Kartikpur Bujabad.	2,120 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	1,420 0 0	...

Faridpur, the 21st November 1918. BHABA TARAN CHATTERJEE, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4082	Kalupukhuria, pargana Jehanabad.	13,918	Nil ...	2a. 13g. 1c. 1kt., share of mauzas Kalupukhuria, Ghoshna, Ghoshpur, Debkhanda, Basantapur, Mamudpur, Joykrishnapur.	Kangali Charan Chowdhury and 5 others.	2,252 3 11	Nil ...	100 5 9

A. BANARJI, *for* Collector.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 22nd November 1918.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1725 1	Mauza Chikni Kanda, share 8a. 10g., pargana Chandradwip.	3,382 8 1	.....	Separate account No. 1 containing 9a. 2g. 0c. 2kt. 19½ til share will be sold. Residuary share and separate accounts Nos. 3 and 5 will be sold separately.	Mr. G. J. Jordon... ...	1,939 15 6	.....	868 7 6
2708	Zamindary Uttar Sabajpur, share 1½ anna, pargana Uttar Sabajpur.	1,494 6 5	Whole ...	.....	Akhaya Kumar Chatterjee	.....	131 3 3	.....
5865	Zamindary Abdullapur, share 10a. 18g. 1k., tappa Abdullapur.	2,367 11 11	.....	Residuary share containing 7a. 9g. 2c. 1kt. 1½dt. will be sold, the remaining 8a. 10g. 1c. 1kt. 1½dt. will be excluded from sale.	Radha Gobinda Banikya and others.	1,106 15 11	.....	310 9 3
4821	Char Kulai Jour Katali, pargana Chandradwip.	1,478 6 11	Whole ...	.....	Aswini Kumar Datta and others.	.....	19 3 4	.....
1448	Mahal Darihat Rajbarigonj, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	721 13 0	Do ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakravarty.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1533	Taluk Krishna Prasad Guha, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	3,960 15 8	...	12 annas residuary share will be sold, the remaining 4 annas share will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Roy Choudhury, and others.	2,070 11 8	.....	293 12 8
1661	Taluk Sibjoy Banerjee, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	...	Residuary share containing 6a. 4g. 1c. 2kt. 1dt. will be sold, the remaining 9a. 15g. 2c. 2dt. share will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Pal Choudhury, and others.	2,284 8 1	.....	537 1 2

Barisal, the 22nd November 1918.

HARENDRA K. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 18th December 1918, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1918, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7	Thana Raozan, Patiya, Town, Satkania. Kismat Ambica Babait, Taraf Tilak Chandra Kanungoe.	745 5 6	Whole ...	.....	Sm. Dama Sundari Lala, Sarada Kripa Lala.	.....	221 4 0	.....
401	Thana Fatickcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Raozan, Patiya, Town Kismat Balaram Sarcar, Bahalt Taraf Sonaullah Khan	1,043 6 0	.....	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar and others.	.....	188 13 0	.....
478	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town, Fatickcheri, Taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,488 9 7	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 8 annas will be sold, excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 with an extent of interest 8-0-13½ krantis and Jama Rs. 1 236-14-6 and unpaid share No. 3 with an extent of interest 1-11-7¼ krantis and jama of Rs. 299-2-7.	Himangshu Bimal Rai and Ramesh Chandra Rai and others	932 8 6	.....	249 15 0
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Raozan, Town: Taraf Isas Alup	2,365 15 8	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 the residue share with an extent of interest 10 annas will be sold excluding the paid up share No 1 with an extent of interest 5 4 pies and jama Rs. 75 10-10.	Sm. Mahamaya Ramdhan Chaudhuri and others	1,508 8 10	.....	190 1 9
1243	Thana Satkania, Baushkhali, Patiya, according to recent survey Anwara Taraf, Imam Baksha.	897 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Abdul Raup Khan, Sm. Bia Bibi.	.....	206 15 0	.....
1279	Thana Satkania, according to recent survey Baushkhali and Patiya Taraf Joy Ram Chowdhury.	1,416 5 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 share No. 1 with an extent of interest 8 annas belonging to Sarada Kripa Lala will be sold excluding the paid up residue share and jama Rs. 708-2 9	Sarada Kripa Lala, on behalf of Sri Sri Raghu Nath Chakra.	708 2 9	.....	310 3 9
1552	Thana Raozan, out-post Rangania, Taraf Kanto Fernandes.	1,640 5 3	Whole ...	.....	Ram Govinda Bahadur, Sasti Charan Bahadur.	.....	481 15 0	.....
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, Taraf Mahammad Ali, Rustum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act IX of 1859 residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding unpaid share No. 1 with an interest 4 annas and Jama Rs. 870-12 10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta and others; Upendra Lal Gupta, for self and on behalf of Sasanka Shekhar Gupta and others.	2,612 6 3	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Share ...	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1, with an extent of interest 4 annas belonging to Krishna Chandra Gupta will be sold excluding the unpaid residue share with an extent of interest 12 annas and jama Rs. 2 612 6-3 pies	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 8 2
1885	Thana Hathazari, Raozan, Taraf Mahammad Rafi Khansama.	926 14 0	Whole ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan and others.	.....	182 6 4	.....

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A P.				Rs. A P	Rs A. P	Rs. A P.
3034	Thana Raozan, Hathsari, Patiya Town and Fatickcheri, taraf Sib Durga Charan Chowdhuri	2,949 2 2	Share	Separation of account being made under Act XI of 1859 share No 2 with an extent of interest 8-4 19 krantis belonging to Pratap Chandra Rai will be sold excluding unpaid shares Nos 4, 5 with an extent of interest 2-10-A½ with jama Rs 520-4-8 pies and paid up shares 1, 3 6-17 and residue share with an extent of interest 9-9-A½ krantis and jama Rs. 1,795-11-8.	Kamal Kumar Rai ...	628 1 10	...	186 7 5
33600	Thana Satkania, mauza Padua Kaimi Taluk Krishna Chandra Gupta, Daroga, c-o Ram Mohan Gupta of Padua	1,627 3 0	Whole ...	.....	Dhirendra Lal Gupta, manager on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta, manager, on behalf of Sasanka Shekar Gupta and others.	.....	254 2 0	...

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1918

A. H CLAYTON, Collector

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Noakhali, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1919, at Noakhali Collectorate for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A. P.		*Estates*		Rs. A P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A P
14	Sundip, hishya 4 as 2 gds 3 caras, taraf Bhabani Charan, pargana Sundip	1,939 6 10	Share ...	Separate account No. 1, hishya 2 as. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale	Chandra Sekhar Dutta Tewari, and others.	2,424 12 5	...	Revenue— 486 8 5 Cesses— 479 6 4 965 14 1
210	Nij Sundip, pargana Sundip	22,435 0 0	Do. ...	Separate account No 1 hishya 1 a All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Krishna Kumar Dutta Tewari, and others	1,402 8 0		Revenue— 482 4 6 Cesses— 216 3 5 698 7 11
				Khas Mahal Tenures				
1672	Naichira, No 1, Madhyasatya.	4,728 5 0	Whole ..	....	Moazzam Hosen Choudhury.	...	Rent— 1,389 0 0 Cess— 269 3 0	...
1676 1679	Char Iswar Roy, Part I, No 24, Madhyasatya.	618 8 0	Do ..	....	Gagan Chandra Sarkar, and others	....	Rent— 25 1 0 Cess— 6 11 6 31 12 6	....
1696	No 27, Sthitiban in Char Alexander.	644 16 0	Do ...	.....	Hasan Ali Howladar, and others.	....	Rent— 141 2 0 Cess— 11 11 5 152 13 5	.....

S N BOSE, *for* Collector.

Noakhali Collector's Office, the 3rd December 1918.

SALE NOTICE.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Pabna, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 6th January 1919, at 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Dehi Bhadraghat, pargana Ishafshahi.	1,951 8 0	Whole ...	.....	Aghore Kumar Gangopadhya.	.....	8 14 0	.....
104	Pargunnah Islampur, pargana Islampur.	24,329 3 0 Police. 270 15 0	.....	Account No. 2— 2as. 13gds. 1k. and 1kt. share of the estate. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Debendra Narayan Singha.	4,054 12 3 Police. 45 3 0	.....	978 4 9 Police. 15 2 0
1730	Resumed Char Dhala, Part I, pargana Birahimpur.	736 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Prasanna Nath Saha Chaudhury and others.	.....	59 0 0	.....

Pabna Collectorate, the 26th November 1918.

A. DUTT, Deputy Collector in charge.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 16th December, the undermentioned estate or shares of estate in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 12 noon, for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
		Rs. A. P.		A. P.		Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3186/3	Begamabad, pargana Begamabad.	...	No ...	2 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Devendra Narayan Singha.	2,373 15	...	95 10 1	Attached under orders of the Sub-Judge of Nadia, dated the 17th April 1917. 95 10 1

Krisnagar, the 15th November 1918.

RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJI, *for* Collector.

Sale Notification.

HOWRAH CERTIFICATE CASE No. 1D OF 1918-19.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned tauzi will be put up for sale at the office of the Certificate Officer of Howrah on the 18th December 1918 at 12 noon, for recovery of drainage charges, interest and cost, aggregating to Rs. 5,061-12-4, which by law are realizable from the certificate debtors :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	Area in bighas and cottahs.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.
				B. K.	
79 of Hooghly Collectorate.	Mahal Sherpur, Patni mahal Madhyam Maju.	Rs. 4,382-14-9 payable to the superior landlords—Mati Lal Seal and Provat Nath Chatterji.	Patni rights (16 annas share) of the certificate debtors.	2,692 19	(1) Jogendra Nath Sarkar, (2) Rajendra Nath Sarkar, (3) Surendra Nath Sarkar, sons of late Kenaram Sarkar, of Chongghurally, police-station Jagatballabhpur.

B. N. MUKHERJI, Certificate Officer.

Howrah, the 4th December 1918.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 29th January 1919, corresponding with the 8th Magh 1325 B. S., at the Magistrate's Office, Nadia.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	Boundary of the lot.
1	Nadia...	Ramkrishnapur, pargana Islampur.	118	East of the E. B. Railway running from Poradah to Damukdia.	0 95 ..	North and east by the land of Sabanoddin Biswas, south by the land of Ijuddy Pramanik, and north by the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway.

Nadia, the 9th December 1918.

R. C. HAMILTON, Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 10th December 1918.

LIABILITIES.

				Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	Rs. 2,26,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000	0	0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 2,16,88,976	11	2			
Ditto ditto at Branches	„ 1,81,05,035	0	5	3,97,94,011	11	7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				24,78,77,371	13	11
Bank Post Bills, etc.				28,48,496	13	4
Sundries				38,17,613	0	4
				33,64,37,493	7	2

ASSETS.

				Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				6,36,27,411	0	0
Other authorized Investments				1,41,36,214	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities				9,02,77,144	4	7
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto				5,58,76,277	9	5
Bills discounted and purchased				2,04,16,090	6	1
Balances with other Banks				45,38,768	3	4
Bullion				.....		
Dead Stock				28,01,284	10	1
Stamps				11,121	9	5
Sundries				19,06,897	8	3
				25,80,89,209	3	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	Rs. 2,84,35,367	1	8			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	Rs. 5,49,12,917	2	4	8,33,48,284	4	0
				33,64,37,493	7	2

* Includes Govs. & ½ Govs; value Rs. 3,77,175 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 5,31,450 0 0

Rs. 9,08,625 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 28·86.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 12th December 1918.

H. FISHER,
Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(3046—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 of 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 12, clause (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors of Baul Chandra Gorain, son of Girish Chandra Gorain, of Dhomoore, thana Dubrajpur, district Birbhum, that his insolvency petition has been admitted by this Court and that the 3rd January 1919 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

RAI S. P. BAKSHI BAHADUR, District Judge.

Suri, the 11th December 1918. (3033—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 43 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 2nd October 1918, filed by Abdul Aziz, son of Jinnat Ali of Sultanpur, police-station Raozan, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 9th day of December 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(3047—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 47 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 7th November 1918, filed by Barna Kumar Barua, son of Ratnamani Baidya, deceased, of Bagoan, police-station Raozan, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Nazir of the Court is appointed receiver.

Dated this 9th day of December 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(3048—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 24 OF 1918.

[*Notice under section 16 (7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Arunuday Jash, of Bhalsuni, police-station Katwa, district Burdwan, has, by an order of this Court dated 23rd November 1918, been adjudged an insolvent.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 26th November 1918. (2917—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 29 OF 1918

[*Notice under section 16 (7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*].

NOTICE is hereby given that Jogendra Nath Sarkar, of Bujrukdighi, police-station Rayna, district Burdwan, has by an order of this Court, dated 3rd December 1918, been adjudged an insolvent.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan Judge's Office, the 11th December 1918.

(3031—1—3041)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 58 OF 1918.

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*].

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Golam Chorman Mallik, of Talpata, at present of Kiskindha, police-station Satgachia, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 19th December 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan Judge's Office, the 11th December 1918.

(3032—1—3042)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 19 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th July 1918, filed by Krishna Chandra Shaha, son of late Mohini Chandra Shaha, resident of Pipulia police-station Harirampur, district Dacca, and on the application of the said petitioner-debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 10th day of December 1918.

W. HARVEY, 2nd Addl. District Judge.

(3054—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 84 OF 1918.

GAFURADDIN SARKAR, son of Dharo Mahomed, deceased, resident of Rezaikura, police-station Biroil, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 8th day of January 1919 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

A. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 12th December 1918. (3062—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 52 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Shukhamoy Adak, son of late Sib Chandra Adak, of Jalalshi, thana Panchla, district Hooghly, was, on the 8th November 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 20th December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 23rd November 1918. (2882—1—3033)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial insolvency Act III of 1907, to his creditors that the Insolvency petition of Kutabuddin, son of late Mushaheb Mia, of Sibpore thana Sibpore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 116 of 1918 and that the 23rd December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 7th December 1918. (2990—1—3040)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Binode Bihari Pattra, son of late Lakshmi Narayan Pattra, of Khurut Road, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 115 of 1918 and that the 23rd December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 7th December 1918. (2991—1—3039)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 25 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Nogendra Nath Roy, son of late Ambica Charan Roy, of Panpore, thana Amta, district Hooghly, was, on the 21st November 1918, adjudged an insolvent The 21st December 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 7th December 1918. (2993—1—3037)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907. to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Adhar Chandra Kundoo, son of late Haradhan Kundoo, of Sibpore Circular Road, thana Sibpore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 110 of 1918 and that the 2nd January 1919 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 5th December 1918. (2969—1—3035)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Amrita Lal Chaudhuri *alias* Imrit Lal Chaudhuri, son of late Baij Nath Chaudhuri, of North Bantra, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 113 of 1918 and that the 3rd January 1919 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 5th December 1918. (2970—1—3034)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of Jogendra Nath Nandi, son of late Ramsadoy Nandi, of No. 56, Nilmoni Mullik's Lane, Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 111 of 1918, and that the 2nd January 1919 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge

Howrah, the 5th December 1918. (2971—1—3036)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Sheik Abid Kasai, son of late Sheik Medi Kasai, of Bangal Babu's Bazar, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 114 of 1918, and that the 19th December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 7th December 1918. (2992—1—3038)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 56 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th September 1918, filed by Joseph Purcell Magry, Guard in the Bengal Nagpur Railway, residing at Traffic quarter No. 474, Kharagpur, district Midnapore, debtor-petitioner, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Nalini Bihari Roy, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 31st January 1919 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 10th day of December 1918.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(3034—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 57 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 14th September 1918, filed by Guglielmoleo Viscardi, Charge-hand, Bengal Nagpur Railway, Millwright Shop, Kharagpur, at present residing at block No. 474, Kharagpur, district Midnapore, debtor-petitioner, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Nalini Bihari Roy, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 30th January 1919 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 10th day of December 1918.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(3035—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1919.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

Re the estate of Chhatrapat Singh, deceased, of Katgola, Nashipur, division Sahanagar, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 4th January next has been fixed for the consideration of the scheme of composition submitted by the insolvent Chhatrapat Singh, since deceased, and proceeded with by his legal heirs. Creditors who have not yet proved their claims are directed to do so by the aforesaid date: failure on their part in this respect will debar them from all future claims.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 9th December 1918. (3024—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 49 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907).

In the matter of Danes Mandal of Char Labangola, police-station Bhagawangola, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 4th January 1919.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 10th December 1918. (3030—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 50 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Radha Krishna Sarkar of Khagra, division Sujaganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 4th January 1919.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 12th December 1918. (3049—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 47 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 31st May 1918 by Abinash Chandra Modak, son of late Gaur Sunder Modak, of Jhapra, police-station Serajganj, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Asutosh Bhaduri, Pleader, is appointed receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 10th December 1918. (3081—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 39 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 27th April 1918 by Aduri Sarder, son of late Panchkor Sarder, of Alamnagar, police-station Chatmohor, district Pabna, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Sudhansu Mohan Ray, Pleader, is appointed receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 10th December 1918. (3082—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 124 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Asimuddin Akando, son of late Bhola Akando, of Salanga, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 27th November 1918 to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 3rd January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 10th December 1918. (3083—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 123 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Sadekali Pramanik, son of late Dinu Pramanik, of Boalia, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 27th November 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 3rd January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 10th December 1918. (3084—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 127 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Hiru Mandal, son of late Jadulla Mandal, of Salanga, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 2nd December 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 3rd January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 11th December 1918. (3085—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 125 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Maniraddin Fakir, son of late Alamdi Fakir, of Salanga, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 2nd December 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 3rd January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 11th December 1918. (3086—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 129 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Abdul Gani Talukder, son of late Ajim Talukder, of Badullapore, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 5th December 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 3rd January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 12th December 1918. (3087—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 130 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Kedarnath Ghosh, son of late Harinath Ghosh, of Manirampore, police-station Sahazadpore, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 7th December 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 10th January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 12th December 1918. (3088—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 OF 1918.

Dhabaru Saha, son of late Arabdi Saha, of Chandipur, police-station Mahadebpur, district Rajshahi, applicant.

TAKE notice that the above named insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 21st day of December 1918, at 10 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 26th day of November 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

(2910—1—3032)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 63 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Asimuddin Molla, son of late Lalmuddin Molla, of Udabaria, police-station Gurudaspur, district Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 21st day of December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claims must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 26th November 1918. (2912—1—2982)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 62 OF 1918.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Kuran Pramanik, son of late Hazi Pramanik, of Udabaria, police-station Gurudaspur, district Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act*)

THE 21st day of December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in this Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 26th November 1918. (2913—1—2983)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1918.

Bihari Lal Ghosh, son of late Bhadi Ghosh, of Hogala, police-station Gomostapur, district Malda, applicant.

TAKE notice that the above named insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 21st day of December 1918, at 10 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 26th day of November 1918.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

(2937—1—2981)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 35 OF 1918

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

(*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*)

NOTICE is herby given that Nayanatulla Mandal, son of late Nasor Mandal, of Dwarianpur-Chouhuddipara, police-station Nawabganj, district Malda, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 7th day of September 1918

C. H MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 26th November 1918 (2909—1—2984)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 77 OF 1918

SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION

Liar Mahammad, son of late Ghastu Sheikh, of Debiganj, police-station Kharba, district Malda, petitioner-debtor

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act*)

THE 21st day of December 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in this Court on or before that date

C. H MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 26th November 1918. (2938—1—2980)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 112 OF 1918.

PRESENT

J Johnston, Esq, I.C.S., District Judge

ON the application of the debtor Fishu Chaukidar, son of late Hematullah Shaikh of Rasidpur, police-station Mitapukhor, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 4th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th December 1918 (3056—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 113 OF 1918.

PRESENT:

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S. District Judge

ON the application of the debtor Rahmuddin Shaikh, son of Fishu Chaukidar of Rasidpur, police-station Mitapukhor, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 4th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor

J JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th December 1918. (3057—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 117 OF 1918.

PRESENT

J Johnston, Esq., I.C.S, District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Harmohan Seal, son of late Dadhiram Seal, of Naldanga, police-station Sadullahpur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 9th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J JOHNSTON, District Judge

Rangpur, the 11th December 1918 (3058—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 116 OF 1918

PRESENT:

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Ala Box Sheikh, son of late Nidhan Paik, of Anantaram, police-station Pirgachha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 4th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J JOHNSTON, District Judge

Rangpur, the 11th December 1918 (3059—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 114 OF 1918

PRESENT

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S, District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Akabbor Mandal, son of late Asharu Mandal, of Ekdala, police-station Mitapukhor, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 4th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge

Rangpur, the 11th December 1918. (3060—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 115 OF 1918.

PRESENT

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kamal Sheikh, son of late Joyaddi Sheikh, of Nagdaha, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 4th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th December 1918. (3061—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 222 OF 1918.

Mituraddi Molla, of Radhanagore, thana Haroa, applicant.

To Nafar Chandra Pal Choudhuri, of Natudaha, thana Bhangore, and others, creditors.

ON the 6th day of November 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 6th day of January 1919 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B C KUNDU, Sub Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1918 (2858—1—3043)

NOTICE

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 223 OF 1918

Manohar Pal, of Charasamdas, thana Bistupur, applicant

To Umesh Chandra Ghosh, of Chetla, and others, creditors

ON the 6th day of November 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 6th day of January 1919 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1918 (2859—1—3044)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 226 OF 1918.

Kedarnath Singh, of Banjanhera, thana Budge-Budge, applicant.

To Hari Charan Santra, of Bahirgarh, thana Budge-Budge, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 6th day of January 1919 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1918. (2860—1—3045)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 229 OF 1918.

Kailash Chandra Ghosn, of Sukdebpur, thana Bistupur, applicant.

To Naba Kumar Pandit, of Gaja, thana Budge-Budge, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 6th day of January 1919 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1918. (2862—1—3046)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 27 OF 1918.

Shaik Zanbuksh of 61, Middle Road, Entally, applicant.

To Fakirjan and others, creditors.

ON the 3rd day of December 1918 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 6th day of January 1919, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 5th December 1918. (2985—1—3047)

JATISCHANDRA GUHA, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(3098—4—3048)

MANINDRA NATH CHAKRABARTI, M.A. B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(3095—4—3050)

MD. NURUL HUQ CHAUDHURY, M.A., B.L., intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court.

(3093—4—3049)

NOTICE.

WANTED a Supervisor for the Dinajpur District Board on a monthly salary of Rs. 100—10—150 with travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations. None but a B. E. need apply. The selected candidate will be on probation for six months. If a Government servant is selected his pay will be regulated by the foreign service rules of the Civil Service Regulations.

Applications with copies of certificates and stating age will be received by the undersigned up to the 2nd January 1919.

P. H. WADDELL, Chairman,
District Board, Dinajpur.

(2989—3)

Wanted.

FOR the Jalpaiguri District Board two 2nd grade Sanitary Inspectors each on a monthly salary of Rs. 50 rising to Rs. 100 by an annual increment of Rs. 5 with usual travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations. None need apply who is not qualified under Government Notification No. 272L.S.-G., dated the 29th January 1914.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 2nd January 1919.

K. BANERJI, Vice-Chairman,
District Board, Jalpaiguri.

(3013—2)

Wanted

A qualified Doctor for the Ghatal Municipality for a period of three months on a salary of Rs. 50 per mensem and allowance of Rs. 8 per month. Applications with testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 22nd December 1918.

KRITTIDAS MANDAL, Chairman,
Ghatal Municipality.

Ghatal, the 14th December 1918 (3099—1)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

CENTRAL CIRCLE.

Notice to Contractors.

TENDERS in Public Works Department Form No. K-1 for the undermentioned works in connection with the headquarters buildings of the new district of Hijili at Tengra (near Kharagpur) are hereby invited and will be received by the undersigned in his office up to 1 P.M. of the 10th January 1919, at which place, time and date they will be opened.

2. Particulars of buildings :—

Serial No.	Name of work.	Estimated cost.	Earnest money.	Remarks.
		Rs.	Rs.	
1	Collectorate Buildings ...	4,63,946	5,000	
2	Circuit House	36,879	700	
3	Dak Bungalow	30 300	600	
4	Deputy Superintendent of Police's residence	14,887	300	At Hijili, Kharagpur.
5	Deputy Magistrate's residence, three sets of quarters, each Rs. 14,080	42,240	800	
6	Inspection Bungalow	6,961	200	At Jhargram.

N.B.—The estimated cost excludes contingencies and lump sum amounts. Earnest money to accompany the tender in full G. O. Notes. The acceptance or rejection of serial No. 1 rests with the Chief Engineer, Bengal, Roads and Buildings.

3. The contract documents as per details below can be seen during office hours from 11 A.M. to 5 P.M., excepting Sundays—

(*a*) Drawings.

(*b*) Specifications.

(*c*) Schedule of quantities.

(*d*) Conditions of contract.

(*e*) Tender forms.

4. Tenders must be submitted sealed and superscribed—

"Tender for Hijili District Buildings."

5. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, or to assign reasons for non-acceptance.

C. W. SIBOLD,
Superintending Engineer, Central Circle.

Imperial Secretariat Buildings, 2, Government Place, West, Calcutta, the 12th December 1918.

Road Cess Notice.

The District Board of Pabna have, at their special meeting held on the 9th December 1918, fixed the rate of road cess for the year 1919-20 in that district at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of all lands, etc., under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act. 1908.

WASIN UDDIN AHMED,
Vice-Chairman, District Board.

Pabna, the 9th December 1918. (3055—2)

Indian Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Medical Department will be held on 3rd February 1919, at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital. at these stations, and from—

Calcutta.	Simla.
Dinapore.	Rangoon.
Allahabad.	Madras.
Agra.	Bangalore.
Lucknow.	Trichinopoly.
Meerut.	Jhansi.
Bareilly.	Sialkot.
Jubbulpore.	Fyzabad.
Ambala.	Aden.
Lahore Cantonment.	Maymyo.
Rawalpindi.	Karachi.
Secunderabad	Bombay.
Wellington.	Mhow.
Quetta.	Poona.
Shillong.	Kamptee.
Peshawar.	Mandalay.
Kasauli.	
Ajmere.	

(1) The Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service, Simla.

(2) The Personal Assistants to the Surgeon-General with the Governments of Bengal, Madras and Bombay.

(3) All Administrative Medical Officers and the Principals of the Medical Colleges at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

R. A. NEEDHAM, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 15th November 1918.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries. Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
010788 WD 2 of 1917-18.	VB 59 25006		Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son, Hornby Road. Bombay.
	,, 71891		
	VB 60 39328	5 each	
	UB 3 04198		
	XB 62 46687		
	XB 56 68149		
	XB 43 05890		
	VB 2 70994		
	VB 37 33895		
	,, 33896		
	VB 36 44651		
	VB 33 13018		
	UB 44 29849		
	RB 33 28101		
	UB 58 06308		
	RB 86 67157	10 each.	
	UB 72 22243		
	VB 11 06194		
	UB 89 18922		
	UB 46 54770		
	UB 85 52788		
	RB 8 94608		
	VB 10 81254		
	RB 57 93522		
	Xa 19 70647		
	,, 70649		
	Pa 64 42874		

R. B DEANE, Deputy Controller,
In charge Paper Currency, Calcutta.

Paper Currency Department, 26th November 1918.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
WD 2 of 1918-19 No.—011002	VB 66 15852	100	Thakur Rudra Prosad Singh, Taluqdar, Tala, district Pertabgarh.

R. B. DEANE, Deputy Controller,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, Calcutta, the 3rd December 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Hindusthan Provident and Banking Co., Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Hindusthan Provident and Banking Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,
Offg. Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th December 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of Calcutta Master Printers' Association.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Calcutta Master Printers' Association will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,
Offg. Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th December 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The India Trading Co., Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The India Trading Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,
Offg. Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th December 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Bengal Provincial Medicine Stores, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Bengal Provincial Medicine Stores, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,
Offg. Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th December 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of the Co-operative Syndicate, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Co-operative Syndicate, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,
Offg. Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th December 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913,) and in the matter of The General Supply Stores Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The General Supply Stores Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,
Offg. Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th December 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Bengal Provincial Life Assurance Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Bengal Provincial Life Assurance Company, Limited, will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register and the Company will be dissolved.

KRIPANATH DUTT,
Offg. Registrar of Companies,
under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 11th December 1918.

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J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 31st October 1918.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF SANSKRIT MANUSCRIPTS.

PARTS I, II and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts, the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

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For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	Rs. 11 per lb.
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For quantities less than 6 lbs.	...	„ 6 „ „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	...	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantities less than 6 lbs.	...	„ 7 „ „
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Ditto 3 „ „ 9 „ „	... ...	1	3

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NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Monday.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 12th December 1918.*

PERSIAN GULF—WESTERN SHORE.

Ras Bildani—Derelict Dhow reported northward of.

No. 370 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 100M. of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 26 miles northward of Ras Bildani.
Lat. 28° 24′ N.
Long. 49° 19′ E.

Description.—A derelict Dhow.

Caution.—This derelict constitutes a danger to shipping.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf. Western Sheet.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, Northern Portion.

Authority.—The Director, Sea Transport, Basra, dated 20th November 1918.

DUNCAN F. VINES, CAPT., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 3rd December 1918.

INDIA, WEST COAST—BOMBAY HARBOUR.

Temporary beacon erected at Pau Pir, Trombay Island.

No. 366 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 94M. of 1918), are republished :—

Position of Pau Pir :—
Lat. 18° 59′ 53″ N.
Long. 72° 54′ 50″ E

Details.—In connection with the erection of a jetty at Pau Pir a temporary beacon will shortly be erected at the end of this jetty.

Description.—The beacon will have a Red Disc on the top by day and will exhibit a Red Light by night.

Caution.—The space between the beacon and the two piles already erected about 1,050 feet south of Dhanjibhai's Pier is now closed to traffic.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 2621, Bombay Harbour.
„ 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1909, page 220.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 7th November 1918.

CEYLON—EAST COAST.

Trincomali Harbour—(a) Extension of Shoal.
(b) Buoy laid.

No. 367 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 96M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—Admiralty No. 231 of 1918 and R. I. M No. 35M. of 1918. *(This office No. 88 of 1918.)*

(*a*) *Rock* :

Position.—At a distance of 1,920 feet 244° (S 65° W. Mag.) from the head of the Kachcheri Pier.

Details.—A rock with a least depth of water of 2 fathoms over it at L. W. O. S. has been found slightly north-eastward of the 2½ fathoms shoal marked on the chart.

(*b*) *Buoy* :

Position.—At a distance of 1,920 feet 245° (S. 66° W. Mag.) from the head of Kachcheri Pier in 22 feet of L. W. O. S.

Lat. 8° 33′ 38″ N.
Long. 81° 14′ 12″ E. } On chart No. 816.

Description.—A barrel buoy, painted red.

Details.—The above-mentioned buoy has been laid to mark the position of the shoal.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 816, Trincomali Harbour.
„ 815, The Harbour and Bays of Trincomali.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 167.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, H. M. S. "Juno".
Hydrographic Note, dated 19th October 1918.

PERSIAN GULF—SHATT-AL-ARAB ENTRANCE.

Inner and Outer Bar—Non-existence of Wrecks.

No. 368 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 97M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former Admiralty Notices.—Nos. 29 and 262 of 1914. *(Calcutta Notices Nos. 605 of 1913 and 78 of 1914.)*

(*a*) Inner Bar Wreck.

Position.—On Inner Bar, at a distance of about 9 cables north-westward of the Inner Bar Red Gas Buoy.
Lat. 29° 56′ 50″ N.
Long. 48° 35′ 30″ E.

(*b*) Outer Bar Wreck.

Position.—On outer bar, at a distance of about 4 cables north-eastward of the Fairway Gas Buoy.
Lat. 29° 48′ 43″ N.
Long. 48° 45′ 23″ E.

Details.—The wrecks shown on the Chart in the above positions are marked "(1913)" and "(1914)" respectively and have been removed together with the green wreck marking buoy, moored about a cable north-eastward of the outer bar wreck.

Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 282.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Basra, dated 15th November 1918.

CHINA SEA, GULF OF PECHILI—TAKU BAR, APPROACH TO THE HAIHO.

Taku Bar Inner Leading Marks (lights) discontinued.

Taku Bar Leading Marks (lights) established.

No. 369 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 670 of 1918 that the Taku Bar Inner Leading Marks (Lights) have been discontinued.

Two Beacons, to be known as the Taku Bar Leading Marks, have been established on the sea-coast about 1 mile to the southward of the entrance to the Haiho. These beacons are *black* open-work structures of iron, each surmounted by a *black* spherical daymark.

The low (or front) mark is 46 feet high and is situated 1·26 miles S. 9° W., magnetic, from the North Fort Cavalier. This beacon exhibits an occulting *white* light every second, thus—

Light	...	...	...	0·3 second.
Eclipse	...	...	...	0·7 ,,

The high (or rear) mark is 80 feet high and is situated 1,962 feet N. 72° 34′ W., magnetic (variation, 4° W.), from the low (or front) mark. This beacon exhibits a fixed *white* light.

These beacons in line lead through the channel across the Taku Bar.

The Entrance Buoy, which has been off its station during dredging operations in the New Channel across the Taku Bar, has been placed in position as advertised in Notice to Mariners No. 653, namely, from the Buoy the North Fort Cavalier bears N. 61° W., magnetic, distant 6·08 miles.

The 25th November 1918.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER.

Tsungming Island—South-west beacon moved.

No. 362 (third publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given notice (No. 668 of 1918) that the South-west Surveying-beacon situated on the southern coast of Tsungming Island, Yangtze River, has been moved 0·76 cable, N. 63° E, magnetic, from its former position.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER, KIUSHAN POINT (ROUND) CHANNEL.

Kiushan Point—Surveying-beacon moved.

No. 363 (third publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given notice (No. 669 of 1918), that the Surveying-beacon situated on Kiushan Point (round) Channel, Yangtze River, has been moved 0·59 cable, S. 77° E., magnetic, from its former position.

GULF OF ADEN.

Aden Harbour—Prohibited Area.

No. 364 (third publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 1150 of 1918), issued by the Port Officer, Aden, is republished :—

As the laying of a submarine pipe-line for Liquid Fuel at this Port is in progress no vessel of any description is allowed to anchor within the area enclosed by an imaginary line drawn through the Red Lighted Buoy off Flint Island and the west end of Flint Island continued to the mainland, and an imaginary line drawn through No. 8 Buoy and the east end of Flint Island continued to the mainland, and an imaginary line drawn through No. 8 Buoy and the Red Lighted Buoy.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches Light-vessel and Buoy :—Amended position of.

No. 365-I (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 93M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notices.—Admiralty No. 41 of 1916; Royal Indian Marine No. 92M. of 1918. (*This office No. 346-I of 1918.*)

Subject.—The correct position of the South Patches Light-vessel and the South Patches Buoy, is as follows; other particulars given remain as before :—

Position of Light-vessel.—Lat. 21° 29½′ N.
Long. 91° 37¼′ E.

Position of Buoy.—Lat. 21° 29½′ N.
Long. 91° 38′ E.

Remarks.—The Buoy is moored seven cables due East from the Light-vessel.

Variation.—¾° E.

Charts affected.—No. 859, Matla River to Elephant Point.
,, 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.
,, 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 630.
Indian Light List, 37th issue, 1918.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Chittagong, dated 28th October 1918.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Final Forecast of the *Bhadoi* Crops of Bengal, 1918-19.

(NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1916-17, the area under autumn rice in Bengal has represented some 6·5 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.)

Character of the Season.—As reported in the preliminary forecast the weather conditions in the beginning of the season were generally favourable, good rainfall in April and May enabling a full area to be put down under these crops. Subsequently, however, the weather proved unfavourable, the heavy rain and absence of sunshine in June retarding growth to a considerable extent. The rainfall in July was defective throughout Western Bengal. The abnormal rise of rivers during this month and excessive rain in August, considerably damaged the crops in most of the Eastern and Northern districts, Rajshahi, Bogra, Pabna, Mymensingh and the Chittagong Hill Tracts being the worst sufferers. All over the season has thus been an unfavourable one.

Acreage.—The total area sown this year with the various *bhadoi* crops dealt with in the forecast is estimated at 5,933,300 acres against 5,964,300 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year. Of this, the area under autumn rice is returned at 5,066,600 acres against 5,076,100 acres of last year.

Outturn.—According to the estimates of the District Officers the outturn of the different *bhadoi* crops works out to 77 per cent. of the normal as against 88 per cent. reported in the corresponding forecast of last year.

Autumn rice.—Accepting 77 per cent. as the outturn of autumn rice for this year, the gross outturn for the province, on the basis of a normal yield of 10½ maunds of clean grain per acre, is estimated at 30,095,600 cwts. against 32,818,500 cwts. reported in the final forecast of last year.

S. MILLIGAN,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DACCA,

The 9th December 1918.

APPENDIX I.

Final Report on the *Bhadoi* Crops of Bengal, 1918-19.

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	73,400	71,000	62,900	92	75	Middle of September. Normal.	The decrease in area was due to unfavourable weather at sowing time and heavy rainfall later on. The weather was favourable since the submission of the preliminary forecast. Damage to the extent of 17 per cent. is reported from Basirhat owing to heavy rain. The outturn is below the normal owing to unfavourable weather at sowing time and to excessive rain after it.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	...	100	100	83	67		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,600	2,600	2,400	75	67		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,300	4,400	3,800	58	58		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	3,600	2,300	2,200	92	92		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	...	300	200	83	83		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	100	1,300	1,300	53	75		
	Total ...	84,000	81,900	72,800	90	74		
Nadia.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	491,100	468,500	472,800	75	83	August. Normal.	The increase in area was due to timely rainfall and to jute lands being sown with *aus* paddy. The weather has not been favourable. Damage to some extent was done to the crop by insects in the Ranaghat subdivision and by flood in some parts of the Sadar subdivision. Owing to insufficient rainfall, the outturn has fallen below the normal.
	Mandua, marua or ragi.	100	...	...	...	...		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	800	...	...	...	...		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	8,000	4,900	5,700	58	67		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Indigo	1,000	5,300	5,000	67	67		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,400	2,200	2,100	67	58		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,800	2,000	1,900	67	50		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,800	2,800	3,000	92	58		
	Mulberry	(50)	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	6,900	15,700	15,700	75	67		
	Total ...	523,900	501,400	506,200	72	83		
Murshidabad.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	229,700	176,400	177,900	83	75	August to September.	The decrease in area as compared with last year was due to revised figures under head "Bhadoi non-food crops." The weather was favourable but the heavy rain in August damaged the crops to the extent of about 25 per cent.
	Jowar	100	100	100	100	100		
	Bajra	500	400	300	75	83		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	800	600	800	75	75		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,000	1,000	1,000	75	83		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	4,000	4,000	75	67		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	800	1,100	58	67		
	Indigo	.....	1,700	5,100	92	75		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	1,600	1,700	83	58		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	5,000	3,000	2,800	75	75	August to October	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,800	2,100	2,300	83	67		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	400	600	400	58	67		
	Mulberry	4,000	3,500	3,300	75	67		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	20,000	13,000	4,500	67	75		
	Total ...	271,200	208,800	205,700	81	75		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres				
Jessore	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	407,300	369,800	366,000*	88	75	August. Normal.	The decrease in area this year was due to excessive rain at sowing time. The weather was not favourable. The outturn was below the normal owing mainly to water-logging of the crops.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	12,200	11,100	9,100*	64	58	September. Normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	12,200	10,800	8,800*	75	60		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,200	...	700*	...	50		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	12,100	2,000	1,000*	75	60		
	Total ...	445,000	393,700	384,400*	83	74		
Kulna	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.	17,800	17,700	20,200	100	100	Beginning of August.	The increase in area was due to the fact that some jute lands were sown with paddy owing to fall in the price of jute last year. Since the submission of the preliminary forecast, the weather was favourable. Owing to want of timely rain, the outturn in the case of crops other than *bhadoi* paddy, was below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	200	100	100	77	85	Middle of September	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	600	600	400	85	85		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	14,900	12,400	13,000	77	86	August.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	300	200	100	92	92	Beginning of September. The dates are normal.	
	Total ...	33,700	31,000	33,800	90	94		
Burdwan.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	107,800	110,700	100	83	August in Katwa and October elsewhere.	The decrease in area under *bhadoi* paddy as compared with the preliminary forecast was due to revision by the Subdivisional Officer, Kalna. The weather was unfavourable. Slight damage was done to the crops by heavy rainfall.
	Mandua, marua or ragi	...	...	(50)	...	83	End of September. Late.	
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	3,000	2,000	1,000	83	67	Beginning of October. Late	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,000	700	600	92	92		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,200	1,100	1,000	92	83		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,000	2,400	2,600	92	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	1,600	1,100	92	92		
	Bhadoi fodder-crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	200	200	200	83	100	August in Katwa and October elsewhere.	
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	6,000	4,800	4,800	75	92		
	Mulberry	100	...		...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	4,000	2,900	3,100	75	93		
	Total ...	160,200	133,700	126,800	98	83		
Birbhum.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	144,100	132,100	133,100	100	84	End of October. Late.	The weather was not favourable. The damage caused by drought will about 18 per cent.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,900	1,900	1,900	83	75		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,400	1,300	1,300	100	67		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	10,000	10,000	10,000	100	67		
	Mulberry	1,000	(50)	(55)	83	67		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,800	2,800	2,800	83	100		
	Total ...	161,200	149,000	149,000	99	82		

* Revised since the preliminary forecast.

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bankura.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	91,000	5,500	5,500	117	92	Beginning of September.	Since the submission of the preliminary forecast, weather was not favourable owing to want of sufficient rainfall. The crops were slightly damaged by drought. Unfavourable rainfall and drought for sometime during the period of growth caused the outturn to fall below the normal.
	Bajra	300	700	700	117	83		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	1,100	800	800	117	83		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	8,400	3,200	3,200	133	83		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,000	1,500	1,500	117	83		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	1,500	1,500	133	83		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	1,500	1,500	133	83		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	700	4,400	4,400	117	67		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	800	700	700	133	83		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	1,200	1,800	1,800	117	75		
	Total ...	40,000	21,600	21,600	127	81		
Midnapore.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	73,000	72,900	102,700				
	Bajra	3,900	3,400	1,400				
	Mandua, marua or ragi	6,700	6,200	2,700				
	Indian corn (maize) ...	11,000	5,200	3,300				
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	3,100	5,400				
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	10,500	10,200	8,200				
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,500	6,000	4,400	83	85	September. Normal	The increase in area under *bhadoi* paddy was due to the failure of winter rice in many places. The weather was not favourable. Want of rain caused a considerable damage to the crop.
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	8,000	7,000	5,300				
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,800	1,000	600				
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	1,000	1,100	1,300				
	Mulberry ...	400	100	100				
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	15,000	7,600	4,300				
	Total ...	142,300	123,800	137,700	83	85		
Hooghly.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	45,500	30,400	29,800	70	76	September. Normal.	The decrease in area under some heads compared with last year was due to heavy rainfall at sowing time. The weather was not favourable. No damage was done to the crops in the Sadar and Serampur subdivisions, but in Arambagh the extent of damage by drought is estimated at 50 per cent. The outturn was below the normal owing to heavy rainfall at sowing time.
	Indian corn (maize) ...	200	200	100	66	100		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	600	400	400	65	46		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		100	100	33	66		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,100	4,100	3,800	69	65		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	500	600	69	79		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	100	100	100	50	30		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	100	100	100	91	84		
	Mulberry	100	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	500	..	...	...	...		
	Total ...	51,900	35,900	35,000	75	75		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Howrah.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	18,500	8,800	7,700	50	50	Middle of October. Late.	The weather was not favourable owing to want of rain at the end of the season. In the Singti thana, *bhadoi* paddy was damaged to a considerable extent owing to heavy and irregular rainfall at sowing time and want of rain at the end of the season.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	300	100	100	67	67	Middle of October. Normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,300	1,000	900	50	50		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	17,200	5,200	5,300	58	67		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	2,700	1,500	1,400	58	58	Middle of October. Late.	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,500	300	400	67	58		
	Total ...	41,500	16,900	15,800	54	57		
Rajshahi.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	300,000	289,200	285,000	85	51	Middle of August to middle of September. Normal.	The decrease in area this year was due to unfavourable weather at sowing time. The weather was not favourable since the submission of the preliminary forecast. The abnormal flood in August and September caused considerable damage to the crops.
	Jowar	100	300	200	80	40		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	200	200	200	75	50		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,100	1,300	1,300	90	61		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	5,800	6,000	6,000	80	50		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	1,900	1,900	80	50		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,200	3,600	3,500	85	48		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	1,500	3,000	3,000	85	40		
	Bhadoi fodder-crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	4,500	4,800	4,800	75	40		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	500	400	400	90	67		
	Mulberry	1,000	700	700	85	67		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	600	900	900	85	60		
	Total ...	319,500	312,300	307,900	85	51		
Dinajpur.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	130,700	126,300	153,700*	60	71	August. Normal...	The increase in area in some cases compared with last year was due to timely rainfall. Since the submission of the preliminary forecast, the weather was not favourable Some damage was done to the crops by heavy rain and flood.
	Jowar	1,200	700	1,700	67	58		
	Bajra	100	100	300	75	73		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	...	...	200	...	83		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,000	900	900	74	71		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,600	100	400	25	64		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	900	800	400*	46	59		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root crops.	1,700	1,500	1,200	42	59		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	100	800	300*	62	60		
	Bhadoi fodder-crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	...	...	500	..	64		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	300	(20)	...	75	...		
	Total ...	137,600	130,600	159,600	52	71		

* Revised since the preliminary forecast.

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Jalpaiguri.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	190,000	176,000	172,400	95	80	Middle of August ...	The decrease in area as compared with last year was due to absence of rainfall at sowing time.
	Mandua, marua or ragi	300	300	200	75	66	First week of October	Since the submission of the preliminary forecast, the weather was not favourable. Some damage was caused by heavy rain.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	4,000	2,800	2,700	81	80	Middle of August.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ..	2,100	1,000	1,000	76	70		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,300	1,800	1,700	78	70		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	15,600	13,200	13,100	75	70		
	Other *bhadoi* food crops	9,500	6,000	5,800	81	70	Middle of October.	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	5,000	5,000	5,000	100	75		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	100	100	100	70	70		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	2,000	2,000	2,000	100	75	The dates are normal.	
	Total ...	235,600	208,100	204,000	93	79		
Darjeeling.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	7,200	3,800	3,800	77	85		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	5,300	3,600	3,600	77	77		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	40,300	48,700	48,700	77	92		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,200	700	700	92	92		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		1,700	1,700	69	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	400	400	300	75	100	September. Normal.	The weather has been favourable. The outturn is a little below the normal.
	Tea	52,000	52,000	54,700	100	100		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	2,200	4,600	4,400	69	92		
	Bhadoi fodder crops, other than Jowar, Bajra, marua and maize.	...	...	100	...	100		
	Other *bhadoi* non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,400	1,200	1,300	85	92		
	Total ...	118,800	116,700	110,300	87	95		
Rangpur.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	282,000	208,000	310,100	95	90	July. Normal.	The weather at sowing time was good and a bumper crop was expected, but flood at the latter part of July caused damage to the extent of 10 per cent. to the low land crop.
	Jowar	200	300	300	80	100		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	100	100	100	100	100	July. Normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	20,000	4,200	4,200	60	80		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...						October. Normal.	
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	10,000	3,400	1,400	70	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	18,000	300	900	90	90		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	...	...	...		...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	50,000	20,000	20,000	90	100		
	Total ...	380,300	326,100	337,700	94	90		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bogra.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	140,000	113,000	111,700	80	60	Beginning of August. Normal.	The weather was not favourable to the growth of the crops. Considerable damage was done by heavy rain. Hence the outturn was much below the normal.
	Jowar	.....	(20)	100	80	80		
	Bajra	.....	.....	(10)	.....	.....		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	.....	(18)	(20)	87	87		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	.....	3,000	3,000	75	75		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,500	1,800	1,500	30	25		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	.....	300	400	87	36		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	300	300	90	67		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	2,000	400	400	100	35		
	Bhadoi fodder crops, other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	.....	100	100	38	45		
	Mulberry	100	(12)	(8)	45	45		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	200	...	...	...	...		
	Total ...	146,800	118,700	117,400	80	60		
Pabna.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	140,000	181,500	180,000	85	60	Beginning of July. Normal.	The weather was not favourable. The unusual flood in August and September damaged the crop to a great extent. The outturn is therefore estimated to be much below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	8,000	6,500	6,500	75	66		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	30,000	30,000	30,000	75	66		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	3,500	3,500	3,500	75	66		
	Total ...	181,500	221,500	220,000	83	61		
Malda.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	278,600	2 5,000	254,000	100	100	End of July.	The weather was favourable. About 25 per cent. of Indian corn has been damaged by flood.
	Jowar	1,800	1,300	1,300	75	100	End of August.	The falling off of outturn in case of bajra, marua, etc., was due to stunted growth owing to want of manuring of the fields.
	Bajra	1,400	1,300	1,200	75	80		
	Mandua	1,600	...	1,200	...	50		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	29,700	16,000	16,000	75	75	Middle of August.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,200	800	3,300	75	80		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	100	500	100	75	80		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	9,700	19,000	6,500	100	80		
	Mulberry	6,000	13,800	13,800	100	100	End of August.	
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	20,000	.....	19,400	.....	80	Middle of August...	
	Bhadoi fodder crops, other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,000	.....	1,100	.....	60		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute,	7,000	.....	1,800	.....	60	The dates were normal.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	3,400	.....	3,000	.....	75		
	Total ...	363,500	307,700	322,400	98	96		
Dacca.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	238,700	266,000	267,900	95	87	June to August. Normal.	The weather was favourable since the submission of the preliminary forecast. The outturn was below the normal owing to damage caused by continued heavy rain and high flood.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	5,000	3,900	4,000	77	73		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	28,500	19,4 0	19,500	99	99		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	3,700	1,900	1,900	95	90		
	Total ...	275,900	292,000	293,200	95	83		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop. Last year.	Estimated area under each crop. This year.	Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area. Last year.	Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area. This year.	Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Mymensingh.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	390,600	466,500	466,500	100	60	.....	The weather was not favourable. About half the crops are reported to have been damaged by flood and excessive rain in Tangail, Kishorganj, Netrakona and parts of Sadar subdivisions.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	5,500	5,500	5,500	100	45		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	43,000	43,000	43,000	100	60		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	64,000	64,000	64,000	100	35		
	Total ...	503,100	579,000	579,000	100	57		
Faridpur.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	233,500	242,900	237,200	95	90	Middle of July. Normal.	The increase in area under *bhadoi* paddy was due to extension of jute and sugarcane cultivation.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including fodder-crops.	25,300	23,200	22,200	86	74		The weather was generally favourable, but heavy rains affected the growth of the crops.
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	500	500	500	87	78		
	Total ...	259,300	266,600	259,900	94	89		
Bakarganj.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	136,000	300,000	250,000	100	75	By the middle of July.	The decrease in area compared with last year was due to excessive rainfall at sowing time.
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,000	500	500	80	75	First week of September.	The weather was not favourable. The outturn was below the normal owing to damage caused by excessive rainfall.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	140,000	148,000	140,000	100	75	Middle of September. Normal.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	1,400	1,500	1,500	80	75		
	Total ...	277,400	450,000	392,000	160	75		
Chittagong.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	202,000	206,500	204,000	90	95		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	200	300	200	90	100		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	300	200	200	100	95		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,400	2,500	2,500	90	100		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,800	1,800	1,800	90	99		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	5,800	4,900	4 000	100	100	August to October. Normal.	The weather was favourable on the whole but some damage was caused to the crops by floods in parts of the district.
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	300	300	300	100	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	100	100	100	100	100		
	Tea	5,000	4,600	5,000	90	94		
	Total ...	218,900	220,000	217,900	90	95		
Tippera.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	320,000	316,000	314,000	60	90	July. Normal ...	The weather was fairly favourable. Some damage was caused by excessive rainfall and flood and the outturn is below the normal.
	Other *Bhadoi* cereals ...	1,100	600	600	75	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,000	1,100	1,100	60	60		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	7,500	5,100	5,100	75	60		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,000	900	700	60	50		
	Bhadoi fodder-crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	9,000	9,000	9,000	60	60		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	7,000	5,000	5,000	75	75		
	Total ...	346,400	337,700	335,500	60	88		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop. Last year.	Estimated area under each crop. This year.	Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area. Last year.	Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area. This year.	Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Noakhali.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	204,000	215,000	212,000	85	70	July. Normal ...	The effect of the weather on the cultivation and growth of the crops were not favourable since the submission of the preliminary forecast. Hence outturn is low.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,000	1,000	1,000	100	90		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,000	2,000	2,000	100	90		
	Total ...	207,000	218,000	215,000	86	70		
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	156,000	158,000	156,000	90	55	Beginning of August to middle of September. Normal.	The decrease in area this year was due to heavy rainfall at sowing time. The weather was not favourable. A considerable damage was done by floods thus causing the outturn to fall much below the normal.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	2,100	2,000	1,800	60	46		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	4,000	3,500	3,000	70	60		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	7,000	7,900	6,500†	60	46		
	Total ...	201,100	171,400	167,300	88	55		
Total Bengal.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	5,080,100	5,076,100	5,066,600	86	77		
	Jowar	3,400	3,700	3,700	75	77		
	Bajra	6,700	3,900	3,900	85	82		
	Mandua, marua or ragi.	15,800	11,600	9,400	88	76		
	Indian-corn (maize ...	105,100	88,700	85,400	79	85		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	110,700	78,300	74,500	74	70		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Indigo	1,000	7,000	10,100	73	71		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables including root-crops.	295,300	280,900	287,700	92	73		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	211,300	151,300	164,300	87	71		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	109,600	101,000	103,300	93	47		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	16,200	8,100	9,300	82	82		
	Mulberry	13,700	18,100	17,800	94	93		
	Tea	57,000*	56,600	59,700	99	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	132,800	77,000	47,600	81	82		
	Total ...	6,127,700	5,964,300†	5,933,300	86	77		

* Exclusive of figures for Jalpaiguri and the Chittagong Hill Tracts.
† Revised since the preliminary forecast.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of estimated acreage and outturn of the autumn rice, 1918.

Province.	Area (in acres)				Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (−), area in—		Yield (in cwts.)				Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+), or is less than (−) yield in—	
	Of current year's crop.	Of previous year's crop.	Average of preceding—		Column 3.	Column 4.	Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Column 8.	Column 9.
			Five years.	Ten years.	Five years.	Ten years.			Five years.	Ten years.	Five years.	Ten years.
1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9		10	11
Bengal ...	5,066,600	5,076,100	5,094,800	5,118,400	−0·19	−0·85	−1·01	30,095,600	32,818,500	29,814,700	29,663,700	−8·3	+0·94	+1·46

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1918.

Marts.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.*	Corresponding return of 1913.*
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	4 3 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 4 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	1 13 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	3 0 0	3 0 0	to 2 4 0	2 11 0	2 2 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	2 10 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	3 2 0	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	4 0 0	3 0 0	2 1 0	3 1 0	3 12 0	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	3 0 0	3 0 0	1 12 0	2 11 0	3 7 0	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 6 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	.....	.....

(c) No sale.

* Figures not available.

Marts.	PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	2 8 0	2 6 0	1 14 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	.....	.....
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 10 0	2 10 0	2 0 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	2 10 0	2 8 0	to 1 14 0 (c)	(c)	2 0 0	3 0 0	2 6 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	3 12 0	2 12 0	1 13 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	3 5 0	3 0 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0

(c) No sale.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1918.

Marts.	RICE (BEST QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 14 0	8 4 0	7 8 0	7 10 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	7 0 0	5 14 0	5 5 6	9 8 0	8 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Kulna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0
Chittagong	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	8 8 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	6 0 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	8 0 0	6 2 0	5 0 0	6 12 0	7 4 0	6 4 0	6 8 0 to 7 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	7 0 0	6 12 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	9 0 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	7 4 0	7 12 0	7 4 0	8 0 0

Marts.	RICE (COMMON QUALITY).						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	6 3 0	7 8 0	8 8 0	6 0 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	5 6 0	4 12 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0 to 4 12 0
Kulna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 8 0 to 4 2 0	5 4 0	5 7 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Chittagong	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 10 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 2 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	7 12 0	5 12 0	4 0 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0 to 5 14 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 5 0	4 11 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 10 0	5 12 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the seoond-half of November 1918.

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Marts.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	7 4 0	7 4 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 2 0	5 12 0	4 6 0
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	(a)	(a)	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	.....	.....
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 8 0	8 8 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	4 6 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	... ..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	4 0 0	3 13 0	5 4 0	3 12 0	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Rangpur	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 0 0

(a) Not in stock.

KALAI DAL.

Marts.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.*	Corresponding return of 1913.*
	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	8 12 0	8 12 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 14 0	.....	.....
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	10 8 0	9 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	.....	.....
Kalna	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 8 0 to 11 0 0	8 8 0 to 11 0 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	15 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	...	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	...	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	7 0 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	.....	.....

* Figures not available.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the second half of November 1918.

Marts.	GRAM.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	5 0 0	3 8 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	5 6 0	5 8 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	4 6 0	5 4 0	3 4 0 to 3 13 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	5 12 0 to 7 0 0	5 12 0 to 7 0 0	3 14 0 to 4 6 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	.....	.....
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 4 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	.....	.....

Marts.	ARHAR DAL.						
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of 1917.	Corresponding return of 1916.	Corresponding return of 1915.	Corresponding return of 1914.	Corresponding return of 1913.
	51	52	53	54	55	56	57
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	6 12 0	6 12 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	4 12 0
Chetla Hât	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	7 8 0	7 4 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 2 0	4 13 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	8 8 0	8 8 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	.....	.....
Chittagong	7 12 0	7 12 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 4 0
Chandpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	9 0 0	7 8 0	4 12 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	6 12 0	5 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	8 6 0	8 10 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	6 9 0	5 8 0
Sirajganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	7 0 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	4 8 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1918.

Marts.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	5 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	9 0 0	38 0 0	38 0 0	30 0 0
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	.....(a)	.....(a)	6 0 0	12 8 0	10 0 0	5 4 0	8 8 0	9 0 0 to 7 0 0	10 0 0	.....(a)	..... (a)	25 0 0 to 33 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	10 0 0	8 0 0	4 8 0	11 0 0 to 12 8 0	10 8 0 to 11 12 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	7 12 0	8 8 0	11 0 8	70 0 0	70 0 0	40 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	9 8 0	9 8 0	6 8 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	7 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	11 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 4 0	11 0 0	9 8 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	8 8 0	8 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 8 0	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	12 0 0	12 0 0	5 0 0	70 0 0	60 0 0	65 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	.....(a)	.....(a)	4 8 0	65 0 0	65 0 0	55 0 0	40 0 0	Per maund. 40 0 0	36 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	75 0 0	75 0 0	58 0 0	275 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100. 225 0 0	300 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	to 80 0 0 75 0 0	to 80 0 0 75 0 0	to 62 0 0 60 0 0	250 0 0	Uncleaned piece per 100. 220 0 0	275 0 0
Chandpur ...	5 12 0 to 9 8 0	6 8 0 to 10 0 0	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	64 0 0	65 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	7 0 0 to 11 0 0	5 12 0 to 12 0 0	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	6 0 0 to 10 0 0	5 0 0 to 12 0 0	4 8 0 to 8 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	3 0 0 to 11 0 0	7 0 0 to 11 8 0	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	107 0 0	80 0 0	83 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	5 0 0 to 7 0 0	6 0 0 to 8 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	4 0 0	65 0 0	65 0 0	70 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	4 0 0

(a) Not in stock.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1918.

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	35 0 0	35 0 0	25 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	6 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 3 0(d)
Cheth Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	12 0 0 to 25 0 0	22 0 0 to 35 0 0	14 8 0 to 18 8 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	4 4 0	3 3 9(c)	4 1 0	3 1 6(a)
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ranigunj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 20 0 0	3 0 0 to 22 0 0	2 0 0 to 23 0 0	3 10 0	3 13 0	6 12 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 0 0(a)
Chittagong ...	25 0 0	30 0 0	18 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	7 8 0†	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 0 0(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	4 4 0	4 4 0	7 12 0*	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 8 0(a)
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	21 0 0 to 26 10 0	28 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	7 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	5 8 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	22 0 0	22 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	7 0 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	3 4 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Mosque mark. | (c) Rising Sun. | * Panga. | † Crushed. | (d) 4 Imperial gallons.

Marts.	Mustard Oil.			Firewood.			Coal (Bengal).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	25 0 0	25 0 0	18 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Cheth Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 11 0
Burdwan ...	29 0 0	25 0 0	17 0 0	0 8 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 12 6
Ranigunj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 3 3	0 3 3	0 2 4
Midnapore ...	32 0 0	28 0 0 to 30 0 0	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	0 7 0*	0 7 0	0 7 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	28 0 0	28 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	33 0 0	30 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	29 6 0	29 0 0	18 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	25 0 0	30 0 0	22 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

DACCA,
The 12th December 1918.

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Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1918.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
		24-Parganas.															
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat ...	6 6	7 2	8 0	6 6	8 0	9 0	4 9	4 9	7 0	4 9	5 6	8 0	10 10	9 2	5 6*
	2	Magra Hat ...	6 14	7 8	9 7	7 8	8 0	11 7	...	...	7 4	4 12	5 0	6 10	11 8	10 4	6 3
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	6 10	6 10	7 9	8 0	8 0	8 4	4 7	4 7	8 4	5 14	5 14	8 0	10 0	10 0	6 6
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	6 7	6 7	9 0	7 4	7 8	11 0	4 0	3 3	5 5	4 0	4 8	6 8	10 0	10 10	8 14*
	5	Ranaghat	6 12	7 0	9 0	7 4	7 4	10 0	5 4	5 4	6 8	5 4	5 4	6 0	9 0	9 0	5 5
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	6 12	8 0	11 0	7 0	8 4	11 8	3 0	3 0	7 0	5 4	6 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 0*
	7	Kandi ...	8 0	8 8	12 0	8 4	9 0	13 0	4 0	...	5 8	5 8	6 8	8 0	9 4	10 0	8 0
	8	Jangipur ...	7 8	8 0	12 0	8 0	8 12	13 0	...	...	6 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	10 0
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	7 0	7 8	10 0	8 0	8 8	12 8	6 0	4 8	6 8	5 0	4 8	6 8	10 0	10 0	5 6
	10	Bangaon	6 10	6 10	11 7	7 0	7 0	13 5	4 0	4 0	5 5	4 15	4 15	6 6	11 4	10 8	5 12
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 4	9 0	13 0	7 8	8 0	6 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	9 0	9 0	5 6
	12	Bagerhat	5 2	7 0	10 0	6 0	9 0	14 0	5 4	5 4	8 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	9 0	9 0	4 8
		Burdwan.															
Burdwan.	13	Sadar	7 8	8 0	10 8	8 0	9 0	13 0	3 12	4 12	6 0	5 0	5 4	6 8	10 10	10 6	8 4
	14	Kalna	7 0	6 6	10 0	7 4	6 10	10 8	6 0	4 0	6 12	5 8	5 5	6 8	10 8	9 0	13 0*
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	6 12	6 12	11 8	7 8	7 8	12 0	4 0	4 0	7 0	5 0	5 4	7 0	10 0	9 0	10 0
	16	Rampur Hat	7 0	7 0	11 0	7 8	7 8	12 0	4 0	4 0	6 0	5 8	4 8	8 0	11 0	11 0	9 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	7 8	7 8	12 8	8 0	8 0	14 0	3 12	3 12	6 8	5 0	5 0	8 0	10 8	10 8	6 8
	18	Vishnupur	7 0	7 0	11 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	6 8
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	8 1	8 1	11 6	8 6	8 6	12 5	4 0	4 0	7 0	4 0	4 0	6 0 / 8 0	9 0	9 0	5 4
	20	Contai	7 8	7 8	12 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	8 8	10 0	10 0	5 8
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	6 8	6 8	8 0	7 0	7 8	9 8	3 8	4 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	7 8	11 0	10 0	6 0
	22	Arambagh	7 8	7 10	10 0	7 10	8 0	10 4	4 0	4 0	5 8	5 0	5 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	4 8
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	5 0	6 4	8 3	6 8	8 8	9 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	5 0	4 8	8 0	11 5	10 0	5 5
	24	Uluberia	6 12	6 12	8 0	7 4	7 12	9 0	4 0	3 13	6 8	4 0	4 11	7 8	11 4	10 0	5 10
		Rajshahi.															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	8 4	7 14	9 0	9 0	8 10	10 8	5 4	4 0	5 0	5 4	5 4	6 12	8 0	8 0	4 14
	26	Nator	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	10 0	6 0	6 8	6 0	7 14	7 14	6 8	8 0	8 0	4 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Banar Hat.	7 13	8 6	10 3	8 8	9 0	10 12	4 12	4 12	6 9	5 8	4 12	7 13	8 0	8 0	6 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	8 0	8 8	9 8	8 8	10 0	11 0	5 4	6 3	8 0	5 4	5 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	4 8

* Karkatch.

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1918—*concld.*

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.		**Darjeeling.**															
	29	Sadar	5 4	5 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	8 4	4 0	4 0	5 8	4 0	4 0	5 8	6 8	6 8	5 8
	30	Siliguri	9 0	9 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	7 8	5 0	6 8	8 0	5 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	4 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	9 8	4 8	4 8	5 12	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 12
	32	Nilphamari	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 0	5 12	5 8	6 8	5 2	5 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 8
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	5 8	5 8	6 0	8 10	9 0	12 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	4 8	4 6	8 12	10 8	9 5	5 7
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	7 8	8 0	10 8	8 8	8 8	12 0	...	3 12	6 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	8 4	8 0	5 0
	35	Sirajganj	8 12	7 0	8 0	7 12	8 0	8 8	6 0	6 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 8
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	9 0	8 8	11 0	...	8 12	14 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	6 8	8 8	8 0	8 0
	37	Balia—Nawabganj ...	9 0	8 8	11 4	10 0	9 0	16 4	5 8	5 0	6 0	...	7 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	7 0
Dacca.		**Dacca.**															
	38	Sadar	5 2	7 0	10 0	6 12	9 0	12 0	2 12	4 0	5 8	4 8	5 4	8 0	9 0	8 8	5 0
	39	Munshir Hat ...	6 12	8 0	10 0	8 8	8 0	10 0	...		...	...	...	...	8 0	5 0	4 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	5 8	6 10	8 8	6 0	6 14	8 14	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 4	5 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0
	41	Netrakona	8 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	10 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	6 8	5 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	5 0
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	6 12	8 0	12 0	7 8	8 8	12 8	4 0	4 8	6 4	4 4	4 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	5 0
	43	Rajbari	8 4	8 0	12 0	8 12	8 10	12 13	4 0	4 12	8 0	4 0	4 6	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 12
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	6 2	7 0	10 8	6 11	9 0	10 12	4 9	5 12	9 7	4 9	5 0	6 8	8 0	10 0	5 6
	45	Pirojpur	7 0	7 12	7 12	7 0	7 12	7 12	...	...	7 0	4 12	4 12	5 0	6 8	6 8	5 0
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	6 9	7 12	10 8	7 8	8 0	13 14	5 0	5 0	5 5	4 8	4 10	8 6	8 8	8 8	5 8
	47	Chandpur ...	5 0	7 4	8 0	6 8	9 8	10 2	5 2	5 0	5 5	8 4	7 2	8 8	9 1	9 1	5 4
Chittagong.		**Noakhali**															
	48	Kalitara Hat	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	4 0	4 0	9 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	9 0	9 0	4 0*
	49	Feni Hat	7 13	9 13	13 0	8 12	11 10	13 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	4 8
		Chittagong															
	50	Sadar ...	8 0	8 0	10 8	8 8	8 8	11 0	4 0	4 0	6 8	5 0	5 0	5 8	10 0	10 0	5 0
	51	Cox Bazar ...	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	4 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	4 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	8 0	9 0	4 0

* Crushed.

N. GUPTA,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA,
The 12th December 1918.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 12th December 1918.

Summary.—The week was practically rainless except scanty showers in a few place. Standing crops are suffering from drought. Transplantation of tobacco seedlings is nearing completion. Harvesting of winter paddy and sugarcane continues and that of *kalai* has commenced in places. Sowing of *rabi* crops is well advanced. Damage to standing crops by insects is reported from some southern and eastern districts. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in Bankura and in parts of Rajshahi, Bogra and Tippera. The average price of common rice has risen by about 1·3 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
1	24-Parganas	0·12	6⅜	6⅜	Harvesting of winter rice crop is going on. Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	6½	6½	
	Barrackpore	Nil	6¼	6¼	
	Barasat ...	Nil	8½	9	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	7¾	7¾	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	7	7¼	Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Prospects of standing crops are not favourable.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7¼	7½	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	6½	6½	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	6¾	6¾	Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Rain is wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Fodder is sufficient.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Kandi ...	Nil	7¾	7¼	
4	Jessore ...	Nil	8	7	Harvesting of *aman* paddy is going on. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is finished. Prospects of standing crops are not good owing to drought. Damage by insects is reported from Magura. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	8	9	
	Magura ...	Nil	11	9	
	Narail ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	7	7 5/16	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	8½	8	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	9	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
6	BURDWAN ...	0·03	6¼	7	Weather cloudy and drizzling. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of potatoes continue. Condition of *rabi* crops, sugarcane and vegetables is poor for want of moisture.
	Asansol ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	
	Katwa ...	Nil	7	7¼	
	Kalna ...	Nil	6	6½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7	7	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects of *rabi* are not good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Rampurhat	Nil	7	7½	
8	BANKURA ...	0·08	7½	7½	Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues and that of sugarcane and *til* has begun. Condition of standing crops is not good. Supply of fodder is deficient owing to partial failure of winter paddy. Cattle-disease is reported from Saltora.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7	7	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	6	8 1/16	Stocks of rice at Sadar are getting very low. Steps are being taken to improve imports from the interior.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	6⅞	7⅜	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	
	Contai ...	Nil	7½	7½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are unfavourable.
	Serampore ...	Nil	6	6	
	Arambagh ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	6	6¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Sowing of *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Condition of sugarcane is fair.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	6½	6½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA)	0·92	7½	8½	Weather cold. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects are unfavourable. Fodder in Naogaon is still insufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8	9	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	8	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7 3/16	7 3/16	Harvesting of winter paddy continues; outturn is not good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	11	11	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	9¼	8¼	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	7½	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SERERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	7½	7½	*Marua* is being harvested. Winter paddy, wheat and potatoes are progressing favourably in places and harvesting has also commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Prospects of crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8	8	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7½	7	
17	BOGRA ...	0·01	8½	8½	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder is sufficient except in the area which was flooded.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather cool and pleasant. Prospects of standing crops are bad. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is in full swing. Fodder is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6½	6¾	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	8	8	Condition of *rabi* crops is not good. Harvesting of winter paddy and *kalai* continues.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Transplantation of tobacco seedlings is nearing completion. Harvesting of *haimanti* paddy is in progress. Fodder and water are sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	0·00	7	6¾	Weather cool and bright. Prospects of winter paddy are fair. Winter paddy is being damaged by *ufra* disease. Influenza is affecting the agricultural labourers. Fodder and water are sufficient and no cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	6	6	
	Narayanganj	0·00	$6\frac{3}{16}$	$4\frac{9}{16}$	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	6	6	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	5⅝	$4\frac{9}{16}$	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is going on. Fodder is sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6⅜	6⅜	
	Netrokona ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kishoreganj	Nil	6¾	7	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(x) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	7	6¼	*Aman* paddy is being damaged by insects in the Goalundo subdivision. Prospects of crops are satisfactory. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	8½	8¾	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	7½	6⅛	
	Gopalganj*...	Nil	7	7	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	5¼ / 6¾†	5¼ / 8 †	Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder is sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	6½	7	
	Patuakhali	Nil	6½	6¼ / 7¼†	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	6½	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	7½	8	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively. Fodder is sufficient.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	8	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	7	7	Sowing of *rabi* crops still continues in Chandpur. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Winter paddy is being damaged by insects. Fodder is insufficient in Brahmanbaria.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	7	7	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	7	7	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops are progressing. Slight damage is being caused to standing winter rice crop by insects. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	8¾	8¾	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS	Nil	6	6	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of cotton crops continues; outturn good. Fodder is sufficient.

* The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here | † New
(n) Not reported.

N. GUPTA,

DACCA, *the 15th December 1918.* for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta during the week ending Saturday, the 14th December 1918.

Names of Articles	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rice—												
Balam, coarse ...	5	6	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Patnai, coarse ...	6	3	0	6	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ medium ...	6	9	0	6	11	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
Nagra, coarse ...	6	5	0	6	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ medium ...	6	9	0	6	12	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
Dudhkalma ...	6	8	0	6	12	0	.....			.....		
Rangoon Boiled ...	.....			.....			0	2	0	0	2	6
Kajla	5	8	0	5	10	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
Wheat, Dudhia	7	12	0	8	0	0	.....			.....		
„ Gangajali	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali	7	0	0	7	4	0	.....			.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ...	5	12	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ dal	7	0	0	7	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Mung „ (Hari)	9	4	0	10	4	0	0	4	6	0	5	6
„ „ (Krishna) ...	8	4	0	9	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Arhar „	9	0	0	10	4	0	0	3	0	0	4	0
Masur „ (split)	4	10	0	5	12	0	0	3	0	0	4	6
„ „ (khanri) ...	6	12	0	7	4	0	0	3	6	0	4	6
Kalai „	6	4	0	7	4	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Salt	3	0	0	.....			0	1	9	.....		
Sugar (brown Java) ...	10	12	0	.....			0	4	9	0	6	0
Gur, Bheli	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Bhursut	8	8	0	8	12	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Date	.....			.....			.....			.....		
Milk	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil	28	8	0	31	0	0	0	11	0	0	14	0
Flour (country)	9	12	0	11	6	0	0	4	3	0	5	0
Atta No. 3	6	0	0	.....								
„ „ 2½	6	8	0	.....			0	3	0	0	5	0
„ „ B	11	8	0	.....								
Suji	11	8	0	12	3	0	0	5	0	0	6	0
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc) ...	77	0	0	80	0	0	2	2	0	2	4	0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, etc.)	74	0	0	76	0	0	1	14	0	2	0	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)...	64	0	0	66	0	0	1	12	0	.....		
Maize	4	4	0	4	8	0	.....			.....		
Potato	6	8	0	7	0	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
Patal	.....			.....			0	5	0	0	10	0
Brinjal	3	0	0	3	4	0	0	1	6	0	2	0
Onion	8	0	0	11	0	0	0	3	6	0	4	6
Fish, Rahu	16	0	0	20	0	0	0	6	0	0	12	0
Mutton (2nd class)... ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	4	0

N.B—This is an abstract of prices of the following markets :—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphanganj Market, Sobha Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Bow Bazar, Kureya Bazar, Taltolla Bazar, Mallik Bazar and Jagu Babu's Bazar.

S. C. RAY,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 14th December 1918.*

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal, with a population

Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births Registered.		Deaths		
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan ...	20,527	15,394	35,921	49	...	...	1	...
	2	Raniganj ...	8,417	7,080	15,497	25	...	11	...	...
	3	Asansol ...	12,486	9,433	21,919	67	...	...	...	...
Bankura ...	4	Bankura ...	12,156	11,297	23,453	53	...	...	...	...
	5	Vishnupur ...	10,025	10,453	20,478	39	...	...	...	...
	6	Sonamukhi ...	6,254	7,021	13,275	29	2	...	...	...
Midnapore ...	7	Midnapore ...	17,577	15,163	32,740	59	...	...	...	...
	8	Ghatal ...	6,216	5,848	12,064	22	...	1	...	...
Hooghly ...	9	Hooghly and Chinsura.	15,817	13,099	28,916	72	...	...	...	...
	10	Serampore ...	19,639	12,439	32,078	82	4	...	...	...
	11	Rishra Konnagore ...	10,724	6,792	17,516	35	...	5	...	...
	12	Baidyabati ...	Figures not available		16,131	19	...	...	...	...
	13	Bhadreswar ...	Ditto ...		13,441	15	...	3	...	...
	14	Champdani ...	Ditto ...		15,297	19	...	...	...	...
Howrah ...	15	Howrah ...	114,829	64,560	179,389	423	36	38	1	...
	16	Bally ...	14,217	8,177	22,394	47	...	5	...	...
24-Parganas	17	Cossipore-Chitpur ...	30,793	17,385	48,178	106	2	3	...	...
	18	Maniktala ...	31,735	22,032	53,767	68	15	7	...	...
	19	South Suburban ...	17,683	13,850	31,533	64	10	2	...	...
	20	Tollygunge ...	11,183	7,250	18,433	43	5	...	...	...
	21	Garden Reach ...	27,665	17,630	45,295	82	...	2	...	...
	22	Budge-Budge ...	11,529	6,453	17,982	28	...	...	...	...
	23	Baranagore ...	14,982	10,913	25,895	40	4	4	...	...
	24	Kamarhati ...	11,243	6,772	18,015	27	...	4	...	...
	25	Rajpur ...	5,762	5,845	11,607	30	1	...	...	...
	26	South Dum-Dum ...	7,760	5,114	12,874	17	...	...	...	...
	27	Barrackpore ...	11,357	6,944	18,301	11	...	...	...	...
	28	Panihati ...	6,339	4,779	11,118	28	1	1	...	...
	29	North Barrackpore...	9,780	6,340	16,120	26	...	...	...	...
	30	Titaghar ...	31,225	13,946	45,171	102	11	1	...	...
	31	Garulia ...	7,876	3,704	11,580	17	...	3	...	...
	32	Naihati ...	11,685	6,534	18,219	35	3	...	...	...
	33	Bhatpara ...	34,739	15,675	50,414	65	...	...	...	...
	34	Basirhat ...	9,517	8,814	18,331	37	1	...	...	...
	35	Baduria ...	7,058	6,622	13,680	30	...	...	...	...
Calcutta ...	36	Calcutta ...	607,674	288,393	896,067	1,878	69	54	3	1
Nadia ...	37	Krishnagar ...	11,767	11,708	23,475	13	...	...	...	...
	38	Nadia or Nabadwip	5,821	6,659	12,480	10	1	...	...	...
	39	Santipur ...	12,186	14,517	26,703	59	...	...	...	...

of 10,000 and over, for the month of October 1918.

REGISTERED.

Fever.	Dysentery and diarrhœa.	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Other causes.	Total all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns.
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total		
53	9	14	1	9	50	37	87	38	45	83	1	Burdwan.
12	2	10	...	14	28	21	49	17	28	45	2	Raniganj.
33	10	1	3	40	45	42	87	28	19	47	3	Asansol.
35	6	4	...	8	28	25	53	21	17	38	4	Bankura.
49	7	2	1	5	30	34	64	20	18	38	5	Vishnupur.
111	...	...	1	2	52	62	114	8	7	15	6	Sonamukhi.
53	6	42	...	13	63	51	114	26	21	47	7	Midnapore.
49	4	...	1	...	27	28	55	11	13	24	8	Ghatal.
37	8	14	...	15	38	36	74	35	38	73	9	Hooghly and Chinsura.
41	33	13	...	16	59	44	103	15	16	31	10	Serampore.
24	8	1	3	4	29	16	45	4	7	11	11	Rishra Konnagore.
52	5	2	...	5	31	33	64	Figures not available			12	Baidyabati.
15	2	2	...	1	16	7	23	Ditto		...	13	Bhadreswar.
10	1	5	...	2	10	8	18	Ditto		...	14	Champdani.
365	49	220	15	139	510	317	827	212	192	404	15	Howrah.
37	3	8	...	11	29	35	64	14	13	27	16	Bally.
94	5	45	5	24	111	65	176	65	56	121	17	Cossipore-Chitpur.
67	14	84	...	63	132	103	235	63	54	117	18	Maniktala.
57	11	38	1	18	57	70	127	18	23	41	19	South Suburban.
44	1	8	2	...	29	26	55	12	8	20	20	Tollygunge.
45	10	28	...	21	72	34	106	44	30	74	21	Garden Reach.
34	6	7	1	3	31	20	51	33	7	40	22	Budge-Budge
27	15	24	2	24	54	42	96	51	39	90	23	Baranagore.
29	8	1	1	9	32	20	52	27	17	44	24	Kamarhati
24	4	2	...	...	15	15	30	5	6	11	25	Rajpur.
9	1	8	1	7	15	11	26	4	10	14	26	South Dum-Dum.
7	...	4	1	...	5	7	12	4	2	6	27	Barrackpore.
12	6	11	...	11	17	24	41	22	14	36	28	Panihati.
38	2	17	...	5	38	24	62	16	24	40	29	North Barrackpore.
112	3	...	1	16	73	60	133	40	29	69	30	Titaghar.
24	1	1	1	...	17	13	30	5	3	8	31	Garulia.
15	1	4	...	8	12	16	28	21	12	33	32	Naihati.
53	8	8	...	8	49	28	77	37	16	53	33	Bhatpara
35	...	...	1	8	25	19	44	14	8	22	34	Basirhat.
13	...	13	2	2	12	18	30	6	6	12	35	Baduria.
704	216	1,248	32	1,011	1,981	1,288	3,269	1,074	756	1,830	36	Calcutta.
14	1	6	...	6	17	10	27	16	19	35	37	Krishnagar.
27	5	...	...	5	15	22	37	15	15	30	38	Nadia or Nabadwip.
36	2	6	...	8	25	27	52	27	29	56	39	Santipur.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal, with a population

Districts.	No.	Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered		Deaths		
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.
Murshidabad	40	Berhamporé ...	14,302	11,841	26,143	32	1	9	...	...
	41	Murshidabad ...	6,259	6,410	12,669	34	3	...	...	...
	42	Ajimganj ...	6,725	5,602	12,327	16	1	...	...	...
	43	Kandi ...	6,212	6,426	12,638	16	3	...	...	...
	44	Jangipur ...	5,493	5,915	11,408	34	...	...	...	...
Khulna ...	45	Khulna ...	7,983	5,013	12,996	16	...	...	...	...
	46	Satkhira ...	5,802	5,100	10,902	3	1	...	...	...
Rajshahi ...	47	Rampur-Boalia ...	13,057	10,349	23,406	53	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur ...	48	Dinajpur ...	9,648	6,297	15,945	12	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri ...	49	Jalpaiguri ...	7,547	4,218	11,765	36	...	1	2	...
Darjeeling ...	50	Darjeeling ...	11,631	7,374	19,005	22	1	...	...	...
Rangpur ...	51	Rangpur ...	10,509	5,920	16,429	17	...	...	...	...
Pabna ...	52	Pabna ...	10,056	9,218	19,274	13	...	...	...	...
	53	Sirajganj ...	13,236	11,541	24,777	8	...	1	...	...
Malda ...	54	English Bazar ...	7,697	6,625	14,322	15	...	...	...	...
	55	Nawabganj ...	11,122	12,200	23,322	30	...	...	...	...
Dacca ...	56	Dacca ...	63,091	45,460	108,551	369	12	8	...	...
	57	Narayanganj ...	18,738	9,138	27,876	109	1	1	...	...
Mymensingh	58	Mymensingh ...	13,462	6,391	19,853	36	...	...	...	...
	59	Netrokona ...	8,018	5,722	13,740	10	...	...	...	...
	60	Jamalpur ...	11,728	9,381	21,109	55	4	...	...	...
	61	Sherpur ...	8,516	7,075	15,591	33	1	...	...	...
	62	Kishoreganj ...	9,508	8,518	18,026	14	2	2	...	...
	63	Bajitpur ...	5,447	5,386	10,833	21	...	...	...	...
	64	Tangail ...	8,493	7,869	16,362	15	...	...	...	...
Faridpur ...	65	Faridpur ...	8,017	5,114	13,131	7	...	...	...	...
	66	Madaripur ...	10,549	8,524	19,073	62	2	1	...	...
Bakarganj ...	67	Barisal ...	15,488	6,985	22,473	61	2	...	...	...
	68	Pirojpur ...	6,523	5,473	11,996	14	...	...	...	...
Chittagong ...	69	Chittagong ...	18,779	9,987	28,766	54	1	...	...	...
Tippera ...	70	Comilla ...	13,706	8,986	22,692	19	1	...	1	...
	71	Brahmanbaria ...	11,671	10,624	22,295	54	...	66	...	...
	72	Chandpur ...	9,062	3,655	12,717	23	1	...	...	...
		Total of month ...	...	...	2,618,159	5,184	202	226	8	1

REMARKS—

1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the Municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Taken as a of cases and in a few instances are obviously incomplete.
2. The vital statistics of Municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been excluded from this statement and incor-
3. The birth and death ratios per 1,000 per annum have been omitted from this statement according to the Government of India, Educa-

CALCUTTA,
The 13th December 1918.

***of 10,000 and over, for the month of October 1918*—concld.**

REGISTERED

Fever.	Dysentery and diarrhœa.	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Other causes.	Total all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns.
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
12	2	5	1	25	26	21	47	28	29	57	40	Berhampore.
56	...	1	...	10	33	34	67	19	20	39	41	Murshidabad.
17	7	3	...	5	12	20	32	14	26	40	42	Ajimganj.
18	...	1	...	7	14	12	26	22	11	33	43	Kandi.
26	...	...	...	...	4	22	26	9	6	15	44	Jangipur.
20	2	8	...	1	18	13	31	9	2	11	45	Khulna.
5	...	4	...	3	8	4	12	10	10	20	46	Satkhira.
16	2	...	3	8	15	14	29	30	31	61	47	Rampur-Boalia.
6	1	...	4	2	9	4	13	4	6	10	48	Dinajpur.
5	1	17	...	11	30	7	37	17	6	23	49	Jalpaiguri.
48	2	25	...	13	54	34	88	11	8	19	50	Darjeeling.
18	2	3	...	5	18	10	28	14	6	20	51	Rangpur.
7	2	...	...	3	7	5	12	18	16	34	52	Pabna.
4	1	1	...	1	7	1	8	4	2	6	53	Sirajganj.
18	5	5	...	5	17	16	33	11	19	30	54	English Bazar
17	1	1	...	1	10	10	20	16	15	31	55	Nawabganj.
179	18	12	3	119	183	156	339	127	82	209	56	Dacca.
35	11	6	1	31	46	39	85	25	20	45	57	Narayanganj.
19	1	...	...	9	18	11	29	13	8	21	58	Mymensingh.
3	...	1	...	2	3	3	6	3	2	5	59	Netrokona
41	2	2	2	17	32	32	64	20	12	32	60	Jamalpur.
14	1	...	2	13	15	15	30	11	10	21	61	Sherpur.
5	6	3	...	...	12	4	16	10	11	21	62	Kishoreganj.
9	4	...	...	5	12	6	18	5	7	12	63	Bajitpur.
20	1	...	...	3	12	12	24	8	6	14	64	Tangail.
11	...	1	...	...	5	7	12	4	4	8	65	Faridpur.
12	1	...	2	13	13	16	29	24	21	45	66	Madaripur.
14	1	...	...	3	10	8	18	11	7	18	67	Barisal.
7	1	...	1	2	5	6	11	6	6	12	68	Pirojpur.
36	5	...	1	23	34	31	65	20	17	37	69	Chittagong.
10	1	...	...	3	6	9	15	3	5	8	70	Comilla.
16	8	8	1	21	57	63	120	17	26	43	71	Brahmanbaria
4	4	...	...	2	5	5	10	7	4	11	72	Chandpur.
3,224	566	2 008	97	1,907	4,629	3,408	8,037					

whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion

porated in the returns for districts—*Vide* Bengal Government, Municipal Department, Order No. 118San, dated the 8th February 1918.
tion Department, Order No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of the Districts excluding Towns of Bengal with a population

Divisions.	No.	Districts.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered.		Deaths		
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera	Small-pox.	Plague.
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan ...	728,894	736,140	1,465,034	3,024	33	16	5	...
	2	Birbhum ...	463,838	471 635	935,473	2,124	76	152	...	...
	3	Bankura ...	534,150	547,314	1,081,464	2,366	...	19	...	...
	4	Midnapore ...	1,386,921	1.389,476	2,776,397	5,516	303	47	8	...
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	481,989	484,729	966,718	1.910	13	14	4	...
	6	Howrah ...	369,595	372,124	741,719	1,835	31	76	6	...
Presidency ...	7	24-Parganas ...	1,005,789	941,802	1,947,591	3,897	59	17	3	...
	8	Nadia	782,806	772,382	1,555,188	4,181	173	40	3	...
	9	Murshidabad ...	639,301	657,788	1,297,089	4,336	345	208	...	...
	10	Jessore ...	901,092	857,172	1,758,264	3,100	181	2	14	...
	11	Khulna ...	695,794	647,074	1,342,868	4,356	286	20	3	...
Rajshahi ...	12	Rajshahi ...	742,149	715,032	1,457,181	3,835	336	2	1	...
	13	Dinajpur ...	880,228	791,690	1,671,918	3,913	165	7	24	...
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	482,681	408,214	890,895	2,597	298	402	...	...
	15	Darjeeling ...	130,463	116,082	246,545	700	45	...	2	...
	16	Rangpur ...	1,244,208	1,124,693	2,368,901	6,969	611	526	18	...
	17	Bogra	502,526	481,041	983,567	2,229	203	377	4	...
	18	Pabna	700,299	684,236	1,384,535	2,816	288	291	5	...
	19	Malda	479,728	486,787	966,515	3,503	146	29	5	...
Dacca ...	20	Dacca	1,395,861	1,428,114	2,823,975	9,512	712	92	4	...
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,274,431	2,136,477	4,410,908	12,159	908	241	6	...
	22	Faridpur ...	1,056,393	1,033,317	2,089,710	7,780	367	55	1	...
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,222,824	1,171,618	2,394,442	6,353	274	17	1	...
Chittagong ...	24	Chittagong ...	704,058	775,609	1,479,667	4,610	525	147	...	...
	25	Noakhali ...	645,898	656,192	1,302,090	3,611	348	320	...	...
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,163,792	2,372,434	5,241	531	213	9	...
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.								Not under
Total of month for Bengal ...			21,660,558	21,050,530	42,711.088	112,478	7,257	3,330	126	...

REMARKS.—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the to the actual.
2. The vital statistics of Municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been included in this statement with
3. Figures for the corresponding month of previous year not being available, have not been shown in this statement.
4. Divisional totals and the birth and death ratios per 1,000 per annum have been omitted from this statement according

CALCUTTA,

The 12th December 1918.

of 10,000 and over, for the month of October 1918.

REGISTERED.

Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa	Respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Other causes.	Total all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			Number.	Districts.
					Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
7,531	77	156	38	577	4,380	4,020	8,400	...	...	...	1	Burdwan.
3,566	4	...	27	238	2 121	1,866	3,987	...	...	...	2	Birbhum.
4,470	21	4	25	655	2,726	2,468	5,194	1,400	1,355	2,755	3	Bankura.
12,332	97	52	74	1,200	7,390	6,420	13,810	...	...	...	4	Midnapore.
5,499	148	146	68	442	3,411	2,910	6,321	...	...	...	5	Hooghly and Serampore.
1,648	295	100	46	409	1,438	1,142	2,580	1,028	1,015	2,043	6	Howrah.
5,411	57	85	94	625	3,523	2,769	6,292	...	...	...	7	24-Parganas.
7,384	13	20	84	601	4,291	3,854	8,145	...	...	...	8	Nadia.
5,535	19	2	58	658	3,278	3,202	6,480	...	...	...	9	Murshidabad.
3,811	21	15	82	348	2,439	1,854	4,293	...	...	...	10	Jessore.
3,831	18	4	87	1,178	2 774	2,367	5,141	...	...	...	11	Khulna.
4,805	6	3	61	438	2,823	2,493	5,316	...	...	...	12	Rajshahi.
6,775	5	3	43	95	4,058	2,894	6,952	2,902	2,822	5,724	13	Dinajpur.
4,384	105	31	16	199	2,899	2,238	5,137	1,415	1,356	2,771	14	Jalpaiguri.
1,484	54	...	7	199	888	858	1,746	...	...	...	15	Darjeeling.
9,814	10	7	52	41	5,978	4,490	10,468	3,095	2,941	6,036	16	Rangpur.
4,260	10	12	48	171	2,605	2,277	4,882	...	...	...	17	Bogra.
3,304	4	1	44	154	2,104	1,699	3,803	1,475	1,310	2,785	18	Pabna.
3,602	...	1	26	375	2,163	1,875	4,038	...	...	...	19	Malda.
6,134	185	19	88	1,442	4,250	3,714	7,964	2,431	2,320	4,751	20	Dacca.
11,229	103	31	92	1,658	7,276	6,084	13,360	...	...	...	21	Mymensingh
4,651	107	11	131	866	3,064	2,758	5,822	2,299	1,963	4,262	22	Faridpur.
3,775	15	3	122	1,440	2,978	2,395	5,373	...	...	...	23	Bakarganj.
6,991	34	1	98	91	3,838	3,524	7,362	...	...	...	24	Chittagong.
3,832	30	...	90	525	2,421	2,376	4,797	...	...	...	25	Noakhali.
3,924	124	10	91	809	2,730	2,450	5,180	1,694	1,484	3,178	26	Tippera.
registration.											27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
139,982	1,562	717	1,692	15,434	87,846	74,997	162,843	...	...	...		

Civil Surgeons. Taken as a whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate those of the respective districts as per Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, Order No 118San., dated the 8th February 1918. to the Government of India, Education Department, Order No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPART

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the October 1918, and the highest reading of each gauge over

RIVER GANGES.

Date.	Mirzapur. Zero of gauge 206·22 ft.		Benares. Zero of gauge 196·80 ft.		Buxar. Zero of gauge 167·55 ft.		Dinapore. Zero of gauge 134·23 ft.		Monghyr. Zero of gauge 101·83 ft.(a)	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad 86.	From Allahabad 134.	From Mirzapur 48.	From Benares 90.		From Benares 177.	From Buxar 87.	From Benares 287.	From Dinapore 110.
	Highest gauge reading.	2nd September 1916. 265·97.	2nd September 1916. 244·30.		3rd and 4th September 1916. 202·30.		8th September 1901 and 4th August 1917 169·73.		8th September 1901. 129·80.	
	Lowest gauge reading.	28th June 1897. 187·30.	1st May 1877. 182·80.		10th to 14th May 1914. 160·80.		20th April 1912 135·13.		29th April to 6th May 1914. 96·00.	
		Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1st	...	9·19	215·41	5·58	202·38	8·08	175·63	14·80	149·03	9·77	111·60
2nd	...	8·98	215·20	5·25	202·05	7·75	175·30	14·40	148·63	9·37	111·10
3rd	...	8·81	215·03	5·00	201·80	7·50	175·05	14·00	148·23	8·77	110·60
4th	...	8·64	214·86	4·58	201·38	7·50	175·05	13·70	147·93	8·47	110·30
5th	...	8·48	214·70	4·42	201·22	7·08	174·63	13·40	147·63	8·17	110·00
6th	...	8·31	214·53	4·17	200·97	6·83	174·38	13·10	147·33	7·87	109·70
7th	...	8·14	214·36	3·92	200·72	6·50	174·05	13 70	147·93	7·87	109·50
8th	...	8·00	214·22	3·67	200·47	6·33	173·88	15·50	149·73	7·47	109·30
9th	...	7·85	214·07	3·50	200·30	6·33	173·88	12·30	146·33	7·17	109·00
10th	...	7·75	213·97	3·25	200·05	6·17	173·72	13·10	146·33	6·87	108·70
11th	...	7·62	213·84	3·00	199·80	5·83	173·38	11·90	146·13	6·67	108·50
12th	...	7·50	213·72	2·83	199·63	5·58	173·13	11·60	145·83	6·47	108·30
13th	...	7·37	213·59	2·67	199·47	5·42	172·97	11·40	145·63	6·27	108·10
14th	...	7·27	213·49	2·50	199·30	5·33	172·88	11·10	145·33	6·17	108·00
15th	...	7·17	213·39	2·33	199·13	5·17	172·72	11·10	145·33	6·17	108·00
16th	...	7·06	213·28	2·25	199·05	5·08	172·63	10·90	145·13	5·87	107·70
17th	...	6·96	213·18	2·17	198·97	5·00	172·55	10·80	144·03	5·67	107·50
18th	...	6·87	213·09	2·08	198·88	4·92	172·47	10·70	144·93	5·67	107·50
19th	...	6·79	213·01	1·92	198·72	4·83	172·38	10·60	144·83	4·97	106·80
20th	...	6·71	212·93	1·83	198·63	4·67	172·22	10·60	144·83	4·87	106·70
21st	...	6·62	212·84	1·75	198·55	4·33	171·88	10·60	144·83	4·77	106·60
22nd	...	6·54	212·76	1·67	198·47	4·25	171·80	10·60	144·83	4·67	106·50
23rd	...	6·48	212·70	1·58	198·38	4·17	171·72	10·60	144·83	4·47	106·30
24th	...	6·42	212·64	1·58	198·38	4·17	171·72	10·50	144·73	4·37	106·20
25th	...	6·35	212 57	1·42	198·22	4·08	171·63	10·30	144·53	4·17	106·00
26th	...	6·29	212·51	1·33	198·13	4·08	171·63	10·10	144·33	4·17	106·00
27th	...	6·25	212·47	1·33	198·13	3·92	171·47	10·00	144·23	3·87	105·70
28th	...	6·21	212·43	1·25	198·05	3·75	171·30	9·70	143·93	3·87	105·70
29th	...	6·17	212·39	1·17	197·97	3·67	171·22	9·50	143·73	3·67	105·50
30th	...	6·17	212 39	1·25	198·05	3·58	171·13	9·00	143·23	3·57	105·40
31st	...	6·17	212·39	1·17	197·97	3·58	171·13	8·90	143·13	3·47	105·30

* New gauge fixed at Rajmahal from 1st June 1910 in place of the gauge at Sahebganj. The zero of gauge at Rajmahal is 56·46 ft above M. S.-L. from 10th February 1916 to 15th June 1916. From the 16th June 1916 the zero is 54·81 ft. above M S.-L.

† To compare the reduced levels shown in these monthly printed statements before and after the 1st June 1903, 5·78 ft. should be

(a) A new gauge fixed at Monghyr on 16th July 1914.

(b) From 1st November 1915 the zero of gauge is 2·43 ft. above M. S.-L. Previous to that the zero was at M. S.-L. dating back 15th

(c) From the 25th January 1916 the zero of gauge at Berhampore is 30·99 ft. above M. S.-L.

(d) From the 28th October 1918 a temporary wooden gauge with its zero at 49·00 ft. above M. S.-L. was erected at Rampur-Boalia

MENT, BENGAL.

river Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi and Brahmaputra for the month of M.S.L. as well as the lowest gauge-reading since 1876.

						River Bhagirathi.		River Jalangi.		River Brahmaputra	
Rajmahal.* Zero of gauge 54·81 ft.		Rampur-Boalia. Zero of gauge is at mean sea level (d).		Goalundo. Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.		Berhampore. Zero of gauge 30·99 (c)		Swarupganj. Zero of gauge 2·43 ft. (b). At mean sea level.		Gauhati. Zero of gauge 148·76 ft.	
From Benares 407.	From Monghyr 120.	From Benares 471.	From Rajmahal 64.	From Benares 591.	From Rampur-Boalia 120.						
18th August 1913. 88·46.		26th August 1879. 69·25.		28th August 1906 and 14th September 1915. 25·75.†		14th August 1890. 64·70.		25th September 1900. 35·03.		24th August 1906. 181·11.	
2nd May 1910. 54·62.		23rd April 1886. 37·63.		28th March 1910. 2·25.		19th to 24th April 1917. 33·40.		28th March 1915. 2·13.		9th February 1888. 142·46.	
Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
16·15	70·96	49·60	49·60	19·40	19·40	11·41	42·40	14·55	14·55	20·40	169·16
15·70	70·51	49·20	49·20	19·00	19·00	10·81	41·80	13·92	13·92	19·90	168·66
15·25	70·06	48·60	48·60	18·60	18·60	10·11	41·10	14·32	13·32	20·00	168·76
14·80	69·61	48·00	48·00	18·20	18·20	7·51	38·50	12·71	12·71	20·20	168 96
14·30	69·11	47·65	47·65	17·80	17·80	7·01	38·00	12·08	12·08	21·00	169·76
13·90	68·71	47·40	47·40	17·50	17·50	6·51	37·50	11·44	11·44	20·40	169·16
13·50	68·31	47·00	47·00	17·20	17·20	6·01	37·00	10·85	10·85	19·60	168·36
13·15	67·96	46·80	46·80	17·00	17·00	5·51	36·50	10·31	10·31	19·00	167·76
12·80	67·61	46·60	46·60	16·70	16·70	5·21	36·20	9·78	9·78	16·40	165·16
12·50	67·31	46·30	46·30	16·40	16·40	4·81	35·80	9·30	9·30	15·20	163·96
12·15	66·96	45·90	45·90	16·20	16·20	4·51	35·50	8·84	8·84	15·00	163·76
11·80	66·61	45·60	45 60	16·00	16·00	4·11	35·20	8·50	8·50	14·50	163·26
11·50	66·31	45·30	45·30	15·80	15·80	4·21	35·20	8·10	8·10	13·70	162·46
11·25	66·06	45·00	45·00	15·30	15·30	4·11	35·10	7·76	7·76	13·10	161·86
10·90	65·71	44·60	44·60	14·80	14·80	4·11	35·10	7·46	7·46	13·10	161·86
10·70	65·51	44·50	44·50	14·40	14·40	3·91	34·90	7·31	7·31	13·30	161·96
10·45	65·26	44·30	44·30	14·10	14·10	3·81	34·80	7 39	7·39	12·70	161·46
10·25	65·06	44·10	44·10	13·80	13·80	3·71	34·70	7·35	7·35	12·90	161·66
10·05	64·86	43·80	43·80	13·60	13·60	3·61	34·60	7·79	7·79	13·70	162·46
9·80	64·61	43·60	43·60	13·50	13·50	3·51	34·50	7·90	7·90	14·90	163·66
9·65	64·46	43·50	43·50	13·40	13·40	3·51	34·30	7·80	7 80	14·40	163·16
9·45	64·26	43·40	43·40	13·40	13·40	3·41	34·40	7·12	7·12	13·20	161·96
9·25	64·06	43·20	43·20	13·40	13·40	3·41	34·40	6·89	6·89	12·40	161·16
9·05	63·86	43·00	43·00	13·40	13·40	3·31	34·30	6·49	6·49	11·30	160·06
8·90	63·71	42·80	42·80	13·20	13·20	3·31	34·30	6·17	6·17	10·80	159·56
8·80	63·61	42·80	42·30	12·90	12·90	3·31	34·30	5·76	5·76	10·60	159·36
8·65	63·46	42·30	42·30	12·40	12·40	3 21	34·20	5·47	5·47	9·80	158·56
8·40	63·21	42·20	42·20	12·10	12·10	3·21	34·20	5·27	5·27	9·20	157·96
8·40	63·21	42·00	42·00	11·80	11·80	3·11	34·10	5·21	5·21	8·70	157·46
8·25	63·06	41·90	41·90	11·40	11·40	3·11	34·10	5·30	5·30	8·20	156·96
8·20	63·01	41·85	41·85	11·40	11·40	3·11	34·10	5·38	5·38	7·90	156·66

above M. S.-L. up to 26th October 1915 and 60·00 ft. above M. S.-L. from 27th October 1915, but from 10th February 1916 and is again 56·46 ft.

deducted from the former or added to the latter (*vide* Bengal Government letter No. 1033T.—I., dated the 12th October 1909).

July 1897. The zero is again at M. S.-L. from 1st April 1918.

in place of the permanent gauge washed away. The zero of gauge is at M. S.-L. from 28th June 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of October 1918, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1918-19.						1917-18.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No	No.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Major Works.												
Midnapore Canal ...	6,423	58,501	45	4,445	3,493	33,953	3,919	35,294	415	6,848	2,100	21,005
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	7,550	51,114	77	1,279	6,187	45,069	8,353	66,397	35	1,283	5,565	45,156
Total ...	13,973	109,615	122	5,724	9,680	79,022	12,272	101,691	450	8,131	7,665	66,161
II.—Minor Works and Navigation												
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	53,033	296,964	1,650	14,895	29,716	178,813	32,762	210,185	219	12,789	20,629	129,218
Tolley's Nala ...	27,390	130,027	6,200	46,772	9,477	46,170	12,088	95,111	3,900	33,275	4,056	27,665
Madaripur Bheel ...	168,845	1,019,423	6,405	7,436	41,726	228,618	173,269	832,571	4,374	5 813	45,777	206,093
Total ...	249,268	1,446,414	14,255	69,103	80,919	453,601	218,119	1,137,867	8,493	51,877	70,462	362,976
Magrahat Channels ...	7,055	31,897	.....	.....	2,594	15,185	5,286	35,574	.....	.....	1,544	11,838
Orissa Coast Canal ...	3,810	25,470	957	6,774	1,522	9,156	3,002	22,850	321	3,957	1,139	7,782
Nadia Rivers ...	8,316	45,201	92 340	473.107	1,967	11,987	5,228	37,918	1,139,000	1,307.005	1,238	8,122
Grand Total ...	268,449	1.548.982	107,552	548,984	87,002	489,929	231.635	1,234.209	1,147,814	1,362,839	74 383	390,718

CALCUTTA,
The 16th December 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 7th December 1918.

Month and date	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1918.					
1st Dec.	7 A M	10·0	10·0	13·1	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
2nd ,,	7 ,,	9·9	9·9	12 9	The bench-mark for the gauge is on
3rd ,,	7 ,,	9·8	9·8	12 7	a pucca pillar between the passenger
4th ,,	7 ,,	9·7	9·7	12·5	ghat and Chandpore ghat.
5th ,,	7 ,,	9 7	9 7	12·3	Its reduced level is 22·41.
6th ,,	7 ,,	9·7	9·7	12 0	
7th ,,	7 ,,	9·7	9·7	11·8	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	24·0 on 9th August 1917
Ditto	... Lowest ,,	...	4·3 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	... Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	... Ditto ,,	...	25 66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Record (H F in Brahmaputra only) ...	... Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do ...	... Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	2 42 on 13th March 1908.
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	3 16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 9th December 1918.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 7th December 1918.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: minus sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B M.	Remarks.
1918.						
1st Dec.	8 A M	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	44·97	38·65	48·65	B. M. on College step 63·42.
2nd ,,	8 ,,		44 92	38·60	48·60	
3rd ,,	8 ,,		44 82	38 50	48 50	
4th ,,	8 ,,		44 72	38·40	48 40	
5th ,,	8 ,,		44·62	38 30	48·30	
6th ,,	8 ,,		44·52	38·20	48·10	
7th ,,	8 ,,		44·42	38·10	48·00	

		Value according to old gauge	Value according to new value of B. M = 63·42.
The previous year	... Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60·18
Ditto	... Lowest ,,	... 40 15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 33 85
Record ...	... Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62 93
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62 76
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	... 68·80 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	... 68·21 on 26th August 1890	... 61 89
Do ...	... Lowest ,,	... 37·63 on 25th April 1884	... 31 31
Do ...	... Ditto ,,	... 38 13 on 14th-15th April 1883	... 31 81
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	... 39 02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32 70
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	... 39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32 96

N B—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 7th December 1918.

SAMBHU CHANDRA MUKHERJEE,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 7th December 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 5 P.M	Remarks.
		Time	Readings.	Time.	Readings		
1918.							
1st Dec.	54 2	8-25 A.M	54·55	2-55 P M	53 1	54 05	Tide turned at 8-45 A M and P M
2nd ,,	54·15	9-5 ,,	54 5	3-26 ,,	53·2	54·0	Tide turned at 9-45 A M and 3-42 P M
3rd ,,	53 6	10 20 ,,	54 55	4-0 ,,	53 15	53 8	Tide turned at 10 55 A M. and 4-15 P M
4th ,,	53 4	11-0 ,,	54 05	5-15 ,,	53·1	53 4	Tide turned at 11-28 A M and 5-30 P.M.
5th ,,	53 1	11-45 ,,	54 8	6-35 A M.	53 05	53·6	Tide turned at 12 noon and 6-44 A.M
6th ,,	53 1	12-20 P M	55·0	7-0 ,,	53·1	53·9	Tide turned at 12-45 A M and 7 20 A M
7th ,,	53·25	12-46 ,,	54·9	7 25 ,,	53 18	53·95	Tide turned at 1 P M. and 7-46 A.M.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	...	...	70 5
5th September	1909	...	...	67 86
10th August	1910	...	...	69 86
1st ,,	1911	...	...	68 46
13th ,,	1912	...	...	67·16
31st ,,	1915	...	...	69 7
18th ,,	1916	...	...	68 1
12th ,,	1917	...	...	67 1
23rd February	1907	...	...	51 06
13th ,,	1908	...	...	51 06
12th March	1912	...	...	51 06
6th ,,	1914	...	...	50 6
22nd February	1915	...	...	50 8
15th ,,	1916	...	...	50 6
3rd March	1917	...	...	51 0

Taken at high tide

Taken at low tide

DACCA,
The 12th December 1918.

S. N. BANERJEE,
Executive Engr., River Improvements, Dacca.

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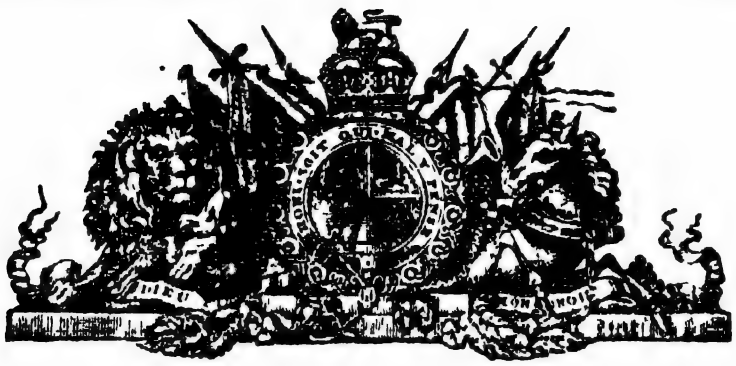

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 7695A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 7322A.—The 16th December 1918.*—The services of Mr. Rajendra Nath Ray, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

No. 7325A.—The 16th December 1918.—Mr. Girish Chandra Sen, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is appointed temporarily to act as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas.

Nadia. 24-Parganas.

No. 7341A.—The 17th December 1918.—The Probationary Deputy Collectors, named below, are posted to the headquarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names :—

Babu Pran Kumar Mukharji	...	... 24-Parganas.
„ Pramod Ranjan Das Gupta		... Chittagong.
„ Jyotish Chandra Banarji	...	... Mymensingh.
„ Sambhu Charan Chatarji	...	... Murshidabad.
„ Surendra Nath Sarkar	...	... Jessore.
Maulvi Ahmad Husain	...	... Howrah.
Mr. Satyendra Kumar Ghosh	...	... 24-Parganas.

No. 7377A.—The 17th December 1918.—Maulvi Tajal Islam Muhammad Nurannabi Chaudhuri, Probationary Deputy Collector, is posted to the Rajshahi district.

Rajshahi.

No. 7461A.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council hereby appoints Babu Subodh Chandra Mitra, Probationary Deputy Magistrate, to be a Special Magistrate for the districts of Rangpur, Dinajpur and Bogra for a term not exceeding one week from the 25th December 1918 and confers upon him the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in respect of offences under Chapter XVII of the Indian Penal Code within the said districts.

Rangpur. Dinajpur. Bogra.

No. 7559A.—The 20th December 1918.—Babu Akhil Kumar Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Munshiganj. Dacca, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision.

Dacca.

No. 7578A.—The 21st December 1918.—Babu Bijay Bihari Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on settlement duty, Midnapore, is appointed to act as Personal Assistant to the Director of Land Records, Bengal. during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Mahendra Nath Gupta, or until further orders.

Midnapore. Calcutta.

No. 7596A.—The 23rd December 1918.—Maulvi Abdus Sobhan Mahmud, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Jessore district.

Faridpur. Jessore.

No. 7620A.—The 23rd December 1918.—Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district.

Chittagong.

No. 7634A.—The 23rd December 1918.—Maulvi Wali-ul-Islam, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is transferred temporarily to the Nator subdivision of that district.

Rajshahi.

No. 7678A.—The 24th December 1918.—Mr. Dhirendra Lal Dey, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Ghatal subdivision of the Midnapore district.

Hooghly. Midnapore.

No. 7680A.—The 24th December 1918.—Babu Akshay Kumar Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Munshiganj subdivision of the Dacca district.

Dacca.

No. 7683A.—The 24th December 1918.—Babu Anadi Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Sirajganj subdivision of the Pabna district.

Pabna.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 7484A.—The 19th December 1918.*—Mr. Srigopal Bhattacharji, Additional District Magistrate, Midnapore, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors with effect from the 2nd December 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 7490A.—The 19th December 1918.—The following confirmation, promotion and appointments are sanctioned in the Indian Civil Service. The officers concerned will continue to act in higher grade or appointment, if any, until further orders :—

Confirmed in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. A. N. Moberly, I.C.S., with effect from the 21st November 1918.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors.*

Mr. W. R. Gourlay, C.I.E., I.C.S., on deputation, with effect from the 21st November 1918.

Appointed substantively to the second grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. A. J. Dash, I.C.S., with effect from the 24th December 1918.
„ H. P. V. Townend, I.C.S., with effect from the 21st October 1918.

POLICE.—*No. 7419A.—The 18th December 1918.*—The following promotions, confirmations and appointment are sanctioned in the grades of the Superior Police Service. The officers concerned will continue to act in higher grade or appointment, if any, until further orders :—

Promoted substantively to the first grade of Superintendents of Police.

Mr. C. E. Ezechiel, with effect from the 29th March 1918, to fill an additional appointment sanctioned in that grade.

Confirmed in the second grade of Superintendents of Police.

Mr. G. P. Whalley, with effect from the 29th March 1918, *vice* Mr. C. E. Ezechiel, promoted to the first grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the second grade.*

Mr. H. A. S. Burt, with effect from the 29th March 1918, *vice* Mr. G. P. Whalley, confirmed.

Mr. T. C. Simpson, with effect from the 15th July 1918, *vice* Mr. A. E. O'Sullivan, on deputation, up to the 3rd September 1918.

Confirmed in the third grade of Superintendents of Police.

Mr. F. P. Walker, with effect from the 29th March 1918, *vice* Mr. G. P. Whalley, confirmed in the second grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the third grade of Superintendents of Police.*

Mr. F. J. Lowman, with effect from the 29th March 1918, *vice* Mr. F. P. Walker, confirmed.

Mr. P. L. Faulkner, with effect from the 13th April 1918, *vice* Mr. C. A. Tegart, C.I.E., M.V.O., on deputation, up to the 3rd September 1918.

Confirmed in the fourth grade of Superintendents of Police.

Mr. A. D. Gordon, with effect from the 16th May 1918, *vice* Babu Tripura Charan Mukharji, retired.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade of Superintendents of Police.*

Mr. C. J. Leonard, with effect from the 29th March 1918, in the chain of promotions, *vice* Mr. F. P. Walker, confirmed in the third grade.

Mr. F. D. Bartley, with effect from the 16th May 1918, *vice* Mr. A. D. Gordon, confirmed, up to the 3rd September 1918.

Appointed substantively pro tempore *to the fifth grade of Superintendents of Police.*

Mr. F. W. Kidd, with effect from the 16th September 1918, *vice* Mr. R. M. Wright, on deputation, up to the 23rd November 1918.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 7310A.—The 16th December 1918.*—Khan Bahadur Nazirudddin Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Dacca.

No. 7334A.—The 17th December 1918.—Babu Mahendra Nath Kundu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Mymensingh.

No. 7676A.—The 24th December 1918.—Babu Nagendra Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ghatal, Midnapore, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Midnapore.

POLICE.—*No. 7498A.—The 19th December 1918.*—Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Khaliq, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Dacca.

No. 7525A.—The 20th December 1918.—Mr. R. C. Durup deDombal, Deputy Superintendent of Police, is allowed leave on medical certificate for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 6th September 1918.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 7692A.—The 24th December 1918.*—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. John Walter Hely Hutchinson of his office of Additional Member of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

Council.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9657L.R.—The 21st December 1918.—It is hereby notified that the survey carried out under the orders of Government under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Act V of 1875), and sub-section (*1*) of section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), and embodied in the marginally-noted notifications, is adopted as defining villages for the purposes of clause 10 (*b*) of section 3 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), in police-stations Chhatna, Indpur, Khatra and Simlapal, in the district of Bankura.

Bankura.

No. 10772L.R., dated the 17th November 1914, published at page 2059, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th November 1914.

No. 1048T.R., dated the 12th September 1917, published at pages 1495-6, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th September 1917.

No. 9790L.R.—The 23rd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*b*) of clause 7 of section 3 of the Land Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act VII of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to adopt the villages lying within the administrative units of the Dacca district as surveyed and recorded under the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), in accordance with Notification No. 2601R., dated the 12th November 1910, as defining *mauzas* for the purposes of that clause in that district.

Dacca.

No. 9560L.A.—The 18th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of land comprised in eight plots altogether measuring, 2 bighas, 2 cottahs 14 chitaks 15 square feet or ·7088 of an acre, and bounded as follows, which were included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 10111L.A., dated the 19th December 1916, published at page 2228, Part 1 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th idem, and required by the Eastern Bengal Railway for staff quarters at Sealdah, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

PLOT NO. 1

(Premises Nos. 16, Harsi Street and 4, North Sealdah Road, area 1 bigha 7 cottahs 8 chitaks 30 square feet)—

North—By Moharani Sarnamayee Road.
East—By portion of No. 4, North Sealdah road.
South—By the burial-ground.
West—By the premises No. 12, Moharani Sarnamayee Road.

PLOT NO. 2.

(Premises No. 4, Harsi Street, area 3 cottahs 10 chitaks 20 square feet)—

North—By Moharani Sarnamayee Road.
East—By premises No. 3, Harsi Street.
South—By premises No. 5-1, Harsi Street.
West—By premises No. 5, Harsi Street, and public road.

PLOT NO. 3

(Portion of premises No. 5, North Sealdah Road, area 1 cottah 9 chitaks 19 square feet)—

North—By premises No. 5, North Sealdah Road.
East and West—By a passage.
South—By premises No. 16, North Sealdah Road, and burial-ground.

PLOT NO. 4.

(Portion of premises No. 24-1-1. North Sealdah Road, area 2 chitaks 18 square feet)—

North—By the Masjid.
East and South—By premises Nos. 23-1 and 23-2, North Sealdah Road,
West—By premises No. 6, Harsi Street.

PLOT NO. 5.

(Portion of premises No. 24-1-1, North Sealdah Road, area 1 chitak 21 square feet)—

North—By Moharani Sarnamayee Road.
East—By the Masjid.
South—By plot No. 4 above.
West—By premises No. 6, North Sealdah Road.

PLOT NO. 6.

(Premises No. 15, North Sealdah Road, area 1 cottah 5 chitaks 34 square feet)—

North— By a passage.
West—By North Sealdah Road.
South—By premises No. 14, North Sealdah Road.
East—By premises No. 15-A, North Sealdah Road.

PLOT NO. 7.

(Portion of premises Nos. 11 and 12, Canal West Road, area 8 cottahs 3 chitaks 8 square feet)—

North and East—By a public road.
South—By portion of premises No. 5-7, Harsi Street.
West—By portion of premises Nos. 11 and 12, Canal West Road, acquired under the declaration referred to above

PLOT No. 8.

(Portion of premises No. 5-7, Harsi Street, area 5 chitaks)—

North—By plot No. 7 above.
East and South—By a public road.
West—By the remaining portion of premises No. 5-7, Harsi Street, acquired under the declaration referred to above.

No. 9581L.A.—The 19th December 1918.—Mr. B. A. Hollow, Subdivisional Officer of Sirajganj, in the district of Pabna, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Pabna.

No. 9602L.A.—The 20th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of land measuring, 8 cottahs 15 chitaks and 27 square feet, bounded as follows, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 4920L.A., dated the 24th June 1916, published at pages 1182-83, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem, and required for the extension of the Cossipore Goods Yard of the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the village of Cossipore, pargana Dihi Panchannogram, zilla 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas.

North, West and South—By the land acquired under Declaration No. 4920L.A., dated the 24th June 1916.
East—By holdings Nos. 34, 35, 36, Grand Dn. I, subdivision 3.

No. 9605L.A.—The 20th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a portion of land, bounded as below, and measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 4 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·7 of an acre, which was included in the land covered by Declaration No. 6162L.A., dated the 20th August 1917, published at page 1252, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, and required by the Uttarpara Municipality for the extension of the trenching ground, in the village of Uttarpara, pargana Boro, district Hooghly:—

Hooghly.

North—By the lands of the trenching ground of the Uttarpara Municipality and of Pares Nath Mukerjee.
East—By the lands of Upendra Chandra Ghosh and Atul Chandra Ghosh.
South and West—By the lands of the siding of the East Indian Railway Company to the brick-field of Mr. Bull.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9590L.A.—The 19th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bankura Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an embankment on the side of the river Gandheswari and for the diversion of a drain near the site of the Bankura Municipal pumping station, in the village of Bankura, pargana Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, ·323 of an acre, bounded on the—

Bankura.

PLOT A.

North—By the Municipal road to Rampur,
East—By the Municipal pumping-station road,
South and West—By Joahir Lal Trivedi's garden,

PLOT B.

North—By the river Gandheswari,
East—By the Pathakpara bathing-ghât road,
South—By the Municipal water-works compound,
West—By the Municipal pumping-station road,

PLOT C.

North—By Joahir Lal Trivedi's garden,
East—By the Municipal pumping-station road and water-works compound,
South—By the Municipal water-works compound and Sarada Pathak's land,
West—By the cultivated land of Ramapati Pathak,

are required within the aforesaid village of Bankura.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 9609L.A.—The 20th December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the re-alignment of Ramghar road, Section II, at mile 25, in the village of Dhurung, thana Fatickchery, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·63 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 3911 and Ramghar road,
East—By Ramghar road and part of cadastral survey plot No. 4353,
South—By Ramghar road,
West—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 3915,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dhurung.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 9666L.A.—The 21st December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Chittagong District Board for a public purpose, viz., for the inspection bungalow at Adhunagar, in the village of Adhunagar, thana Satkania, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·45 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By parts of Cadastral Survey plots Nos. 2303 and 2297,
East—By parts of Cadastral Survey plots Nos. 2297 and 2304,
South—By parts of Cadastral Survey plot Nos. 2304 and 2303,
West—By part of Cadastral Survey plot No. 2303,—

is required within the aforesaid village of Adhunagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9674L.A.—The 21st December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Rajshahi for a public purpose, viz., for a brick-field for wells at Panchpakhia, police-station Panchupur, in mauza Panchpakhia, pargana Amrul, zilla Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land (covering plots Nos. 690, 691, 712, and northern portion of plot No. 710 of the record-of-rights prepared for the mauza) measuring, more or less, ·75 of an acre, bounded on the—

Rajshahi.

North—By the lands of Arbulla Pramanick, Kafiran Bibi, Mosi Bewa, Kappur Bibi, Khodabox Pramanick, Samartaban Bibi, Mahiran Bewa and Majiran Bewa, owners of plot No. 686, lands of Dhanai Mondal, Paresh Mondal, Madhu Mondal, Makin Mondal and Salim Mondal, owners of plot No. 692,

East—By the lands of Maja Fakir, Madhab Fakir, Kokai Fakir, Akalu Fakir, Monu Bibi and Dukhini Bewa, owners of plots Nos. 699, 700 and 703, lands of Sukur, Gopal, Lalmohan and Kalu Sardar, Rup Bewa and Sohagi Bibi, owners of plot No. 704,

South—By the land of Enatulla Mula and Chikandi Sardars, owners of plot No. 711, and lands of Arbulla Pramanick, Khodabox, Samartabhannesa, Mahirannesa, and Mahiran Bewa, owners of plots Nos. 709 and 710,

West—By the lands of Arbulla Pramanick, Khodabox, Samartabhannesa, Mahirannesa, and Mahiran Bewa, owners of plots Nos. 689 and 713,

is required within the aforesaid village of Panchpakhia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Naogaon.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9677L.A.—The 21st December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for a tank in the village of Raygram, pargana Mahmudshahi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·02 acres bounded on the—

Jessore.

North—By the homestead of Nogendra Nath Sarkar, public *halat* and partly by the lands of Surendra Nath Mitra and Behari Lal Das,

East—By the land of Harendra Nath Bose, public *halat* and the homestead of Kali Dasi Devi and partly by the homestead of Nogendra Nath Sarkar,

South—By the homesteads of Surendra Nath Mitra and Harendra Nath Bose,

West—By the land of Behari Lal Das and a tank of Mrinalini Dassya,

is required within the aforesaid village of Raygram.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Magura.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9684L.A.—The 21st December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the Guru Training School at Brahmanbaria, in the village of Mourail, pargana Sarail, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·64 acres, bounded on the—

Tippera.

North—By the Gokarna road,
East—By the Ulchapara road,
South—By the *nal* lands of Mea Chand, Chand Mea and Pitambar Karmakar,
West—By the *nal* lands of Pandab Karmakar, Taju Sarkar, Ramijaddi Chaprashi, Chand Mea and Mea Chand.

is required within the aforesaid village of Mourail

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9687L.A.—The 21st December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Khulna for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Charitable Dispensary in the village of Senhati, pargana Esobpur, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·149 of an acre, bounded on the—

Khulna.

North—By Umesh Chandra Mazumdar's tank,
South—By the District Board road,
East—By the private path of Umesh Chandra Mazumdar's house,
West—By the land of Sachi Bhusan Sen,

is required within the aforesaid village of Senhati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Khulna.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 9690L.A.—The 21st December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Malda for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed bridge at Dharmakundu, in mauza Sarbari Goyraha, pargana Rukanpur, zilla Malda, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·762 acres, bounded on the—

Malda.

North—By the Dharmakundu khal and brick-field of Rajani Kanta Dass,
East—By the mango garden of Naba Gopal Basak,
South—By the Municipal road to Mokatipur and Madhu Napit's mango garden and *patit* land,
West—By the Municipal road to ferry ghât and Iswar Chandra Dass's mango garden,

is required within the aforesaid mauza of Sarbari Goyraha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Malda.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 9693L.A.—The 21st December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for straightening the Ramghor road, Section II, near mile-post No. 25, in the village of Dhurang, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·58 of an acre, bounded on the—

North and South—By Ramghor road,
East—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 3716, 3717, 3718, 3735, 3742, 3744, 3743, 3749, 3750, 3753 and plot No. 3748,
West—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 3716, 3717, 3735, 3742, 3743, 3758, 3749, 3750, 3754,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dhurang.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Malda.

No. 9696L.A.—The 21st December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Malda for a public purpose, viz., for a tank at Bazratek, in mauza Joygovinda, pargana Bhatia Gopalpur, zilla Malda, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·276 acres, bounded on the—

North—By Karim Sheikh's thatched house, Manik Kholifa's house, Khoti Monna's house and Khosal Monna's house,
East—By Kalimuddi Monna's plantain garden, jack fuit garden of Kabir Mahalat and waste land and bamboo clumps of Khosal Monna,
South—By Emarat Dalal's house and garden and mulberry land of Khairu Sheikh,
West—By the District Board road to Bazratek,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bazratek.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1884, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Malda.

M. C. McALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 9724L.A.—The 23rd December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for re-alignment of the Ramghor road, Section II at mile 22 in the village of Dhurang, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby

declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·14 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the Ramghor road and part of cadastral survey plot No. 18055,

East—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 18044, 18042, 18036, 18040, 18021, 18022, 18016, 18014, 18013, 18012 and Ramghor road,

South—By the Ramghor road,

West—By part of cadastral survey plot Nos. 18012, 18009, 18011, 18015, 18010, 18004, 18003, 18002, 18023, 18026, 18028, 18029, 18037, 18036, 17976, 18042, 18045, 18055,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dhurang.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, and to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Howrah.

No. 9727L. A.—The 23rd December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for improving the bed of the Saraswati khal, in the villages of Uttar-Jhapardaha, Dakhin-Jhapardaha, Domjur, Bhandardaha, Bipranapara, Purbanapara, Ankurhati, Nitankur, Chak Ramkristapur, Mohiari, Dulley, Jhorhat, Puila and Andul, parganas Bilia, Boro, Arsha, Paikan and Mozafarpur, zilla Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 38·50 acres, about seven miles long and of width varying from 45 feet to 50 feet, running south-eastward from Matia khal near Bridge No. 1 on Howrah-Jagatballavpur District Board road through the aforesaid villages up to Andul is required within the aforesaid villages of Uttar-Jhapardaha, Dakhin-Jhapardaha, Domjur, Bhandardaha, Bipranapara, Purbanapara, Ankurhati, Nitankur, Chak Ramkristapur, Mohiari, Puila, Dulley, Jhorhat and Andul.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Howrah.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 9791L.A.—The 23rd December 1918.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Burdwan for a public purpose, viz., for the re-excavation of Bhanja Pukur tank, in the village of Sankorpur, pargana Samarshahi, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·583 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Chandi Charan Bhanja, Haridas Raha, Haridas Bhanja and Chandi Charan Bhanja and *doba* of Haridas Bhanja and others,

East—By the *doba* of Haridas Bhanja and others, *doba* of Kalipada Basu, tank of Haridas Bhanja and the waste land of Chandi Charan Bhanja,

South—By Dhole Samudra tank of Chandi Charan Bhanja, the land of Haridas Bhanja and Mahendra Muchi,

West—By the land of Mahesh Muchi and others, Nala, Kamar *doba* of Haridas Bhanja and others and the land of Chandi Charan Bhanja,

is required within the aforesaid village of Sankarpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 9660Regn.—The 21st December 1918.—Babu Raj Kumar Basu, District Sub-Registrar, Noakhali, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-eight days, with effect from the 26th November 1918.

Noakhali.

No. 9662Regn.—The 21st December 1918.—Babu Dwarka Nath Gupta, Sadar Joint Sub-Registrar (grade II), Noakhali, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 26th November 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Raj Kumar Basu, or until further orders.

Noakhali.

No. 9664Regn.—The 21st December 1918.—The Subdivisional Officer of Siliguri, in the district of Darjeeling, is appointed to be *ex-officio* First Joint Sub-Registrar of the Sub-Registry Office at Siliguri.

Darjeeling.

No. 9787Regn.—The 23rd December 1918.—Maulvi Abdul Majid, District Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three weeks, with effect from the 2nd December 1918, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 8693Regn., dated the 22nd November 1918.

Chittagong.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9769Regn.—The 23rd December 1918.—In pursuance of section 5 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (XVI of 1908) and in modification of previous notifications, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that—

(*a*) the joint Sub-Registry office of Bhandaria at Amua, in the district of Bakarganj, be converted into an independent one having jurisdiction over police-station Kathalia, and

(*b*) the registration sub-district of Bhandaria, in the same district, shall comprise police-station Bhandaria only.

This notification will take effect from the 2nd January 1919.

No. 9776Regn.—The 23rd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Syed Ali Ahmad to be a Muhammadan Registrar within police-station Galsi, in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 9777Regn.—The 23rd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Syed Ali Ahmad to be the Kazi for celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within police-station Galsi, in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 9558Regn.—The 18th December 1918.—In Notification No. 9241Regn., dated the 10th December .918, published at page 1693 in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, *delete* the word "temporarily" occurring in the 4th line.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1631Edn.—The 19th December 1918.—Miss Indumukhi Nath, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Burdwan Division, is allowed combined leave for eight months and twenty-eight days from the 12th July 1918, viz, privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, including the leave already granted to her, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

Burdwan Divn.

No. 1638Edn.—The 23rd December 1918.—Miss Indumukhi Nath, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Burdwan Division, in class VI of the Provincial Educational Service, on leave, is appointed to be Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Mymensingh district.

Mymensingh.

No. 240Eccle.—The 19th December 1918.—The Revd. T. A. Thomson, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is appointed to be Additional Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, with effect from the afternoon of the 30th November 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 247Eccle.—The 23rd December 1918.—The services of the Revd. W. A. H. Parker, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the 10th December 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

Calcutta.

No. 251Eccle.—The 23rd December 1918.—The Revd. J. Godber, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is promoted to be a Senior Chaplain, with effect from the 1st December 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 256Eccle.—The 23rd December 1918.—The Revd. A. C. Ridsdale, Chaplain of Darjeeling Cantonment, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Peter's Church, Fort William, with effect from the 10th December 1918, or the subsequent date on which he took over charge of his duties.

Darjeeling.
Calcutta.

No. 257Eccle.—The 23rd December 1918.—The Revd. J. Godber, a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, was granted privilege leave for twenty-eight days, under article 592(*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th October 1918.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 244Eccle.—The 23rd December 1918.—In Notification No. 198Eccle., dated the 21st November 1918, published at page 1642, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th November 1918, *read* "privilege leave for two months" *for* "privilege leave for one month."

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3549S.R.—The 18th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*2*) of section 86 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make, with effect from the 1st April 1919, the following amendments in the table contained in rule 245 of the rules published with Notification No. 601S.R., dated the 30th March 1915 (published at pages 1—32 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st April 1915), namely :—

For the following entry relating to the Chittagong Division :—

Chittagong ... Ditto.	25°	U.P.	}	No maximum prices fixed.
	50°	„		

Substitute the following entry :—

Chittagong ... Ditto.	25°	U.P.	...	Rs. 9-6-0
	50°	„	...	„ 5-10-0

No. 3572S.-R.—The 20th December 1918.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Superintendents of Excise and Salt :—

(1) Babu Dhirendra Nath Mukerjee, M. Sc., son of Babu Jnanendra Nath Mukerjee.
(2) Babu Sudhindra Narayan Ray, M. Sc., son of Babu Kali Narayan Ray.
(3) Maulvi Rafique-uddin Ahmad, B.A., son of Maulvi Amin-uddin Ahmad.
(4) Maulvi Sultan Muhammad, B.A., son of Maulvi Abdul Aziz.
(5) Maulvi Fazlur Rahim Chowdhury, M.A., son of Maulvi Muhammad Eshaq Chowdhury.

No. 3573S.-R.—The 20th December 1918.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Inspectors of Excise and Salt :—

(1) Babu Susil Chandra Gupta, M. Sc., son of Babu Akhil Chandra Gupta.
(2) Maulvi Abbas Ali Khan, B.A., son of Munshi Sirajuddin Khan.

No. 3570S.R.—The 20th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*vi*), clause (*9*) of section 86 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in clause (*ii*) under the heading (I) in rule 201 (as subsequently amended) of the rules published with the Bengal Government Notification No. 601S.R., dated the 30th March 1915 (published at pages 1-32 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st April 1915), namely :—

For the words

"Hooghly	...	In the Municipalities of Hooghly-Chinsura, Bhadreswar, Baidyabati, Serampore, Kotrung and Uttarpara and at Naldanga (Bandel)."

Substitute the following—

"Hooghly	...	In the Municipalities of Hooghly-Chinsura, Bhadreswar, Champdani, Baidyabati, Serampore, Rishra-Konnagar, Kotrung and Uttarpara and at Naldanga (Bandel)."

No. 3585S.R.—The 21st December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*c*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 7 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), as amended by the Bengal Excise (Amendment) Act 1914 (Bengal Act VII of 1914), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in Notification No. 596S.R., dated the 30th March 1915 (published at pages 562-78 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st idem), as subsequently amended, namely :—

After paragraph 11A of the said Notification, *add* the following as paragraph 11B :—

11B. There shall also be female preventive officers.	The areas to which they are respectively appointed.

No. 3602S.R.—The 24th December 1918.—Babu Hem Chandra De, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for three months, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 18th February 1919, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mymensingh.

No. 3603S.R.— The 24th December 1918.—Maulvi Mabinuddin Ahmad Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Bakarganj, is transferred to Mymensingh, with effect from the date on which Babu Hem Chandra De, Superintendent of Excise and Salt of that district, goes on leave.

Bakarganj.

No. 3604S.R.—The 24th December 1918.—Maulvi Shafiquar Rahman Siddique, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Bakarganj, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Excise and Salt, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hem Chandra De, and is posted to that district.

Bakarganj.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Notice.

No. 3438S.R.—The 13th December 1918.—An examination of the Benares provision opium of season 1917-18 will be held at the opium godowns, No. 14, Strand Road, Calcutta, on Friday, the 3rd January 1919, at 11 A.M. Merchants, dealers and others interested in opium are invited to attend.

Samples of the opium examined will be given to *merchants and dealers only* in small tins labelled with the names of the persons requiring the sample.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2910Medl.—The 18th December 1918.—Babu Manada Kanta Roy, a passed student of the Medical College, Calcutta, is temporarily admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 6th December 1918.

Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

ERRATUM.

No. 2945Medl.—The 21st December 1918.—In Notification No. 140T.—Medl., dated the 24th September 1918, published at pages 1421-22 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd October 1918, *for* "Mr. D. A. Tyrie" *read* "Colonel D. A. Tyrie, V.D., A.D.C."

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7696A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6707A.—The 26th November 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Hafiz Khalilur Rahaman Abu Zaigham Sabir the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Dacca, for a period of three years from the 13th January 1919, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, **Dacca.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 7009A.—The 9th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Mathura Nath Rakshit the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Dacca, for a period of three years from the 10th January 1919, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Manikganj subdivision of the said district, **Dacca.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Manikganj Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 7312A.—The 16th December 1918.—Maulvi Mazharul Islam, Deputy Magistrate, Pabna, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. **Pabna.**

No. 7683A.—The 24th December 1918.—Babu Anadi Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the Sirajganj subdivision of the Pabna district, is vested with powers under sections 143, 174, 186, 524 and 190 (*1*) (*a*) (*b*) (*c*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure. **Pabna.**

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 4462J.—The 21st December 1918.—Babu Kunja Bihari Biswas, Subordinate Judge of Tippera, is allowed leave for six weeks, with effect from the 2nd January 1919, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations. **Tippera.**

No. 4465J.—The 21st December 1918.—Babu Haripada Mazumdar, Munsif of Dacca, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Tippera, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kunja Bihari Biswas, or until further orders. **Dacca. Tippera.**

No. 4469J.—The 21st December 1918.—Babu Rupamay Chatarji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif, in the district of Dacca, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, *vice* Babu Haripada Mazumdar, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 4482J.—The 21st December 1918.—Babu Subodh Kumar Bhattacharji, Munsif of Magura, in the district of Jessore, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Alipore.

Jessore.
24-Parganas.

No. 4485J.—The 21st December 1918.—Babu Narendra Nath Lahiri, Munsif of Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Magura. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*l*) of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Magura Munsifi.

24-Parganas.
Jessore.

No. 4514J.—The 23rd December 1918.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Basu, Additional Munsif, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Faridpur, *vice* Babu Umesh Chandra Sen.

Burdwan.
Faridpur.

No. 4517J.—The 23rd December 1918.—Babu Tejendra Nath Basu, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif, in the district of Burdwan, but for the present to be employed at Katwa.

Burdwan.

LEAVE.

No. 4472J.—The 12th December 1918.—Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Garhbeta, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for three months, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th November 1918, in modification of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 1st November 1918.

Midnapore.

H. P. DUVAL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4430J.—The 16th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Percy Douglas Kirkham, Supervisor of the Assam Labour Board, Special Magistrate for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to confer upon him the following ordinary powers of a Magistrate of the third class to be exercised throughout the Presidency of Bengal excepting the Presidency town of Calcutta, namely :—

(1) to order the arrest of, and to commit to custody, a person committing an offence in his presence, under section 64 of the Code of Criminal Procedure;

(2) to arrest, or direct the arrest in his presence of, an offender, under section 65 of the Code of Criminal Procedure;

(3) to endorse a warrant, or to order the removal of an accused person arrested under a warrant, under sections 83, 84 and 86 of the Code of Criminal Procedure;

(4) to require search to be made for letters and telegrams, under section 95, sub-section (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure; and

(5) to apply to a District Magistrate to issue a commission for the examination of a witness, under section 506 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

H. P. DUVAL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 11735P.—The 16th December 1918.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Soldiers (Litigation) Act, 1918 (IX of 1918), and in consultation with the Hon'ble Judges of the High Court, Calcutta, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules in supersession of the rules, published under Notification No. 638P.D., dated the 16th May 1917 :—

Calcutta.

Rules.

1. The "prescribed authority" for the purposes of sections 3 and 6 of the Indian Soldiers (Litigation) Act, 1918, shall be the Officer Commanding the Unit or the Officer Commanding the Depôt of the Unit to which the Indian soldier belongs care of the Adjutant-General in India, except in the case of the personnel of the Inland Water Transport when the "prescribed authority" shall be the Director, Royal Indian Marine, Bombay.

2. The notice to be given under the section 6 shall be in the form of a letter from the presiding officer of the Court, in which the proceeding is instituted to the authority prescribed by rule 1, and shall be accompanied by a copy of the plaint, the memorandum of appeal (including a copy of the decree), or the application in the proceeding, as the case may be.

3. Every certificate issued under section 5 or section 7 of the said Act, shall be in the form of a letter addressed to the presiding officer of the Court, in which the proceeding is instituted.

4. The period for which any proceeding shall be postponed under section 7 shall be—

(*a*) until the end of the war; or

(*b*) until the authority prescribed by rule 1 certifies that the Indian soldier has returned to his home or has died, whichever period is shorter.

5. The authority to whom any point that arises for decision, under section 12 of the said Act, shall be referred shall be the Adjutant-General in India for the time being.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3703P.J.—The 23rd December 1918.—Babu Sachi Kanta Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, on his return from military training, is re-appointed to be a Chaukidari Circle Officer in the Sadar subdivision of the Dacca district.

Dacca.

No. 3708P.J.—The 23rd December 1918.—Babu Naba Gopal Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, Thakurgaon, Dinajpur, is appointed to be a Chaukidari Circle Officer at Bogra.

Dinajpur.
Bogra.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 10541A.—The 18th December 1918.—Maulvi Syed Muhammad Rafi, sub. *pro tempore* second grade Inspector, Malda, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 4th April 1918, *vice* second grade Inspector Sri Bhusan Mukharji, retired.

No. 10542A.—The 18th December 1918.—Babu Janaki Nath Pal, sub. *pro tempore* second grade Inspector, Criminal Investigation Department, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 26th November 1918, *vice* second grade Inspector Lalit Mohan Datta, discharged.

No 10543.1.—The 18th December 1918.—Babu Priya Nath De, third grade Inspector, now Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is promoted sub. *pro tempore* to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 26th November 1918, *vice* Inspector Janaki Nath Pal, confirmed. He will continue to act as Deputy Superintendent of Police.

C. W. C. PLOWDEN,
Inspector-General of Police.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Fifth publication.]

The 25th November 1918.

No. 5.—The following draft of a notification which, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council intends to issue, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 10th January 1919, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Canals Act, 1864 (Bengal Act V of 1864), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules for the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nala, published with Notification No. 29, dated the 24th May 1904, at pages 744—746 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*, as amended by Notification No. 16, dated the 13th November 1916, namely :—

For rule 28 of the said rules, *substitute* the following rule :—

"28. The canals may be closed once a year for effecting the necessary repairs to them on one month's notice of the intention so to close them being given ; but in the event of any sudden emergency the canals may be closed at any time without prior notice, and no claim in such case by owners of vessels or others for compensation on account of detention shall be entertained."

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 16th December 1918.

No. 123Marine.—The following notification by the Government of India, Commerce and Industry Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 13218, dated Simla, the 7th December 1918.

NOTIFICATION By—The Govt. of India, Department of Commerce and Industry (Inland Navigation).

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 (*2*) (*a*) of the Freight (Railway and Inland Steam-vessel) Tax Act, 1917 (XIII of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 3536, dated the 18th May 1918, namely :—

"(6) In default of payment of any sum due under section 3 of the said Act, such sum shall be recoverable as if it were an arrear of land revenue".

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 18th December 1918.

No. 124Marine.—Mr. W. Crutchlow, Mate Pilot, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th December 1918, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 18th December 1918.

No. 125Marine.—Mr. G. Golding, Acting Senior Master Pilot, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 24th December 1918.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 23rd December 1918.

No. 126Marine.—The ordinary examinations of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Masters and Mates of the Mercantile Marine, will be held at the Port Office, Calcutta, on the following dates, at 10-30 A.M., during the year ending 31st December 1919 :—

January 6th.	July 7th
February 17th.	August 25th.
April 7th.	October 13th.
May 19th.	November 17th.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination must be made at the Port Office, Calcutta, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 23rd December 1918.

No. 127Marine.—The ordinary examinations of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers will be held at the Government Dockyard, Kidderpore, on the following dates, at 10-30 A.M., during the year ending 31st December 1919 :—

January 6th.
„ 20th.
February 10th.
March 3rd.
„ 24th.
April 14th.
May 5th.
„ 26th.
June 16th.
July 7th.
„ 28th.
August 19th.
September 8th.
„ 22nd.
October 20th.
November 10th.
December 8th.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination must be made at the Port Office, Calcutta, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 23rd December 1918.

No 128Marine.—The ordinary examinations of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Masters and Serangs of Inland Steam-vessels under Act I of 1917 will be held at the Port Office, Calcutta, on the following dates, at 10-30 A.M, during the year ending 31st December 1919 :—

January 13th
February 3rd.
„ 24th.
March 17th.
„ 31st.
April 28th.
May 12th
June 2nd
„ 23rd.
July 14th.
August 4th.
September 1st.
„ 22nd.
October 20th.
November 4th.
„ 24th.
December 15th.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination must be made at the Port Office Calcutta, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 23rd December 1918.

No. 129Marine.—The ordinary examinations of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engine Drivers will be held at the Port Office, Calcutta, on the following dates, at 10-30 A.M., during the year ending 31st December 1919 :—

January 14th.
„ 27th.
February 25th.
March 10th.
April 1st
„ 22nd.
May 13th.
June 9th.
July 2nd.
July 21st.
August 11th.
September 2nd.
„ 15th
October 27th.
November 12th.
December 1st.
„ 22nd.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination must be made at the Port Office, Calcutta, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 7697A.

No. 7336A.—The 17th December 1918.—Babu Satkari Lal De, Sub-Deputy Collector, Ulubaria, Howrah, is allowed leave for one month and fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Howrah.

No. 7338A.—The 17th December 1918.—Babu Dilip Chandra Dhar, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Burdwan Division.

Burdwan Divn.

No. 7353A.—The 17th December 1918.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors, named below are posted to the headquarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names—

Babu Hem Bhushan Datta	...	...	Tippera.
„ Narendra Nath Mukharji	...	...	Hooghly.
„ Karuna Nidhan Ghosh	...	...	Ditto.
Maulvi Siddiq Ghulam Rahman Khan		...	Khulna.
Babu Upendra Nath Ghatak	...	...	Howrah.
„ Badanya Kumar Ray	...	...	Rangpur.
Maulvi Mir Husain ...	...	...	Tippera.
„ Khalil Ahmad ...	...	...	Dacca.
Babu Sudhir Kumar Gupta	...	...	24-Parganas.
Maulvi S. Abdur Rahim	...	...	Ditto.
Babu Harendra Chandra Barori	...	...	Dacca.
„ Ananta Kumar Malakar	...	...	Do.
Mr. S. G. Macdonald ...	...	...	Darjeeling.

No. 7382A.—The 18th December 1918.—The orders of the 6th December 1918, posting Babu Madhu Sudan Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, to the Rajshahi Division and vesting him with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, are cancelled.

Rajshahi Divn.

No. 7386A.—The 18th December 1918.—Babu Abinash Chandra Barman, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Rajshahi Division, and vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Rajshahi Divn.

No. 7389A.—The 18th December 1918.—Maulvi Ali Asghar, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Burdwan Division.

Burdwan Divn.

No. 7464A.—The 19th December 1918.—Babu Haridas Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Presidency Division, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Presy. Divn.

No. 7467A.—The 19th December 1918.—Mr. Surendra Nath Bhattacharji, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer Dacca, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Dacca.

No. 7472A.—The 19th December 1918.—Maulvi Nurul Haq, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Barrackpore sub-division of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

No. 7477A.—The 19th December 1918.—Maulvi Ali Asghar, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for ten days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 9th December 1918.

No. 7479A.—The 19th December 1918.—Babu Phani Bhusan Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Burdwan district. **Burdwan.**

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 504.—The 16th December 1918.—Babu Ramani Mohan Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Atrai, in the district of Rajshahi, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the 2nd January 1919. **Rajshahi.**

No. 505.—The 16th December 1918.—Babu Girindra Prasanna Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Mutiganj, in the district of Noakhali, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Boserhat in the same district, is comfirmed in his present officiating appointment. **Noakhali.**

No. 506.—The 16th December 1918.—Mr. Vincent Gilbert Andrews, Sub-Registrar of Boserhat, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Sundip in the same district. **Noakhali.**

No. 507.—The 16th December 1918.—Maulvi Abdul Wahid (No. II), Sub-Registrar of Bhairab, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Bhandaria, in the district of Bakarganj. **Mymensingh. Bakarganj.**

No. 508.—The 16th December 1918.—Maulvi Abu Yusuf Wahidul Haq, Sub-Registrar of Rajapur, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Bhairab, in the district of Mymensingh. **Bakarganj. Mymensingh.**

No 509.—The 16th December 1918.—Maulvi Abu Abdulla Hossain, Sub-Registrar of Patarhat, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Shibganj, in the district of Bogra. **Bakarganj. Bogra.**

No. 510.—The 17th December 1918.—Babu Deva Kumar Ray Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar of Kotalipara, in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th December 1918. **Faridpur.**

No. 511.—The 17th December 1918.—Maulvi A. S M. Abdul Baqui Probationer of Dacca, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Kotalipara, in the district of Faridpur, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th December 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Deva Kumar Ray Chaudhuri, or until further orders. **Dacca. Faridpur.**

No. 512.—The 17th December 1918.—Maulvi Saiyid Zaki Reza, Sub-Registrar, grade III (on leave), is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Dumkal, Azimganj, in the district of Murshidabad, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Zurghamuddin Haidar Hasony, or until further orders. **Murshidabad.**

No. 513.—The 17th December 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Habiluddin, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Howrah, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Gopiballavpur, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 2nd December 1918, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Rajani Ranjan Chaudhuri, or until further orders.

Howrah
Midnapore.

No. 514.—The 17th December 1918.—Maulvi Kazi Muhammad Abdur Rauf, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Dacca, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Kaliganj, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 2nd December 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jitendra Kumar Mitra, or until further orders.

Dacca.
Jessore.

No. 515.—The 18th December 1918.—Babu Paresh Chandra Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar of Indas, in the district of Bankura, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Bankura.

No. 516.—The 19th December 1918.—Babu Saroj Kumar Sen, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, was allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 21st October 1918 to the 14th November 1918.

Nadia.

No. 517.—The 19th December 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Halim, Sub-Registrar of Guskara, in the district of Burdwan, is allowed leave on medical certificate for fourteen days under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 469, dated the 28th November 1918.

Burdwan.

No. 518.—The 23rd December 1918.—Babu Akhil Chandra Ghosh, Sub Registrar of Haripal, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

Hooghly.

No. 519.—The 23rd December 1918.—Babu Amod Lal Barman, Sub-Registrar of Khandghosh, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mohonpur, in the district of Midnapore.

Burdwan.
Midnapore.

No. 520.—The 23rd December 1918.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Mukharji, Probationer of Barisal, is allowed leave on medical certificate for fourteen days, under rule (1) to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th December 1918.

Bakarganj.

No. 521.—The 23rd December 1918.—Maulvi Abdul Wahid (No. II), Sub-Registrar of Bhairab, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th November 1918.

Mymensingh.

No. 522.—The 23rd December 1918.—Maulvi Reazuddin Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Mymensingh, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Bhairab, in the same district, with effect from the 8th December 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Wahid (No. II), or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 523.—The 23rd December 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Zainul Abedeen, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Berhampore, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Dumkol Azimganj, in the district of Murshidabad, with effect from the 17th December 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Zurghamuddin Haidar Hasony, till relieved by Maulvi Saiyid Zaki Reza, Sub-Registrar, grade III, on leave.

Murshidabad.

No. 524—The 23rd December 1918.—Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Siddiq, Sub-Registrar of Cossipur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, in extension of the leave for fifteen days, sanctioned in this Department Notification No. 472, dated the 2nd December 1918.

24-Parganas.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 15038, dated the 23rd December 1918.—Rai Bahadur Ananda Lal Bose made over charge of the Barisal Jail to Civil Surgeon Bepin Chandra Das Gupta on the forenoon of the 8th December 1918.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 17634, dated Calcutta, the 16th December 1918.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Bibhuti Bhusan Barat, Demonstrator of Biology, Medical College, Calcutta, is granted leave on medical certificate for six months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the three months' privilege leave already granted to him under Notification No. 13581, dated the 2nd September 1918.

No. 17909, dated Calcutta, the 20th December 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Manada Kanta Roy, M.B., is placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 6th December 1918, until further orders.

No. 17916, dated Calcutta, the 20th December 1918.—In supersession of this Department Notification No. 13419, dated the 28th August 1918, temporary Assistant Surgeon Rajani Kanta Chatarji is allowed combined leave for two months, viz., privilege leave for eleven days, under article 242(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, and extraordinary leave without allowances for the remaining period, under article 339 (rule 2) of the same Regulations, with effect from the 12th August 1918.

No. 18117, dated Calcutta, the 23rd December 1918.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Charu Chandra Banarji, officiating at the Kandi Subdivision and Dispensary, Murshidabad district, is appointed temporarily to be Instructor in First Aid and Ambulance work, Police Force, Calcutta, *vice* 1st grade Assistant Surgeon Basanta Kumar Roy.

No. 18113, dated Calcutta, the 23rd December 1918.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Brindaban Chandra Banik, Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, Parbatipur, is appointed to the Kandi Subdivision and Dispensary, Murshidabad district, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Charu Chandra Banerji, transferred.

No. 18109, dated Calcutta, the 23rd December 1918.—This Department Notification No. 1121D., dated the 20th September 1918, appointing 2nd grade Assistant Surgeon Brindaban Chandra Banik as Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, at Katihar, is cancelled.

No. 18038, dated Calcutta, the 21st December 1918.—The following candidates passed the Dresssership Examination held at the Dacca and the Campbell Medical Schools in the months of September and October 1918, respectively :—

Dacca Medical School.

Shukhendra Narayan Roy.

Campbell Medical School.

Jnan Chandra Chatterji.
Sripati Charan Chatterji.
Probodh Kumar Bose.
Jatindra Nath Ray.
Lalit Mohan Chakravarty.
Dwijendra Nath Choudhury.
Protab Chandra Bose.
Ashit Kumar Bhowmick.

No. 18039, dated Calcutta, the 21st December 1918.—The following candidates passed the Compoundership Examination held at the Dacca Medical School on the 1st November 1918 and subsequent days :—

Dacca Medical School.

1. Radha Gobinda Saha.
2. Satish Chandra Ray.
3. Fazlal Quadir.
4. Surendra Chandra Dey.
5. Sheikh Alimuddin.
6. Abdul Alim.
7. Tarani Kumar Guha Neogi.
8. Akhoya Kumar Namasudra.
9. Hari Charan Choudhury.
10. Srish Chandra Bose.
11. Jogesh Chandra Chakravarty.
12. Sonatan Prem.
13. Narahari Chakravarty.
14. Sailesh Chandra Sil.
15. Prabhat Chandra Nag.
16. Jogendra Nath Adhikari.
17. Rasik Chandra Tapadar.
18. Asraf Ali Miah.
19. Tamizuddin Khan.
20. Baharam Taluqdar.
21. Keshab Chandra Ganguly.
22. Mati Lal Sil.
23. Hriday Nath Chakravarty.
24. Tripura Charan Sil.
25. Jiban Chandra Rudra Pal.
26. Paresh Nath Banerjee.

Barisal Sadar Hospital.

27. Monmatheswar Chakravarty.

Faridpur Sadar Hospital.

28. Upendra Kumar Sen.

W. H. B. ROBINSON, I.M.S.,
Surgeon Genl. with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU SATISH CHANDRA UPADHYAY, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, has been placed in the executive charge of the Jalpaiguri Treasury with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd December 1918, in place of Babu Lalit Kumar Sen, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

F. W. STRONG, *Deputy Commissioner.*

JALPAIGURI, *the 3rd December 1918.*

UNCOVENANTED Deputy Collector Babu Khirode Chandra Sen has been placed in charge of the Jessore Treasury, *vice* late Babu Romesh Chandra Sinha, and is authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

E. M. MANNOOCH, *Collector.*

JESSORE, *the 18th December 1918.*

BABU GIRIJA BHUSAN GHOSAL, M.A., Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Noakhali Treasury, with effect from the forenoon of the 20th December 1918, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

D. K. MITTER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOAKHALI TREASURY, *the 20th December 1918.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU NARENDRANATH LIHIRI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Magura, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250, within the local limits of the Magura Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 13th December 1918.

BABU SUBODH KUMAR BHATTACHARJEE, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of that portion of the Alipore Munsifi which lies outside the limits of the jurisdiction of the Small Cause Court at Sealdah.

By order of the High Court,

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 13th December 1918.

BABU PRABODH CHANDRA BASU, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by a such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Faridpur.

By order of the High Court,

HIGH COURT,
CIVIL:
The 18th December 1918.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

BABU ASWINI KUMAR DAS GUPTA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250, within the local limits of that portion of the Alipore Munsifi which lies outside the limits of the jurisdiction of the Small Cause Court at Sealdah.

By order of the High Court,

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 20th December 1918.

BABU HEM CHANDRA BASU, No. III, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Pingna, in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Pingna Munsifi.

By order of the High Court,

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 20th December 1918.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following list of days to be observed in the year 1919 as close Holidays in the Subordinate Civil Courts has been prepared and is published by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the power vested in it by section 15 of Act XII of 1887:—

Names of holidays.	English date.	Bengali date.	Days of the week.	Number of days.
		1325		
New Year's Day	January 1st ...	Pous 17th ...	Wednesday ...	1 day.
Uttarayan, Pous or Makar Sankranti, or Magha Bihu(*a*).	,, 14th ...	,, 30th ...	Tuesday ...	1 ,,
Sri Panchami	February 5th and 6th ...	Magha 22nd and 23rd ...	Wednesday and Thursday.	2 days.
Siva Ratri	,, 28th and March 1st.	Falgun 16th and 17th ..	Friday and Saturday	2 ,,
Dol Jatra and the day following ...	March 16th and 17th ...	Chaitra 2nd and 3rd ...	Sunday and Monday	2 ,,
Baruni Ganga Snan(*b*)[1]... ...	,, 29th	,, 15th... ...	Saturday ...	1 day.
Two days previous to Sri Ram Navami(*c*)	April 7th and 8th ...	,, 24th and 25th ...	Monday and Tuesday	2 days
Ashtami or Brahmaputra Snan or Ashokashtomi(*d*).	,, 8th	,, 25th... ...	Tuesday ...	1 day.
Sri Ram Navami	,, 9th	,, 26th... ...	Wednesday ...	1 ,,
Chaitra Sankranti	,, 13th	,, 30th... ...	Sunday ...	1 ,,
		1326		
Bengali New Year's Day(*e*) ...	,, 14th	Baisakh 1st ...	Monday ...	1 ,,
Good Friday to Easter Monday ...	,, 18th to 21st ...	,, 5th to 8th ...	Friday to Monday	4 days.
Tithi (day of demise) of Deb Damodar(*f*)	,, 30th	,, 17th ...	Wednesday ...	1 day.
Shab-i-Barat(*g*)	May 15th	Jaistha 1st ...	Thursday ...	1 ,,
Sital or Janai Sasthi(*h*) ...	June 4th	,, 21st ...	Wednesday ...	1 ,,
Dasahara Ganga Snan(*i*) ...	,, 8th	,, 25th ...	Sunday ...	1 ,,
Ramkeli day(*j*)	,, 15th	,, 32nd ...	unday ...	1 ,,
Ambubachi(*k*)	,, 26th	Assar 11th ...	Thursday ...	1 ,,
Rath Jatra	,, 29th	,, 14th ...	Sunday ...	1 ,,
Id-ul-Fitr(*l*)	,, 30th and July 1st...	,, 15th and 16th ...	Monday and Tuesday	2 days.
King-Emperor's Birthday* ...	.....	.....	...	

* The day which may be fixed for the celebration in India of the King-Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately in due course.

(*a*) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Noakhali, Tippera and Sylhet, and at Contai in the district of Midnapore, instead of Dasahara Ganga Snan; at Dubrajpur in the district of Birbhum, instead of Ulta Rath; in the districts of Bakarganj and Assam Valley (except Dhubri), and at Asansol in the district of Burdwan, instead of Baruni Ganga Snan, in the district of Khulna, instead of the first day of the Kartick Puja; and in the district of Dacca, instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.

(*b*) This holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Bakarganj, Dacca, Mymensingh, Noakhali, Tippera and Assam Valley; nor at Asansol in the district of Burdwan.

(*c*) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Chittagong, instead of Ulta Rath and the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja.

(*d*) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Dacca and Mymensingh and at Dhubri in the Assam Valley districts, instead of Baruni Ganga Snan; and in Rangpur and Assam Valley (except Dhubri), instead of Ulta Rath and the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja respectively.

(*e*) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, instead of Baruni Ganga Snan; in the districts of Bakarganj, Mymensingh, Chittagong and Assam Valley, instead of Dasahara Ganga Snan; in the district of Dacca, instead of the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja and in the districts of Jessore, Khulna and Sylhet, instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.

(*f*) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Goalpara), instead of the first day of the Jagadhatri Puja.

(*g*) If the moon be visible on the 2nd of May, the Courts will be closed on the 16th of May

(*h*) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Dacca, instead of Dasahara Ganga Snan, and in the district of Tippera, instead of the 2nd day of the Jagadhatri Puja

(*i*) This holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Bakarganj, Dacca, Mymensingh, Chittagong, Noakhali, Tippera, Sylhet and Assam Valley; nor at Contai in the district of Midnapore

(*j*) This holiday is to be observed at Malda, in the district of Rajshahi, instead of the first day of the Kartick Puja

(*k*) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Dhubri), instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.

(*l*) If the moon be visible on the 28th of June, the Courts will be closed on the 29th and 30th of June

Names of holidays.	English date.	Bengali date.	Days of the week.	Number of days.
		1326		
Ulta Rath(*m*)	July 7th	Assar 22nd ...	Monday ...	1 day.
Manasa Puja(*n*)	August 17th... ...	Sraban 32nd ...	Sunday ...	1 „
The day following the Manasa Puja(*o*)	„ 18th... ...	Bhadra 1st ...	Monday ...	1 „
Janmashtomi	„ 18th and 19th ...	„ 1st and 2nd ...	Monday and Tuesday	2 days.
Tithi (Anniversary) or Sri Sankar Deb(*p*).	„ 27th... ...	„ 10th ...	Wednesday ...	1 day.
Id-uz-Zoha(*q*)	September 6th and 7th ...	„ 20th and 21st ...	Saturday and Sunday.	2 days.
Tithi (Anniversary) of Sri Madhab Deb(*r*).	„ 14th ...	„ 28th ...	Sunday ...	1 day.
Dassera Vacation, including Mahalaya, Durga Puja, Muharram, Lakshmi and Kali Pujas, and Bhratriditya.	„ 23rd to October 25th.	Assin 6th to Kartick 8th	Tuesday to Saturday.	33 days.
Jagadhatri Puja(*s*)	November 2nd and 3rd ...	Kartick 16th and 17th ...	Sunday and Monday	2 „
Ras Purnima(*t*)	„ 7th ...	„ 21st	Friday ...	1 day.
The day after the eclipse of the moon(*u*).	„ 8th ...	„ 22nd ...	Saturday ...	1 „
Kartick Puja(*v*)	„ 16th and 17th	„ 30th and Aughran 1st.	Sunday and Monday	2 days.
Akhiri Chahar Shamba... ...	„ 19th ...	Aughran 3rd ...	Wednesday ...	1 day.
Fatiha Duwazdaham(*w*) ...	December 6th ...	„ 20th ...	Saturday ..	1 „
Christmas holidays	„ 24th to 31st ...	Pous 8th to 15th ...	Wednesday to Wednesday.	8 days

(*m*) This holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Mymensingh, Chittagong, Noakhali, Rangpur, Sylhet and Assam Valley; nor at Dubrajpur in the district of Birbhum. The 8th of July is to be observed as a holiday in the district of Tippera, instead of the 7th July.

(*n*) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Mymensingh, Noakhali and Sylhet, instead of Ulta Rath; and in the district of Chittagong, instead of the first day of the Jagadhatri Puja.

(*o*) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Sylhet, instead of the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja.

(*p*) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts, instead of Ulta Rath.

(*q*) If the moon be visible on the 26th of August, the Courts will be closed on the 5th and 6th of September.

(*r*) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts, instead of the first day of the Kartick Puja.

(*s*) This holiday is not to be observed in the district of Chittagong. The first day of this holiday is not to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Goalpara). The second day is not to be observed in the districts of Dacca, Tippera, Sylhet and Assam Valley (except Dhubri).

(*t*) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Dinajpur, instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.

(*u*) If the eclipse be visible.

(*v*) This holiday is not to be observed in the district of Khulna. The second day of this holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Dacca Jessore, Dinajpur, Sylhet and Assam Valley (except Dhubri); and the first day is not to be observed at Maida in the district of Rajshahi, nor in the Assam Valley Districts.

(*w*) If the moon be visible on the 22nd of November, the Courts will be closed on the 5th of December.

By order,

HIGH COURT; N. G. A. EDGLEY,

The 16th December 1918. *Registrar.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act IX of 1887, that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Dacca and Munshiganj will, in the months of February and March 1919 sit in the Courts on the undermentioned dates :—

Munshiganj—From 17th to 22nd February 1919 and from 24th to 29th March 1919.

Dacca—The rest of the days of these months.

(Sundays and holidays excepted.)

J. C. BHATTACHARJEE, *Judge.*

DACCA, *the 13th December 1918.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION—No. 4733Misc.

Calcutta, the 23rd December 1918.

THE price-lists of staple food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), for the period from 1st July to 30th September 1918, having been approved by the Board of Revenue, Bengal, are published for general information.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

F. D. ASCOLI,
Secretary.

Price-list (retail) of Staple Food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39 of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), for three months from July to September 1918.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th Sept. 1918.
					July.	August.	September.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Burdwan.	Subdivision—							
	Sadar ...	Burdwan Nutungunj.	Rice ...	Last day of every month ...	13 0	9 0	8 0	10 0
	Asansol ...	Raniganj ...	Do. ...	27th of every month ...	10 8	9 8	7 8	9 3
	Katwa ...	Katwa ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	12 0	9 7	9 6	10 4
	Kalna ...	Kalna ...	Do. ...	28th of every month ...	10 7	6 12	8 6	8 8
Birbhum.	Sadar ...	Suri ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	13 8	10 0	9 0	10 13
	Rampur Hât ...	Rampur Hât ...	Do. ...	Last Monday or Friday of every month.	12 8	11 0	9 6	10 15
Bankura.	Sadar ...	Bankura ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	11 4	9 12	8 8	9 13
	Vishnupur ...	Vishnupur ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	12 0	10 0	10 0	10 11
Midnapore.	Sadar ...	Colonelgola and School Bazar, town Midnapore.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	14 6	10 6	9 11	11 8
	Ghatal ...	Ghatal Municipal Market.	Do. ...	27th of every month ...	12 12	10 0	10 0	10 15
	Tamluk ...	Tamluk Bazar ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	11 12	10 10	9 2	10 8
	Contai ...	Kantanala Bazar, town Contai.	Do. ...	Last market day, *i.e.*, last Sunday or Thursday, whichever is nearer to the last day of every month.	15 0	13 0	12 0	13 5
Hooghly.	Sadar ...	Hooghly ...	Do ...	Last Thursday of every month.	10 0	7 3	7 13	8 5
	Serampore ...	Serampore ...	Do. ...	First or last Saturday of every month.	8 7	8 0	8 0	8 2
	Arambagh ...	Arambagh ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 6	12 5	9 8	11 1
	Howrah ...	Ramkristopur ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	10 15	9 0	8 0	9 5
	Uluberia ...	Uluberia ...	Do. ...	Last Saturday of every month.	10 8	9 4	8 8	9 7

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

24-Parganas.	Subdivision—				S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
	Sadar ...	Chetla Hât ...	Rice ...	Last Wednesday of every month.	10 10	8 0	8 0	8 14
	Barasat and Barrackpore.	Barasat ...	Do. ...	Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	11 7	10 0	8 0	9 13
	Diamond Harbour.	Magrahat ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 13	10 4	8 10	10 4
	Basirhat ...	Baduria ...	Do. ...	Second Tuesday of every month.	12 12	12 6	9 10	11 9

PRESIDENCY DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th Sept. 1918.
					July.	August.	September.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
	Subdivision—							
Nadia.	Sadar ...	Goari ...	Rice ...	Last day of every month ...	10 8	9 0	7 8	9 0
	Ranaghat ...	Ranaghat ...	Do. ...	28th of every month ...	10 8	10 0	9 0	9 13
	Meherpur ...	Meherpur Kalibazar.	Do. ...	Last Monday of every month	10 0	10 0	8 14	9 10
	Chuadanga ...	Chuadanga ...	Do. ...	Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	12 5	11 7	10 10	11 7
	Kushtia ...	Bahadurkhali ...	Do. ...	28th of every month ...	11 0	10 0	8 0	9 11
Murshidabad.	Sadar ...	Berhampore Khagra.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	11 15	8 0	8 6	9 7
	Lalbagh ...	Jiaganj ...	Do. ...	First Monday of every month	12 8	9 0	8 8	10 0
	Kandi ...	Kandi ...	Do. ...	The last market day before the 28th of every month.	14 0	10 0	10 0	11 5
	Jangipur ...	Raghunathganj	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 0	10 0	9 8	10 3
Jessore.	Sadar ...	Jessore ...	Do. ...	Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	14 8	10 8	11 0	12 0
	Narail ...	Rupganj ...	Do. ...	Sunday or Thursday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	14 8	11 7	10 10	12 4
	Magura ...	Magura ...	Do. ...	Thursday or Sunday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Thursday falling on or next before the 26th.	15 0	10 8	10 8	12 0
	Jhenida ...	Jhenida ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	19 8	13 8	12 0	15 0
	Bongaon ...	Bongaon ...	Do. ...	Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	16 0	13 5	10 0	13 2
Khulna.	Sadar ...	Khulna Bazar (*alias* Saheberhat).	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	14 4	9 9	9 1	10 15
	Satkhira ...	Satkhira Bazar (*alias* Pranshire).	Do. ...	28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the 26th.	13 5	11 0	10 0	11 7
	Bagerhat ...	Bagerhat ...	Do. ...	Sunday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Sunday falling on or before the 26th.	14 8	8 0	8 0	10 3

DACCA DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
	Subdivision—							
Dacca.	Narainganj ...	Narayanganj Bazar.	Rice ...	Last market day before the 13th of every month.	11 6	10 0	9 6	10 4
	Sadar ...	Dacca Town Imamganj Bazar.	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	10 8	7 5	7 5	8 6
	Manikganj ...	Dasora Bazar ...	Do. ...	Market day falling on or immediately before the 28th of every month.	12 4	9 12	8 4	10 1
	Munshiganj ...	Munshirhat ...	Do. ...	Last Sunday of every month	11 8	8 0	8 0	9 3

DACCA DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th Sept. 1918.
					July.	August.	September.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Mymensingh.	Subdivision—							
	Jamalpur ...	Raniganj ...	Rice ...	Last market day of the 3rd week of every month.	10 8	10 8	6 8	9 3
	Tangail ...	Kagmari ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	9 12	9 12	7 9	9 0
	Netrakona ...	Netrakona ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 11	9 0	7 0	9 4
	Sadar ...	Nasirabad ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	10 2	7 11	6 14	8 4
	Kishorganj ...	Kisorganj ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	10 4	9 8	8 0	9 4
Faridpur.	Sadar ...	Faridpur ...	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	12 0	8 0	8 0	9 5
	Madaripur ...	Madaripur ...	Do. ...	On the market day preceding the 28th of every month.	12 8	8 12	8 0	9 12
	Goalundo ...	Rajbari ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	13 11	8 12	8 13	10 7
	Gopalganj ...	Gopalganj ...	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	14 0	9 0	10 0	11 0
Bakarganj	Patuakhali ...	Patuakhali ...	Do. ...	Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	11 0	10 8	8 0	9 13
	Pirojpur ...	Pirojpur ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 4	10 4	8 0	9 13
	Sadar ...	Barisal ...	Do. ...	Last day of every month ...	11 4	8 0	8 0	9 1
	Dakhin Shahbazpur.	Bhola Hât ...	Do. ...	Last market day preceding the last day of every month.	11 4	9 13	7 12	9 10

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Tippera.	Subdivision—							
	Brahmanbaria...	Brahmanbaria ...	Rice ...	Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	11 7	10 0	9 2	10 3
	Sadar ...	Rajganja Bazar, Comilla.	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	11 13	8 10	7 12	9 6
	Chandpur ...	Chandpur Old Bazar.	Do. ...	Market day immediately preceding the 28th of every month.	12 9	11 6	8 7	10 13
Noakhali.	Sadar ...	Kalitara Hât ...	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	11 4	10 0	8 10	9 15
	Feni ...	Feni Bazar ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	12 0	11 0	9 5	10 12
Chittagong.	Sadar ...	Buxy Hât ...	Do. ...	Last Saturday of every month	11 0	9 8	8 0	9 8
	Cox's Bazar ...	Cox's Bazar ...	Do. ...	Friday immediately preceding the 26th, or the 26th if that day happens to be a Friday.	12 8	12 8	9 0	11 5

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

					S. c.	S. c	S. c.	S. c.
Rajshahi.	Subdivision—							
	Sadar ...	Saheb Bazar ...	Rice ...	Last day of every month ...	10 11	9 0	7 2	8 15
	Nowgaon ...	Nowgaon ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 12	8 0	8 5	9 6
	Nator ...	Nator ...	Do. ...	Ditto ditto ...	11 4	9 0	7 8	9 4
Dinajpur.	Sadar ...	Railway Bazar Hât.	Do. ...	Last market day of every month.	12 0	7 3	8 4	9 2
	Thakurgaon ...	Lahirihat ...	Do. ...	.....	10 0	16 0	12 0	12 11
	Balurghat ...	Balurghat ...	Do. ...	.....	13 5	8 9	9 3	10 6
Jalpaiguri.	Alipur Duar ...	Alipur Duar ...	Do. ...	.....	7 12	8 0	7 12	7 13
	Sadar ...	Dinbazar ...	Do. ...	15th of every month ...	10 8	8 13	8 11	9 5

RAJSHAHI DIVISION—*concluded.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.	Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	Quantities per rupee in seers of 80 tolas, Company's weight.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th Sept. 1918.
					July.	August.	September.	
					S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.
Rangpur.	Subdivision—Sadar ...	Nawabganj Chaliamad, Rangpur.	Rice ...	Last Wednesday or Saturday, whichever may be next to the last day of every month.	10 2	8 3	7 11	8 11
	Nilphamari ...	Sagamacha ...	Do. ...	Last Wednesday or Sunday, whichever may be close to the 28th of every month.	11 0	10 0	8 8	9 13
	Kurigram ...	Kurigram ...	Do. ...	Last Saturday or Tuesday next to the 28th of every month.	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 11
	Gaibandha ...	Gaibandha Bazar	Do. ...	27th of every month ...	11 2	9 3	7 3	9 3
Bogra	District of Bogra	Kalitala Hât ...	Do. ...	Last Sunday of every month.	12 0	9 0	8 12	9 15
Pabna	Subdivision—Sadar ...	Pabna Bazar ...	Do. ...	15th of every month ...	10 0	9 12	11 0	10 4
	Sirajganj ...	Fariapati at Sirajganj.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	10 0	7 8	8 0	8 8
Malda	District of Malda	Bulia Nawabganj	Do. ...	Second Wednesday of every month.	12 4	11 4	9 8	11 0

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD POST OFFICE, MANBHUM.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

AN examination for first class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held on the 17th, 18th and 19th February 1919. An examination for second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency will be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th February 1919. Both examinations will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, " these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad Post Office, East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 17th January 1919.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD, *the 30th October 1918.*

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 42For.—The 16th December 1918.—Privilege leave for one day is granted to Mr. Jeston Homfray, Deputy Conservator of Forests, in extension of similar leave for six weeks granted to him in this office Notification No. 21For., dated the 10th August 1918.

Chittagong.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4850J.—Maulvi Fazlul Azim, substantively *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 13th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU SURESH CHANDRA NANDI, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kalna, Burdwan, is allowed privilege leave for six weeks, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1919.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU DILIP CHANDRA DHAR, Sub Deputy Collector, is posted to the Uluberia subdivision of the Howrah district.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI ALI ASGHAR, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Kalna subdivision of the Burdwan district.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 20th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 50M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the bye-election held on the 26th October 1918 in Ward No. IV of the Gobardanga Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, Babu Ramesh Chandra Banarji, B.A., was duly elected to be a Commissioner for that Ward in place of Babu Gyanada Prasanna Mukharji, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN, CALCUTTA, *the 13th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information that the 11th January 1919 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner of Ward No. C of the Ghatal Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, in the place of Babu Ram Tarak Bhunia, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 15th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 51M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday the 26th April 1919, is fixed as the date for holding the next general election of Commissioners of the Debhatta Municipality, in the district of Khulna, in place of those, who having been elected at the last general election of Commissioners held in November 1915, or subsequently thereto, in place of the Commissioners so elected, will complete their term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 54M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the North Dum-Dum Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, at the last general election of Commissioners held on the 9th November 1918 :—

No. of Ward	Name.
I	Babu Protap Chandra Pramanik. „ Panchanon Biswas. Munshi Amisuddin Ahmed.
II	Babu Upendra Nath Banerji, B.L. „ Brojendra Nath Mukharji. „ Kali Prosanno Banerji.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 55M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, at the bye-election held on the 26th October 1918, in Ward No. III of the Birnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, Babu Sankar Lal Chattarji was duly elected to be a Commissioner for that Ward in place of Babu Srish Chandra Ganguli, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA. *the 19th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 53M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the Panihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, at the general election of Commissioners held on the 9th November 1918 :—

No. of ward.		Name.
I	...	Rai Dr. Gopal Chandra Chatarji Bahadur, M.B.
II	...	Babu Jotindra Mohan Dutta, M.Sc., B L.
III	...	„ Kishori Mohan Banerjee, B.A.
IV	...	Dr. Bama Pada Sen, L.M.P.
V	...	Babu Surendra Nath Mukharji.
VI	...	„ Hari Das Sen.
VII	...	„ Kshetra Hari Chatarji.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 52M.—It is hereby notified, for general information ,that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, at the general election of Commissioners of the Municipality held on the 6th July 1918 and the 23rd November 1918 :—

No. of ward.		Name.
I	...	Babu Sidhi Nath Chatarji. „ Gauri Pada Nath.
II	...	„ Srish Chandra Roy.
III	..	The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Roy.
IV	...	Babu Jogendra Nath Mukharji.
V	...	„ Suresh Nath Pal.
VI	...	„ Jnanendra Nath Banerjee.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 56M.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that Saturday, the 25th January 1919, is fixed as the date for holding a by-election in Ward No. IV of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to elect a Commissioner for that Ward in place of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Gholam Quassim, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5004G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Akhaura Union Committee, in the Brahmanbaria Subdivision of the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Girija Nath Chakraborty.
2. „ Kamini Kumar Bhattacharjee.
3. „ Gobinda Lal Dutt.
4. „ Annada Chandra Deb.
5. Munshi Rehanuddin Ahmed.
6. Babu Jadu Nath Chakraborty.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG *the 12th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5063G.—Under section 43 of the Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), Babu Nishi Kanta Bose has been appointed a member of the Chaumuhani Union Committee, in the district of Noakhali, *vice* Babu Rajani Kanta Bhomik, resigned.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 14th December 1918*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 64L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, read with paragraph 2 of the Government Notification No. 1513L.S.-G., dated the 1st July 1918, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Tentulia Union Committee within the jurisdiction of thana Baduria in the Basirhat subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas :—

No. of Ward.		Name of member elected.
I	...	1. Babu Surya Kumar Banarji.
		2. „ Rajanikanta Bakshi.
II	...	3. „ Narendra Nath Chakrabarti.
		4. Mohamed Tasimuddin Mandal.
III	...	5. Babu Sarat Chandra Ghose.
IV	...	6. Munshi Madan Sheik.

2. In exercise of the power conferred on me by paragraph 2 of the above-quoted Government notification issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the aforesaid Union Committee :—

1. Babu Gopal Chandra Chaudhuri.
2. Munshi Rupchand Mandal.
3. Babu Lakshan Chandra Mandal.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th December 1918.*

ERRATUM.

IN this office notification of the 27th November 1918 regarding the election of members of the Gonpur Union Committee, in the district of Birbhum, published at page 1712, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th instant *for* "Gaurpar" in the second line of the notification *read* "Gonpur".

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 15th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 63L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Managing Committee of the Sagardighi Charitable Dispensary, in the district of Murshidabad :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Lalbagh ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Civil Surgeon of Murshidabad ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. The Officer-in-charge of the Sagardighi police-station ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. Babu Pramatha Nath Banarji.
5. „ Rasaraj Debnath.
6. „ Surendra Narayan Sinha.
7. Shaikh Rahim Bux.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 16th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5146G.—X-34.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Rules for the Management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Chunta, in the district of Tippera :—

1. Babu Harish Chandra Sen.
2. „ Protap Chandra Sen.
3. „ Mohesh Chandra Deb.
4. Munshi Isha Mia of Burishwar.
5. Babu Peari Charan Gupta.
6. „ Sudarshan Bhattacharjee.
7. „ Aghore Chandra Sen.
8. Pundit Purnananda Bidyaratna.
9. Babu Rajani Kanta Deb.
10. „ Ambika Charan Sen.
11. „ Abinash Chandra Sen.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 20th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 62L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I do hereby sanction, under section 6, clause (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act I (B.C.) of 1885, the establishment of a ferry over Faridpur *Danra* on the 8th mile of Bhaduriapara-Damadipara Road No. 33, in the district of Murshidabad, and declare it to be a public ferry under clause (*a*) of the said section.

In exercise of the power conferred on me by Government Notification No. 217 L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, I also direct, under section 35 of the aforesaid Act, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Murshidabad and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund, with effect from the date of this notification.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 602P.W.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the power delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I do hereby direct, under section 6, clause (*f*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, that the following public ferries within the jurisdiction of Mahiganj Thana in the district of Rangpur, be discontinued :—

1. Pabna Ferry	...	Situated where the Sarai-Bhutsara road under the Sarai Union Committee under the Rangpur District Board crosses the Manash River.
2. Khora Ferry	...	Situated where the Mahiganj-Dhubri road, (being road No. 10 on the schedule of public works under the District Board of Rangpur for the year 1917-18) crosses the Manash River.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 18th December 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 15161.—The 16th December 1918.—In modification of the previous orders as contained in Notification No. 1174R., dated the 1st August 1916, so far as it relates to the appointment of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Hamayet Uddin Ahmad, Secretary, Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Limited, as liquidator of the Dakhin Satikhola Dehati Baitulmal (registered No. 32 of 1911-12), in the district of Bakarganj, I appoint Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Barisal Circle, instead, as liquidator for the said Society.

No. 15183.—The 16th December 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Dariapur Gramya Dharma Bhandar, No. I (registered No. 29 of 1909), in the district of Pabna, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, South Pabna Circle, to be liquidator of the said Society.

No. 15320.—The 18th December 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Mirjar Char Moslem Bank, No. I (registered No. 123 of 1911), in the district of Dacca, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that the Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Dacca Circle, to be liquidator of the said Society.

No. 15463.—The 20th December 1918.—Whereas I am of opinion, as the result of an enquiry held into the constitution, working and financial condition of the Deoghar Co-operative Bank (registered No. 349 of 1914), in the district of Mymensingh, under sub-section (*1*) of section 35 of the Co-operative Societies Act, II of 1912, that tha Society ought to be dissolved.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 39 of the same Act, I hereby cancel the registration of the said Society.

And further, in exercise of power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the same Act, I hereby appoint the Inspector of Co-operative Societies, Mymensingh-Kishoreganj Circle to be Liquidator of the said Society.

No. 15192.—The 17th December 1918.—The accompanying Finance Statements of Provincial and Central Co-operative Banks in the Presidency of Bengal, for the quarter ending the 30th September 1918 are published for general information.

J. T. DONOVAN,

Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

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Name of Bank.	LIABILITIES AND QUASI-LIABILITIES.											
	OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.				WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.							
	Deposits, fixed, current or savings bank by non-members or by members in an individual capacity.	Debentures.	Overdrafts from outside banks, *e.g.*, Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items.	Fixed deposits or loans received from societies or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Drawn portion of cash credit with Provincial Bank.	Savings bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of bank itself.	Paid-up share capital.	Other items.	Undrawn liabilities, *e.g.*, cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies, and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies.	
											To cover deposits.	For loans transaction.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
I.—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bengal Provincial Co-operative Federation, Ld.	14,33,736	...	56,162	...	39,900	...	1,25,631	...	1,23,125	8,230	...	...
II.—CENTRAL BANKS.												
District Birbhum.												
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	69,838	...	...	...	1,16,082	...	...	2,047	33,230	2,682	...	...
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	12,200	...	...	...	63	...	...	...	8,480	...	...	...
District Midnapore.												
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,07,856	...	...	172	7,585	...	...	4,300	27,560	22,995	...	...
Khelar-Balarampur Union, Ld.	29,708	...	...	...	15,005	...	...	2,180	7,930	4,698	...	...
Belebera Union Bank, Ld.	5,227	...	...	152	36,122	...	...	2,480	9,690	7,370	...	...
District Burdwan.												
Burdwan Central Co-operative Bank, Ld ...	1,000	...	...	...	453	...	...	287	26,665	...	...	...
District Howrah												
Howrah Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
District Bankura.												
Bankura District Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld.	2,000	...	...	7,195	...	...	...	...	2,500	...	...	...
District 24-Parganas.												
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	97,285	...	11,804	237	3,244	...	13	6,691	15,860	15,330	...	...
District Nadia.												
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,00,813	...	...	...	1,046	...	...	8,100	24,970	1,073	...	...
Kustia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld ...	28,558	...	...	...	24,330	...	...	277	6,346	...	...	...
District Jessore.												
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,02,995	...	1,034	66	8,200	...	...	3,025	22,585	3,314	...	...
District Khulna.												
Baruli Union and Central Bank, Ld. ...	38,898	...	...	...	9,300	...	368	4,510	6,510	7,581	...	
Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	22,325	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	11,695	28	...	...
Nagerhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	500	...	...	350	...	...	...	...	1,020	...	...	...
District Murshidabad.												
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	62,276	...	...	...	10,000	...	206	1,756	11,875	232	...	...
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,08,434	...	...	304	66	...	...	1,800	20,005	3,199	...	...
District Dacca												
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,92,001	...	...	...	30,184	...	...	10,702	58,470	13,698	...	...
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	30,075	...	...	...	4,000	...	...	642	11,800	...	...	...
District Mymensingh.												
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,47,716	...	...	..	935	...	95	3,291	24,175	9,762	...	...
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,48,973	...	33,220	...	25,178	...	2,634	15,050	28,560	76,238	...	...
Bajitpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.† ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	87,630	...	...	...	20,005	...	...	2,357	13,100	8,267	..	...
Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	9,705	...	...	...	3,381	...	...	100	4,240	...	...	...
District Faridpur.												
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,84,790	18,650	...	1,161	35,742	...	447	21,000	80,545	12,647	...	...
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,41,155	...	...	...	1,00,837	...	707	21,686	56,445	47,411	...	...
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,18,719	...	...	...	1,09,607	...	...	4,739	26,300	10,014	...	...
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,33,167	...	4,518	...	...	...	...	2,606	35,600	4,086	...	...

* Figures not received.

† Under amalgamation with the Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.

BANKS.

FINANCE STATEMENTS.

I.

ASSETS AND QUASI-ASSETS.															
OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.						WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.							RATES OF INTEREST ON WHICH MONEY IS USUALLY—		
Cash in hand and in outside banks.	Government paper.	Post Office Savings Bank deposits.	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.	Undrawn balance of assured cash credits.		Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to Non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Banks.	Loans and deposits due to Provincial by Central Banks.	Uncalled share capital.	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year.	Borrowed.	Lent.	Last dividend declared.
				With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank.	With Provincial Bank.										
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
2,219	1,16,100	...	...	2,43,838	...	1,90,389	27,000	...	14,83,647	1,23,125	...	...	5½ to 7	7½	...
677	1,200	1,966	...	...	...	1,90,134	6,224	...	...	...	...	3,694	6; 6½; 7; 7½; and 8.	10	...*
8	...	366	...	...	...	18,582	1,270	...	...	25,190	171	14	6	9½	...
434	22,518	2,239	...	...	...	94,044	2,509	43,944	...	41,340	700	3,135	5 to 7½	7½ and 9½.	7½
1,473	...	4	...	...	...	47,160	1,916	...	...	...	7,736	120	4 to 7½	9½	...
245	...	...	...	...	...	52,974	...	...	...	...	7 682	1,483	6½ to 7½	9½	9½
1,198	...	737	...	...	...	26,150	...	...	...	6,160	...	744	6 to 7	9½	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1,381	...	650	...	...	...	...	978	...	...	8,060	8,772	...	6	9½	...
949	14,583	141	5,255	38,196	...	1,27,931	...	...	...	...	855	5,686	6 to 8	10½	12½
19,652	6,580	12,980	...	...	...	1,82,583	...	10,000	...	40,060	9,535	4,478	4½ to 7½	10½	12½
5,305	46	41	...	...	...	80,011	1,084	...	...	10,174	...	776	6½ to 7½	10½	9½
5,988	503	3,765	1,730	8,966	...	1,24,328	7,220	...	...	22,625	347	5,354	6½ to 7½	11	8
2,095	4,000	3,879	...	...	...	52,942	2,071	...	...	...	985	1,370	3 to 7½	10½	6½
152	...	1,009	25	...	...	31,826	250	...	...	13,955	24	109	6 to 7½	10½	...
596	...	...	...	...	...	1,250	...	...	...	7,980	...	...	6½ to 7½	10½	...
1,316	503	9,057	...	...	...	63,408	7,398	...	...	29,075	10	2,544	3½ to 7½	10½	10½
5,781	3,909	6,483	...	...	...	11,679	506	5,000	...	33,045	200	3,845	6 to 7½	9½ to 10½.	10
15 429	...	...	...	...	...	2,14,481	...	45,000	...	...	2,775	8,181	6 to 7½	6 to 12½	7½
2,226	100	10,000	...	...	...	13,375	564	...	...	11,890	21,500	1,139	6 to 7½	10	6½
6	5,825	18,745	...	...	...	1,39,856	...	20,000	...	24,025	...	6,918	5½ to 7½	10½	6½
25,083	55,175	568	...	16,780	...	2,12,497	18,400	...	...	28,360	485	5,824	6½ to 7½	10½	12½
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15,354	4,937	26,909	...	...	...	87,439	...	...	...	13,100	...	3,979	6 to 8	9½ to 11½.	10
2,137	...	79	...	...	...	13,564	1,300	...	...	22,160	...	321	6 to 7½	10½	...
57,189	23,000	16,276	3,271	...	...	3,73,719	10,411	57,150	...	80,545	4,155	7,390	3½ to 7½	10½ to 15.	...
24,563	40,000	1,716	...	...	...	3,77,040	6,000	...	...	56,445	10,978	13,242	3½ to 7½	11½ to 12.	6
23,627	...	93	...	...	...	2,27,443	1,296	5,000	...	40,820	10,760	6,189	6 to 7½	10½	7½
6,797	...	4,310	...	20,482	...	1,44,359	...	7,450	...	35,800	...	3,545	3½ to 7½	10½	7

* Transferred to Building Fund.

Name of Bank.	LIABILITIES AND QUASI-LIABILITIES.											
	OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.				WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.						Undrawn liabilities, *e.g.*, cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Bank to Central Banks or to Societies, and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies.	
	Deposits, fixed, current or savings bank, by non-members or by members in an individual capacity.	Debentures.	Overdrafts from outside banks, *e.g.*, Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items.	Fixed deposits or loans received from Societies or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Drawn portion of cash credit with Provincial Bank.	Savings bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of bank itself.	Paid-up share capital.	Other items.	To cover deposits.	For loans transaction.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Bakarganj.												
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,12,615	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,872	44,665	217	...	...
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	6,600	...	...	...	3,500	...	...	...	1,580	...	...	...
District Chittagong.												
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	42,380	...	...	...	52,000	...	...	1,250	13,600	...	...	...
District Noakhali.												
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	79,028	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,800	12,760	5,073	...	...
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,740	...	...	...	24,000	...	...	268	3,925	...	...	...
District Tippera.												
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,78,389	...	...	1,665	372	...	5,639	14,631	59,685	15,590	...	...
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	76,585	...	...	...	33,100	...	...	2,600	21,675	4,184	...	...
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,07,949	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,000	33,195	9,458	...	...
District Rajshahi.												
Natore Central Co-operative Bank Ld. ...	40,000	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	3,595	155	...	...
Rajshahi Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	20,000	...	...	...	4,325	...	...	...
Naogaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	23,550	...	...	...	3,062	...	...	...
District Rangpur.												
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	61,712	...	...	218	57,583	...	...	4,811	23,550	28,608	...	...
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	13,400	...	...	...	12 000	...	...	221	6,550	347	...	...
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	39,251	...	...	...	36,476	...	...	276	17,518	1,162	...	...
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	46,265	...	...	...	69,535	...	...	405	13,335	1,181	...	...
District Bogra.												
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1 64,507	...	...	...	72,600	...	...	976	17,630	2,211	...	...
District Pabna.												
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	8,23,320	...	63,432	...	7,000	...	1,889	21,000	1,01,854	52,003	8,800	...
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	28,900	...	...	...	7,116	...	...	1,261	9,995	594	...	...
Serajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld ...	9,329	...	...	...	48,000	...	...	780	6,032	...	...	...
District Dinajpur.												
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	17,390	...	...	...	16,000	...	...	1,586	13,255	...	...	...
District Darjeeling.												
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	24,982	...	...	...	28,156	...	...	669	12,881	...	...	...
Kalimpong Central Union Bank, Ld. ...	90,783	...	...	...	1,40,883	...	...	12,305	35,330	10,933	...	...
District Jalpaiguri												
Jalpaiguri Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	400	...	...	...
District Malda.												
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ld ...	14,712	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,934	...	...	...
TOTAL CENTRAL BANKS	43,47,741	18,650	1,14,006	14,333	12,13,080	...	12,188	1,90,435	10,39,657	8,62,281	8,800	...
TOTAL PROVINCIAL AND CENTRAL BANKS	57,71,477	18,650	1,70,170	14,333	13,52,980	...	1,75,633	1,90,335	11,62,782	3,90,511	8,800	...
TOTAL PREVIOUS QUARTER ...	56,89,185	18,650	2,01,460	2,251	7,35,460	...	53 638	1,75,989	10,03 084	3,77,282	7,700	...

ASSETS AND QUASI-ASSETS.

OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.						WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.							RATES OF INTEREST ON WHICH MONEY IS USUALLY—		
Cash in hand and in outside banks.	Government paper.	Post Office Savings Bank deposits.	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.	Undrawn balance of assured cash credits.		Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to Non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Banks.	Loans and deposits due to Provincial by Central Banks.	Uncalled share capital.	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year.	Borrowed.	Lent.	Last dividend declared.
				With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank.	With Provincial Bank.										
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
20,282	3,000	14,154	...	20,000	...	2,32,219	...	...	...	72,385	...	8,047	2 to 7½	8 ; 10½	10½
719	...	1,000	...	...	...	9,770	425	...	..	4,720	...	348	6 to 7½	12½	...
188	...	2,496	...	...	...	87,896	15,900	...	...	13,600	4,081	1,789	6½ to 7½	10½	9½
154	...	4,477	...	...	...	90,930	600	...	...	29,350	...	2,398	6½ to 8	10½	6½
1,528	...	1,110	...	...	...	28,210	...	...	...	9,925	2,000	934	7½	12½	...
6,620	12,530	27,957	...	...	...	2,12,231	...	...	...	50,685	644	5,158	3½ to 7½	10½	9½
25,846	...	15,642	...	...	...	91,345	...	20,000	...	21,675	...	3,472	6½ to 7½	10½	9½
5,013	8,041	26,732	...	...	...	1,96,617	1,323	...	...	43,580	...	5,345	4½ to 8	10½	7
511	...	603	...	...	...	61,375	...	...	...	8,700	...	...	6 to 7½	10½	...
553	...	6,500	...	...	...	17,100	...	...	...	21,925	...	56	6 to 7½	10½	...
609	...	...	...	...	...	23,172	...	...	...	8,288	...	2	7½	10	...
8,470	...	1	...	...	...	1,34,288	...	...	...	27,050	...	3,994	6 to 8	7½	...
755	...	709	...	...	...	38,684	...	...	...	12,380	...	462	7 to 7½	10½	3½
241	2,800	5	...	...	...	79,367	...	...	...	3,882	13,839	505	4½ to 7½	10½	7½
4,579	...	59	...	...	...	1,16,556	...	...	...	23,165	6,700	1,352	6 to 9	12	12½
61	2,396	15,330	1,395	...	...	1,34,874	300	...	...	17,630	...	2,202	6 to 7½	10½	12½
18,909	50,000	140	10,674	16,568	...	2,20,054	15,714	18,000	...	1,32,766	...	22,534	3½ to 8½	10½	12½
542	900	6,973	...	...	...	39,601	...	...	...	9,995	1,925	1,877	6½ to 7½	10½ to 12½	10½
9,782	...	237	...	...	...	31,590	...	...	...	9,908	...	1,036	5½ to 8	10½	9½
1,009	...	1	931	...	...	44,594	...	...	...	13,686	...	1,973	5 to 8	10½	...
217	775	...	...	...	...	48,441	13,695	...	...	12,870	...	1,489	6 to 7½	9½	7½
4,780	10,012	4,014	...	...	...	2,60,491	...	...	...	1,600	...	7,008	4½ to 7½	9½	9½
227	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
926	...	1,728	...	...	...	16,565	...	2,800	...	24,156	...	401	4½ to 7½	10½	..
3,32,193	3,73,973	2,50,660	23,381	1,20,992	...	56,80,497	1,17,254	2,37,344	...	11,42 619	1,16 799	1,62,460	...	...	...
3,34,412	3,88,973	2,50,660	23,381	3,64,830	...	58,70,856	1,44,254	2,37,344	14,83,647	12,65,744	1,16,799	1,62,460	...	..	...
2,11,608	3,42,353	1,75,445	50,077	1 21,560	...	61,34,484	1,39.364	1,69,353	11,41,520	10,61,246	78,012	1,40.904	...	...	...

Part II.

Name of Bank.	DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I						REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES.		
			OTHER DEPOSITS AND DEBENTURES FALLING DUE—				ESTIMATED—		
	On current or Savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I.—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bengal Provincial Co-operative Federation, Ld. ...	...	...	2,39,562	2,53,377	2,85,316	6,45,481	7,54,895	2,05,192	1,30,311
II.—CENTRAL BANKS.									
District Birbhum.									
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	27,133	25,150	15,545	2,000	1,86,132	10,230	1,27,726
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	12,200	...	...	...	14,277	5,575	4,504
District Midnapore.									
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	65,889	2,110	18,695	15,162	...	76,229	34,648	34,268
Khelar Balarampur Union, Ld.	...	7	19,082	200	200	10,219	35,524	7,325	7,696
Belebera Union Bank, Ld. ...	...	5,237	...	...	...	...	12,565	12,565	5,361
District Burdwan.									
Burdwan Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	10,675	10,075	5,250
District Howrah.									
Howrah Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.*	...	. .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
District Bankura.									
Bankura District Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld. ...	...	...	2,000	...	...	...	978	...	...
District 24-Parganas.									
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	46	...	48,626	19,230	3,580	25,803	1,06,665	17,850	16,422
District Nadia.									
Nadia Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	....	...	44,703	96,754	41,365	17,991	1,28,420	28,131	28,784
Kustia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	...	...	3,324	16,281	9,053	...	10,000	15,000	12,395
District Jessore.									
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	8,210	33,850	1,000	59,935	89,607	37,654	21,765
District Khulna.									
Baruli Union and Central Bank, Ld.	10	...	1,600	25,288	12,000	...	37,825	13,138	10,923
Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	8,746	2,564	6,000	5,015	17,571	13,435	4,866
Bagerhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	...	...	500	425	575	...
District Murshidabad.									
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	8,065	...	23,950	13,158	7,578	9,525	36,899	27,000	2,482
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ..	...	861	18,336	51,330	31,078	6,829	56,685	27,925	41,203

* Figures not received.

Name of Bank	DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I.						REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES.		
			OTHER DEPOSITS AND DEBENTURES FALLING DUE—				ESTIMATED—		Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter.
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—*contd.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs
District Dacca									
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	11,284	...	52,224	59,128	43,310	26,055	1,50,909	96,129	88,561
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	6,950	10,200	10,475	2,450	12,539	1,000	40,324
District Mymensingh.									
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	62,901	39,399	34,500	10,916	45,858	39,876	15,491
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	72	...	11,466	1,210	350	1,35,875	1,12,292	54,394	45,811
Bajitpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	9,500	...	3,720	36,360	...	38,040	50,991	36,448	27,753
Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld ...	...	...	3,880	5,825	...	...	9,063	4,333	5,433
District Faridpur.									
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	71,416	...	88,814	6,999	90,183	46,028	2,18,995	46,321	71,990
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	17,172	...	95,065	1,06,448	13,430	9,000	2,58,333	98,001	39,246
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,985	...	17,007	26,283	40,076	32,368	40,000	35,000	48,768
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	37,987	...	23,130	3,500	3,756	54,794	1,34,290	9,969	14,275
District Bakarganj.									
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	6,191	5,738	53,266	47,618	8,713	91,089	1,00,000	1,15,000	44,471
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	5,600	...	1,000	...	5,000	3,000	2,111
District Chittagong.									
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	20,680	7,700	13,500	500	45,635	36,712	35,544
District Noakhali.									
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	103	29,300	17,946	32,279	40,768	20,000	4,828
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	1,490	250	...	...	13,550	4,772	6,736
District Tippera.									
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	28,264	...	64,380	49,261	22,556	13,928	60,300	40,000	33,002
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	44,279	2,120	23,527	6,659	45,000	50,000	46,712
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	410	125	60,819	31,240	69,023	46,332	69,343	69,306	48,667

* Under amalgamation with the Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd

Name of Bank.	DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I.						REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES.		
			OTHER DEPOSITS AND DEBENTURES FALLING DUE—				ESTIMATED—		Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter.
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Rajshahi.									
Natore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	12 000	3,000	11,500	13,500	19,200	18,575	14,404
Rajshahi Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,338	6,354	...
Naogaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,822	6,350	827
District Rangpur.									
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Banking Union Ld. ...	...	...	1,300	5,500	6,000	48,912	40,000	38,000	5,734
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	6,400	5,000	...	2,000	9,839	5,470	1,236
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	10,629	...	8,697	2,000	300	17,624	31,614	29,387	15,579
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	24,404	14,565	3,953	3,343	74,698	37,600	30,278
District Bogra.									
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	172	...	7,048	10,784	29,823	16,680	1,10,638	22,332	20,118
District Pabna.									
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,86,146	...	2,13,685	93,391	83,034	2,47,064	1,48,026	98,887	18,072
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld ...	...	...	6,880	5,177	11,543	5,300	15,517	15,467	16,228
Serajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	85	6,999	70	1,050	1,125	42,400	21,995	42,672
District Dinajpur.									
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	300	5,900	1,000	1,190	39,504	4,490	10,269
District Darjeeling.									
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld. ...	...	...	9,452	...	7,500	8,000	8,400	4,400	6,050
Kalimpong Central Union Bank, Ld. ...	15,288	...	42,576	2,368	17,075	12,776	45,000	48,000	32,124
District Jalpaiguri.									
Jalpaiguri Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
District Malda.									
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	2,050	4,150	8,512	...	10,441	8,417	4,707
TOTAL CENTRAL BANKS ...	4,06,337	77,942	11,77,585	9,17,246	7,16,596	10,70,685	28,50,780	13,82,111	11,61,568
TOTAL PROVINCIAL AND CENTRAL BANKS ...	4,06,337	77,942	14,17,147	11,70,623	10,01,912	17,16,166	36,05,675	15,87,303	12,91,877

Part III.

Name of Bank.	PORTION OF DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I FALLING DUE IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (4TH COLUMN OF PART II).				REPAYMENTS OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES ESTIMATED IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (COLUMN 8 OF PART II).			
	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
I.—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bengal Provincial Co-operative Federation, Ld. ...	20,031	57,531	1,50,576	31,424	26,543	83,731	5,75,197	69,424
II.—CENTRAL BANKS.								
District Birbhum.								
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	3,220	4,013	18,286	6,614	26,816	1,59,076	120	120
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	9,000	1,200	2,000	...	2,184	3,837	8,256	...
District Midnapore.								
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	2,110	...	13,295	4,525	58,409	...
Khelar-Balarampur Union, Ld.	...	...	9,382	9,700	21,688	4,876	7,210	1,750
Belebera Union Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	265	8,800	2,500	1,000
District Burdwan.								
Burdwan Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	150	5,975	4,550	...
District Howrah.								
Howrah Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. *	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
District Bankura.								
Bankura District Co-operative Industrial Union, Ld. ...	...	...	...	2,090	978	...	...	...
District 24-Parganas.								
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	15,774	4,913	21,839	6,100	84,720	19,045	2,900	...
District Nadia.								
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	7,255	8,943	24,905	3,600	1,02,344	19,535	5,339	1,202
Kustia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	854	1,950	520	...	2,000	500	6,000	1,500
District Jessore.								
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	7,050	...	...	1,160	67,672	11,224	10,711	...
District Khulna.								
Raruli Union and Central Bank, Ld.	...	...	1,525	75	18,032	4,295	15,498	...
Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	2,500	6,246	100	8,232	9,139	100
Bagerhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	125
District Murshidabad.								
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,232	16,552	2,800	366	7,423	18,470	6,636	4,370
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	7,580	1,450	3,700	5,606	14,844	14,338	25,442	2,061

* Figures not received

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	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—*contd.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Dacca.								
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	4,890	25,220	22,114	...	80,882	33,893	9,135	26,999
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	2,450	2,000	2,500	8,000	4,000	539	...
District Mymensingh.								
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	10,968	8,930	30,002	13,001	38,243	7,615	...	...
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,900	4,025	3,241	2,300	1,11,092	1,200	...	...
Bajitpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	3,720	...	...	...	50,385	606	...	...
Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	2,365	1,515	...	...	9,063	...	...	...
District Faridpur.								
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	77,874	3,863	2,055	5,022	1,43,392	7,633	...	67,970
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	7,343	75,192	9,328	3,202	1,15,000	42,797	50 000	50,536
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	80	900	27	16,000	7,000	12,000	1,000	20,000
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	4,131	2,050	6,300	10,649	1,22,135	255	...	11,900
District Bakarganj.								
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	19,538	21,400	7,622	4,706	2,000	40,000	50,000	8,000
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	..	...	5,600	...	2,000	3,000	...
District Chittagong.								
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	4,615	2,415	6,100	7,550	12,275	12,570	12,505	8,285
District Noakhali.								
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	103	3,327	5,571	17,957	13,913
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	225	425	849	7,258	8,790	2,352	150
District Tippera.								
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank Ld. ...	7,023	3,000	4,205	50,152	10,400	30,400	1,500	18,000
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	19,959	11,928	6,888	5,504	10,000	5,000	5 0	29,500
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	16,758	18,104	25,957	55,475	13,268	...	...

* Under amalgamation with the Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.

Name of Bank.	Portion of deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I falling due in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter (4th column of Part II).				Repayments of loans by societies estimated in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter (column 8 of Part II).			
	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
II.—Central Banks—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Rajshahi.								
Natore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	500	4,000	7,500	...	4,050	9,400	5,350	400
Rajshahi Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	772	2,974	1,592	...
Naogaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	400	1,672	13,350	1,400
District Rangpur.								
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	600	700	...	...	40,000	...	...	...
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ..	...	3,400	3,000	...	2,005	4,010	1,820	2,004
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,726	1,600	2,071	3,300	28,164	...	3,450	...
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	7,350	7,466	8,316	1,272	31,723	4,695	2,575	35,705
District Bogra.								
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	3,906	2,475	650	17	25,000	21,684	...	63,954
District Pabna.								
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	27,445	41,467	87,348	57,425	1,33,184	7,640	3,702	3,500
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,115	1,200	1,511	3,054	13,682	1,835	...	...
Sirajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	1,000	925	1,000	4,074	41,095	805	...	500
District Dinajpur.								
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	100	...	200	...	18,387	20,117	...	1,000
District Darjeeling.								
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld. ...	1,252	1,200	800	6,200	1,000	3,050	3,000	1,350
Kalimpong Central Union Bank, Ld. ...	19,099	2,050	9,927	11,500	17,000	11,000	7,000	10,000
District Jalpaiguri.								
Jalpaiguri Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
District Malda.								
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ld. ...	...	1,000	450	600	4,795	2,490	3,031	125
Total Central Banks ...	2,83,464	2,86,375	3,25,751	2,81,995	15,09,695	5,97,298	3,56,368	3,87,419
Total Provincial and Central Banks.	3,03,495	3,43,906	4,56,327	3,13,419	15,36,238	6,81,029	9,31,565	4,56,843

J. T. Donovan,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

Statement showing the quantity of Salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of December 1918, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th November 1918.

Description of Salt.	In Bulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH DECEMBER 1918, INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	246,194	...	246,194	67,300	...	...	5,000
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	89,920	...	89,920	19,250	...	...	1,500
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	378,092	...	378,092	203,918	...	...	244,948
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	145,207	...	145,207	93,920	56,240	12,900	86,352
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	20,200	...	20,200	59,000	60,809	8,100	70,088
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	1,301	...	1,301	...	...	...	1,100
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	880,914	...	880,914	443 388	116.549	21,000	408,988

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Bulkea golas	4,318
Abandoned and destroyed	Nil

P. N. CHANDAVAKAR,

Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports,

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE. *the 23rd December 1918.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 26Exc.—The 16th December 1918.—Babu Sripati Mohan Gupta, Inspector of Excise and Salt, in charge of Asansol Distillery, in the district of Burdwan, is transferred to Calcutta.

No. 27Exc.—The 18th December 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdullah, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Midnapore, is posted to Bankura, on the expiry of his leave.

No. 28Exc.—The 23rd December 1918.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdullah, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Midnapore, and under orders of transfer to Bankura, is allowed extension of leave for eighteen days, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave already granted to him in this office Notification No. 20Exc., dated the 24th September 1918.

S. C. MUKERJEE,
Commr. of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 14th December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 13th December 1918.

No. 67—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*6*) of section 63 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 6), the Governor-General in Council has, with the approval of the Secretary of State for India in Council, made the following amendment in the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor-General of India, published under Notification No. 61 of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, dated 14th November 1912, as amended by the like Notifications Nos. 3, 32 and 46, dated respectively, the 24th January 1914, the 14th August 1914, and the 20th August 1915, namely :—

In the second proviso to clause (*l*) of Regulation X of the said Regulations for the words "six months" the words "one year" shall be substituted.

H M. SMITH,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 14th December 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Delhi, the 13th December 1918.

No. 498C.—The services of Major O. St. John Moses, M.D., F.R.C.S.E., I.M.S., are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 11th September 1918.

POLICE.

The 11th December 1918.

No. 444-C.—Mr. G. C. Denham, C.I.E., O.B.E., on special duty, is appointed to officiate until further orders as Deputy Director, Central Intelligence, with effect from the 2nd December 1918.

This cancels the Home Department Notification No. 1081, dated the 17th October 1918.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 14th December 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

AGRICULTURE.

Delhi, the 9th December 1918.

No. 84C.—Mr. M. M. S. Gubbay, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., is appointed Foodstuffs Commissioner with the Government of India and Joint Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st November 1918

No. 86C.—In modification of the Department of Revenue and Agriculture Notification No. 1032, dated the 14th October 1918 Mr. J. Hullah, I.C.S., is appointed Deputy Foodstuffs Commissioner with the Government of India and Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, with effect from the afternoon of the 14th October 1918.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 14th December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 9th December 1918.

No. 3176Est. A.—The privilege leave granted to the Hon'ble Sir John Wood, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., Political Secretary to the Government of India, in Notification No. 1960-Est. A., dated the 5th September 1918, is extended by one day.

DENYS BRAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 14th December 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

Delhi, the 14th December 1918.

No. 793D.—The following War Trade Department list, dated the 21st October 1918, of goods the export of which from the United Kingdom is prohibited or restricted, is published for general information :—

WAR TRADE DEPARTMENT,
4, CENTRAL BUILDINGS,
WESTMINSTER, S. W. 1,
21st October 1918.

List of goods the export of which is prohibited by the Royal Proclamation of the 10th May 1917, as amended by Orders of Council of the 22nd June 1917, the 13th July 1917, the 14th August 1917, the 28th August 1917, the 18th October 1917, the 27th November 1917, the 18th December 1917, the 22nd January 1918, the 8th February 1918, the 26th February 1918, the 8th March 1918, the 12th April 1918, the 25th April 1918, the 14th May 1918, the 11th June 1918, the 2nd July 1918, the 30th July 1918, the 6th August 1918, the 27th August 1918, the 1st October 1918, and the 15th October 1918, to be exported from the United Kingdom to the following destinations, viz :—

Goods marked (A) to all Destinations ;

Goods marked (B) to All Ports and Destinations Abroad other than Ports and Destinations in British Possessions and Protectorates ;

The dates appended to various prohibitions are those of Orders of Council imposing or amending those prohibitions since the Royal Proclamation of 10th May 1916. Where no date appears it may be assumed that the prohibition stands as it did on the 10th May 1916.

List C.—By order of Council, dated the 1st October 1918, All Goods [other than (1) printed matter and (2) personal effects accompanied by their owners] are prohibited from export to All Destinations in European and Asiatic Russia and in other Foreign Countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean, except France and French Possessions, Italy and Italian Possessions, and Portugal, and to all Ports in any such Foreign Countries. [As regards (1) it should be noted that certain forms of printed matter are prohibited under the prohibition on (B) Paper, etc., page 17. *See also* page 29, for further information regarding exports to neutral Europe.]

Orders of Council issued subsequently to the date of this list are published in the "*Board of Trade Journal*," which may be obtained either directly or through any bookseller from the undermentioned branches of H. M. Stationery Office :—

London : Imperial House, Kingsway, W. C. 2 ;
Cardiff : 1, St. Andrew's Crescent ;
Manchester : 37, Peter Street ;
Edinburgh : 23, Forth Street ;

or from Messrs. E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 115, Grafton Street, Dublin.

The attention of exporters is drawn to the fact that various articles marked B may, in view of the percentage of copper contained in them, be subject to the Copper Prohibition (List A). (*See* "Copper.")

Application must therefore be made to the War Trade Department for licences to export goods which fall within the aforementioned copper prohibition on account of the quantity of copper contained therein. Such applications should always indicate clearly the actual quantity of copper and/or copper alloys the goods contain.

This list cancels all similar lists issued by the War Trade Department prior to 21st October 1918.

A

Abrasives, artificial, see Emery.
(B) Accoutrements, not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17.
(A) Acetanilide, 11-6-18.
(A) Acetates, all metallic.
(A) Acetic acid.
(A) Acetic anhydride, 19-2-17.
(A) Aceto-celluloses.
(A) Acetones and their compounds and preparations, 7-6-16.
(A) Acetylsalicylic acid (aspirin) and its preparations.
(A) Aconite root, 11-6-18.
(A) Acriflavine, proflavine and other acredine derivatives having antiseptic or therapeutic properties, and mixtures or preparation containing any of those substances, 18-10-17.
Adzes, see Tools, see also Handles.
(A) Aerated and Mineral Waters, 1-5-17.
(A) Aeroplane dope.
(A) Aeroplane engines and their component parts.
Agricultural machinery, see Machinery.
(A) Agar agar, 23-10-16, 15-10-18.
(A) Aircraft of all kinds and their component parts, together with accessories and articles suitable for use in connection with aircraft.
Aircraft, Steel stampings suitable for, see Steel.
Ajowan seeds, see Seeds.
(A) Albumen, 8-9-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Alcohol, absolute.
(A) Alcohol, ethylic, mixtures and preparations containing (not otherwise prohibited), 14-8-17.
(A) Alcohol methylic, and its esters, 15-1-17.
Ale, see Beer.
(B) Algin and its compounds, 12-12-16, 1-5-17, 22-1-18.
Alkaline bromides, see Bromine.
Alkaline tartrates, see Tartaric Acid.
(A) Aloes, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
Alumina, see Phosphate Rock.
(A) Aluminium, alloys of aluminium and manufactures of aluminium, or of its alloys, 18-10-17.
(A) Aluminium nitrate.
(B) Aluminium, oxides of, and mixtures containing aluminium oxides.
(A) Aluminium powder.
(B) Aluminium sulphate.
(B) Alumino-ferric.
Alundum, see Emery.
(B) Alunite.
(A) Ambergris, 8-2-18.
(A) American cotton ties, varnished or blacked, 28-7-16.
(A) Amidol and mixtures containing amidol.
(B) Amidopyrine, 10-5-17.
(A) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound, and mixtures containing such salts, 19-1-17, 22-1-18, 6-8-18.
(A) Amyl acetate and other amyl esters' 15-1-17.
Amyl alcohol, see Fusel Oil.
(A) Anchors, 30-3-17.
(A) Aneroids suitable for aircraft.
Animal fats, see Fats.
Animal hair, see Hair.
Animal hoofs, see Gluestock.
Animal oils, see Oils.
Animal waxes, see Waxes.
(A) Animals, living, for food, 12-12-16.
(A) Animals, pack, saddle and draught, suitable, or which may become suitable, for use in war, 8-1-15.
(A) Anthracene oil, and mixtures and preparations containing anthracene oil, 26-7-16, 2-2 17.
(A) Antimony and alloys of antimony, 15-10-18.
(A) Antimony, sulphides and oxides of, and mixtures containing sulphides and oxides of antimony, 11-6-18.
(A) Antipyrine (phenazone) and its preparations.
(A) Anti-tetanus serum.
(A) Anvils, 12-3-17, 27-11-17.
Apatites, see Phosphate Rock.
(A) Araroba or Goa powder, 27-11-17, 11-6-18.
(A) Areca or betel nuts, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Arecoline, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Armour plates, armour quality castings, and similar protective material.
(A) Arms, not being Firearms and their component parts.
(A) Arrowroot.
(B) Arsenical ore, 18-10-17.
(B) Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, and mixtures containing arsenic, 18-10-17.
Artificial teeth, see Dental.
(A) Asbestos and articles manufactured wholly or partly of asbestos, 27-11-17. Aspirin, see Acetylsalicylic Acid.
(A) Asphalt and articles containing asphalt, 22-6-17, 22-1-18, 26-2-18.
(A) Asphalt, coal tar, 25-5-16, 22-6-17, 22-1-18.
Augers, see Tools.
Awls, handles for, see Handles.
(A) Axes, 10-5-17, 27-11-17, see also Handles.
Axles, see Carts; Bicycles; Motor Vehicles; Railway Material; Wagons.

B

(A) Baggings, old.
(A) Bags and sacks made wholly or partly of jute other than such bags or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
Backery utensils, see Tinplate.
(A) Baking powder, 12-3-17.
Balata, see Rubber.
Ball bearings, see Bearings.
(A) Balsams, 12-4-18.
(A) Banana meal and banana flour and preparations containing banana meal and banana flour, 22-6-17.
Bandoliers, leather, see Leather Goods.
Banknotes, see Notes.

Barbed wire, see Wire.
(B) Barium peroxide, 30-3-17.
(A) Barium sulphate and mixtures containing barium sulphate, 11-6-18, 6-8-18.
Bark, see Cascarilla, Cinchona, Witch Hazel, Quercitron.
(A) Barley, barley meal and pearled and pot barley.
(A) Barographs, suitable for aircraft.
(A) Barometers and their component parts, 17-11-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Barrels and casks, wooden (other than such barrels or casks as contain goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as the containers of such goods), whether whole or in shooks, and their distinctive component parts, 12-12-16, 1-5-17, 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
(A) Basic slag, 23-10-16.
(A) Baskets and basket ware, 1-5-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Baudruche skin.
(B) Bauxite.
(A) Bayonets and their component parts.
(A) Beans of all kinds including haricots, 12-12-16, 27-11-17.
(A) Bean flour and meal.
Bearded needles, see Needles.
(A) Bearings, ball and roller and steel balls and rollers suitable for bearings, 15-8-16.
(B) Bedding (not including bedsteads and parts thereof), 1-5-17, 8-3-18.
(A) Bedsteads, metal, and metal frames for bedsteads, 12-4-18.
(A) Beer and ale, 1-5-17.
(A) Beeswax, 28-8-17.
Beet seed, see Seeds.
Belaying pins, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Belladonna and its preparations.
(A) Belladonna alkaloids, and their salts and preparations.
Bolt fasteners, see Fastings.
(A) Belting, cotton, including belting made with cotton duck impregnated with balata or with rubber, 14-5-18.
(B) Belting, woven hair, 8-3-18.
Belting, see also under Leather, Rubber, &c.
Belts, see Leather Goods.
Benzamine, see Eucaine Hydrochloride.
(A) Benzoic acid (synthetic and benzoates), 12-4-18.
(A) Benzol and its compounds and preparations.
Betel nuts, see Areca.
(A) Bicycles and their component parts except tyres, 14-8-17, 15-10-18.
(A) Binder twine, 23-10-16, 12-3-17.
(A) Binnacles, 30-3-17.
(A) Binoculars and their component parts, 10-5-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Bins, iron or steel, 12-4-18.
Biscuit meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Biscuits.
(A) Bismuth nitrate.
(A) Bitumen, liquid or solid, and articles containing bitumen, 10-5-17, 22-6-17, 22-1-18, 26-2-18.
(A) Bladders, 19-2-17, see also Fish Bladders.
(B) Blankets, manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair, 8-3-18.
(A) Bleaching powder, 8-9-16.
Blocks, wood and iron rigging, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Boats and craft, 10-5-17, 18-12-17.
(A) Bobbins and their component parts, 22-6-17.
(A) Boilers, including portable boilers and their component parts, 25-5-16, 14-5-18.
(A) Boiler tubes.
(A) Bolts, iron or steel, 13-7-17.
Bolts, see also Ships' rigging.
Bone ash, see Bones.
(A) Bone black, 15-1-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Bones (except fish bones) in any form and bone ash (see also fish bones, Whalebone).
(A) Boots and shoes with soles or uppers of leather, 8-7-16, 30-3-17.
Boots and shoes materials and tools used in the manufacture of the following, 8-9-16, 15-1-17, 19-2-17, 1-5-17, 22-6-17, 13-7-17.
(A) Boot and shoe grindery, including clog nails.
(A) Cutters, 2-7-18.
(A) Drivers, 2-7-18.
(A) Eyelets, 2-7-18.
(A) Groovers, 2-7-18.
(A) Hooks, 2-7-18.
(A) Lasts, 14-8-17.
(A) Shoemakers' machines and their component parts, 14-8-17.
(A) Shoemakers' tools, hand and machine, 14-8-17.
Boring cutters, see Tools.
(A) Bottles, metal, such as can be used for containing mercury, 1-5-17.
Bottles, metal, see Hollow-ware, Tinplate.
Bowls, see Tinplate.
Braces and bits, see Tools.
Braid, see Silk.
Bran, see Offals of Corn.
Brass, see Copper.
Braziers, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Bread.
Brewers' grains, see Grains.
Bricks, see Fireclay; Magnesite; Silica.
(A) Bristles, 26-6-16, 8-3-18, 2-7-18.
Broccoli seed, see Seeds.
(A) Bromine and alkaline bromides, 12-4-18.
Bronze, see Copper.
(A) Brooms and brushes, 1-5-17, 8-3-18, 2-7-18.
Brussels sprouts, seed, see Seeds.
(A) Buchu leaves, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Buckets, iron or steel, 12-4-18.
Buckles, see Castings.
(A) Buckwheat, 12-12-16.
Buffalo hides, see Hides.
Builders' ironmongery, see Castings.
Bullion, see Silver.

(A) Burettes and their component parts, 15-10-18.
(A) Butter.

C

Cabbage seed, see Seeds.
(A) Cables, chain.
(B) Cables, insulated.
Cables, see also Copper manufactures.
(B) Cadmium, alloys of cadmium and cadmium ore, 15-8-16.
(A) Caffeine and its salts, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Cakes and Meals (which may be used as forage or food for animals), the following :—

Biscuit meal.
Calf meal.
Cocoanut and poonac cake.
Compound cakes and meal.
Cotton seed cake and cotton seed meal.
Fish meal and concentrated fish.
Gluten meal or gluten feed.
Ground nut or earth nut cake and meal.
Hemp seed cake and meal.
Husk meal.
Linseed cake and meal.
Locust bean meal.
Maize germ meal.
Maize meal and flour.
Meat meal.
Palm nut cake and meal.
Poppy seed cake and meal.
Rape seed or colza seed cake and meal.
Sesame seed cake and meal.
Soya bean cake and meal.
Sunflower seed cake and meal.
Whale cake.
Whale meal.

(A) Cakes.
(A) Calabar beans, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Calcium carbide, 12-3-17.
Calf meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Calfskins.
(A) Calumba root, 11-6-18.
(A) Calves' stomachs, 25-5-16.
Cambrics, see Cotton.
(B) Camp equipment, military articles if not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17.
Camp kettles, see Kettles.
(B) Camphor, 1-5-17.
(A) Candles, 1-5-17, 8-2-18.
(A) Canes, unmounted, 14-5-18.
Cannabis Indica, see Indian hemp.
(A) Cannon and other ordnance, and their component parts.
Cans, see Hollow-ware, Tinplate.
(A) Cantharides, 12-4-18.
Canvas, cotton, see Cotton.
(A) Canvas cuttings.
Caoutchouc, see Rubber, also Gums.
(A) Capsicum, including oleo resin of capsicum, 2-7-18.
(A) Caramel, liquid or solid, 1-5-17.
(A) Carbolic acid and compounds thereof, and preparations containing carbolic acid.
(A) Carbon, Brazilian.
(A) Carbon, coke oven, 6-8-18.
(A) Carbon disulphide.
Carbon electrodes, see Electrodes.
(A) Carbon, gas, 19-2-17.
(A) Carbon, pitch, 6-8-18.
(B) Carbon, tetrachloride and its preparations.
(A) Carbons, suitable for searchlights.
Carbonyl chloride, see Phosgene.
Carborundum, see Emery.
(A) Card clothing, 1-5-17, 10-5-17.
Card pins, see Steel.
Cardboard, see Paper.
Carnauba wax, see Wax.
(B) Carpets and carpet rugs made wholly or partly of wool or hair, 8-3-18.
Carrot seed, see Seeds.
(A) Carriages and mountings for cannon and other ordnance and their component parts.
Carriages, see Railway.
(A) Cartridges, charges of all kinds, and their component parts, and tools, appurtenances and accessories for the filling and repair of rifle and shot gun cartridges, 8-2-18.
(B) Carts, two-wheeled, capable of carrying 1 cwt or over, and their component parts.
(A) Casein and preparations thereof, 17-11-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Cascara Sagrada and its preparations, 30-3-17, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Cascarilla bark, 12-4-18.
(A) Casings, 19-2-17.
Casks, see Barrels.
(A) Cassava powder.
(A) Cassia pods and pulp, 15-10-18.
(A) Castings, malleable, hæmatite iron, the following, 12-3-17, 14-8-17 :—

Belt fasteners.
Buckles.
Builders' ironmongery.
Chain fittings.
Coat and hat hangers.
Conduit fittings.
Furniture fittings.
Hinges.
Horse clippers.
Lamp fittings.
Pipe flanges.
Spurs.
Stove fittings.
Tramway fittings.

Castings, see Armour Plates and Shipbuilding material.
Cast iron guttering, etc., see Guttering.
Cast iron pipes, see Pipes.
(A) Catechu, 11-6-18.
Cattle foods, see Cakes and Meals.
Cattle foods, patent and proprietary, see Patent.
Cattle hides, see Hides.
Cauliflower seed, see Seeds.
Caustic potash, see Potash.
Caustic magnesite, see Magnesite.
Caustic soda, see Soda.
Cedar-wood, oil of, see Oils.
Cellary seed, see Seeds.
(A) Celluloid.
(A) Celluloid articles, wholly or partly manufactured of, 1-5-17, 10-5-17, 22-1-18.

(A) "Celluloid" sheet, non-inflammable, and similar transparent material non-soluble in lubricating oil, petrol or water.
(A) Cement for building and engineering purposes, 14-5-18.
(A) Cereals, prepared foods derived wholly or partly from.
(B) Cerium, oxide and salts of, 10-5-17.
(A) Cerium and its alloys (except ferrocerium, the exportation of which is prohibited to all ports and destinations abroad other than ports and destinations in British Possessions and Protectorates).
Chain cables, see Cables.
Chain fittings, see Castings.
Chains, rigging, see Ships' rigging
Chairs, dental, see Dental.
Charges, see Cartridges.
(A) Cheese.
(A) Chicory, 30-3-17, 27-11-17.
Chicory seed, see Seeds.
(A) Chick peas, 12-12-16.
(A) Chiretta, 15-10-18.
Chisels, see Tools, also Handles.
(A) Chloral and its compounds and preparations, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Chloroform, 12-4-18.
(A) Chlorates, all metallic.
(B) Chlorine.
Choppers, see Tools.
(B) Chrome ore.
(B) Chromium, compounds of (except chromium acetate, chromium chlorate and chromium nitrate), and mixtures containing such compounds of chromium.
(A) Chromium acetate.
(A) Chromium chlorate.
(A) Chromium nitrate.
(A) Chronometers and their component parts, 23-10-16, 15-10-18.
(A) Chrysarobin, 27-11-17, 11-6-18.
Chucks, see Tools.
Cigarette paper, see Paper.
(A) Cinchona bark, its alkaloids and their salts and preparations of any of these substances, 1-5-17, 27-11-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Cinematograph films.
Cisterns, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Citrate of iron and ammonium, 15-10-18.
(B) Citrates, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17, 15-10-18.
(B) Citric acid, 25-5-16, 30-3-17.
Clay, fire, see Fireclay.
Cleats, see Ships' rigging.
Cleavers, see Tools.
Clog nails, see Boots and Shoes.
Clothing, see Card, Uniform, Wool, Silk.
Cloth, see Cotton; Insulating materials; Jute; Wool, etc.
Clover seed, see Seeds.
(A) Coal, except coal allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as bunker coal, 27-11-17.
(A) Coal tar.
Coal tar asphalt, see Asphalt.
(B) Coal tar pitch, 15-10-18.
(A) Coal tar, all products obtainable from and derivatives thereof, suitable for use in the manufacture of dyes and explosives, whether obtained from coal tar or other sources, and mixtures and preparations containing such products or derivatives, 26-7-16.
Coat and hat hangers, see Castings.
(B) Cobalt, cobalt ore, and alloys of cobalt.
(A) Cobalt nitrate.
(B) Cobalt, oxides and salts of (except cobalt nitrate), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of cobalt.
(A) Cobaltchrom and similar alloys, 12-4-18.
(A) Coca leaves and their preparations, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Cocaine and its salts and preparations, 17-11-16.
Coconut cake, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Cocoa, raw, and manufactures thereof, 19-2-17.
(A) Cocoa husks, 19-2-17.
(A) Cocoa shells, 19-2-17.
Cocoons, see Silk.
(A) Coffee, 19-2-17.
(A) Coffee essence, including coffee essence containing Chicory, 27-11-17.
(B) Coir yarn, 1-5-17.
(A) Coke and manufactured fuel, 18-12-17.
(B) Colchicum and its preparations.
Collar check, see Wool.
(A) Collodion.
(A) Colocynth, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
Comb pins, see Steel.
Combs, see Curry.
Combings, see Malt.
(A) Compasses for ships, and component parts thereof, 30-3-17.
(A) Compasses (other than ships' compasses), and their component parts, 2-7-18.
Compound cakes and meals, see Cakes and Meals.
Condenser tubes, see Shipbuilding materials.
(A) Condiments (except table salt) not otherwise specifically prohibited, 1-5-17, 2-7-18.
Conduit fittings, see Castings.
(A) Confectionery manufactured wholly or partly of sugar, 12-3-17.
(A) Copper, whether refined or unrefined, unwrought, wrought, or partly wrought of all kinds and descriptions, including brass, bronze, yellow metal, and all other alloys of copper, 23-2-17.
(A) Copper acetate.
(B) Copper iodide.
(A) Copper manufactures, the following:—23-2-17.
All articles wholly or partly manufactured of copper or its alloys except articles partly manufactured of copper or its alloys in which the total weight of copper and copper alloys does not exceed 5 per cent. of the total weight of the article, and does not exceed 56 lbs.
(A) Copper nitrate.

(A) Copper ore, regulus, matte concentrate and precipitate, 27-2-17.
(A) Copper stamps for stamping woven piece-goods, 28-6-16.
(B) Copper, suboxide of, and mixtures containing suboxide of copper.
(A) Copper sulphate, 12-4-18.
(A) Coppers and their component parts, 14-15-18.
Cordage and twine, see binder twine, Flax, Hemp manufactures, Jute cordage.
Cordite presses, see Implements, etc.
(A) Cork and cork dust, and articles manufactured therefrom, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 22-1-18, 14-5-18.
(B) Corks, crown, 14-5-18.
(A) Cornflour.
(A) Corn grits.
Corn offals, see Offals.
Corundum, see Emery.
Corrugated sheets, see Galvanised sheets.
Cotton, manufactures of, the following:—
(A) Typewriter cloth and fine cotton cambrics, in the grey, from 40 to 50 inches wide and weighing from 1½ ounces to 4 ounces per square yard, 11-6-18.
Cotton belting, see Belting.
(A) Cotton canvas, duck, or sailcloth, weighing more than 25 ounces per square yard, 14-5-18.
(A) Cotton pulp.
(A) Cotton rags and rags containing cotton.
(A) Cotton, raw, 12-3-17.
(A) Cotton yarn, made from or containing Sea Island cotton, whether grown in the United States of America or the West Indies, 1-5-17, 14-5-18.
Cotton seed cake, and cotton seed meal, see Cakes and Meal.
(A) Cotton shoddy.
Cotton ties, see American.
(A) Cotton wadding, and articles containing cotton wadding.
(A) Cotton waste, and articles containing cotton waste.
(A) Cotton wool, and articles containing cotton wool.
Craft, see Boats.
Cramps, see Tools.
Cream of Tartar, see Tartaric Acid
(A) Creosote and creosote oils except wood tar oil (for which see Oils) and mixtures and preparations containing such creosote or creosote oils, 26-7-16, 2-2-17.
(A) Cresol compounds and preparations of cresol and nitro-cresol, 18-10-17.
Crowbars, see Tools.
(B) Crucibles (plumbago).
(A) Crysolite, 15-8-16.
Crystolon, see Emery.
(A) Cubebs, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
Culms, see Malt.
(A) Culvers root, 15-10-18.
(A) Curry combs, 15-8-16.
(A) Cutch, and extracts thereof, 28-8-17.
Cutters, see Boots and Shoes, materials for; Tools, small; Wire, barbed.
(A) Cyanamide.
Cycle fittings, see Bicycles.
Cycles, see Bicycles, Motor Vehicles.
(A) Cylinders, metal, capable of use for the storage of gases or liquids under pressure, 14-8-17.

D

Dairy utensils, see Tinplate.
(A) Damiana, 12-4-18.
(A) Dari.
Deadeyes, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Deer skins, 15-10-18.
Delta metal, see Copper.
(A) Dental instruments, appliances and materials (including dental chairs, artificial teeth and dental fillings manufactured mainly from gold), 15-10-18.
(A) Dextrine and all articles and mixtures and preparations containing dextrine, 19-2-17, 10-5-17.
Dhol, see Gram.
(A) Diamonds suitable for industrial purposes.
(A) Diatomite or infusorial earth, 2-7-18.
Dies for cartridge cases, see Implements, etc.
(A) Diethylbarbituric acid (veronal) and veronal sodium.
Diesel engines, see Shipbuilding material.
(A) Dimethylaniline.
Distillers' grains, see Grains, etc.
(B) Docks, floating and their component parts.
Domestic utensils, see Hollow-ware; Tinplate.
Drawings, see Maps.
(B) Draw plates, jewelled for drawing wire, 8-1-15.
Drilling posts, see Tools.
Drivers, see Boots and Shoes, material for.
(A) Drums, iron or steel, other than such drums as contain goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as the containers of such goods, 14-5-18.
Duck, cotton, see Cotton.
(A) Dyes and dyestuffs manufactured from coal tar products, and articles containing such dyes and dyestuffs.

E

Earth nut cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Eggs in shells
(A) Egg powder, 1-5-17.
(A) Egg, yolk and liquid, 8-9-16, 19-2-17.
Electrical insulating materials, see Insulating.
(B) Electric lamps (except carbon filament lamps, arc lamps for street lighting and pocket electric lamps and their component parts, 7-6-16, 12-12-16.
Electric lamp filaments, see Tungsten.

(A) Electrodes, carbon, for electric furnaces.
(A) Emery and corundum and manufactures thereof, carborundum, alundum, crystolon, and all other artificial abrasives and manufactures thereof, 7-6-16, 17-11-16, 11-6-18.
(A) Emetin and its salts.
Enamel, gold, see Gold.
Engines, internal combustion, see Ship-building material.
Engines, see Aeroplane, Railway carriages.
(B) Equipment, military, not otherwise prohibited, 14-8-17.
Equipment web, see Web.
(A) Ergot of rye, and the liquid extract of ergot, 10-5-17, 12-4-18, 15-10-18.
(A) Esparto grass.
(A) Ether, acetic.
(A) Ether, formic.
(A) Ether, sulphuric.
Ethylic, alcohol, see Alcohol.
(A) Eucaine hydrochloride, eucaine (benzamine) lactate, and their preparations.
(A) Explosives.
Eyelets, see Boots and Shoes, materials for.
Eyeplates, see Ships' rigging.

F

Faller pins, see Steel.
(A) Farina, 19-2-17.
Farming implements, see Machinery, agricultural.
(A) Fats, all animal and vegetable, and articles and mixtures containing such fats, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 19-2-17, 27-11-17.
(A) Fatty acids, and articles and mixtures containing fatty acids, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 27-11-17.
(B) Felt made wholly or partly of wool or hair (except roofing felt and saddle felt, which see), 8-3-18.
(A) Felt, roofing, 26-2-18.
Felt, saddle, see Wool.
Fenugreek seed, see Seeds.
Ferberite, see Tungsten Ores.
Ferro-alloys, the following :—
(B) Ferro-cerium.
(B) Ferro-chrome.
(A) Ferro-manganese, 22-6-17.
(A) Ferro-molybdenum.
(B) Ferro- titanium.
(B) Ferro-vanadium.
(B) Silicon spiegel, 15-8-16.
(B) Spiegeleisen.
(A) Ferro-silicon.
Fibre, Maguey, see Hemp.
(A) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 15-8-16, 19-12-16, 1-5-17, 28-8-17, 8-2-18.
Fibre, vulcanised, see Insulating materials.
(A) Field glasses, and their component parts, 2-7-18.
Filaments for Electric Lamps, see Tungsten.
Files, see Shoemakers' tools; Tools, small ; Handles.
Fillings, dental, see Dental.
Films, see Cinematograph, Photographic.
Finings, see Glue.
(A) Firearms and their component parts, and tools, appurtenances and accessories for use in connection therewith, 8-2-18.
(A) Fireclay, and articles wholly manufactured of fireclay including firebricks, 28-6-16, 18-12-17, 26-2-18.
(A) Fish.
Fish bladders, see Gluestock.
(B) Fish bones, 12-12-16.
Fish glue, see Glue.
(A) Fish hooks, 18-10-17.
Fish oil, see Oils.
Fish skins, see Gluestock, etc.
(A) Fishing gear, including fish hooks, but not including other tackle for fishing by rod and line, 15-10-18.
Fishmeal and concentrated fish, see Cakes and Meal.
Fittings, harness, see Harness
Fittings, metal, see Castings.
(A) Flax and linen, all goods wholly or partly manufactured of, except made up articles of wearing apparel, 29-9-16, 28-8-17, 27-11-17, 18-12-17, 8-2-18.
(A) Flax cordage and twine, 18-12-17.
(A) Flax, raw.
(A) Flax shakings.
(A) Flax tow.
(A) Flax waste.
Fleshes, see Pickled Grains.
Flour, see Banana, Bean, Corn, Lentil, Malt, Maize, Pea, Potato, Rice, Rye, Sago, Tapioca, Wheat.
Flyers, see Steel.
Foods prepared from cereals, see Cereals.
Forage and food which may be used for animals, see specific headings as, e.g., Beans, Cakes, Hay, Oats, etc.
(A) Forage, green.
(A) Forges, portable.
Forks, see Tools ; see also Handles.
(A) Formic acid, 27-11-17.
(A) Formic aldehyde, 12-4-18.
Formic ether, see Ether.
Fountains, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Fruit and fruit preserves, 29-9-16, 15-1-17, 19-2-17.
(A) Fuel economisers constructed of cast-iron pipes, used as auxiliary heating apparatus in connection with land or marine steam boilers, 12-12-16.
Fuel, manufactured, see Coke.
Fuel oil, see Oil.
Furniture fittings, see Castings.
(A) Fusel oil (amyl alcohol).
(A) Fuses.
(A) Fustic (chips and extracts), 22-1-18.

G

(A) Gall nuts and extracts thereof, 28-8-17.
(A) Galvanised sheets, corrugated or flat, 26-7-16, 10-5-17.
Galvanised wire, see Wire.
(A) Gambier and extracts thereof, 28-8-17

(A) Game.
Gas carbon, see Carbon.
Gas Mantles, see Incandescent, Mantles, Ramie.
Gas masks, see Respirators.
Gasmeters, see Tinplate.
Gauges for cartridges and shells, see Implements, etc.
Gelatine, see Glue.
(A) Gelsemium root, 12-4-18.
(A) Gentian root, 10-5-17, 11-6-18.
Gilding solution, see Gold.
Gill pins, see Steel.
Gimlets, see Tools, also Handles.
(A) Ginger, crystallised or preserved, 2-2-17, 10-5-17.
(A) Glass for optical instruments.
Glasses, Field, see Field.
(B) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 8-9-16, 23-10-16, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Gloves, men's, made wholly or partly of leather, 12-4-18.
(A) Glucose, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing glucose, 19-2-17, 10-5-17.
(A) Glue, osseine, and concentrated size (and other sizes and sizings made from glue), fishglue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Gluestock of all kinds, including animal hoofs, untanned hides and pelts, not otherwise specifically prohibited, fish bladders and fish skins, 12-12-16, 1-5-17, 14-5-18.
Gluten meal, or gluten feed, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Glycerine, and preparations containing glycerine not otherwise specifically prohibited.
Goa powder, see Araroba.
(A) Goat skins, 18-10-17.
(A) Goldbeater's skin.
Gold fillings, dental, see Dental.
(A) Gold leaf, 15-10-18.
(A) Gold, liquid, including gold paint, gold enamel, gilding solution and all other pigments containing gold, 12-4-18.
Gouges, see Tools, also Handles.
(A) Grains, Brewers' and Distillers, 12-12-16.
Grains, Pickled, see Pickled.
(A) Gramophone and other sound records, including perforated music rolls, 10-5-17.
(A) Gram or dhol, 12-12-16.
(B) Graphite, and mixtures containing graphite.
(A) Grass, esparto.
Grass seed, see Seeds.
(A) Grates and registers for heating purposes, and their component parts, 6-8-18.
(A) Green forage, 12-12-16.
(A) Green oil, and mixtures and preparations containing green oil, 26-7-16, 2-2-17.
(A) Grenades and component parts thereof, 10-5-17.
(A) Grindelia, 12-4-18.
Grindery, see Boots and Shoes, Material for.
(A) Grindstones, 8-9-16.
Ground nut, or earth nut cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals
Groovers, see Boots and Shoes, Materials for.
(B) Guaiacol and guaiacol carbonate.
(A) Guanos, 2-2-17.
(B) Gums containing caoutchouc.
(A) Gums not otherwise specifically prohibited, 1-5-17, 12-4-18.
Guns, see Cannon, Firearms, Machine.
Gun-metal, see Copper.
Gutta-percha, see Rubber.
(A) Guts, 19-2-17 ; see also Silkworm.
(A) Guttering, cast-iron, and cast-iron gutter fittings and connections, 2-7-18.

H

Hackle pins, see Steel.
Hacksaws and their component parts, see Tools.
(A) Hair, animal, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof, 8-9-16, 18-10-17
(B) Hair, human, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof, 10-5-17, 14-8-17.
(B) Hair, all manufactures, mixtures and products of, except such as are prohibited to all destinations, 18-3-18.
Hair, see Belting, Blankets, Carpets, Felt, Rugs.
(B) Hammers, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 12-3-17, 27-11-17, see also Tools, also Handles.
(A) Handles and helves for grubbers, pickaxes, spades, and shovels, 12-3-17.
(A) Handles for adzes, awls, axes, chisels, files, forks (agricultural, stone, roadmaking, and coke), gimlets, gouges, hammers (hand), hoes, hooks (brushing and reaping), rakes, roadscrapers, screwdrivers (or turnscrews) and scythes, 27-11-17, 14-5-18, 15-10-18.
(A) Harness and metal fittings therefor, see also Leather.
Harness and saddlery, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following, 18-12-17 :—
(A) Harness and saddlery making machines and their component parts,
(A) Harness and saddlery tools, hand and machine,
(A) Needles for harness and saddlery making machines.
Haricots, see Beans.
(A) Hatchets, 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
Hat hangers, see Castings.
Hawsers, see Steel.
(A) Hay.
(A) Heliographs and their component parts, 2-7-18.
Hemp and hemp manufactures, the following :—
(A) Hemp ropes, old.

(A) Hemp waste.
(A) Hemp of all kinds (including Indian hemp used in textile manufactures), Maguey fibre and manufactures thereof, except Tagal braid, 8-3-18.

See also Indian Hemp.
Hempseed cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(B) Henbane and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(A) Hexamethylene tetramin (urotropine) and its compounds and preparations, 11-6-18.
(A) Hides of cattle, buffaloes, and horses.
(A) Hides and pelts, clippings of ; 12-12-16, 14-5-18.
Hides and pelts untanned, see Gluestock, &c.
Hides, manufactures of, the following :—
(A) Pickers and drop box pickers, 14-8-17, 8-3-18.
(B) Pinions, centres and other goods manufactured from hide, suitable for textile machinery, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 14-8-17, 8-3-18.

Hinges, see Castings.
Hods, see Hollow-ware.
Hoe handles, see Handles.
(A) Hollow-ware, wrought, made wholly or partly from iron and steel sheet or plate, the following, 2-7-18 :—
Bottles, empty, braziers, cans, measures, scoops, pails, pans, riddles, skips, troughs and trunks,
Cisterns and tanks,
Domestic utensils,
Fountains,
Hods,
Hoppers, seed.

(A) Hominy.
(A) Honey and all articles, mixtures and preparations containing honey, 25-5-16, 19-2-17.
Hoofs, animal, see Gluestock.
Hooks, see Boots and Shoes, material for, fish, Handles.
Hoppers, seed, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Horns, animal, and articles manufactured therefrom in which the total weight of horn exceeds 50 per cent. of the total weight of the article, 2-7-18.
Horse clippers, see Castings.
Horsehides, see Hides.
Horse rugs, see Rugs.
(B) Horse, mule, and pony shoes, 23-2-17.
Hosiery needles, see Needles.
Hubnerite, see Tungsten Ores.
Husk meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(B) Huts, woollen.
(A) Hydrastis canadensis and hydrastine, 22-6-17, 22-1-18, 12-4-18.
(A) Hydrobromic Acid, 11-6-18.
(B) Hydrocholoric acid.
(A) Hydrocyanic (prussic) acid and solutions thereof, 22-6-17.
(B) Hydrogen peroxide, 30-3-17.
(A) Hydrometers made of glass, 15-10-18.
(A) Hydroquinone, and mixtures containing hydroquinone.

I

(A) Implements and apparatus designed exclusively for the manufacture of munitions of war, for the manufacture or repair of arms or of war material for use on land or sea, the following :—
Cordite presses,
Dies for cartridge cases,
Gauges for cartridges or shells,
Incorporators,
Lapping machines,
Rifling machines,
Wire-winding machines.

Implements for cutting or fixing barbed wire, see Wire.
(A) Incandescent gas mantle rings , 18-12-17.
Incandescent mantle, see Mantles, Ramie.
Incorporators, see Implements.
(B) Indian hemp (*Cannabis Indica*), 27-11-17.
(A) Indigo, synthetic (6-8-18).
Infusorial earth, see Diatomite.
(A) Ingot moulds manufactured of hæmatite iron, 14-5-18.
Instruments, see Dental, Surgical.
Insulated cables, see cables.
Insulated wires, see Wires.
Insulating materials, the following :—
(A) Oiled insulating cloth, paper, silk, and tape, 14-5-18.
(B) Vulcanised fibre, 14-5-18.
See also Mica.
(A) Invert sugar, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing invert sugar, 28-8-17.
(A) Iodoform, 12-4-18.
(A) Ipecacuanha root.
(B) Iridium and its alloys and manufactures containing iridium, 12-12 16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Iridium compounds, 27-11-17.
Iron and steel castings, and forgings for hulls and machinery of ships, see Shipbuilding material.
(A) Iron and iron articles containing chrome, cobalt, molybdenum, nickel, tungsten or vanadium, 1-5-17.
Iron, 1-5-17, the following :—
(A) Angles, channels, joists, tees and other sectional material.
(A) Bars, including flats, round and other sections and shapes.
(A) Billets, blooms and slabs.
Bins, see Bins.
Bolts, see Bolts.
(A) Bridgework, pierwork and constructional material.
Buckets, see Buckets.
Castings, see Castings, also Shipbuilding material.
Channels, see Angles above.
Constructional material, see Bridgework above.
Drums, see Drums.
Flats, see Bars above.

Forgings, see Castings, also Shipbuilding material.
Guttering, &c., cast, see Guttering.
Hollow-ware, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Hoops and strips.
(A) Ingots.
Joists, see Angles above.
Moulds, see Ingots.
Nails, see Nails.
Nuts, see Nuts.
(A) Ore.
Pierwork, see Bridgework above.
(A) Pig.
(A) Pipes, wrought (see also Pipes, cast).
Piping, see Piping.
(A) Plates and sheets.
(A) Pyrites.
Radiators, see Radiators.
Rails, see Railway material.
Rivets, see Rivets.
Rounds, see Bars above.
(A) Scrap.
Sections, see Bars above.
(A) Sheet bars.
Sheets, see Plates above.
Slabs, see Billets above.
Sleepers, see Railway material.
Springs, see Railway material.
Tees, see Angles above.
(A) Tubes.
Tubs, see Tubs
Wire and wire rods, see Wire.
(A) Iron, oxides of, and mixtures containing iron oxides, 2-7-18.
(A) Iron, reduced (chemical), 15-10-18.
Ironmongery, builders, see Castings.
Isinglass, see Glue.
(A) Ivory, vegetable and manufactures thereof, 10-5-17, 22-6-17.

J

(A) Jaborandi leaves, 15-10-18.
(A) Jalap, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
Jellies, see Mineral, Rubber.
Jimcrows, see Tools, small.
(A) Jute cordage and twine, 7-6-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute padding, 30-3-17, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute, piece-goods made wholly or partly of, 28-7-16, 19-12 16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute rags, 15-1-17.
(A) Jute, raw and carded, 12-3-17.
(A) Jute threads, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute twist, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute waste.
(A) Jute webbing, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Jute wrappers (Surat tares) other than such wrappers as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings, 28-6-16, 19-12-16.
(A) Jute yarns, 19-12-16, 18-12-17.

K

Kale seed, see Seeds.
Kernels, oleaginous, see Oleaginous.
(B) Kettles, camp.
Knives, see Tools, small.
Kohl rabi seed, see Seeds.
(A) Kola seeds (or kola nuts), 14-5-18.

L

(A) Lacs, not including lac dye, 12-4-18.
(A) Lactates, not otherwise prohibited, 22-6-17.
(A) Lactic acid, 22-6-17.
Lactose, see Milk Sugar.
Lamp fittings, see Castings.
Lamps, see Electric, Signalling, Tinplate.
(B) Lanterns, suitable for camp use.
Lapping machines, see Implements.
(A) Lard of all kinds and imitation lard, 19-2-17, 10-5-17.
Lasts, see Boots and Shoes, material for.
Latch needles, see Needles.
Lathe tools, see Tools, small.
(A) Lead coated sheets, 15-8-16.
(A) Lead ore, 18-10-17.
(A) Lead, lead alloys, and manufactures of lead or lead alloys, 12-12-16, 30-3-17.
(A) Lead compounds and mixtures containing lead compounds, 30-3-17.
(A) Leather, 30-3-17.
Leather goods of the following descriptions :—8-9-16, 30-3-17.
(A) Articles of personal equipment suitable for military purposes, 6-8-18.
(A) Bandoliers, 6-8-18.
(A) Belting leather manufactures suitable for textile machinery and leathers cut or shaped for hydraulic or pump purposes, 18-10-17, 8-3-18, 15-10-18.
(A) Belts, 6-8-18.
Boots, see Boots.
Gloves, see Gloves.
Hydraulic leather, see Belting above.
(A) Laces, 6-8-18.
(A) Pouches, 6-8-18.
Pump leather, see Belting above.
Shoes, see Boots.
Textile machinery leather, see Belting above.
(B) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise prohibited, 19-2-17, 22-1-18.
(A) Waste, leather, 8-3-18.
Leak seed, see Seeds.
(A) Lentil flour and meal.
(A) Lentils, 12-12-16.
(A) Lettuce seed, see Seeds.
Levels, spirit, see Tools, small.
(A) Levulose, 22-6-17.
Lime phosphate, see Phosphate Rock.
Lime soda, see Soda.
Linen, see Flax.
(A) Linen rags.
Linen thread, see Flax.
(A) Linen waste.
Linen yarn, see Flax.
(A) Linoleum, 15-8-16, 22-1-18.
Linseed cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Liquorice roots and juice, 22-6-17, 11-6-18.
(A) Lobelia, 15-10-18.
Locomotives, see Railway Carriages.
Locust bean meal, see Cakes and Meals.

(A) Logwood (chips, extract, and preparations), 22-1-18.
(A) Lubricants not otherwise specifically prohibited and articles and mixtures containing such lubricants, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
Luplin seed, see Seeds.
(A) Lycopodium, 22-6-17, 15-10-18.

M

(A) Macaroni.
(A) Machine guns, mountings for machine guns, and component parts thereof.
(A) Machinery, agricultural or farming, and component parts thereof, including hand tools for agricultural or farm purposes, 26-7-16, 12-12-16, 12-3-17, 14-8-17, 18-10-17.
Machinery, Ships, see Shipbuilding material.
Machines, harness and saddlery making, see Harness.
Machines, shoemakers, see Boots and Shoes, material for.
(A) Magnesite and magnesite bricks.
(A) Magnesite, caustic or lightly calcined, and dead burnt magnesite.
(B) Magnesium chloride, and sulphate and mixtures containing magnesium chloride or sulphate.
(A) Magnesium and its alloys.
(A) Magnetos and component parts thereof, 10-5-17.
Maguey Fibre, see Hemp.
(A) Maize, 12-12-16.
(A) Maize germs, 12-12-16.
Maize germ meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Maize meal and flour, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Male fern rhizome, 12-4-18.
(A) Malt, 19-2-17.
(A) Malt dust, malt flour, culms, sprouts or combings, 12-12-16.
(A) Malt sugar (maltose) and articles and preparations containing malt sugar, 19-2-17, 28-8-17.
(A) Mandioca.
(A) Maganese, peroxide of, and mixtures and preparations thereof, 12-12-16.
(B) Mangaese and maganese ore.
Mangold seed, see Seeds.
(A) Manna, 22-6-17.
(A) Mannite, 22-6-17.
(A) Mantles, Incandescent.
Mantles, see Ramie.
(A) Manures, compound, 2-2-17.
(A) Manures, organic, 2-2-17.
(A) Maps and Plans of any place within the territory of any belligerent or within the area of military operations, on a scale of four miles to one inch or on any larger scale, and reproductions on any scale by photography or otherwise of such maps or plans.
(A) Margarine, 19-2-17.
(A) Matches, 29-9-16, 18-12-17.
(A) Matches, 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
(A) Mattresses, wire, fixed on wooden frames, 14-5-18.
Meals, see Banana; Barley; Bean; Cakes; Lentil; Oat; Pea; Rye; Sago; Whalebone; Wheat.
Measures, see Hollow-ware; Tinplate.
Measuring tools, see Tools, small.
(A) Meat of all kinds (including tinned and potted meat), 19-2-17.
(A) Meat, extracts of, 19-2-17.
Meat meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Mercury, compounds of mercury, and mixtures and preparations containing mercury or its compounds, 15-10-18.
Metals and Ores, see specific headings, *e.g.*, Copper, Iron, etc.
Metal containers, see Bottles; Cylinders.
Metal harness fittings, see Harness.
Metal nozzles, see Nozzles.
Metal saddlery fittings, see Saddlery.
Metal-working machinery, see Machinery.
(A) Methylaniline.
Methylated spirits, see Spirits.
(B) Methyl salicylate, 10-5-17.
Methylic alcohol and its esters; see Alcohol.
(A) Metol and mixtures containing metol.
(A) Mica block, mica sheets, and mica splittings; 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Mica waste, mica powder, micanite, and articles made from and insulating materials containing mica in any form, 17-11-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
Middlings, see Offals of Corn.
(A) Milk, condensed or preserved.
(A) Milk powder, 12-12-16.
(A) Milk sugar (lactose); 22-6-17.
Mill dust and screenings, see Offals of Corn.
Millboard, see Paper.
(A) Millet, 12-12-16.
Milling cutters, see Tools, small.
(A) Mineral jellies, 22-6-17.
Mineral waters, see Aerated.
Mineral waxes, see Waxes.
(B) Mines and their component parts.
(A) Molasses and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing molasses, 26-7-16, 22-6-17.
(B) Molybdenum and molybdenite.
(B) Molybdic acid and its salts, 29-9-16.
(A) Moss, Carrageen, 12-12-16, 1-5-17.
Motor ploughs, see Machinery, Agricultural.
(A) Motor spirit, 22-6-17.
(A) Motor vehicles, motor bicycles, and their component parts and accessories, 14-8-17, 12-4-18.
Moulds, ingot, see Ingot.
Mule shoes, see Horse.
Mungo, see Woollen Rags.
Music rolls, perforated, see Gramophone.
(A) Mustard, 1-5-17, 11-6-18.
Mustard seed, see Seeds.

N

(A) Nails, wrought and cut, iron or steel, 11-6-18.
(A) Naphthalene and its compounds and preparations.
(A) Nautical instruments and their component parts, 30-3-17, 2-2-18.

(A) Needles for bootmaking machine, 10-5-17.
Needles, harness and saddlery making machine, see Harness.
(A) Needles, hoisery machine (latch and bearded), 23-10-16, 18-10-17.
(A) Neo-salvarsan.
(A) Nickel, its ores, alloys, and manufactures (except nickel-plated goods not otherwise prohibited), 10-5-17, 14-5-18.
(A) Nickel nitrate.
(B) Nickel, oxides and salts of (except nickel ammonium sulphate and nickel nitrate, which are prohibited to all destinations), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of nickel, 22-1-18.
(A) Nicotine and its compounds, 6-8-18.
(A) Nightlights, 18-12-17, 8-2-18.
(A) Nitrates, all metallic.
(A) Nitric acid.
Nitro cresol, see Cresol.
(A) Nitro-toluol.
(A) Nitrometers and their component parts, 15-10-18.
Noils, see Hair ; Silk ; Wool.
*Notes of the Bank of France, 27-8-18.
†Notes of the United States Government and United States Bank notes, 27-8-18.
(A) Notes, Russian rouble, 26-2-18.
(A) Novocain and its preparations.
(B) Nozzles, metal, having an orifice less than one and one-half inches in diameter, 14-8-17.
(A) Nuts, iron or steel, 13-7-17.
(A) Nuts used as fruit.
Nuts, see Ground Nuts, Oleaginous, Saponaceous.
(A) Nux Vomica, 12-1-18, 14-5-18, 11-6-18.
(B) Nux Vomica, preparations of, 11-6-18.
(B) Nux Vomica alkaloids, and their preparations, 12-4-18.

O

(A) Oakum, 8-2-18.
(A) Oats.
(A) Oatmeal and rolled oats.
(A) Ochres and mixtures containing ochres, 15-10-18.
Offals of corn and grain which may be used as food for animals. the following :—
(A) Bran.
(A) Middlings.
(A) Mill dust and screenings.
(A) Pollard.
(A) Rice meal (or bran) and dust.
(A) Sharps.
Oils, various ;—
Oil anthracene, see Anthracene.
(A) Oil, blast furnace, 12-4-18.
Oil, creosote, see Creosote.
(A) Oil, fish, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing such oils, 1-5-17, 18-10-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Oil fuel, except oil fuel allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped for use on board the exporting ship, 22-6-17.
(A) Oil fuel, shale, 22-6-17.
Oil fusel, see Fusel.
Oil green, see Green.
(A) Oil of Cedarwood, 15-10-18.
(A) Oil of peppermint, 15-10-18.
(A) Oil of Sassafras, 15-10-18.
Oil, paraffin, see Paraffin.
Oils. petroleum, see Petroleum.
(B) Oil, sandalwood, 18-10-17.
(B) Oil waste.
(B) Oil, wood tar.
(A) Oils, fixed, all animal and vegetable, and articles and mixtures containing such oils, not otherwise specifically prohibited, 27-11-17.
Oiled insulating cloth, paper, silk and tape, see Insulating material.
(A) Oilstone, 27-11-17.
(A) Oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds, and products of all kinds, 12-3-17, 27-11-17.
(A) Oleo-margarine, 19-2-17.
Oleo-resin of capsicum, see Capsicum.
Oleum, see Sulphuric Acid.
(A) Onions.
Onion seed, see Seeds.
(A) Opium and its preparations.
(A) Opium alkaloids and their salts and preparations.
Optical glass, see Glass.
Ordnance, see Cannon, Carriages.
Osiers, see Willows.
(B) Osmium and its alloys and manufactures containing osmium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Osmium compounds, 27-11-17.
Osseine, see Glue.
(B) Ovens, suitable for camp use.
(B) Oxalic acid.

P

(A) Packing cases, empty wooden, and their distinctive component parts, including box shooks and staves, other than such wooden packing cases as have been previously imported full and are being returned empty whether whole or in parts.
Padding, see Jute.
Pails, see Hollow-ware.
Paint, Gold, see Gold.
(B) Palladium and its alloys and manufactures containing palladium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Palladium compounds, 27-11-17.
Palm-nut cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Pans, see Hollow-ware, Tinplate.
(A) Paper, cigarette, 2-7-18.

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(B) Paper and cardboard (including strawboard, pasteboard, millboard, and wood pulp board) and manufactures of paper and cardboard, not otherwise specificially prohibited, 2-7-18.
(A) Paper, waste.
(B) Paper, waxed.
(A) Paraffin, liquid medicinal, 22-6-17.
(A) Paraffin oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Paraffin wax, and mixtures and preparations thereof containing 20 per cent. and upwards of paraffin wax, but not including waxed paper, 1-5-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Paraformaldehyde.
(A) Paraldehyde.
Parsnip seed, see Seeds.
Pasteboard, see Paper.
(A) Patent and proprietary cattle foods of all kinds.
(A) Pea flour and meal.
(A) Peas, 2-2-17.
(A) Pegs, wooden, suitable for use in the manufacture of boots and shoes, 15-1-17.
Pelts, see Gluestock, &c., Hides, Sheepskins.
(A) Pencils, carpenters', 27-11-17.
(A) Pencils, copying ink, 8-2-18.
(A) Pepper, 19-2-17, 22-6-17, 12-4-18.
Peppermint, oil of, see Oils.
(A) Perchlorates, all metallic.
(A) Periscopes and their component parts, 10-5-17.
(A) Petroleum fuel oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum gas oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum lighting oil, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum spirit and articles containing petroleum spirit, 22-6-17.
(A) Petroleum and its products not otherwise specifically prohibited, and mixtures thereof, 22-6-17.
(A) Phenacetin and its preparations.
Phenazone, see Antipyrine.
(A) Phosgene (carbonyl chloride).
(A) Phosphate rock, namely :—Apatites ; Phosphates of lime and alumina, 2-2-17.
(A) Phosphorus and its compounds, 22-1-18.
(A) Photographic materials, sensitised, of all kinds, whether exposed or not, 14-5-18.
Photographs, see Maps.
(A) Pickaxes (see also Handles), 12-3-17.
Pickers, see Hides.
(B) Pickled grains and fleshes, 26-7-16.
(A) Pickles, 15-1-17.
(A) Picric acid and its components.
(A) Pigeon peas, 12-12-16.
Pigments containing gold, see Gold.
(A) Pigskins, 15-10-18.
Pincers, see Tools, small.
Pins, see Steel.
Pipe cutters, see Tools, small.
Pipe flanges, see Castings.
(A) Pipes, cast iron, and cast iron pipe fittings and connections, 26-7-16, 2-7-18.
Pipes, see also Copper, Iron, Lead.
(A) Piping, sheet iron or steel, for stoves or for ranges, and parts thereof, 14-5-18.
Pistols, see Firearms.
Pitch, see Coal Tar.
Planes, wood and iron, see Tools, small.
Plans, see Maps.
Plates, see Copper ; Drawplates ; Iron, Photographic ; Steel ; Tin Plates.
(A) Platinum, alloys of platinum, and manufactures containing platinum.
(A) Platinum, salts of.
(B) Plumbago, see also Crucibles.
(A) Plywood, 1-5-17.
(A) Podophyllum rhizome, 12-4-18, 14-5-18.
Pollard, see Offals of Corn.
Ponyshoes, see Horse.
Poonac cake, see Cakes and Meals.
Poppy seed cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Potash, caustic, and articles containing caustic potash.
(A) Potash, murite, nitrate (saltpetre), sulphate, and crude manurial potash salts, and mixtures containing any of these substances, 19-2-17.
(B) Potash salts, and mixtures containing such potash salts, not otherwise prohibited, 19-2-17.
(A) Potassium bicarbonate and mixtures containing potassium bicarbonate, 13-7-17.
(A) Potassium carbonate and mixtures containing potassium carbonate, 22-6-17.
(A) Potassium chlorate, and mixtures containing potassium chlorate.
(A) Potassium cyanide, and mixtures containing potassium cyanide.
(A) Potassium perchlorate.
(A) Potassium permanganate.
(A) Potassium prussiates and mixtures containing potassium prussiates, 12-3-17.
(A) Potatoes, 7-6-16.
(A) Potato flour, 7-6-16, 19-2-17.
Pots, see Tinplate.
(A) Poultry, 4-7-16, 29-9-16, 19-2-17.
(A) Prepared foods wholly or partially derived from cereals.
Preserves, see Fruit.
Prints, see Maps.
Proflavine, see Acriflavine.
(A) Projectiles of all kinds and their component parts.
Prussic acid, see Hydrocyanic.
Pulp, see Cotton ; Tomato ; Wood.
(A) Pulp-board waste.
Pump leather, see Leather.
(A) Pyridine.
Pyrites, see Iron.
(A) Pyrogallic acid, and mixtures containing pyrogallic acid.

Q

(A) Quassia wood, 11-6-18.
(A) Quercitron bark and extracts thereof, 30-3-17, 10-5-17, 28-8-17.
Quinine, see Cinchona.

R

(A) Radiators manufactured of cast iron pipes, 2-7-18.
(A) Radium and its compounds, 27-11-17.
(A) Raffia, 12-3-17.

Rags, see Cotton ; Jute ; Linen ; Wool.
Railbenders (or Jimcrows), see Tools, small.
(A) Railway material of iron or steel ; 1-5-17 the following :—

Rails.
Sleepers.
Springs.
Wheels, axles and tyres.
Other railway constructional material.

(A) Railway carriages, locomotives and wagons and their component parts.
Rakes, handles for, see Handles.
(B) Ramie stockings and ramie fabrics suitable for the manufacture of gas mantles.
(A) Range finders and their component parts.
(A) Ranges, cooking, and their component parts, 14-5-18.
Ranges, piping for, see Piping.
Rapeseed, or colza seed cake, and meal, see Cakes.
(A) Rattan, woven, 28-6-16, 14-5-18.
(A) Rattans, 30-3-17.
Reamers, see Tools, small.
Receptacles, empty, see Tinplate.
Records, see Gramophones.
Registers, See Grates.
(A) Rennet powder, rennet extract, and other preparations of rennet, 4-7-16.
(A) Resins, resinous gums and resinous substances (except such as contain caoutchouc) and articles containing them, 4-7-16, 1-5-17, 12-4-18.
(B) Resinous substances containing caoutchouc.
(A) Respirators and self-contained breathing sets intended to afford protection to the wearer against toxic atmospheres, 22-1-18.
(A) Revolution indicators suitable for aircraft.
(A) Rhatany root, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
(B) Rhodium and its alloys and manufactures containing rhodium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Rhodium compounds, 27-11-17.
(A) Rhubarb (medicinal), 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
Rice meal (or bran) and dust, see Offals of Corn.
(A) Rice and rice flour, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing rice or rice flour.
Riddles, see Hollow-ware.
Rifles, see Firearms.
Rifling machines, see Implements.
(A) Rivets, iron or steel, 13-7-17.
Road scrapers, see Tools.
Roller bearings, see Bearings.
Roofing felt, see Felt.
Ropes, see Hemp.
Rouble notes, see Notes.
(B) Rubber (raw, waste, and reclaimed), solutions containing rubber, jellies containing rubber, and any other preparations containing rubber, and also balata, gutta-percha, and the following varieties of rubber, viz.:—Borneo, Guayule, Jelutong, Palembang, Pontianac, and all other substances containing caoutchouc, 20-11-14.
(B) Rubber, gutta-percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of not otherwise specifically prohibited, 29-9-16, 23-10-16, 19-2-17, 14-5-18, see also Tyres.
(B) Rubies, natural or synthetic, 2-2-17.
(B) Rugs, manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair, 8-3-18, see also Carpets.
(B) Rugs, horse.
Russian rouble notes, see Notes.
(B) Ruthenium and its alloys and manufactures containing ruthenium, 12-12-16, 22-6-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Ruthenium compounds, 27-11-17.
(A) Rye, rye flour and meal.

S

(A) Saccharin, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing saccharin, 28-8-17.
(B) Sacks, coal.
Sacks, other sorts, see Bags.
(A) Sackings, old.
Saddle felt, see Wool.
Saddle serge, see Wool.
(A) Saddlery, and metal fittings therefor, see also Leather.
Saddlery, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, see Harness.
(A) Sago and sago flour and meal.
Sailcloth, cotton, see Cotton.
(B) Salicylic acid and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(B) Salipyrine, 10-5-17.
(B) Salol and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(A) Salt, 5-10-18.
Saltpetre, see Potash, Muriate, &c.
(A) Salvarsan.
(B) Sandalwood for medicinal purposes, 18-10-17.
Sandalwood oil, see Oils.
(A) Santonin and its preparations, 10-5-17, 12-4-18.
(B) Saphires, natural or synthetic, 2-2-17.
Sassafras, oil of, see Oils.
(A) Sassafras root, 12-4-18.
(A) Sausages, 2-2-17.
(A) Sausage skins, 19-2-17.
Saws, see Tools, small.
(A) Scammony root, 12-4-18.
Screenings, see Offals of Corn.
Scheelite, see Tungsten Ores.
Scoops, see Hollow-ware.
Scrap, see Iron, Steel, Tin.
Scythe handles, see Handles.
Screwdrivers, see Tools, also Handles.
Screwing tackle, see Tools, small.
Screws, rigging, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Sealskins, fur and hair, 12-3-17, 8-2-18.
(B) Searchlights, and their component parts, 1-5-17.
Searchlight carbons, see Carbons.
Seeds, 12-12-16, 12-3-17, the following :—

(A) Ajowan, 11-6-18.
(A) Beet, 14-8-17.
(A) Broccoli, 14-8-17.
(A) Brussels sprouts, 14-8-17.
(A) Cabbage, 14-8-17.

(A) Carrot.
(A) Cauliflower.
(A) Celery, 14-8-17.
(A) Chicory, 14-8-17.
(A) Clover, 14-8-17.
(A) Fenugreek, 22-6-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Grass, 14-8-17.
(A) Kale, 14-8-17.
(A) Kohl rabi.
(A) Leek, 14-8-17.
(A) Lettuce, 14-8-17.
(A) Lupin, 12-12-16.
(A) Mangold.
(A) Mustard, 23-2-17.
(A) Onion.
(A) Parsnip.
(A) Shallot, 14-8-17.
(A) Spinach, 14-8-17.
(A) Strophanthus, 12-4-18.
(A) Swede.
(A) Tomato, 14-8-17.
(A) Turnip.
(A) Vetch or taro, 15-10-18.

Seeds, oleaginous, see Oleaginous.
(B) Selenium.
(A) Semolina.
(A) Senega root, 30-3-17, 12-4-18.
(A) Senna leaves and pods, 12-4-18.
(A) Serpentary rhizome, 12-4-18.
Sesame seed cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
Shackles, see Ships' rigging.
Shale, see Oil, Fuel.
Shallot seed, see Seeds.
Sharps, see Offals of Corn.
Shaves, see Tools, small.
Shears and snipes, see Tools, small.
(A) Sheepskins, haired or woolled and pelts, 23-10-16, 18-10-17.
Sheets, see Galvanised, Iron, Lead coated, Mica, Steel.
Shipbuilding Materials, 15-1-17, 30-3-17, the following :—

(A) Condenser tubes.
(A) Engines for use on board ships (including Diesel and other internal combustion engines for marine propulsion) and component parts of such engines.
(A) Iron and steel castings and forgings for hulls and machinery of ships.
(A) Machinery for steam ships and component parts thereof, 10-5-17.
(A) Sectional materials for shipbuilding, 26-7-16.
(A) Ships' auxiliary machinery.
(A) Ships telegraphs and component parts thereof.
(A) Steering gear and component parts thereof.
(A) Winches.
(A) Windlasses.
See also Fuel Economisers.

Ships' Rigging, 27-11-17.
Fittings for the following :—

(A) Belaying pins.
(A) Blocks, wood and iron rigging.
(A) Bolts.
(A) Chains, rigging.
(A) Cleats, rigging.
(A) Cleats.
(A) Deadeyes.
(A) Eyeplates.
(A) Screws, rigging, set or stetching.
(A) Shackles.
(A) Thimbles.

Ships' compasses, see Compasses.
Shoddy, see Cotton, Wool.
Shoemakers' tools and materials, see Boots.
Shoes, see Boots, Horse.
(A) Shovels, 13-7-17.
(A) Shuttles and their component parts, 22-6-17.
(A) Siennas and mixtures containing siennas, 2-7-18, 15-10-18.
(B) Signalling lamps and their component parts.
Signalling apparatus, see Submarine.
(A) Silica bricks.
(A) Silicon manganese, 10-5-17.
(B) Silicon-speigel, 15-8-16.
Silk and Silk Manufactures, 23-10-16, 15-1-16, the following ;—

(A) Cocoons
(A) Raw silk and all threads, yarns and twists thereof, 15-1-17.
(A) All threads, yarns and twists of Tussah silk and of artificial silk.
(A) Silk waste of all kinds (including artificial silk waste) and all threads, yarns and twists thereof, including noils and noil yarns.
(B) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk) whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials in the grey, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted, with the exception of velvets, plushes, laces, mourning crepe, trimmings, braids, ribbons, not exceeding 6 inches in width, furnishing fabrics (embroidered or brocaded), fabrics containing any kind of metal thread, and all made-up articles, not otherwise prohibited, 15-1-17, 22-6-17, 14-8-17, 8-2-18.

(A) Silkworm gut (surgical), 12-4-18.
(A) Silver bullion, specie and coin and articles wholly or mainly manufactured of silver, 12-4-18.
(A) Sisal strings, old.
(A) Sisal waste.
(B) Size and sizings of all kinds (whether nitrogenous or not), not including articles, the exportation of which is prohibited to all destinations under the prohibition attached to farinaceous substances, dextrine, concentrated size and other size and sizings made from glue (which see), 22-1-18.
Skins, see Baudruche, Calf, Deer, Gluestock (Fish), Goat, Goldbeater, Hides, Pig, Sausage, Seal, Sheep.

Skips, see Hollow-ware.
Slitting saws, see Tools.
Small tools, see Tools.
(A) Soap including soft soap, 26-2-18.
(A) Soda, caustic, and mixtures containing caustic soda, 8-2-18.
(B) Sodium.
(A) Sodium bicarbonate, 25-5-16, 6-8-18.
(A) Sodium carbonate in all forms, including sodium sesquicarbonate and mixtures containing any of these substances, 25-5-16, 22-1-18.
(A) Sodium cyanide, and mixtures containing sodium cyanide, 12-3-17.
(B) Sodium hyposulphite (thiosulphate) and mixtures containing sodium hyposulphite.
(B) Sodium peroxide, 22-6-17.
(A) Sodium prussiates and mixtures containing sodium prussiates, 12-3-17.
(B) Sodium salicylate and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(B) Sodium sulphide, 12-4-18.
Solder, see Copper, Lead.
Sound records, see Gramophone.
(A) Soups, compressed and desiccated, 19-2-17.
Soya bean cake and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Spaghetti.
Spanners, see Tools, small.
(A) Sparking plugs, 15-8-16.
(A) Spelter and spelter dross.
(A) Spent oxide.
(A) Spermaceti, 1-5-17.
(A) Spices and mixtures thereof not otherwise specifically prohibited, 12-12-16, 12-4-18, 2-7-18.
(B) Spiegeleisen.
Spinach seed, see Seeds.
Spirit, Motor, see Motor.
Spirit, Petroleum, see Petroleum.
(A) Spirits, methylated, and mixtures containing methylated spirits.
(A) Spirits of a strength of not less than 43 degrees above proof.
(A) Spirits, potable, of a strength less than 43 degrees above proof, 26-7-16, 22-1-18.
Spokeshaves, see Tools, small.
Spurs, see Castings.
Squares, see Tools, small.
(A) Squills, 27-11-17, 12-4-18.
Stamps, copper, used for stamping woven piece goods. See Copper.
(A) Starch, articles containing starch and mixtures, and preparations of starch, 19-2-17.
Steel, 1-5-17, 10-5-17, the following :—

(A) Angles, channels, joists, tees and other steel sectional material.
Balls, see Bearings.
(A) Bars, including flats, rounds, and other sections or shapes, 1-5-17.
(A) Billets.
Bins, see Bins.
(A) Blooms.
Bolts, see Bolts.
(A) Bridgework, pierwork, and structural material.
Buckets, see Buckets.
Castings, see Shipbuilding Material.
Channels, see Angles, etc., above.
Drums, see Drums.
(A) Flats, see Bars above.
(A) Flyers, 10-5-17.
(A) Hawsers, 25-5-16.
Hollow-ware, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Hoops, 8-9-16.
(A) Ingots.
Joists, see Angles, etc., above.
Nails, see Nails.
Nuts, see Nuts.
Pierwork, see Bridgework, etc., above.
Piping, see Piping.
(A) Plates and sheets, 29-9-16, 1-5-17.
Pins, see Textile, below.
Rails, see Railway Material.
Rivets, see Rivets.
Rounds, see Bars, etc., above.
(A) Scrap.
Screws, see Wood screws.
Sectional material, see Angles, etc., above.
Sections, see Bars, etc., above.
Sheets, see Plates, etc., above.
(A) Sheet bars.
(A) Slabs.
Sleepers, see Railway Material.
Springs, see Railway Material.
(A) Stampings suitable for aircraft.
Structural material, see Bridgework, above.
Tees, see Angles, etc., above.
(A) Textile pins of all kinds, including card pins, comb pins, faller pins, gill pins, and hackle pins.
(A) Travellers.
(A) Tubes
Tubs, see Tubs.
Wire and wire rods, see Wire.
(A) Wire rope, 25-5-16.

(A) Steel, containing tungsten or molybdenum, and any tools or other articles made from such steel.
(A) Steel and steel articles containing chrome, cobalt, nickel, or vanadium, 29-9-16, 1-5-17.
(A) Stellite and similar alloys, 12-4-18.
(A) Sticks, unmounted, 14-5-18.
(A) Stoves, heating, capable of consuming coal, coke or other solid fuel, and their component parts, 14-5-18.
Stoves, piping for, see Piping.
Stove fittings, see Castings.
(B) Stramonium leaves and seeds.
(A) Straw.
Strawboard, see Paper.
(A) Strawboard waste.
(A) Strontium compounds, and mixtures containing strontium compounds, 19-12-16.
Strophanthus seeds, see Seeds.
(B) Submarine sound signalling apparatus.
(A) Sugar, cane and beet, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing sugar, cane or beet, 10-5-17 ; see also confectionery, Malt Sugar, Milk Sugar, Invert Sugar.
(A) Sulphonal.

(A) Sulphur and preparations containing sulphur.
(A) Sulphur, chlorides of.
(A) Sulphur dioxide, liquefied.
(A) Sulphuric acid and mixtures containing sulphuric acid, 26-7-16.
(A) Sulphuric acid, fuming (oleum).
Sunflower seed cake, and meal, see Cakes and Meals.
(A) Superphosphates.
Surat tares, see Jute Wrappers.
(A) Surgical bandages and dressings, 12-4-18.
(A) Surgical instruments, 14-5-18.
Swede seed, see Seeds.
(A) Swords and their component parts.
(B) Syringes, hypodermic.
(A) Syrups which may be used as food for man, 19-2-17.

T

(A) Tallow, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing tallow, 19-2-17, 1-5-17, 22-6-17.
Tanks, see Hollow-ware.
(A) Tannic acid, 15-10-18.
(A) Tanning extracts, and substances for use in tanning, 23-10-16, 30-3-17, 14-8-17, 28-8-17.
(A) Tantalum, alloys of tantalum, and ores containing tantalum.
Tape, Oiled, see Insulating Materials.
(A) Tapers, 8-2-18.
(A) Tapioca and tapioca flour.
(A) Tar, coal.
(A) Tar, vegetable, 6-8-18.
(A) Tar, wood, 2-7-18.
Taro seed, see Seeds.
(A) Tarpaulins.
(A) Tartaric acid, cream of tartar, and alkaline tartrates, 5-12-14, 8-1-15, 12-4-18.
(A) Tea, including tea waste, sweepings, dust and fluff, whether denatured or not, 28-6-16, 19-2-17, 2-7-18.
(A) Telegraphs (including wireless) and telephones, and instruments and material for, including valves for wireless telegraphic apparatus, 15-1-17, 23-2-17, 28-8-17.
Telegraphs, ships, see Shipbuilding Materials.
(A) Telescopes and their component parts, 2-7-18.
(B) Tents and their component parts.
(A) Terebene, and articles containing terebene, 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Medicinal terebene only, for painters, terebene, see Turpentine Substitute.
(A) Terneplates and receptacles made from terneplates, 15-8-16.
Textile, machinery, articles for, see Hides.
Textile pins, see Steel.
(B) Theobromine, sodium salicylate, 10-5-17.
(A) Theodolites and their component parts, 2-7-18.
(A) Thermometers, 17-11-16, 12-12-16.
Thimbles, see Ships' rigging.
(A) Thorium and its alloys, 12-12-16,
(B) Thorium, oxide and salts of, 10-5-17.
(A) Thread, see Cotton, Flax, Jute, Silk.
Thread milling hobs, see Tools.
(B) Thymol and its preparations, 10-5-17.
(A) Tin and alloys of tin, 8-2-18.
(B) Tin, manufactures of (not otherwise specifically prohibited), 10-5-17, 8-2-18, 12-4-18, 2-7-18.
(A) Tin, chlorides of, 8-2-18.
(B) Tin, compounds of (except chlorides and oxide of tin), 8-2-18.
(A) Tin ore, 8-2-18.
(A) Tin, oxide of, and mixtures and preparations containing tin oxide, 5-12-16, 10-5-17, 8-2-18.
(A) Tin plates and receptacles made wholly or partly made therefrom (not otherwise specifically prohibited), the following, 15-8-16, 12-4-18, 2-7-18 :—

Receptacles, empty ;
Bottles, cans, measures, pots, pans, tins and bowls, empty ;
Lamps ;
Bakery, dairy and domestic utensils ;
Gasmeters and component parts thereof.

(A) Tin plate scrap, including scrapped and disused receptacles wholly or partly made of tin plate, 11-6-18.
(A) Titanium, titanium alloys, and titanium ores, 10-5-17.
(A) Titanium compounds, 10-5-17.
(A) Tobacco, unmanufactured and manufactured, 4-7-16, 13-7-17, 27-11-17.
(A) Toluol and its compounds and preparations.
(A) Tomato pulp, 19-2-17.
Tomato seed, see Seeds.
Tongs, see Tools.
Tools, agricultural and farm, see Machinery, also Handles.
Tools, etc., for firearms, see firearms.
Tools, etc., for the filling and repair of rifle and shot gun cartridges, see Cartridges.
Tools, harness and saddlery, see Harness.
Tools, shoemakers', see Boots and Shoes, Material for.
(A) Tools, small, the following :—

Adzes, 27-11-17.
Augers, 27-11-17.
Bars, boring, jumping and pinching, 27-11-17.
Boring cutters, 27-7-16.
Braces and bits, 27-11-17.
Chisels, 27-11-17.
Choppers, 14-5-18.
Chucks, 26-7-16.
Cleavers, 14-5-18.
Cramps, 27-11-17.
Crowbars, 27-11-17.
Drilling posts, 27-11-17.
Files, other than shoemakers' seat files, 8-9-16.
Forks, stone, roadmaking and coke, 27-11-17.
Gimlets, 27-11-17.
Gouges, 27-11-17.
Hacksaws and their component parts, 22-6-17.
Hammers (hand varieties)' 27-11-17.

Knives, carpenters', coopers', farriers', glaziers', and painters', 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Lathe tools, 26-7-16.
Levels, spirit, 27-11-17.
Measuring tools, 26-7-16.
Milling cutters, 26-7-16.
Pincers, 27-11-17.
Pipe cutters, 27-11-17.
Planes, wood and iron, 27-11-17.
Railbenders (or jimcrows), 27-11-17.
Reamers, 26-7-16.
Road-scrapers, 14-5-18.
Saws, cross cut, frame and pit, 22-1-18.
Saws, hand, 27-11-17.
Screwdrivers (or turn screws), 27-11-17.
Screwing tackle, 26-7-16.
Shaves, coopers', 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Shears and snips, tinman's, 27-11-17.
Slitting saws, 26-7-16.
Spanners, 27-11-17.
Spokeshaves, 27-11-17.
Squares, carpenters', fitters' and smiths', 27-11-17.
Thread milling hobs, 26-7-16.
Tongs, farriers', 27-11-17.
Twist drills, 26-7-16.
Wedges, wood splitting, 14-5-18.
Wrenches, 27-11-17.

(B) Torpedoes and their component parts.
(B) Torpedo nets.
(B) Torpedo tubes.
Tramway fittings, see Castings.
Travellers, see Steel.
(A) Trional.
(A) Trioxymethylene.
(A) Triphenyl phosphate.
Troughs, see Hollow-ware.
Trunks, see Hollow-ware.
Tubes, see Boiler, Copper Manufactures, Iron, Shipbuilding Material, Steel, Torpedo, Umbrella.
(A) Tubs, washing, iron or steel, 12-4-18.
(A) Tungsten alloys, 22-6-17.
(A) Tungsten (except tungsten filaments for electric lamps).
(B) Tungsten filaments for electric lamps.
(B) Tungsten ores (including ferberite, hubnerite, scheelite and wolframite), 19-12-16.
(B) Tungsten, compounds, 10-5-17.
(A) Turnbuckles suitable for aeroplanes.
Turnip seed, see Seeds.
(A) Turpentine (oil and spirit), and articles containing turpentine, 18-12-17.
(A) Turpentine substitute, and articles containing turpentine substitute, 22-6-17, 27-11-17, 18-12-17.
Twine, see Binder, Jute.
Twist drills, see Tools, Small.
Typewriter cloth, see Cotton Manufactures.
(A) Typewriters and parts thereof, 13-7-17, 14-8-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Tyres for motor vehicles and for cycles (whether attached to a vehicle or cycle or not), together with articles and materials especially adapted for use in the manufacture or repair of tyres.

U

(A) Umbers and mixtures containing umbers, 2-7-18, 15-10-18.
(A) Umbrella ribs, tube and tube frames.
(A) Uniform clothing, 15-10-18.
(A) Uranium, alloys of uranium and uranium ores, 12-3-17.
(B) Urea and its compounds.
Urotropin, See Hexamethylene.

V

(A) Valerian rhizome, 15-10-18.
Valves for wireless telegraphic apparatus, see Telegraphs.
(B) Valves metal, of all descriptions, 14-8-17.
(B) Vanadium.
(B) Vanadium ore, 28-8-17.
(A) Vanillin, vanilla and vanilla pods, 22-6-17, 28-8-17, 2-7-18.
Vegetable fats, see Fats.
Vegetable ivory, see Ivory.
Vegetable oils, see Oils.
(A) Vegetables of all kinds whether fresh, dried, preserved, canned or bottled, 29-9-16, 12-12-16, 15-1-17, 10-5-17.
Venison, see Game.
Veronal, see Diethylbarbituric Acid.
(A) Vessels, 18-12-17.
(A) Vermicelli.
Vetch or taro seeds, see Seeds.
(A) Vices, 12-3-17, 27-11-17.
(B) Vinegar containing not more than 6 per cent. of acetic acid, 28-6-16.
(A) Vinegar essence and similar preparations containing more than 6 per cent. of acetic acid, 28-6-16.
Vulcanized fibre, see Insulating Materials.

W

Wadding, see Cotton.
(B) Waggons, four-wheeled, capable of carrying one ton or over, and their component parts.
Waggons, see Railway Carriages.
(A) Waggon covers.
Waste, see Cotton, Flax, Hair, Hemp, Jute, Leather, Linen, Mica, Oil, Paper, Pulpboard, Rubber, Silk, Sisal, Strawboard, Wool.
(B) Watches and watch movements, 18-10-17, 18-12-17.
(A) Wax, carnauba, 13-7-17.
(A) Wax, paraffin, 1-5-17.
(B) Waxed paper.
(B) Waxes, animal, mineral and vegetable not otherwise prohibited, 8-9-16, 1-5-17, 18-10-17.
(A) Waxes, composite, 18-10-17.
(B) Web equipment.
Wedges, wood splitting, see tools.
(A) Whalebone, 1-5-17.
(A) Whalebone meal, 1-5-17.
Whale cake, see Cakes and Meals.

(A) Whale fins, 1-5-17.
Whale meal, see Cakes and Meals.

(A) Wheat, wheat flour and wheat meal and all articles, mixtures and preparations containing wheat, wheat flour, or wheat meal.

Wheels, see Carts, Bicycles, Motor Vehicles, Railway Materials, Waggons.

(A) Willows, and osiers, 22-1-18.
Winches, see Shipbuilding material.
Windlasses, see Shipbuilding material.

(A) Wine, 19-12-16, 22-1-18.

(A) Wire, barbed, and galvanised wire, and implements for cutting or fixing such wire, 28-6-16, 10-5-17.

(A) Wire, card.

(A) Wire, heald.
Wire mattresses, see Mattresses.

(A) Wire, reed.

(A) Wire rods, and wire of iron or steel, and articles manufactured wholly of such wire rods or wire, 8-2-18.

Wire-winding machines, see Implements.

(B) Wires, insulated.

(A) Witch hazel bark and leaves, 15-10-18.

(B) Wolfenite.
Wolframite, see Tungsten ores.

(A) Wood and timber of all kinds, hewn, sawn, or split, planed or dressed, 29-9-16, 15-1-17, 2-2-17, 12-3-17.
See also Plywood.

Wood packing cases, see Packing.

(A) Wood pulp, 12-12-16.
Wood-pulp-board, see Paper.

(A) Wood screws, made of iron or steel, 29-9-16, 12-12-16, 18-10-17.
Wood tar, see Tar.
Wood tar oil, see Oils.
Wooden pegs, see Pegs.

(A) Wool grease, and articles and mixtures containing wool grease, 12-4-18.

Wool and Woollen Goods:—

Blankets, see Blankets.
Carpets, see Carpets.
Collar check, see below.
Felt, see Felt.
Rags, see below
Rugs, see Rugs, also Carpets.
(A) Saddle felt.
(A) Saddle serge.
Sheepskins, woolled or haired, see Sheepskins.
Shoddy, see below.

(A) Wool, raw and mixtures thereof, 8-9-16, 18-10-17.

(A) Wool tops and mixtures thereof, 18-10-17.

(A) Wool noils and wool waste and mixtures thereof, 18-10-17.

(A) Woollen and worsted yarn and mixtures thereof, 18-10-17.

(A) Woollen collar check.

(A) Woollen rags, shoddy and mungo applicable to other use than manure, 18-10-17.

(B) Wool, all manufactures, mixtures, and products of, except such as are prohibited to all destinations, 17-11-16, 8-3-18.

Wrappers, see Bags, Jute.

Wrenches, see Tools, small.

X

(A) X-ray apparatus, 14-5-18.

(A) Xylol and its compounds and preparations.

Y

Yarns, see Coir, Cotton, Flax, Hair, Jute, Silk, Wool.

(A) Yeast, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing yeast, 8-9-16, 22-6-17.

Yellow metal, see Copper.

Z

(A) Zinc, alloys of zinc, manufactures of zinc and zinc dust, 2-2-17.

(A) Zinc ashes.
Zinc barium pigments, see the various headings affecting zinc salts.

(B) Zinc chloride and sulphate, and mixtures containing zinc chloride, or sulphate.

(B) Zinc ore.

(A) Zinc oxide, and mixtures containing zinc oxide, 2-2-17, 14-8-17.

(A) Zinc sulphide and mixtures containing zinc sulphide, 10-5-17, 14-8-17.

(A) Zirconium and its alloys, 12-12-16.

(A) Zirconium compounds, 12-12-16.

(B) Zirconium minerals, 12-12-16.

LIST C.

Goods of every description [other than (1) printed† matter of all descriptions and, (2) personal effects accompanied by their owners], whether mentioned in the foregoing lists or not, are prohibited from export to all Destinations in European and Asiatic Russia and in other Foreign Countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean, except France and French Possessions, Italy and Italian Possessions, and Portugal, and to all Ports in any such Foreign Countries, in accordance with the Order of Council of 1st October 1918.

†As regards (1) it should be noted that certain forms of printed matter are prohibited under the prohibition on (B) Paper, etc.

Licences will continue to be granted, in approved cases, for the export of goods to the above countries (except Holland). In the case of Holland, licences will not be granted except in respect of the following goods* :—

Adding and calculating machines.
Alabaster for statutory purposes.
Artists' material, excluding oils and turpentines.
Athletic goods not containing rubber or leather.
Automobiles, passenger and spare parts, but not tyres or accessories.
Bicycles and spare parts, but not tyres or accessories.
Billiard balls of ivory.
Brushes, beard.
Brushes, moustache.
Buttons of bone or horn, or mother of pearl.
Carpets, Oriental, of high value.
Cash registers.
China.
China clay.
Clocks, including clocks for time checking.
Clothing (made up) of silk or mixed silk.
Coral.
Cutlery, the following :—
- Bowie knives.
- Bread knives.
- Budding knives.
- Butchers' knives.
- Carving forks.
- Carving knives.
- Cooks' knives.
- Dessert knives.
- Hunting knives.
- Painters' knives.
- Palette knives.
- Pocket knives.
- Pruning knives.
- Razors.
- Scissors.
- Shoemakers' knives.
- Table forks, steel.
- Table knives.

Dental burs.
Dental filling materials, other than such as contain platinum or other rare metals.
Diamonds other than industrial diamonds.
Drugs, etc., the following :—
- Acetyl salicylic acid.
- Aconite.
- Agaric.
- Althaca root.
- Amidol and substitutes.
- Argentamin.
- Arsenobillon.
- Arsenuous acid.
- Barium sulphate.
- Beta naphthol.
- Bromine.
- Butylchloralhydrate.
- Cacodylicate.
- Camomile.
- Chromic acid.
- Diethylbarbituric acid.
- Digitalis.
- Duboisin sulphuric.
- Eucaine.
- Ferric compounds.
- Ferrum redactum.
- Folia hyoscyami.
- Fructus feoniculi.
- Hydrobromic acid.
- Ichthyol.
- Inula root.
- Kharsevan.
- Metol.
- Nitrate of silver.
- Opium, alkaloids of.
- Paraldehyde.
- Phenacetin.
- Salicylic acid.
- Saltcake (subject to special conditions).
- Sodium arsenate.
- Sodium bromide.
- Sodium nitroprusside.
- Sodium salicylate.
- Veronal sodium.

Dyes and dyestuffs.
Earthenware.
Electro-plated goods and silverware containing not more than 5 per cent. of nickel or copper.
Feathers of high value.
Film, raw (subject to special conditions).
Films (subject to special conditions).
Flower seeds, except seeds of oil-bearing plants.
Flowers, artificial.
Fountain pens.
Furs of high value.
Gauge glasses.
Glassware.
Hair ornaments and combs, except such as are manufactured from casein or corozo.
Hardware (builders), if of iron or steel.
Hats, leather, imitation (made up as such).
Hats, felt, trimmed ready for wear.
Hats, straw.
Household furnishings, fixtures and equipment if manufactured of wood, iron, or steel.
Jwellery, imitation.
Laces, handmade, such as Maltese lace.
Laundry machinery not containing rubber or copper.
Ledgers, loose leaf and similar stationery (subject to special conditions).
Lighting fixtures, if of iron or steel.
Machinery for the manufacture of cotton goods.
Machinery, spare or replacement parts of (subject to special conditions).
Marble for statutory purposes.
Medical appliances, other than appliances containing rubber.
Morocco leather, small fancy goods.
Motor cycles and spare parts, but not tyres or accessories.
Mushrooms in bottles.
Musical instruments, except instruments composed entirely or mainly of metal.
Office furniture, equipment and supplies.
Oil paintings.

*Export licences will not be granted in respect of any article in this schedule should it contain an undue proportion of rubber, tin, copper, or lead.

Opera glasses for use in theatres.
Paper materials, fancy, for book covers.
Pen nibs.
Perfumery, but not essential oils.
Phonographs.
Phonographic records.
Photographic goods other than cinema films.
Pianos.
Pictures, reproductions of.
Pipes, tobacco.
Precious stones (real and imitation).
Printing presses, not containing an undue proportion of copper, nickel or antimony.
Razors, safety (and blades) not containing nickel or tin.
Ribbons, silk.
Saffron.
Salt, table.
Sanitary ware (plumbers' goods), if of iron or steel or earthenware, and sanitary earthenware with not more than 7½ per cent. in weight of brass fittings.
Scales and balances, not including weights of copper or brass.
Screw spanners for cycles.
Sewing machines.
Shrubs.
Silk manufactures, including yarn, thread and tissues of silk or mixed silk (but not raw silk, silk waste, silk noils, silk noil yarn, silk noil cloth, blotting cloth, silk tissues of all kinds of Asiatic manufacture, nor tissues of a similar character wherever made).
Spectacles.
Sugar-refining machinery (subject to special conditions).
Surgical appliances other than appliances containing rubber.
Teeth, artificial (except such as contain platinum, iridium, or other rare metals).
Toilet preparations (excluding soap) not in tin or lead containers and not containing more than 1 per cent. of glycerine.
Tooth brushes.
Toys.
Trimmings, silk.
Truffles, fresh or preserved.
Type-setting and type-casting machinery (excluding type metal).
Typewriters and spare parts and accessories (except typewriter ribbons not cut for use and except those over two inches wide).
Vanilla.
Wall paper.
Wines.

COMMERCE—WAR.

The 14th December 1918.

No. 654-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2043, dated the 27th April 1918, as subsequently amended, viz :—

Additions.

Deeks, S. J., Shanghai.
Hongkong Trading Company, Shanghai.
International Sleeping Car and Express Trains Company, Shanghai.
Societe Franco-Chinoise de Distillerie, Hankow.

Alteration.

Iah Leng Dispensary, Swatow.
should read
Yah Leng Dispensary (late Iah Leng Dispensary), Swatow.

Removal.

Grilk, G. J., Shanghai.

No. 724-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of the Notification in this Department No. 7154, dated the 27th July 1918, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the import and export of all goods, directly or indirectly, from and to Siam except such goods as are shipped by, or consigned to, the trading concerns in Siam named in the Schedule hereto attached :

Provided that nothing in this notification shall be deemed to authorise the import or export of any article, the import or export of which is prohibited by or under any enactment.

SCHEDULE.

SIAM WHITE LIST.

His Majesty's Diplomatic, Consular, Military and Naval Officers.
British Missionary Bodies and Missionary Bodies of Neutral and Allied Countries.
Abdoolally, H., Bangkok.
Abdoolcaium K. Saherwalla, Bangkok.
Adam, A. H. M., & Co., Bangkok.
Adamji Alibhai Dorajiwalla, Bangkok.
Adamsen, Dr. (Seekak Dispensary), Bangkok.
Ah Lee Koh (Yau See Tai Lee Kee), Nakon Lampang.
Alibhai Chinwalla, Bangkok.
American Presbyterian Mission Press, Bangkok.
Anglo-Siam Corporation, Ltd. (late Siam Forest Co., Ltd.), Bangkok.
Angullia, A., & Sons, Bangkok.
Apothecaries' Hall, Bangkok.
Arracan Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Asiatic Petroleum Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Assumption Printing Press, Bangkok.
Bahoojee, A. K., Bangkok.
Badman, H. A. & Co., Bangkok.
Bahadur, A. M., Bangkok.
Bamrung Nukulkij Printing Works (Luang Damrong Thamasarn), Bangkok.
Bangkok Dock Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Bangkok Manufacturing Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Bangkok Times, Bangkok.
Bangkok Travelling Agency, Bangkok.
Bangkok United Club, Bangkok.
Bangnon Syndicate, Renong.
Banque de l'Indo-Chine, Bangkok.
Barrow, Brown & Co., Limited, Bangkok.
Beranger, Malcolm (Maison Beranger), Bangkok
Berli, A., & Co., Limited, Bangkok.
Bhandakayacaba, Bangkok.
Bombay-Burma Trading Corporation, Limited, Bangkok and Chiengmai.
Boon Long, Bangkok.
Boon Mee Dispensary, Bangkok.
Bergersen, H. B., Bangkok.
Borneo Company, Limited, Bangkok and Chiengmai.
British-American Tobacco Company, Limited, Bangkok.
British Club, Bangkok.
British Dispensary, Bangkok.
Brohma Yodhee, Mrs. Luang (Pradit Sookonta), Bangkok.
Buan Hoa Seng & Co., Limited, Bangkok.
Buan Soon Lee & Co., Bangkok.
Budroodin, F. H , Bangkok.
Capper, J. C. (The Ceylon & Australia Produce Stores), Bangkok.
Cartwright, B. O., Bangkok.
Ceylon & Australia Produce Stores (Capper, J. C.), Bangkok.
Chapman, W. P., Bangkok.
Charoen Krung Dispensary, Bangkok.
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, Bangkok and Puket.
Cheng Kiat, L., Bangkok.
Chiengmai Mission Press, Chiengmai.
Chinese Mercantile Dispensary, Bangkok.
Chino-Siam Daily News, Bangkok.
Chino-Siamese Trading Company, Bangkok.
Chin Seng Huat, Bangkok
Chinwalla, Alibhai, Bangkok.
Choo Kwang Lee, Bangkok.
Chotirmall, K. A. J., & Co., Bangkok.
Chung Choo Guan Ah Fook, Bangkok.
City Dispensary, Bangkok.
Comptoir Francais du Siam, Bangkok.
Couper-Johnston, D., & Co., Bangkok.
Damrong Thamasarn, Luang (Bamrung Nukulkij Printing Works), Bangkok.
Dastakeer & Co., Bangkok.
Dawoodbhai, N., & Co., Bangkok.
Deebook Dredging, Renong.
Diana, A. & Co., Bangkok.
Dickinson, John & Co., Limited, Bangkok.
Diethelm & Co., Limited, Bangkok.
Dorajiwalla, A. A., Bangkok,
Dunlop, John M., Bangkok.
East Asiatic Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Eastern Smelting Company, Limited, Puket.
Edgar Brothers, Bangkok.
Educational Supply Association, Bangkok.
Esmailjee, A. T. (A. T. E. Maskati), Bangkok.
Excelsior Ice Factory, Bangkok.
Fook Loong & Co., Bangkok.
Foran, J. H. (Langkat Oil Company), Senggora.
Fraser & Neave, Limited, Bangkok.
French Dispensary, Bangkok.
Gain Singh Nandsing, Bangkok.
Gilitwala, E. E., Bangkok.
Goh Yong Chua, Bangkok.
Goriawalla, A. H. A., Bangkok.
Goriawalla, F. A., Bangkok.
Government Medical Depôt, Bangkok.
Gritters, Mrs., Bangkok.
Groundwater, C. L. & Co., Bangkok.
Gulamhusein Abdoolkader (Kader, G. A.), Bangkok.)
Guan Seng Soon (Nguan Seng Soon), Bangkok.
Habibar, Rahman, Bangkok.
Halim, B. A., & Co., Bangkok.
Hansen, Dr. C. C. (Lotus Dispensary), Bangkok.
Harp Heng Long, Bangkok.
Harp Vour Long & Co., Bangkok.
Harrison, Frank A., Puket and Paugnga.
Hock Chuan & Co., Bangkok.
Hoh Leng Dispensary, Bangkok.
Holck, H. de (Siam Packing Co.), Bangkok.
Hong Ching, Bangkok.
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Bangkok.
Hoosain, A. G., Bangkok.

Hosain, E. A., Bangkok.
Hotchand Vishandas & Co., Bangkok.
Husain, A. M., Bangkok.
Hussain, A., & Sons, Bangkok.
Hussainally Wasee, A. K. & Co., Bangkok.
Ikezaki, K., & Co., Bangkok.
International Store, Bangkok.
Jackson, Thomas Lee, Bangkok.
Jewaji Raja and Sons (M. Moosbhoy) (M. Moosbhoy Raja), Bangkok.
Johansen, P. & Co., Bangkok.
Joo Hoa Lee, Bangkok.
Kader, G. A. (Gulamhusein Abdool Kader), Bangkok.
Kaj Cotermall & Co. (see Chotirmall, K. A. J., & Co.), Bangkok.
Kasoojee, M. E., Bangkok.
Katib, E. M., Bangkok.
Katoo Dee Book, Renong.
Katz Brothers, Limited, Bangkok.
Kempton & Co., Bangkok.
Kerr & Co., Bangkok.
Kiam Hoa Heng & Co., Limited, Bangkok.
Kiam Hoa Seng & Co., Bangkok.
Kiau Seng Store, Bangkok.
King's College, Bangkok.
Kluzer, G., & Co., Bangkok.
Kwang, Ngee Hoa & Co., Bangkok.
Ladha Singh Bhagwan Singh, Bangkok.
Lakhwalla, E. A., & Co., Bangkok.
Lakhwalla, M. A., & Co., Bangkok.
Langkat Oil Co. (J. H. Foran), Senggora.
Legations of Allied Powers.
Legations of Neutral Powers.
Leong Chin Hang, Bangkok
Leonowens, Louis T., Limited, Bangkok, and Nakawn Lampang.
Lert, Nai, Bangkok.
Loh Buan Heng, Bangkok.
Loh Kye Juay & Co., Bangkok.
Lotus Dispensary (Dr. Hansen), Bangkok.
Luang Brohma Yodhee, Mrs. (Pradit Sookonta), Bangkok.
Luang Damrong Thamasarn (Bamrung Nukulkij Printing Works), Bangkok.
Luang Phipat Tanakorn, Bangkok.
Magan S. Dave, Bangkok.
Maire, A. J., Bangkok.
Maison Beranger (Beranger, Malcolm), Bangkok.
Malaya Tin Corporation, Renong.
Malbary, H. A., Bangkok.
Mama, Piroshaw F., Bangkok.
Mansoor Sahib, S. S., Bangkok.
Marican, M. T. S., Bangkok.
Marican, S. S., Bangkok.
Maskati, A. T. E. (Esmailjee, A. T.), Bangkok.
Maung Hpo Min, Nakawn Lampang.
Maung Ngwe Zin & Sons, Lampang.
Maw Jim, Bangkok.
Maw Kim (City Dispensary), Bangkok.
Maw Sooi Dispensary, Bangkok.
McBeth, J. J., Bangkok.
McFarland, Dr. G. B., Bangkok.
Meklong Railway Company, Bangkok.
Menam Motor-boat Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Meng Hong, Bangkok.
Michellis and Dimitrellis, Bangkok.
Ministries and Departments of the Royal Siamese Government.
Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Limited, Bangkok.
Mizokami, M., Bangkok.
Mogul, M. A., Bangkok.
Moh Tuan, Bangkok
Mohammed Meah, D. S., & Co., Bangkok.
Mohammed Ally Noorlbhai, Bangkok.
Monod, E. C., & Co., Bangkok.
Moosaji, M., & Co., Bangkok.
Moosbhoy, M. (Moosbhoy Raja) (Jewaji Raja & Sons), Bangkok.
Motiwalla, A. & F., Bangkok.
Motiwalla, E. J., & Co., Bangkok.
Motiwalla, F. A., Bangkok.
Nahas, A.. Bangkok.
Nai Lert, Bangkok.
Nai Sui (Phasadu Usamayon), Bangkok.
Nakhoda Osmanbhai Amirbhai, Bangkok.
Nana, A. E., & Co., Bangkok.
Nestle and Anglo-Swiss Condensed Milk Company, Bangkok.
Netherlands Trading Society.
Nguan Seng Soon (Guan Seng Soon), Bangkok.
Nooraddin Dawoodbhoi, Bangkok.
Noorbhai, Muhammed Ally, Bangkok.
Oriental Bakery, Bangkok.
Oriental Store, Bangkok.
Paknam Railway Company, Bangkok.
Pappayanopoulos, C., Bangkok.
Peng Hak Chieng (Tia Peng Ngee), Bangkok.
Pereira, E. M., & Co., Bangkok.
Pharnsuphaphon Printing Office, Bangkok.
Phasadu Usamayon (Nai Siu), Bangkok.
Phya Sri Kridikara (Sri Kridikara Phya), Bangkok.
Piroshaw, F., Mama, Bangkok.
Pisal Banniti (Printer), Bangkok.
Pollard, T. H., Bangkok.
Pradit Sookonta, Mrs. (Luang Brohma Yodhee), Bangkok.
Prince Royal's College. Chiengmai.
Puket Dispensary, Puket.
Ratanamala Company, Bangkok.
Ratrut Basin Tin Dredging Company, Renong.
Rochiram, J. R., Bangkok.
Rongpim Nangsú Pim Thai Mai, Bangkok.
Royal Bangkok Sports Club, Bangkok.
Royal Siamese State Railways, Bangkok.
Sae Thien & Co., Bangkok.
Salehbhai, A. R., & Co., Bangkok.
Sampson, John, & Son, Bangkok.
Samsen Power Station, Bangkok.
Sarafally, G. A., Bangkok.
See Kak Dispensary (Dr. Adamsen), Bangkok.
Selley, N. (Wat Debsirindr School), Bangkok.
Semprez & Co., Bangkok.
Seng Hong & Co., Bangkok.
Seow Hood Beng, Senggora.
Siah Leng, A., Bangkok.
Siah Leng Dispensary, Bangkok.
Siam Cement Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Siam Commercial Bank, Limited, Bangkok.
Siam Drug Store, Bangkok.
Siam Electricity Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Siam Forest Company, Limited. (See Anglo-Siam Corporation, Ltd., Bangkok.)

Siam Free Press Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Siam Hides & Leather Co., Ltd., Bangkok.
Siam Import Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Siam Industries Syndicate, Bangkok.
Siam Motor Works, Limited, Bangkok.
Siam Observer Press, Limited, Bangkok.
Siam Packing Co. (H. de Holck), Bangkok.
Siam Perfumery Store (M. Towfique), Bangkok.
Siam Produce Co. (The), Bangkok.
Siam Stamp Company, Bangkok.
Siam Trading Co. (The), Bangkok.
Siamese State Railways.
Siamese Tin Syndicate, Puket-and Renong.
Siamese Tobacco Company, Bangkok.
Siamwalla, D. H. A., Bangkok.
Siamwalla, F. A., Bangkok.
Sin Sin Ha, Bangkok.
Singer Sewing Machine Company, Bangkok.
Siribhand Store, Bangkok.
Siu Nai (Phasadu Usamayon), Bangkok.
Smith Premier Typewriter Company, Bangkok.
Société Anonyme Belge, Bangkok.
Sophon Printing Office, Bangkok.
Spicer Bros. (Colonial and Foreign), Ltd., Bangkok.
Sri Kridikara, Phya (Phya Sri Kridikara), Bangkok.
Sri Phranakarn, Bangkok.
Sriracha Company, Limited, Bangkok.
Standard Oil Company, Ltd., Bangkok.
Staro, Mme. A., Bangkok.
Steel Brothers & Co., Limited, Bangkok.
Stephens, Paul & Co., Bangkok.
Straits & China Textile Co., Ltd., Bangkok.
Straits Trading Company, Ltd., Puket.
Sutton, N., Bangkok.
Swanson, J. H., Bangkok.
Swanson & Sehested, Bangkok.
Swee Ho, H., Bangkok
Syme & Co., Bangkok.
Tachin Railway Company, Bangkok.
Tatner, F., Bangkok.
Tay, K. C. (Dentist), Bangkok.
Tayeb & Co., Bangkok.
Tayebally, A. H., & Co., Bangkok.
Thakur Singh Lahda Singh, Bangkok.
Thonakitch Raxa Phya, Bangkok.
Tia Peng Ngee (Peng Hak Chieng), Bangkok.
Tilleke, Dr. R. E. G., Bangkok.
Tilleke & Gibsons, Bangkok.
Tisseman, S., & Co., Bangkok.
Tongkah Compound, Puket.
Tongkah Harbour Tin Dredging Company, Puket.
Towfique, M. (Siam Perfumery Store), Bangkok.
Tung Who & Co , Bangkok.
Undertakers Supply Stores, Bangkok.
Union Dispensary, Bangkok.
United Engineers, Limited, Bangkok.
Vacuum Oil Company, Bangkok.
Viraj Chanthorn, Bangkok.
Walker, Dr. C. C., Bangkok.
Wall, Norman (Agent for C. Faberge, Ltd., Petrograd), Bangkok.
Wasee, A. K. H., & Co., Bangkok.
Wasiamull Assomull & Co., Bangkok.
Whiteaway, Laidlaw & Co., Limited, Bangkok.
Wing Yuen & Co., Bangkok.
Yan See Tai Lee Kee (Ah Lee Koh), Nakon Lampang.
Yamaguchi, G., & Co., Bangkok.
Yee Sae, Bangkok.
Young Lee & Co., Bangkok.
Young Lee Seng & Co., Bangkok.
Yong Mong Lee, Bangkok.
Yong Nguan, Bangkok.

CUSTOMS—WAR.

The 14th December 1918.

No. 813-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 3075, dated the 11th May 1918, as subsequently amended :—

Delete the following entries–

(*A*) Boots and shoes.

(*C*) Cotton sewing thread.

(*A*) Tents.

(*A*) Woollen and worsted manufactures, other than carpets.

No. 894-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel the notification in this Department No. 325-C. W. D., dated the 23rd December 1916.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 14th December 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 13th December 1918.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

12th Eastern Bengal Railway Battalion.

No. 2882.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Captain to be Major.

Frederick Hickie Bibra, V.D. Dated 7th September 1918.

Lieutenant to be Captain.

James Samuel Goss. Dated 7th September 1918.

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

Arthur Robert Gundry. Dated 7th September 1918.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 2885.—The following acting promotions and relinquishments of acting rank are notified, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

* * * * * * *

10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

Lieutenant J. G. Drummond, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain (with pay and allowances as for a Lieutenant), while holding the appointment of Adjutant. Dated 6th November 1918, *vice* Lieutenant P. J Charles, vacated with effect from 6th November 1918.

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A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General*,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Indian Munitions Board, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 14th December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 7th Decem'er 1918.

No. G.-1270.—With reference to the Indian Munitions Board's Notification No. G.-678, dated the 24th June 1918, which appeared in the *Gazette of India*, Part I, dated the 29th June 1918, and in which were published certain orders made by the Governor General in Council with effect from the 15th day of July 1918, for the purpose of requiring returns of stocks of, and of restricting the purchase, sale, delivery of, or other dealing in the following materials, namely :—

Steel plates,
Galvanized and black iron sheets,
Steel or iron beams, girders, bars, channels, angles and other rolled sections,
Steel wire ropes,
Steel scrap,
Tin plates, and
Copper tubing,

the Governor General in Council is pleased hereby to cancel the said orders with effect from the date hereof.

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

The following resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 19th December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDER OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 19th December 1918.

No. 165-I..E.—His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to, and promotions in, the said Order, for services brought to notice in His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief's Despatch No. 17445-1, dated 20th August 1918, which was published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 7th December 1918, under Army Department Notification No. 2856 :—

To be Knights Commanders.

The Hon'ble Major-General Alfred Horsford Bingley, C.B., C.I.E., Indian Army.

The Hon'ble Mr. Godfrey Butler Hunter Fell, C.S.I., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service.

Lieutenant-General Thomas Joseph O'Donnell, C.B., D.S.O., Army Medical Service.

Major-General Godfrey Williams, C.B., British Service.

To be Companions.

Colonel Herbert James Barratt, Army Medical Service.

Colonel Samuel Cowell Philson, Army Medical Service (since deceased).

Brevet-Colonel Rowland Hill Martin, C.B., C.M.G., The Norfolk Regiment.

Brevet-Colonel The Earl of Radnor, T.D., Territorial Force Reserve.

Major (temporary Colonel) Harry John Mahon, Indian Defence Force.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick William Bagshawe, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Edward Geoghegan, Supply and Transport Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Harold Whiteman Woodall, The Dorsetshire Regiment.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Herbert Grenville Le Mesurier, Royal Engineers.

Major Rollo St. John Gillespie, Royal Engineers.

By Order of the Grand Master,

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 19th December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 19th December 1918.

No. 3988-I.C.—His Imperial Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, for services brought to notice in His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief's Despatch No. 17445-1, dated the 20th August 1918, which was published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 7th December 1918, under Army Department Notification No. 2856 :—

To be Commanders.

Colonel William Molesworth, C.I.E., M.B., V.H.S., Indian Medical Service.
Colonel Alfred William Sheen, M.B., Royal Army Medical Corps. (T. F.)
Colonel Charles Herbert Shepherd, D.S.O., The Lincolnshire Regiment.
Colonel Walter William Marriott Smith, Royal Artillery.
Brevet-Colonel Attiwell Henry Wood, The Royal Irish Rifles.

To be Officers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Percy Drayson, The East Surrey Regiment.
Lieutenant Colonel George Kemp Walker, C.I.E., F.R.C.V.S., Indian Defence Force.
Major Albert Elijah Walter, Indian Medical Service.
Lieutenant (temporary Major) George Herbert Ramsay Halland, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.
Captain (temporary Major) Arthur John Clifton, The Durham Light Infantry.

J. B. WOOD,
Political Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 19th December 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 19th December 1918.

REWARDS.

No. 2935.—His Imperial Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, for services brought to notice in His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief's Despatch No. 17445-1, dated the 20th August 1918, which was published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 7th December 1918, under Army Department Notification No. 2856 :—

To be Members of the Military Division of the Second Class or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Order.

Major-General Edward Sinclair May, C.B., C.M.G., British Service.
Major-General (temporary Lieutenant-General) Sir George Macaulay Kirkpatrick, K.C.S.I., C.B., British Service.

No. 2936.—His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for services brought to notice in His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief's Despatch No. 17445-1, dated the 20th August 1918, which was published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 7th December 1918, under Army Department Notification No. 2856:—

To be Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major (temporary Brigadier-General) William Desmond Villiers-Stuart, Indian Army.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Percy Lynes Grove, The Cheshire Regiment.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) George Burnet Abercrombie Rind, Indian Army.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Ronald Campbell Ross, D.S.O., Indian Army.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 21st December 1918, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

GEOLOGY AND MINES ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 21st December 1918.

No. 13634.—Mr. J. J. Turnbull, Junior Inspector of Mines in India, is permitted to resign the service with effect from the 31st January 1919.

SHIPPING CONTROL.

The 21st December 1918

No. 1100-D.—Mr. S. H. Fremantle, C.I.E., I.C.S., is appointed Controller of Passages with effect from the 17th December 1918.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, in the Indian Munitions Board, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 21st December 1918, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 18th December 1918.

No. E.-497.—The services of Mr. J. C. Nixon, I.C.S., Assistant Controller of Munitions, Bengal Circle, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the 2nd December 1918.

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Rangpur.

No. 3093L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Dimla, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union:—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Bhogdabari, south-west portion.	9	Bhogdabari— Part I ... 1 South-west portion.	East— Cooch Behar and Ketkibari ... 34 South— Chamdkhana ... ... 3 Badalganj ... ... 2 West— Jalpaiguri. North— A straight line joining the north-east corner of Dhoda Das' house on the border of Cooch Behar with the north-east corner of the house of Gadla Das; thence a straight line to the north-east corner of the house of Sobradu; from there a straight line to the north-east corner of the house of Nilu; thence a straight line across the railroad to the north-west corner of the houses of Dhepra Das; from there a straight line to the north-east corner of the house of Faringa Das; thence a straight line to the north-east corner of the house of Chini Singh and a straight line in continuation of the same to the border of Jalpaiguri district.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Bhogdabari Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 3095L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Dimla, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Gumnati...	9	Ambari ... 33 Gumnati ... 35	North— Ketkibari ... ... 34 Kuch Behar. East— Sobhanganj ... ... 36 Balapara ... ... 37 Sundarkhata ... ... 50 South— Jorabari (part) ... ... 5 Bamania ... ... 32 Panga ... ... 31 West— Chandkhana ... ... 3 Jorabari (part) 5

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Gumnati Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act

Rangpur.

No. 3098L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885 , the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Dimla, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with its numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Naotara ...	9	Naotara ... 47	North— Arazi. Kharibari ... ... 48 Gayabari (part) ... ... 46 East— Gayabari (part) ... ... 46 Thana Jaldhaka. South— Khamar Chira Satya (Part) 54 West— Kharibari Khaga ... ... 49 Dimla Mahammadganj ... ... 52 Khamar Chira Satya (part) ... 54

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Naotara Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 3096L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Nilphamari, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Gorgram (north-west portion.)	9	Gorgram ... 4 (north-west portion.)	North— Jalpaiguri district Gorgram No. 3, Arazi Daluapara No. 2 and Dalua No. 1. East— Chatura Bargacha No. 29. South— A straight line drawn from the south-east corner of Darpa Barman's house to the south-west corner of Basaratulla's house and then a straight line drawn to the south-west corner of Indur Mahammad's house, and from there a straight line drawn to the south-west corner of Kanchia Dafadar's house, and thence a straight line drawn to the south-east corner of the timber iron bridge on District Board Road No. 41 over the river Buri-Tista. West— Dinajpur district.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Gorgram Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 3100L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, into a union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Khalisha-Chapani.	9	Chapani Jot ... 87 Chapani Khalisa ... 88 Biru ... 89 Dalia ... 90 Chapani Kakina ... 91	North— Khata Chhota ... 92 Thana Dimla. East— Baispukhuria ... 97 Chaturama ... 98 Chapani Jhunagacha ... 86 South— Thana Dimla. Chapani Jhunagacha ... 86 West— Thana Dimla

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Committee of the said Khalisha-Chapani Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 3097L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Dimla, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Chatnai (north west portion).	9	Chatnai ... 39	North and West— Cooch Behar. East— Jharsingeswar ... ... 40 South— Balapara ... ... 37 A straight line from the south-east corner of the house of Ajin at the junction of mauza Balapara and Chatnai to the south-east corner of the house of Sabda Barman ; thence a straight line to the south-east corner of zamindary kutchery ; from there a straight line to the south-east corner of the house of Dharpara Das ; thence another straight line to the south-east corner of the house of Hari Mohan and from there a straight line to the tri-junction of mauzas Jharsingeswar, Chatnai, Union No. I and Union No. II.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Chatnai Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 3101L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Jaldhaka...	9	Bognagari ... 57 Changmari ... 58 Cherenga ... 59 Ditto ... 81	North— Balagram ... ... 5 Salangaon ... ... 6 East— Nekbakt Ubraom ... ... 62 Solmari ... ... 105 South— Khutamara ... ... 55 Changmari ... ... 60 Gabrol ... ... 80 West— Simulbari ... ... 9 Kathali ... ... 10 Desibai 56

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Jaldhaka Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 3099L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.	Boundaries of the Union.
Rangpur ...	Solmari ...	9	Nekbakt Ubraon 82 Siddheshwari ... 104 Solmari ... 105 (portion)	North— Golmunda ... ... 83 Haldibari ... ... 102 (part) East— Haldibari ... ... 102 (part—Char). River Tista. A straight line joining the north-east corner of Bhola's house on the bank of the river Tista to the south-east corner of Thagur Nasya's house; thence a straight line to the north-east corner of Kana's house and from there another straight line to the north-east corner of Keramat's house. South— Kaumari ... ... 107 Bodi ... ... 106 Gabrol ... . 80 West— Cherenga ... ... 81 Balagram 5

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the Committee of the said Solmari Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Burdwan.

No. 3039L.S.-G.—The 16th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Burdwan District Board of Raja Moni Lall Singh Roy to be their Chairman.

Rangpur.

No. 3102L.S-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Jaldhaka Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 3103L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Naotara Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 3104L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Bhogdabari (south-west portion) Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 3105L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Gorgram (north-west portion) Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 3106L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph I (*a*) of Notification No. 317½T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Chatnai (north-west portion) Union, in the district of Rangpur, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 3107L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G, dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Jaldhaka Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 3108L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Naotara Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur.

No. 3109L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Bhogdabari (south-west portion) Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur. *No. 3110L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Gorgram (north-west portion) Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Rangpur. *No. 3111L.S.-G.—The 19th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 1428L.S.-G., dated the 18th May 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Chatnai (north-west portion) Union, in the district of Rangpur, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Khulna. *No. 3131L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A (*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint the District Magistrate of Khulna to be Chairman of the District Board of Khulna.

Nadia. *No. 3133L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A (*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint the District Magistrate of Nadia to be Chairman of the District Board of Nadia.

Hooghly. *No. 3043M.—The 16th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Bansberia Municipality, in the district of Hooghly :—

Babu Bishnu Charan Mukharji.
„ Bepin Behari De.
Kazi Golam Rahaman.

Burdwan. *No. 3045M.—The 16th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Katwa Municipality, in the district of Burdwan :—

Babu Manmatha Nath Chatarji.
„ Jogendra Lal Saha.
Maulvi Abdus Sattar.
Munshi Enayetulla Khan.

24-Parganas. *No. 3078M.—The 19th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. J. W. Simson to be a Commissioner of the Titagarh Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. W. Bryce, resigned.

24-Parganas. *No. 3080M.—The 19th December 1918.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*, of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Titagarh Muncipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas under sect on 27 of that Act, electing Mr. T. H. Laird to be Chairman of that Municipality, *vice* Mr. C. L. Thomson, resigned.

No. 3081M.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, under section 23 of that Act, electing Babu Hem Chandra Dutt Gupta, to be their Chairman.

Nadia.

No. 3089M.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Gobordanga Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Suresh Chandra Mitter, L.M.S.
„ Sarat Chandra Rakhit.
„ Haris Chandra Bal.

2. Under section 16 of the Act the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Jugat Prasanna Mukharji to be a Commissioner of the said Municipality.

No. 3091M.—The 19th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Barasat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Narendra Nath Dutta.
„ Hemanta Kumar Sen.
Munshi Abul Khair.
Maulvi Ertaza Hossain.
Munshi Abdul Basid.
Maulvi Abdul Jubbar.

No. 3117M.—The 20th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Asansol Municipality, in the district of Burdwan :—

Burdwan.

The Subdivisional Officer, Asansol ...	*Ex-officio.*
The District Engineer, East Indian Railway ...	
The District Traffic Superintendent, East Indian Railway	
The District Medical Officer, ditto	
The Loco-Foreman, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Asansol ...	
The District Loco Superintendent, East Indian Railway	
The Junior Engineer, East Indian Railway,	

Babu Nishikanta Chaudhuri.
„ Panna Lal Marwari.
Munshi Abdul Latif.
Maulvi Abul Fazl.
Babu Bagala Prasad Chakravarty.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act, the Subdivisional Officer, Asansol, to be Chairman *ex officio* of the Municipality.

No. 3142M.—The 23rd December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling :—

Darjeeling.

The Civil Medical Officer of Kurseong	*Ex officio.*
The Assistant Engineer, Public Works Department, Kurseong.	

The Hon'ble Mr. Henry Raikes Alexander Irwin, C.I.E.
Rev. Henry Cecil Duncan.

2. Under section 16 of the Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the said Municipality :—

Babu Radhica Prasad Bhattacharji.
" Suresh Chandra Banarji.
" Charu Chandra Basu.
" Tickbir Rai.
" Baidya Nath Banarji.
Maulvi Azizul Haq.

No. 3147M.—The 24th December 1918.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 569 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the following amendments made by the Corporation of Calcutta under clause (*b*) of section 73 of that Act, in the Rules regulating the grant of leave, leave-allowances and acting allowances to Municipal Officers and servants sanctioned in the Bengal Government Notification No. 1569M., dated the 5th December 1910, as subsequently amended, namely :—

1. *For* rules 16, 25, 36 and 43 of the said Rules *substitute* the following rules, respectively :—

"16. Privilege leave to the amount due may be prefixed as such to other leave, whether at the time of the original grant, or subsequently, should circumstances require an extension of the leave originally granted."

"25 To an officer who has been on duty, without interruption for eleven calendar months, the whole or any part of the privilege leave due to him may be granted. But when privilege leave is combined with other leave, the amount due may be granted irrespective of this condition."

"36. To an officer who has rendered three years' continuous service, furlough for not more than two years may be granted as follows :—

(*a*) On medical certificate, unconditionally.
(*b*) Without medical certificate, subject to the following conditions :—
(*i*) that the furlough be due to him ;
(*ii*) that he has rendered eight years' active service."

"43. Furlough may be granted as follows :—

(*a*) after ten years' service, one year or anyless period, and thereafter, at intervals of not less than eight years, one year or such other period as together with all periods already spent on furlough, may not exceed two years ; or

(*b*) after eighteen years' service, two years or any less period, and thereafter, at intervals of not less than eight years, any such period as together with all periods already spent on furlough, may not exceed two years :

Provided that the service for furlough of an officer who has had special leave on urgent private affairs, counts only from the date of his last return from such leave :

Provided also that the aggregate amount of furlough or of furlough and special leave on urgent private affairs taken together, shall not exceed two years.

NOTE.—Leave on medical certificate counts as service for furlough.

2. After rule 46 *add* the following as rule 46A :—

"46A. Maternity leave of absence from duty, certified by the Health Officer, may be granted on full pay by the Municipal authority concerned to any married female in the service of the Corporation for a period which shall not ordinarily exceed two months, but which may be extended to three months at the discretion of the sanctioning authority. Such leave will not prejudice the applicant's claim to privilege leave, but it may not be combined with any leave, except medical leave or extraordinary leave without allowance."

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention to define the general line of buildings on each side of the eastern end of the public street known as Jadunath Mitra Lane in Ward No. 1 to a width of 16 feet, and no objection having been received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, made an order under section 350 (*4*) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899 on the 12th day of December 1918 defining the said line in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 31st day of October 1918.

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 20th December 1918.*

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES OF BENGAL AND BIHAR AND ORISSA, 1919.

THE examination will be held at the following centres according to the following routine :—

Bengal.—Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (for Khulna), Dacca, Rajshahi, Pabna and Rangpur.

Bihar and Orissa.—Bhagalpur.

Standard time.	8 to 11 A.M	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, 7th March...	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, 8th „ ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Monday, 10th „ ...	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, 11th „ ...	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Elementary Engineering.
Wednesday, 12th „ ...	Surveying ...	Modern English I.
Thursday, 13th „ ...	Modern English II ...	Elementary Science.

[NOTE.—The Manual Training Examination will commence at 8 A M on 7th March, and will extend over two or more periods as may be determined by the Examiner.]

2. The examination will be conducted under the general supervision of the B Final Examination Board, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. All applications for admission to the examination must be despatched by the Principals and Head Masters of the institutions concerned so as to reach the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, who is Secretary to the Board, by the 16th January 1919. No candidate whose application has not reached the Principal by that date will be admitted to the examination.

3. The fee for admission to the examination is Rs. 12, which will in no case be returned. Candidates must pay the fees when registering their names with the Head Master or Principal, who will deposit the money in the Local Treasury and send the Treasury receipt with the application forms to the Secretary.

4. The prescribed Registration form must be used and the full details shown as required thereon. Forms may be obtained from the Secretary on application.

B. HEATON,

Secretary, B Final Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 6th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Two State Scholarships in Sanskrit of £200 per annum for Indians° for the year 1919.

°[Including those who, though born or temporarily resident in Native States, are domiciled in British India but excluding subjects of Native States and members of the European and Anglo-Indian domiciled community.]

THE scholarships will be awarded by the Government of India to Indians to acquire critical and scientific methods of Western scholarship in Sanskrit of the value of £200 a year.

2. The language scholars are not expected to join colleges; but when they join colleges in Oxford or Cambridge with the permission of the Secretary of State for India their allowance will then be increased to £250 per annum.

3. The scholarships are tenable in Europe and for a period of two years in the first instance with possibility of extension.

4. The scholarships will carry with them no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectations of such employment are held out.

5. The scholarships are open to well-qualified students with a genuine taste for Sanskrit studies and to those already employed as Professors of Sanskrit.

6. Intending candidates who are natives of Bengal or domiciled in Bengal are requested to make application to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, on forms obtainable from the Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, on or before January 15th, 1919, with a medical certificate of fitness to undergo a course of study abroad.

7. Selected scholars are required to lodge with the Education Adviser for Indian Students at the India Office before their arrival in England the sum of £25 for initial expenses. They will have no claim to payment of any instalment of their scholarship until this deposit has been made.

8. State scholars are required to proceed to England within a reasonable time from the date of their selection so as to arrive there not later than the middle of September and to reside there for the period of their scholarship, unless compelled to return sooner in consequence of ill-health. The scholarship will be payable from the date on which the scholars report their arrival in England. Selected scholars will be provided with a second-class passage to England and also with a second-class return passage if they carry out the instructions of the Secretary of State and complete the full period of residence, or are compelled by sickness to return within that period.

9. Necessary travelling expenses of scholars abroad by second class or by third class, if no second be available, will be defrayed by the Secretary of State. Travelling expenses in the United Kingdom will be borne by the scholars themselves. Charges for University and College fees, for private tuition, for books, hotel bills and medical attendance must be borne by the scholars and will not be defrayed by the Secretary of State.

10. For further particulars pages 1143 to 1155 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 21st June 1916, may be consulted.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

State Scholarship of £200 per annum tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries by *Indian Girls or Women.

*[Including those who, though born or temporarily resident in Native States, are domiciled in British India, but excluding subjects of Native States and members of the European and Anglo-Indian domiciled community.]

THE scholarship will be granted for medical, and occasionally for other educational or professional, courses and will be tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries, for a period of three years in the first instance, with a possibility of extension to five years. The scholarship will carry with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectation of such employment is held out.

2. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates from Bengal are requested to make application to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, not later than 31st January 1919. The application should be accompanied by (1) evidence of having obtained a degree of an Indian University in medicine or educational or professional courses; (2) a medical certificate of fitness to undergo, abroad, the course of study proposed; (3) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that she is a native of Bengal or domiciled in Bengal and of purely Indian parentage; (4) full details including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of her academical career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed; (5) full address of the candidate.

3. The State scholar is required to proceed to England within a reasonable time from the date of her selection, so as to arrive there not later than the middle of September, and to reside there for the period of her scholarship, unless compelled to return sooner in consequence of ill health. The scholarship will be payable from the date on which the scholar reports her arrival in England. The selected candidate will be provided with a second class passage to England, and with a second class return passage if she completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

4. Charges for University and college fees, for private tuition, for books, instruments, hotel bills, medical attendance and travelling (except the two journeys between England and India) are not defrayed by the Secretary of State.

5. For further particulars pages 1143 to 1155 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 21st June 1916, may be consulted.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 7th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned candidate is awarded a post-graduate scholarship of Rs. 100 a month for a period from the date on which he actually undertakes research up to 30th June 1919:—

Serial No.	Name of scholar.	Subject of research.	Place of work.
1	Babu Haridas Mitra, M.A.	Comparative Philology	Varendra Research Society, Rampur-Boalia.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE "Dutt Scholarship" of Rs. 14 a month, tenable for one year with effect from the 1st June 1918, is awarded to Dhirendra Nath Pal, who matriculated from the Keshab Academy, Calcutta. and stood first in literature among the successful candidates at the Matriculation Examination of 1918.

The scholarship is tenable at the Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 13th December 1918.*

NOTIFICATION.

Award of Endowed Prizes for Muhammadans, 1918.

Serial No.	Name.	School.	Prize.	Value.
				Rs.
1	Abdul Hai ...	Calcutta Madrassa	Prince Jehan Kader Mirza Bahadur's Ripon Prize	20
2	Muhammad Ishaq ...	Ditto	Nawab Zainul Abedin Khan Bahadur's Ripon Prize	20
3	Nuruzzaman ...	Ditto	Muhammadan Literary Society's Ripon Prize	20
	Mohiuddin Ahmad ...	Ditto	Ditto ditto ...	20
4	Muhammad Qasim Khan...	Ditto	Sahibzada Muhammad Rahimuddin's Ripon Prize	20
	Abdul Hamid ...	Ditto	Ditto ditto ...	20
5	Madammad Ibrahim ...	Ditto	Maulvi Kassim Ariff's Ripon Prize ...	20
6	Sharfuddin ...	Ditto	Maulvi Syed Aley Ahmed's Ripon Prize ...	20
7	Muhammad Azahar Hossain	Ditto	Sahibzada Muhammad Nasiruddin Hyder's Ripon Prize	12
8	Momtazuddin Ahmad ...	Ditto	Mirza Abdul Karim Shirazee's Ripon Prize	12
9	Mohammad Abdul Ghaffur	Dhubri Government High School.	Muhammadan Defence Association's Shamsul Alam Memorial Prize ...	10

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following students are re-awarded junior scholarships and stipends on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1918 :—

[They take effect from the 1st June 1918 for two years.]

DACCA DIVISION.

Special scholarship of Rs. 10 a month for Muhammadans.

1 Salauddin Ahamed Yusuf ... Dacca Collegiate School. Dacca College.

Mohsin scholarship of Rs. 8 a month.

1 Aziz Uddin Ahmad ... Barisal Zilla School.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION (INCLUDING CALCUTTA TOWN).

Mohsin Fund stipends of Rs. 5 a month each.

1 Daud Ali ... ... Barasat Government High School.
2 Hazi Niaz Ahmed ... Damkal High School.

DACCA DIVISION.

1 Muhammad Asan Ali ... Kandua Spry Institution.
2 Muhammad Mahsinuddin Khan ... ... Sibchar Nandakumar Institution.
2 Khondkar Abdus Sobur ... Sherpur Victoria Academy.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1 Mafizuddin ... ... Jahapur K. K. Academy.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1 Abdul Aziz Sarkar ... Bogra Zilla School.
1 Nur Mahammad Shah Chaudhury ... ... Dinajpur High School.

Amir-i-Kabir scholarship of Rs. 10 a month.

1 Syed Ittehad Ali ... Calcutta Madrasah.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following students are re-awarded the vacant junior scholarships and stipends on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917 :—

[They take effect from 1st June 1918 for one year.]

BIRBHUM DISTRICT.

Third grade Junior scholarship of Rs. 10 a month.

Sasadhar Mandal ... Labpur J. L. High English School.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

Special scholarship of Rs. 10 a month for Muhammadans.

Efazuddin Ahmad ... Bogra Zilla School.

Mohsin scholarship of Rs. 8 a month.

Mahmed Sekandar ... Noakhali Zilla School.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

Mohsin Fund stipends of Rs. 5 a month each.

Muhammad Omar Khan ... M. L. Jubilee Institute, Calcutta.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

Shaikh Rahim Baksh ... Raniganj High School.

DACCA DIVISION.

Abdur Rahaman ... Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
Abdul Malek . Araihazar High School.
Muhammad Gholam Mowla Dhalla High School.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

Muhammad Arif ... Noakhali Zilla School.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

Rakibulla Ahmad ... Kurigram High School.

Special scholarship of Rs. 10 a month for girls.

Premamala Sinha ... Vidyamayee High School for Girls, Mymensingh.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following students are re-awarded the vacant senior scholarships and stipends on the combined results of the Intermediate Examinations in Arts and Science of 1917 :—

[They take effect from 1st June 1918 for one year.]

First grade scholarship of Rs. 25 a month.

1. Bhabes Chandra Mukhopadhyay ... Dacca College ... Presidency College, Calcutta.

Second grade scholarship of Rs. 20 a month.

1. Upendra Kumar Ray ... Jagannath College, Dacca.

Special scholarships of Rs. 20 a month each for girls.

1. Bella Anges Probal ... Diocesan College, Calcutta.
2. Kamal Kumari Maitra ... Bethune College, Calcutta.
3. Roma Dutt ... Ditto ... Bethune College.
4. Monica Bhowmic ... Ditto.
5. Lina Ghose ... Ditto.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

Mohsin Fund stipends of Rs. 5 a month each.

1. Emdad Ali Biswas ... Edward College, Pabna.
2. Ijjot Ali Mollah ... Ditto.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following students are re-awarded the vacant senior scholarships and stipends on the combined results of the Intermediate Examinations in Arts and Science of 1918 :—

[They take effect from 1st June 1918 for two years.]

Second grade scholarship of Rs. 20 a month.

1 Anadinath Maitra .. Rajshahi College.

Mohsin scholarships of Rs. 14 a month each.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1 Shaikh Muhammad Towakkel Ali ... ... Hooghly College, Krishnagar College.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1 Abul Kasem Fazlul Haque Rajshahi College. Rajshahi College.

Mohsin Fund stipends of Rs. 5 a month each.

DACCA DIVISION.

1 Moazzem Hossain ... Brajo Mohon College, Barisal.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1 Ishaquar Rahman ... Chittagong College.

J. W. GUNN,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd December 1918.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4T.B.—The 20th December 1918.—In continuation of Notification No. 3T.B., dated the 21st November 1918, the following supplementary list of

text-books approved for use in schools in Bengal for the year 1919 is published for general information.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

VERNACULAR SCHOOLS, EASTERN BENGAL.

LIST B.

Bengali Literature.

Middle Vernacular Classes.

Class VII—

Suniti Sudha. Akshoy Kumar Datta-Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. (Ashutosh Dhar, Ashutosh Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Sahitya Bikash. Muhammad Nur Miah. (Prankumar Guha.) As. 6.

Niti Ratna. Sarat Chandra Dhar. (Harish Ch. Sarkar.) As. 8.

Suprabandha. Tara Prasanna Gangopadhyaya. (Syam Chandra Datta, Santosh Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Adarsha Chayan. Jitendra Mohan Das Gupta, B.A. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Sahitya Sourabha. Sasi Bhusan Kabiratna. (Messrs. Sarat Chandra Datta and Sons.) As. 10.

Prabandha Prasun. Sarat Chandra Dhar. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Kanak Path. Jagadananda Roy. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Suprabhat. Devendra Kumar Chakravarti. (Author.) As. 7.

Sukabita. Tara Prasanna Gangopadhyaya. (Syam Chandra Dutta, Santosh Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

Class VI—

Jnan Mala. Prafulla Chandra Basu, B.Sc. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh, Presidency Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

Lalit Gatha. Rasik Chandra Basu. (Mathuranath Guha.) As. 3.

Supath, Part I. Nityaranjan Sen, M.Sc. (Santi Press, Dacca.) As. 7.

Patha Manjari. Ram Pran Gupta. (Madhab Chandra Basak.) As. 6.

Sulalita Sandarva. Harish Chandra Sen and Nil Kamal Sen. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh, Presidency Library, Dacca.) As. 6-6.

Suniti Sandarva. Pyari Mohan De and Sachindra Mohan Choudhury, B.A. (Pyari Mohan De.) As. 6.

Primary Classes.

Classes IV and V—

Upadeshmala. Haranath Ghosh. (Pramath Nath Ghosh, Victoria Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Paritosh. Kamini Kumar Sen, M.A. (Dinesh Chandra Datta.) As. 6.

Sahitya Mukul. Jasodalal Banik, B.A. (Haran Chandra Nath.) As. 8.

Sahitya Parichay. Kali Bhusan Mukherjee. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 8.

Prathamic Sahitya. Nalini Kanta Bhattashali, M.A. (Chandra Kanta Chakravarti.) As. 8.

Sahitya Manjari. Bibhabati Sen. (Prafulla Chandra Gupta, B.L.) As. 8.

Saral Katha. Rajendra Lal Acheryya, B.A. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) As. 7-6.

Niti Prabandha. Prakash Chandra Basu. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh, Presidency Library, Dacca.) As. 5-6.

WESTERN BENGAL.

LIST B.

English Literature.

Stories from Tagore. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1.

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the Examination for the Degree of Master of Law for 1918 :—

First Class.

Chattopadhyay, Sailendranath.

By order of the Hon'ble the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate,

A. C. BOSE,
Controller of Examinations.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 12th December 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATUM.

IN the list of candidates who passed the last Final Examination in Law, held in August 1918, in the Second Division, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th October 1918 :—

For

"Chakrabari, Manindranath ... University Law College."

Read

"Chakrabarti, Manindranath ... University Law College."

A. C. BOSE,
Controller of Examinations.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 20th December 1918.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATUM.

IN the list of candidates who passed the Final Examination in Law, held in August 1918, in the Second Division, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th October 1918—

For

"Gupta, Nalinikanta ... University Law College."

Read

"Gupta, Nalinikanta, I ... University Law College."

A. C. BOSE,
Controller of Examinations.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 19th December 1918.*

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Upper Primary Scholarships, 1918.

[Each Scholarship is of the value of Rs. 3 a month tenable for two years from the 1st January 1919.]

No.	Name of Scholar.	Name of School.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.
	CALCUTTA.		
1	Nilmani Basu ...	Basupara U. P. ...	Ahiritola Banga Vidyalaya.
2	Sudhir Chandra Bardhan ...	Baghbazar U. P. ...	Ditto.
3	Saradindu Dutt ...	Srigopal Mallick Lane U. P.	Pataldanga M. E.
	24-PARGANAS.		
	Seven Scholarships.		
1	Atul Krishna Das ...	Fatehpur U. P. ...	Mudiali M. E.
2	Satya Kinkar Chakraverti ...	Kodalia Prasanna U. P. ...	Harinabhi H. E.
3	Muni Lal Shaha ...	North Baranagar U. P. ...	Baranagar Victoria H. E.
4	Jatindra Nath Naskar ...	Barunhat U. P. School ...	Taki Government School.
5	Rafeque-ul-Huq ...	North Kazipara U. P. ...	Barasat Government School.
6	Rahitasya Mandal ...	Parulia U. P. School ...	Diamond Harbour H. E.
7	Jyotish Chandra Haldar ...	Ashapur U. P. ...	Siddheswarpur Circle M. V.
	NADIA.		
	Five Scholarships.		
1	Khagendra Nath Ghosh ...	Bawanpukur U. P. ...	Belpukur H. E.
2	Jitendra Nath Mukerjee ...	Hijuli Practising U. P. ...	Ranaghat H. E.
3	Tarapada Biswas ...	Dehati U. P. ...	Majdia Rajbazar H. E.
4	Shyamsuddin Ahammed ...	Kola Practising U. P. ...	Meherpur H. E.
5	Muhammad Aboul Kashim ...	Bahalberia U. P. ...	Mirpur M. E.
	MURSHIDABAD.		
	Five Scholarships.		
1	Shaikh Ali Hossain ...	Bhabta U. P. School ...	Beldanga H. E.
2	Durgadas Mandal ...	Gura U. P. ...	Panchgram M. E.
3	Imam-ul-Haque ..	Kareya U. P. ...	Sagardighi M. E.
4	Nrisingha Kumar Chatterji ...	Muniadihi U. P. ...	Panchthupi H. E.
5	Kasinath Dalui ...	Kasiadanga U. P. ...	Eroali M. E.
	JESSORE.		
	Six Scholarships.		
1	Kalipada Chakraverti ...	Jhampa U. P. ...	Jessore Zilla School.
2	Nakuleswar Mukerji ...	Chancha U. P. ...	Ditto.
3	Girindra Nath Karmakar ...	Lakshanpur Practising U. P.	Bangaon H. E.
4	Hridkamal Chatterji ...	Hatduriapur U. P. ...	Sripur H. E.
5	Narayan Chandra Shaha ...	Dighali U. P. ...	Kalia H. E.
6	Syed Ali Molla ...	Kharikhali U. P. ...	Jhenidah H. E.
	KHULNA.		
	Five Scholarships.		
1	Jnanendra Nath Boral ...	Sanatankati U. P. ...	Haridali M. E.
2	Saradindu Mazumdar ...	Maheswarpasa Board U. P.	Dattatpur H. E.
3	Aptabuddin Kazi ...	Kasipur Baintala U. P ...	Bagerhat H. E.
4	Amulya Kumar Ghosh ...	Simulia U. P. ...	Nalta H. E.
5	Lakman Gazi ...	Bharasimla U. P. ...	Kaliganj M. E.

NOTE.—The scholarship holders should join their schools within one month from the date of publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*. Upper Primary scholarship holders should join Middle schools in order to be eligible for appearing at the Middle Scholarship Examination.

T. O. D. DUNN,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1918.*

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Middle Scholarships, 1918.

[Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 4 a month tenable for four years from the 1st January 1919.]

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M. E. or M. V.
	CALCUTTA.			
	Three scholarships for general competition and one scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Pasupati Nath Chatterjee	Shyambazar A. V. ...	Hindu School ...	M. E.
2	Samarendra Nath Banerjee.	Ahiritola Banga Vidyalaya.	Ditto ...	M. E.
3	Asok Kumar Sarker ...	Calcutta Model ...	Ditto ...	M. E.
	One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Badruddin Ahmed ...	Woodburn M. E. ...	Calcutta Madrassa ...	M. E.
	24-PARGANAS.			
	Nine scholarships for general competition and two reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Susil Chandra Bhattacharji.	Bhatpara M. E. ...	Hooghly Collegiate ...	M. E.
2	Satish Chandra Laha ...	Bhaduria M. E. ...	Hare School ...	M. E.
3	Govinda Deb Bhattacharji	Bhatpara M. E. ...	Hooghly Collegiate ...	M. E.
4	Amar Nath Pal ...	Mudiali M. E. ...	Hindu School ...	M. E.
5	Harish Chandra Das ...	Fatehpur M. E. ...	Diamond Harbour H. E.	M. E.
6	Adhar Chandra Adak ...	Burul M. E. ...	South Suburban ...	M. E.
7	Mohit Kumar Chatterjee	Sarangabad M. E. ...	P. K. Institution, Budge Budge.	M. E.
8	Bejoy Kumar Mandal ...	Patharghata Circle M. V.	Bistupur M. E. ...	M. V.
9	Susil Kumar Bose ...	Piffa Circle M. V. ...	Basirhat H. E. ...	M. V.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Kasimuddin Sapui ...	South Ramnagar M. E.	Baruipur H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Sheik Bazlal Karim ...	Bijpur M. E. ...	Hooghly Collegiate ...	M. E.
	NADIA.			
	Five scholarships for general competition.			
1	Adwaita Charan De ...	Lakhuria M. E. ...	Katwa H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Khagendra Kumar Roy ...	Chithalia M. E. ...	Amla Sadarpur H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Tustu Lal De ...	Jagannathpur M. E....	Pabna Zilla ...	M. E
4	Nanigopal Adhicari ...	Talberia P. N. M. E. ...	Kushtia H. E. ...	M. E.
5	Jitendra Nath Roy ...	Chapra M. E. ...	Kumarkhali H. E ...	M. E.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Baharulla Joardar ...	Katdaha M. E. ...	Kushtia H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Shaikh Muhammad Esahque.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	M. E.

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M.E. or M.V.

MURSHIDABAD.

Five scholarships for general competition.

1	Sripati Dhara ...	Gaetgram M. E. ...	Kandi Raj H E. ...	M. E.
2	Gurupada Sarkar ...	Sagarpara M. E ...	Berhampur Collegiate	M. E.
3	Namdar Sheik ...	Eroali M. E. ...	Panchthupi H. E. ...	M. E.
4	Kalidas Mandal ...	Khanura M. V. ..	Salar Edward H. E. ...	M. V.
5	Mollah Rabiuddin Ahmed	Gaetgram M. E. ...	Panchthupi H. E. ...	M. V.

One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Shaikh Anesh Muhammad	Govindapur M. E. ...	Nawab Bahadur's Institution.	M. E.

JESSORE.

Five scholarships for general competition.

1	Haripada Chakraverti ...	Fulhari M. E. ...	Sailkupa H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Jaygopal Bhattacherji ...	Mallickpur M. E. ...	Itna H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Samsuddin Ahmed Khan	Bardia M E. ...	Narail Victoria Collegiate.	M. E.
4	Charusekhar Nath ...	Ganganandapur M. E.	Jessore Zilla ...	M. E.
5	Sasadhar Mukerji ...	Nimta Bandabila M. V.	Naihati H. E. ...	M. V.

Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Azizar Rahman ...	Hazipur M. E. ...	Sripur H E. ...	M. E.
2	Mabarak Ali Mandal ...	Monaharpur M. E. ...	.....	M. V.

KHULNA.

Seven scholarships for general competition.

1	Charu Chandra Chatterji	Ghatbhoge M. E.	Bahirdia H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Keshab Lal Das ...	Gotapara M. E. ...	Bagerhat H. E.	M. E.
3	Sadhan Krishna Banerji	Mukundapur M. E. ...	Nakipur H. E. ...	M. E.
4	Sakhi Charan Parui ...	Akrakhola M. E. ...	Babulia H. E. ...	M E.
5	Sudhir Krishna Mukerji	Mukundapur M. E. ...	Nakipur H. E. ...	M. E.
6	Upendra Nath Kundu ...	Dasani M. E.	Karapara H. E. ...	M. V.
7	Jogendra Nath Dam ...	Ditto ...	Bagerhat H. E. ...	M. E.

One scholarship reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Mahammad Wajhar Rahman.	Akrakhola M. E. ...	Babulia H. E. ...	M. E.

N.B.—The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the date of publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

T. O. D. DUNN,

Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1918.*

BURDWAN DIVISION.

List of candidates elected to Middle Scholarships in the Burdwan Division, 1918.

[Value of each of the Middle Scholarships is Rs. 4 a month, tenable for four years from 1st January 1919.]

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship will be tenable.
	DISTRICT BURDWAN (9+1°).		
	Middle English.		
1	Sasanka Sekhar Mukherjee	Gopalpur M. E.	Ukra H. E.
2	Sivapada Ghosh ...	Ban Navagram M. E.	Burdwan Municipal H. E.
3	Ramdas Samanta ...	Nadiha M. E.	Asansol H. E.
4	Kamala Kinkar Chatterjee	Golsi Board M. E.	Burdwan Municipal H. E.
5	Parbati Charan Chatterji ...	Mondalgram M. E.	Lalgola H. E. (Murshidabad).
6	Durga Prasanna Ganguli ...	Mougram M. E.	Katwa H. E.
7	Dulal Chandra Das ...	Aharbelma Board M. E. ..	Raina H. E.
8	Khitish Chandra De ...	Kanchannagar M. E. ..	Burdwan Raj Collegiate.
9*	Sheikh Kabir Ahmed Nayak	Ahmadpur M. E.	Burdwan Municipal H. E.
	Middle Vernacular.		
1	Kartick Chandra Pal ...	Magigram M. E. ...	Mathrun H. E.
	DISTRICT BIRBHUM (5+1°).		
	Middle English.		
1	Saradindu Bhusan Mazumdar.	Fatehpur M. E.	Rampurhat H. E.
2	Atul Chandra Ghosh ...	Raipur S. K. M. E.	Birbhum Zilla.
3	Mahima Charan Roy ...	Babiri Board M. E.	Ditto.
4	Kalipada Mondal ...	Fatehpur M. E.	Rampurhat H. E.
5	Sheikh Abdul Zabbar ...	Chandpara M. E.	Ditto.
6*	Molla Yakub Hossain ...	Rajnagar M. E.	Birbhum Zilla.
	DISTRICT BANKURA (5).		
	Middle English.		
1	Jotish Chandra Biswas ...	Gurgaria M. E.	Bankura Zilla.
2	Kalipado Sen ...	Barjora M. E.	Maliara H. E.
3	Bimalakanto Banarji ...	Hijaldiha M. E.	Kuchikole H. E.
	Middle Vernacular.		
1	Padmalochan Mandi ...	Sarenga Santal Training M. V.	Calcutta Training.
2	Satish Chandra Das ..	Sarenga Circle M. V.	Hooghly Training.
	DISTRICT MIDNAPORE (11).		
	Middle English.		
1	Nibasi Charan Maity ...	Baramohanpur M. E.	Midnapore Collegiate.
2	Bipin Behary Prodhan ...	Kalsibhanga M. E.	Contai H. E.
3	Rash Behary Pal ...	Haripur M. E.	Mugbaria H. E.
4	Pratap Chandra Paramanik	Sonakhali M. E.	Hooghly Collegiate.
5	Sheik Golam Mobarak ...	Samsabad Board M. E.	Asadtalla H. E.
6	Gopal Chandra Manna ...	Gopinathpur M. E.	Mugbaria H. E.
7	Sailaja Acharjya ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship will be tenable.
	Middle Vernacular.		
1	Murari Mohon Panda ...	Monoharpur M. V. ...	Tamluk H. E.
2	Mukunda Chandra Das ...	Deulpota M. V. ...	Ditto.
3	Nanigopal Roy ...	Akandabari M. V. ...	Ditto.
4	Jadal Chandra Mondal ...	Khodambari M. E. ...	Asadtalia H. E.
	DISTRICT HOOGHLY (5).		
	Middle English.		
1	Monindra Mohan Banerji ...	Vadrakali M. E. ...	Uttarpara Govt. H. E.
2	Prayag Chandra Manna ...	Rajbalhat M. E. ...	Rajbalhat H. E.
3	Krisna Chandra Santra ...	Bandipur M. E. ...	Haripal H. E.
4	Biswanath Ash ...	Rishra M. E. ...	Serampore Union.
5	Fatik Chandra Kundu ...	Ballavpur M. E. ...	Ditto.
	DISTRICT HOWRAH (4 + 1*).		
	Middle English.		
1	Panchanan Bhattacherjee ...	Santragachi M. E. ...	Howrah Zilla.
2	Sachindra Nath Mondal ...	Khasmora M. E. ...	Maju H. E.
3	Bhupal Chandra Dutta ...	Ramkrishnapur M. E. ...	Bantra H. E.
4	Anil Krisna Ganguli ...	Belur M. E. ...	Uttarpara Govt. H. E.
5*	Shaikh Nurali Haldar ...	Santragachhi M. E. ...	Howrah Zilla.

* Scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.

The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

P. K. BASU,

Offg. Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA, *the 21st December 1918.*

BURDWAN DIVISION.

List of candidates elected to Upper Primary Scholarships in the Burdwan Division, 1918.

[Value of each of the Upper Primary Scholarships is Rs. 3 a month, tenable for two years from 1st January 1919.]

No.	Name	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship will be tenable.
	DISTRICT BURDWAN (9).		
1	Rahim Bux Sheikh ...	Dhamachi U. P. ...	Jamna M. E.
2	Dulal Krisna Pal ...	Dhankora U. P. ...	Ramnagar M. E.
3	Jadupati Bhattacharji ...	Sarpi U. P. ...	Ukhara H. E.
4	Bholanath Mukherji ...	Kalipahari U. P. ...	Susemdighi M. E.
5	Sheikh Kutubuddin ...	Palishgram U. P. ...	Majigram M. E.
6	Ser-Jan Khan ...	Kasa U. P. ..	Putsuri H. E.
7	Krisna Chandra Kowar ...	Chakundi U. P. ...	Bhaita H. E
8	Nazim Hossain ...	Kenguri U. P. ...	Sitahati M. E
9	Kumarish Chandra Mukerji	Bamunia U. P. ...	Mondalgram M. E.
	DISTRICT BIRBHUM (6).		
1	Subhankar Mazumdar ...	Tentulia U. P. ...	Chandpara M. E.
2	Khagendra Nath Chattopadhya.	Kogram U. P. ...	Nalhati M. E.
3	Purna Chandra Das ...	Bhandirban U. P. ...	Amjora M. E.
4	Radhashyam Sen ...	Deucha Board U. P. ...	Suri M. E.
5	Kamini Kumode Chaudhuri	Nanur U. P. ...	Kirnahar U. E.
6	Abdul Khaleq ...	Pakurhans U. P. ...	Labpur H. E.

No.	Name.	School from which the candidate appeared.	School at which the scholarship will be tenable.
	DISTRICT BANKURA (9).		
1	Indubhusan Chakrabarti ...	Sihas Board U. P. ...	Kotalpur H. E
2	Sarat Chandra Mahata ...	Bonkati U. P. ...	Khatra M. E.
3	Bijon Behary Hazari ...	Bishnupur West U. P. ...	Vishnupur H. E.
4	Gour Chandra Karmakar ...	Gobindapur Board U. P. ...	Ditto.
5	Haripada Makar ...	Vishnupur East U. P. ...	Ditto.
6	Madhusudan Singha Mahapatra.	Fulkusma U. P. ...	Khatra M. E.
7	Haridas Tantubai ...	Kapistha U. P. ...	Gangajalghati M. E.
8	Bibhuti Bhusan Patra ...	Paksara U. P. ...	Harmassa M. E.
9	Shyama Charan Saran ...	Metgoda Board U. P. ...	Raipur Board M. V.
	DISTRICT MIDNAPORE (13).		
1	Tarenda Nath Dinda ...	Sidhya U. P. ...	Deulia Board M. E.
2	Gobinda Chandra Maity ...	Paramanandapur U. P. ...	Gopalnagar H. E.
3	Behari Lal Pradhan ...	Kalindi U. P. ...	Khalsibhanga M. E
4	Rajani Kanto Das ...	Bathuari Board U. P. ...	Balighai M. E.
5	Kalipada Bhattacherji ...	Khejurari U. P. ...	Bibhisanpur M. E.
6	Kanailal Pandit ...	Biswas U. P. ...	Tamluk H. E.
7	Hemanta Kumar Maity ...	Subdi U. P. ...	Monoharpur M. V.
8	Atul Chandra Ghantail ...	Kismat Khayra U. P. ...	Sonakhali M. E.
9	Jhantulal Bera ...	Hatgachia U. P. ...	Basudevpur Board M. E.
10	Jotindra Nath Ghosh ...	Gohaltor U. P. ...	Garbeta H. E.
11	Bhupendra Nath Dutta ...	Rogra U. P. ...	Baliabera M. E.
12	Bholanath Maity ...	Selija U. P. ...	Mohor M. E.
13	Kishori Mohan Choudhury	Sarbaria U. P. ...	Nandanpur M. E.
	DISTRICT HOOGHLY (7).		
1	Nrisingha Prosad Ghosh ...	Talandoo Malipara U. P. ...	Itachona H. E.
2	Bhadreswar Pramanic ...	Kholachhora U. P. ...	Kumirmora M. E.
3	Khudiram Sarkar ...	Pukhuria U. P. ...	Anur M. E.
4	Shanyasi Charan Das ...	Gopalnagar Board U. P. ...	Singur H. E.
5	Annada Prasad Dutta ...	Ramnagar U. P. ..	Arambagh H. E.
6	Kalipada Mondal ...	Gopalbati Board U. P ...	Goghat M. E.
7	Pulin Chandra Mukherjee...	Harit U. P. ...	Goswami Malipara Board M. E.
	DISTRICT HOWRAH (3 + 1*).		
1	Lakshman Chandra Jana ...	Paltaberia U. P. ...	Shyampur M. E.
2	Narendra Nath Bag ...	Kultikri U. P. ...	Ganespur M. E.
3	Netai Chandra Ghosh ...	Chakraberia U. P. ...	Howrah Zilla.
4	Subodh Chandra Khamroo	Chamrail U. P. ...	Baluhati H. E.

* Scholarship awarded by the Howrah Municipality.

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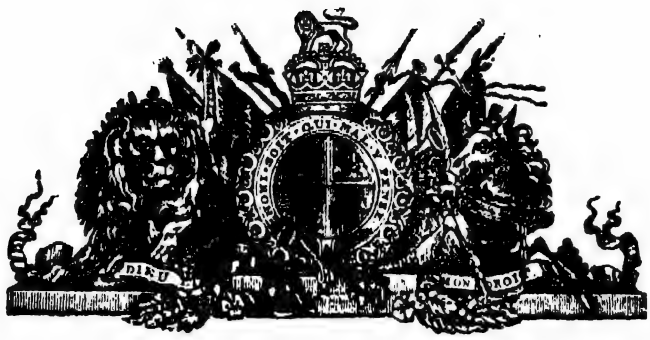
P. K. BASU,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA, *the 21st December 1918.*



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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the east and west sides of the sidings of Baranagore Jute Mill, in the district of the 24-Parganas, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Friday, the 7th February 1919, at Baranagore.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot, in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
I	24-Parganas	Pargana Dihi Panchannogram, mauza Baranagar.	Mile 2—3	East and west side.	1 8 4 and 1 sq. ft.	0·4671	...	...	...	North, east and west by Jute Mills land, south by Kali Krishna Tagore's road.
II	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	0 11 14	0·1963	...	...	...	North by Eastern Bengal Railway land, east, south and west by Jute Mills land.

Alipore, the 19th December 1918.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 10th January 1919, at 12 o'clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
313	Ph. Batitaki, M. Palgera.	630 1 7	Entire ...	.....	Jogendra Nath Pal and Other, Sebait of Lakhmi Janardan Jew Thakur.	.....	36 0 7	...
314	Ph. Batitaki M. Phulbbery.	1,602 3 0	.....	Residuary share excluding Separate account Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 only. The following share of the mauzas will be sold. Mauza Sitibati, Taki, Abhaya Mukundapur, Astidangar, Baja, Bhatbarh, Bhuyan, Bhojpur, Chhatrisbetya, Dahuka, Dangarpara, Dasagram, Durgachak, Dharmachak, Elagera, Erhaldangar, Fulbheri, Gargarhyachak, Gurhi, Gobindachak, Gobindapur, Gopalbarh, Jamaria, Joti, Kalankichhata, Karangi, Kalikachak, Kunarpur, Kotal, Khagrabheri, Khandarbheri, Khursai, Lakhanda, Madhubarh, Muhammadchak, Muhammadichak, Masagan, Mukundapurhat, Palasidakhin, Radhamohanchak, Ramchak, Ramdangar, Salbani, Simulia, Siruchak, Surliha, Sonadharchak, Srichandanpur, Tapsia, Tala, Talidiha, Trilochanpur, 9as. 11gds. 1kt. 1dt. share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sales.	Ramani Dasi, guardian of Amulya Chandra Jana and another.	954 3 2	.....	71 5 2
947	Ph. Kasijora, M. Gogras, Patna.	1,513 2 3 (including Police).	.....	Separate account No. 1, 10as. 13gds. 1ch. 1kt. share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mr. R. K. Naug and 3 others	1,008 1 6 (including Police).	.....	27 5 6 (including Police).
1077	Ph. Kurulchore, M. Alangiri *alias* Alangarui.	974 13 10	.....	Separate account No. 1 ... ... The following share of the mauzas will be sold :— A. G. C. D. Mauza Atia ... 16 0 0 0 ,, Akandi ... 16 0 0 0 ,, Alangiri ... 16 0 0 0 ,, Bele ... 16 0 0 0 ,, Kulida ... 16 0 0 0 ,, Khari ... 16 0 0 0 ,, Jhapri ... 16 0 0 0 ,, Maisamari ... 16 0 0 0 ,, Mustafabad ... 16 0 0 0 ,, Chunikasia ... 5 6 2 6 ,, Dal Kurhali ... 5 6 2 6 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ditto ...	754 2 3	.....	19 13 3
1786	Ph. Moyuachora, m. Kunarchak.	666 2 4	Entire ...	.....	Surja Kumar Majumdar and others.	.....	52 2 4	.....
2346	Ph. Sabang, m. Mohar.	1,302 1 0	.....	Residuary share excluding Separate account No. 1, 8 annas share of the mahal will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale. Part II.	Krishna Das Mandal and another.	651 0 6	.....	50 15 0 June and September 1918.
2982	Ph. Fatasipur, m. Mirjapur kismat.	630 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Nil Kanta Rath and 12 others.	.....	3 1 9	.....

Midnapore, the 6th December 1918

SRIGOPAL BHATTACHARJI, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands for September 1918 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
67	Gopalnagar, etc., pargana Jahangirabad.	2,047 2 0	.....	Residuary share 13as. 6g. 2k. 2kr. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nogendra Bala Dasi and others.	1,021 8 0	.....	49 5 10
135	Gouripur kismat, pargana Chhutipur.	1,319 5 9	.....	Residuary share 12as. 19g. 2k. 2kr. [illegible]d. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	K. P. Basu and others.	989 1 9	.....	1 4 1
159	Asuri, etc., pargana Satsaika.	2,260 9 11	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Rameswar Aich and others.	.....	254 8 11	.....

Burdwan, the 20th November 1918.

R. F. LODGE, Offg. Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Faridpur, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
250	Taluq Pauchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar.	3,652 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	...	170 1 0	...
6553	Nyamatulla, pargana Jalalpur.	1,568 9 10	No ...	Residuary—11as. 2gds. 2kts. 75[illegible]til 2[illegible]dt. share. The following shares are excluded from sale :— Separate Account No. 1.—13gds. 2kr. 24[illegible]tls. Separate Account No. 2.—16as. share of pargana Tappa Birmohan, 10as. 13gds. 1kr. and 1kt. share of pargana Bangrora. Separate Account No. 3.—3gds. 2kr. 60tls. Separate Account No. 4.—3as. 11gds. 1kr. 2kts. 1[illegible]dt. Separate Account No. 5.—3gds. 3kr. [illegible]dt.	Mohammad Majnaddin and others.	686 7 8	...	52 10 9
6773	Taluq Kumar Sasi Kanta Acherjee, pargana Kasimpur Shehalapatti.	1,485 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Raja Sashi Kanta Acharjee Bahadur.	...	990 0 0	...
6786	Taluq Sashi Kanta Acharjee (alluvial accretion to Estate No. 9670), Dacca Collectorate, pargana Kartikpur Sujabad.	2,130 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Ditto ...	...	1,420 0 0	...

Faridpur, the 21st November 1918.

BHABA TARAN CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate, in the district of Hooghly, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
4082	Kalupukhuria pargana Jehanabad.	16,518	Nil ...	9a. 13g 1c. 1kt., share of mauzas Kalupukhuria, Ghoshna, Ghoshpur, Debkhanda, Basantapur, Mamudpur, Joykrishnapur.	Kangali Charan Chowdhury and 8 others	2,959 3 11	Nil ...	100 5 9

A. BANARJI, *for* Collector.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 22nd November 1918.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1919, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs A. P.	Rs A P.	Rs. A P.
1725 1	Mauza Chikni Kanda, share 8a. 10g., pargana Chandradwip.	3,382 8 1	.....	Separate account No. 1 containing 9a 2g 0c. 2kt. 19½ til share will be sold. Residuary share and separate accounts Nos. 2 and 3 will be sold separately.	Mr. G. J. Jordon	1,929 15 6	.....	868 7 8
2706	Zamindary Uttar Sabajpur, share 1½ anas, pargana Uttar Sabajpur	1,494 6 5	Whole ...	.....	Akhaya Kumar Chatterjee	.....	131 3 3	.....
3865	Zamindary Abdullapur, share 10a. 13g 1k. tappa Abdullapur.	2,367 11 11	.....	Residuary share containing 7a 9g. 2c 1kt. 1½dt. will be sold, the remaining 8a 10g. 1c. 1kt. 1½dt. will be excluded from sale	Radha Gobinda Banikya and others	1,106 15 11	.....	310 9 3
4831	Char Kulai Joar Katali, pargana Chandradwip.	1,478 6 11	Whole ...	.....	Aswini Kumar Datta and others.	.....	19 3 4	...
1448	Mahal Darihat Bajbariganj, pargana Bozorgomedpur	731 13 0	Do ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakravarty.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1533	Taluk Krishna Prasad Guha, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	3,960 15 8	...	12 annas residuary share will be sold, the remaining 4 annas share will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Roy Choudhury, and others.	2,970 11 8	.....	393 12 8
1661	Taluk Sibjoy Banerjee, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	6,181 8 1	...	Residuary share containing 6a. 4g. 1c 2kt 1dt. will be sold, the remaining 9a. 15g 3c 2dt share will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Pal Choudhury, and others.	2,384 8 1	.....	537 1 2

Barisal, the 22nd November 1918.

HARENDRA K GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Noakhali, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1919, at Noakhali Collectorate for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Estates.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
14	Sundip, hishya 4 as. 2 gds. 3 cars., taraf Bhabani Charan, pargana Sundip.	1,939 6 10	Share ...	Separate account No. 1, hishya 2 as. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Chandra Sekhar Dutta Tewari, and others.	2,424 12 5	.....	Revenue— 486 8 5 Cesses— 479 6 4 965 14 9
210	Nij Sundip, pargana Sundip	22,435 0 0	Do. ...	Separate account No. 1, hishya 1 a. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Krishna Kumar Dutta Tewari, and others.	1,402 8 0	.....	Revenue— 482 4 6 Cesses— 216 3 5 698 7 11
				Khas Mahal Tenures.				
1672	Nalchira, No. 1, Madhyasatya.	4,738 5 0	Whole ...	.....	Moazzam Hosen Choudhury.	.....	Rent— 1,389 0 0 Cess— 269 3 0	.....
1676 1675	Char Iswar Roy, Part I. No. 24, Madhyasatya.	618 6 0	Do. ...	.....	Gagan Chandra Sarkar, and others.	.....	Rent— 25 1 0 Cess— 6 11 6 31 12 6	.....
1686	No. 37, Sthitiban in Char Alexander.	644 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Hasan Ali Howladar, and others.	.....	Rent— 141 2 0 Cess— 11 11 5 152 13 5	.....

S. N. BOSE, *for* Collector.

Noakhali Collector's Office, the 3rd December 1918.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 16th December, the undermentioned estate or shares of estate in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 3rd January 1919, at 12 noon, for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
		Rs. A. P.		A. P.		Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3186 3	Begamabad, pargana Begamabad.	...	No ...	2 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Devendra Narayan Singha.	2 373 15	...	95 10 1	Attached under orders of the Sub-Judge of Nadia, dated the 17th April 1917. 95 10 1

Krishnagar, the 15th November 1918.

RAKHAL MOHAN BANERJI, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on the 29th January 1919, corresponding with the 8th Magh 1325 B. S., at the Magistrate's Office, Nadia.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot number.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in acres and decimals.	Boundary of the lot.
1	Nadia...	Ramkrishnapur, pargana Islampur.	118	East of the E. B. Railway running from Poradah to Damukdia.	0·95 ..	North and east by the land of Sabanoddin Biswas, south by the land of Ijuddy Pramanik, and north by the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway.

Nadia, the 9th December 1918.

R. C. HAMILTON, Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 17th December 1918.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs.	2,26,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „	67,50,000 0 0	1,58,50,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs.	2,34,94,346 1 5			
Ditto ditto at Branches ... ... „	2,06,29,959 7 11	4,41,24,305	9	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		24,58,13,787	15	3
Bank Post Bills, etc.		11,27,682	18	6
Sundries		22,45,549	12	4
		33,59,11,276	2	5

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		6,42,96,078	0	0
Other authorized Investments		1,41,82,214	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		9,10,73,964	15	2
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		5,55,63,294	10	10
Bills discounted and purchased		1,88,00,828	11	0
Balances with other Banks		41,46,226	12	7
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		27,97,492	7	1
Stamps		11,387	13	5
Sundries		3,67,716	12	9
		25,11,91,202	2	10
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs.	2,78,89,132 12 1			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs.	5,68,30,941 3 6	8,47,20,073	15	7
		33,59,11,276	2	5

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs; value Rs 3,77,205 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 5,31,585 0 0

Rs. 9,08,790 0 0

Rates for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 28·89.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 19th December 1918.

H. FISHER,
Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(3152—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON.

Under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th December 1918.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—				
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.
Balance of 30th November 1918	27,62,800	91,80,300	3,81,62,600	1,42,04,000	62,09,800	19,55,500
ADD—						
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. 6201A., dated 3rd November 1908, into 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-1.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	900
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	27,62,800	91,80,300	3,81,62,600	1,42,04,000	62,09,800	19,56,400
DEDUCT—						
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	1,000	7,300	70,200	8,000	24,500	40,000
Balance on 15th December 1918	27,61,800	91,73,000	3,80,92,400	1,41,96,000	61,85,300	19,16,400

Particulars.	4 PER CENT.—		INDIAN WAR LOAN—			SECOND INDIAN WAR LOAN—	Grand Total.
	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1922.	5½ per cent. War Bonds, 1928.	
Balance of 30th November 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	6,300	15,800	9,55,000	7,42,34,800
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. 6201A., dated 3rd November 1908, into 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-1.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	900
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	4,700	100	7,77,000	6,300	15,800	9,55,000	7,42,34,800
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,51,000
Balance on 15th December 1918	4,700	100	7,77,000	6,300	15,800	9,55,000	7,40,84,700

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th October 1918—Enfaced from India, 13,429 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 13,036 lakhs.

,, 16th October	,, 31st	,,	...	1 lakh.
,, 1st November	,, 15th November	,,	...	1 ,,
,, 16th November	,, 30th	,,	...	...
,, 1st December	,, 15th December	,,	...	2 ,,
			13,429 lakhs.	13,040 lakhs.

T. A. VOICE,
Superintendent.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 19th December 1918.

Abstract statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st January 1918, being the third quarter of the year 1917-18, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1916-17.

Particulars	For the quarter ending 31st January 1918.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1917.	Increase	Decrease
	Rs A. P	Rs A P.	Rs A. P.	Rs A P
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,38,08,781 9 11	1,40,94,788 15 10	.....	2,86,957 5 11
ADD INCOME—				
Subscriptions from 1st November to 31st January in the Widows' Fund	65,537 5 0	70,410 9 0	.....	4,873 4 0
Subscriptions from 1st November to 31st January in the Children's Fund	22,474 13 0	24,368 5 0	.....	1,893 8 0
Fees and stamps	.....	2 0 0	.....	2 0 0
Income and outlay on Office buildings and grounds ...	914 15 0	990 10 0	.....	75 11 0
Amount at credit of subscribers under Rule 55 transferred to Divisible surplus	.....	916 8 0	.....	916 8 0
Amount of fine imposed on subscriptions in arrears ...	7 11 4	.....	7 11 4	.....
Total Income ...	88,934 12 4	96,688 0 0	7 11 4	7,760 15 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,38,97,716 6 3	1,41,91,426 15 10	7 11 4A	2,93,718 4 11
DEDUCT EXPENDITURE—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	1,93,124 15 3	1,88,957 2 11	4,167 12 4	.....
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund ...	1,06,797 14 0	92,662 15 11	8,134 14 1	.....
Establishment and contingencies	6,820 13 1	6,888 13 3	.....	68 0 2
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	9,870 9 7	9,378 14 8	491 11 4	.....
Commission paid for money-orders	614 0 0	580 0 0	34 0 0	.....
Commission to Messrs Coutts & Co	4,129 7 0	4,005 8 0	123 15 0	.....
Total Expenditure ...	3,15,657 10 11	3,02,473 6 4	13,252 4 9B	68 0 2
Balance in favour of the Fund ..	1,35,82,058 11 4	1,38,88,953 9 6	—13,214 9 6C	2,93,650 4 9
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,38,97,716 6 3	1,41,91,426 15 10	7 11 4	2,93,718 4 11
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	71,536 5 0	70,815 15 0	720 6	.....

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund	Widows' Fund	Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers (on 31st January)	619	302	667	329	...	...	18	27
Number of incumbents (on 31st January)	749	314	738	306	11	8	...	...
Number of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May) ...	654	318	697	350	...	...	13	37

	Rs. A P
A —Net decrease in grand total of income	2,93,710 9 7
B —Net increase in total expenditure	13,184 4 7
C.—Decrease in balance	3,06,894 14 2

S. B. THOMSON,
Accountant.

NORMAN HAMILTON & Co.,
Chartered Accountants.
R. A. FREITAS.
} *Auditors*

Published by order of the Directors,
J. M MENDES,
Secretary.

U. S. F. P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 9th December 1918.

(3153—1)

NOTIFICATION OF SALE.

In the 2nd Court of the Munsifs of Diamond Harbour.

Rajendra Chandra Nag, Manager, on behalf of Nritya Gopal Biswas and others, minors, Wards of the Court, decree-holder *versus* Jotindra Nath Biswas, Executor to the estate of late Syama Charan Biswas, judgment-debtor.

Number of execution case.	Amount specified in the sale proclamation.	Estate advertised for sale.	Land revenue.	Specification of shares.	Date fixed for sale.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	A. G. C. K.	
1687 of 1918 ...	25 12 5	Estate Monooraj, pargana Baridhati, thana Jaynagore, tauzi No. 384.	7,236 4 8½	5 6 2 2	6th January 1919.
1688 „ ...	25 7 10				
1689 „ ...	15 3 10				
1690 „ ...	16 10 5				
1691 „ ...	172 2 0				
1692 „ ...	34 5 2				
1693 „ ...	19 11 14				
1694 „ ...	26 1 18				
1695 „ ...	19 0 5				
1696 „ ...	16 14 13				
1697 „ ...	21 4 19				
1698 „ ...	72 7 10				
1699 „ ...	90 12 10				

R. R. MUKHARJI, Munsif.

Diamond Harbour, the 16th December 1918. (3116—1)

In the Court of the Sub-Judge of Birbhum.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 157 OF 1918.

Radha Sundari Dassi, of Harishara, chowki Suri, district Birbhum, decree-holder.

(1) Asit Mohan Ghose Moulik and (2) Nirod Mohun Ghose Moulik and (3) Khirod Mohan Ghose Moulik, minors, by their certificated guardian-mother, Bhupendra Bala Dassi, judgment-debtors.

Date fixed for auction sale—2nd January 1919.

Description of property.

Lot.—Madanpur, including all mauzas and Mudafos, bearing tauzi No. 24 of the Birbhum Collectorate, within pargana Alinagar, thana and chowki Ballpur, district Birbhum, annual revenue Rs. 2,820-14 only, entire rights (Darabast Huq Hakuq), appertaining to the estate of Krisna Kinkar Ghose Moulik, deceased.

N. N. CHATTERJI, Sub-Judge.

Suri, the 14th December 1918. (3151—1)

In the Court of the 2nd Subordinate Judge of Tippera.

MONEY EXECUTION CASE No. 107 OF 1918.

Gopinath Saha, and others, decree-holders, *versus* Ramani Ranjan Roy Choudhury, judgment-debtor.

THE judgment-debtor's interest in the property mentioned below will be sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at Comilla on the 6th January 1919 at noon for the realization of Rs. 7,718-3-3, being the decretal amount with interests and costs.

Lot—Taluq Gobinda Ram Roy, bearing tauzi No. 61-2 of the Tippera Collectorate in pargana Mahabatpur, containing mauzas Baishpur, Kadomtoli, Mohonpur, Eklashpur, Nalua better known as Boalia and Dighaldi, situated within the sub-registry and police-station Matlab and kismats Bakhargaon, Bhatigaon, Alunia within police-station Chandpur of the district of Tippera, bearing an annual revenue of Rs. 504-6-6.

The judgment-debtor's interest being 2½ annas of the said property taken as sixteen annas.

K. B. BISWAS, Sub-Judge.

Comilla, the 18th December 1918. (3189—2)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in Insolvency.

No. 87 OF 27TH MAY 1916.

Re Alfred William Domingo, *ex-parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a 2nd dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 15th day of March 1919 except Saturdays and Sundays.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1918. (3195—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 34 OF 1918.

[*Notice under section 16 (7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Tilakdhari Mistri, of Raniganj, police-station Raniganj, district Burdwan, has, by an order of this Court, dated the 16th December 1918, been adjudged an insolvent.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 20th December 1918. (3166—1—3124)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 60 OF 1918.

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Trilochan Datta, of Panchkula, police-station Sahebganj, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 7th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 20th December 1918. (3167—1—3123)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 52 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Satish Chandra Das, son of late Nutan Chandra Das, of Fatiabad, police-station Hathazari, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 5th December 1918, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 4th day of January 1919 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge

Chittagong, the 14th December 1918. (3120—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act. III of 1907*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 53 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Alimaddin, son of Akramali, of Waheedpur, police-station Mirsarai, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 7th December of 1918, to be declared an insolvent, under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 4th day of January 1919 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 14th December 1918. (3121—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 44 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 3rd October 1918, filed by (1) Moulvi Abdul Malek, (2) Abdul Gani, sons of late Hamid Ali Serang, of Bhatiari, police-station Sitakund, and on the application of the debtors and on reading their petition and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed receiver.

Dated this 18th day of December 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(3190—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 49 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 13th November 1918, filed by Abdul Rahaman, son of late Maru Gazi, of Masajidya, police-station Mirsarai, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 18th day of December 1918.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(3191—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the Court of the 1st Additional District Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 20 OF 1918

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th July 1918, filed by Hoshen Baksh, son of Pir Baksh, of Faridabad, police-station Sutrapur, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 13th day of December 1918

S. E. STINTON, 1st Additional District Judge.

(3165—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 82 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Mashim Kha, son of late Saber Kha, of Pataikona, police-station Gheor, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge

Dacca, the 27th November 1918. (2949—1—3116)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 83 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Prasanna Kumar Bhumali, son of late Madan Bhumali, of Sholaghar, Shakarnagar, police-station Srinagar, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 27th November 1918. (2950—1—3117)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 91 OF 1918

ON the application of the debtor Shek Bandhu, son of late Akabar of Rowherchak, police-station Saturia, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 27th November 1918 (2951—1—3110)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 85 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Godadhar Sutradhar, son of late Nitye Sutradhar, of Kaolipara, police-station Savar, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent. 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 26th November 1918. (2956—1—3115)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 87 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Mangal Khan, son of late Hayat Khan, of Pataikona, police-station Gheor, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 26th November 1918. (2957—1—3114)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 88 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Meser Khan, son of late Hayat Khan, of Pataikona, police-station Gheor, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 26th November 1918. (2958—1—3113)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 95 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Radhaballav Sutradhar, son of late Kashinath Sutradhar, of Shingair, police-station Shingair, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 26th November 1918. (2959—1—3111)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of Sub Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 96 OF 1918

ON the application of the debtor Jogesh Chandra Sutradhar, son of late Kashinath Sutradhar, of Shingair, police-station Shingair, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 26th November 1918. (2960—1—3112)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 84 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Akshoya Kumar Das, son of late Indra Mohan Das, of Malakertala, police-station Sutrapur, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 9th December 1918. (3139—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 86 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Radha Kanta Shaha, son of late Shambhu Nath Shaha, of Farashganj, police-station Sutrapur, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 9th December 1918. (3140—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 89 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Shek Mafez, son of late Shek Jarip, of Sometpur, police-station Gheor, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 18th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 9th December 1918. (3141—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 97 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Shekh Jamaladdin, son of late Tolizaddin, of Thakurkandi, police-station Aricha, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 9th December 1918. (3142—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 98 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Shek Rejanulla, son of late Shek Ajmatulla of Nandirbadha, police-station Gheor, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 9th December 1918. (3143—1)

NOTICE.

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 104 OF 1918.

ON the application of the debtor Sashi Mohan Shaha, son of late Kashi Nath Shaha of Nagarjour, police-station Bandyerbazar, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent the 4th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing of the said application and for the examination of the applicant.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 9th December 1918 (3144—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 48 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 17th May 1918, filed by Sek Majlish, son of late Jafor, of Singair Bejgao, police-station Singair, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of December 1918.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(3145—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 56 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 2nd July 1918, filed by Kanai Lal Basak, son of late Gayanath Basak, of Bhatara Jagannathpur, police-station Saturia, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of December 1918.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(3146—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 60 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th July 1918, filed by the debtor Benode Behary Karmakar, son of late Uma Kanta Karmakar, of Jhaotea, police-station Lauhajang, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 14th day of December 1918

J. C. BHATTACHARJI Sub-Judge.

(3147—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 63 of 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 10th August 1918, filed by Sek Nayan Mallah, son of late Dangar, of Baraipara, police station Sherajdigha, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of December 1918.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(3148—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 3rd Court of the Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 68 of 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 10th September 1918, filed by Hridya Nath Patui, son of late Nathu Patui, of Horgaz, ploice-station Manikganj, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of December 1918.

J. C. BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(3149—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 of 1918.

ON the application of Lal Mohan Kaiborta Das, son of late Hara Chandra Kaiborta Das, of Bhojgaon, police-station Lohajang, district Dacca, for being declared an insolvent, the 20th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and for examination of the debtor.

M. SMITHER, District Judge.

Dacca, the 19th December 1918. (3170—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 26 of 1918

ON the application of Goshaidas Kaiborta Das, son of late Haridas Kaiborta Das, of Bhojgaon, police-station Lohajang, district Dacca, for being declared an insolvent the 20th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and for examination of the debtor.

M. SMITHER, District Judge

Dacca, the 19th December 1918. (3171—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 60 of 1918.

NEHALOO DESHI, son of Kartika Deshi, deceased, resident of Champukharia, police station Birail, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 16th day of December 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 17th December 1918. (3135—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 59 of 1918.

NATARU DESHI, son of Nehaloo Deshi, deceased, resident of Chaupukharia, police-station Birail, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 16th day of December 1918.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 17th December 1918. (3136—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 342 of 1918.

TAKE notice that Adom Munshi, son of late Ali Mahmud, of Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 16th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3103—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 156 of 1918.

TAKE notice that Saijuddi Sheik, son of late Armanulla, of Kathurakandi, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 16th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR. District Judge.

(3104—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 339 of 1918.

TAKE notice that Krishna Barai, son of late Durga Charan Barai, of Palita, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 14th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3105—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 336 of 1918.

TAKE notice that Sonaulla Molla, son of late Jan Mahmud Molla, of Sripur, police-station Madhukhali, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 13th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3106—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 325—328 of 1918.

TAKE notice that Lohajuddin Moulvi, Afsaruddin, Sheik Mobarok and Sheik Sonaulla Molla, sons of Jugi Mahmud of Krishnadi, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 11th January 1919 has been fixed or hearing their petitions.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3107—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 163 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Ebrahim Khan, son of late Parbat Khan, of Saba Mallikdi, police-station Nagarkandi, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 20th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 3rd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3108—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 157, 160, 161 AND 162 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Bishnu Barai, Gayah Barai, Arjun Barai, Padula Barai, of Ullabari, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 15th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 2nd December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3109—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 337 AND 338 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sheik Salimuddi and Sheik Haniuddi, sons of late Meajan, of Khagsara, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 13th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3122—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 343 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Eslam Sheik, son of late Azimuddi Sheik, of Sonapara, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and that 22nd January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3123—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 344 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sheik Kazem, son of late Saharali, of Sonapara, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 22nd January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3124—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos 333 TO 335 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Gagan Matbar, Hasamdi Matbar and Baban Matbar, sons of late Manaruddi Matbar, of Saidpur, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 13th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3125—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 286 AND 287 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Nagar Mohanta and Jagabandhu Mohanta, of Palta, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 21st January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3126—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 194 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Easin, son of late Kalimuddi, of Srirampur, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 18th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3127—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 217, 219—221 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sasti Charan Bala, Kasi Nath Bala, Mahima Charan Bala and Abhoya Charan Bala, sons of late Prannath Bala, of Murakai Betgram, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 4th February 1919 has been fixed for hearing thei petitions.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3128—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 347 AND 348 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Hiraman Bairagi and Niranjan Bairagi, sons of late Ganesh Bairagi, of Barakhola, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 24th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3129—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 341 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Arshad Howladar, son of late Waresh Howladar, of Srijutpur, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 16th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3130—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 352 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sobanulla Fakir, son of late Osmanuddi Fakir, of Rasulpur, police-station Madaripur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 29th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3131—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 331 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Basiruddi, son of late Bonai, of Saidpur, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge
(3132—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 345 AND 346 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Saijuddin Sardar and Aftabuddin Sardar, sons of late Montazuddi Sardar, of Kagdi, police-station Palong, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 23rd January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3133—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 332 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Samiruddi Hazi, son of late Khosal Hazi, of Gourbordi, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 13th December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(3134—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 178 AND 179 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 2nd September 1918 by Adom Molla and Faijuddi Molla, sons of late Helaluddi Molla, of Guptargati, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavits and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated the 11th December 1918.

B. N. GHATAK, Addl. District Judge.
(3157—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 180 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 2nd September 1918 by Budhai Fakir, son of late Dhonai Fakir, of Goptargati, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 11th December 1918.

B. N. GHATAK, Addl. District Judge
(3158—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 181 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 2nd September 1918 by Elem Mullik, son of late Ujir Mullik, of Goptargati, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 11th December 1918.

B. N. GHATAK, Addl. District Judge.
(3159—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 158, 159, 169 AND 171 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 26th August 1918 by Kutiswar Gharami, Raj Chandra Gharami, Abhoya Charan Gharami and Bisnucharan Gharami, sons of late Mohabharat Gharami, of Sendia, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavits and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated the 11th December 1918.

B. N. GHATAK, Addl. District Judge.
(3156—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 182 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 2nd September 1918 by Gopal Molla, son of late Arjumulla Molla, of Goptargati, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 11th December 1918.

B. N. GHATAK, Addl. District Judge.
(3160—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 183 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 2nd September 1918 by Farman Sheik son of late Akrumulla Sheik, of Goptargati, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 11th December 1918.

B. N. GHATAK, Addl. District Judge.
(3161—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 204—207 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 6th September 1918 by Ujir Khan, Madan Khan, Nazir Khan, sons of Babu Khan, and Babu Khan, son of late Fazu Khan, of Rajair, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavits and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents

Dated the 11th December 1918.

B. N. GHATAK, Addl. District Judge.
(3162—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 264 AND 265 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 24th September 1918 by Aduram Barai and Sudhuram Barai, sons of late Jagamohan Barai, of Barakhala, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavits and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

Dated the 11th December 1918.

B. N. GHATAK, Addl. District Judge.
(3168—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 136 OF 1918

TAKE notice that Sheik Rahimuddi, son of late Ketabdi, of Khabaspur, police-station Kotowali, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 11th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3197—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 237 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Elem Khan, son of late Eddu Khan, of Hapania, police-station Sadarpur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 12th February 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3198—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 290 AND 291 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sheik Emanuddi and Hamijuddi, sons of late Sheik Jaker, of Sonapura, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 24th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3199—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 340 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Aftabuddin Sikdar, son of late Arfin Sikdar, of Fukrail, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 16th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3200—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 349 AND 350 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Bepin Sardar and Sahadeb Sardar, sons of late Fatik Sardar, of Char Bhadrasan, police-station Char Bhadrasan, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents, and that 29th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3201—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 359 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Sheikh Sabed, son of late Mahijuddi, of Hashanhati, police-station Nagarkanda, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 3rd February 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3202—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 371 AND 372 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Amiruddi and Aijuddi, of Sonapara, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents and that 7th February 1919 has been fixed for hearing their petitions.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3203—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 373 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Abdul Mridha, son of late Amiruddi Mridha, of Sikinahata, police-station Madaripur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 11th February 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3204—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 374 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Amir Khan, son of late Sabas Khan, of Darsana, police-station Kalkini, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 11th February 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3205—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 375 OF 1918.

TAKE notice that Gayali Mazumdar, son of late Siromani Mazumdar, of Munshikaligram, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 23rd January 1919 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 21st December 1918.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(3206—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 88 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Paban Chandra Manna, son of late Bhairab Chandra Manna, of Duilya, thana Sankrail, district Hooghly, was, on the 18th November 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 6th January 1919 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 2nd December 1918. (2954—1—3052)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 44 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Paton Chandra Digar, son of late Nibaran Ch. Digar, of Kastasangra, thana Amta, district Hooghly, was, on the 11th November 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 17th January 1919 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 2nd December 1918. (2955—1—3054)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 71 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that W. A. Cranstone, Shunter, Bengal Nagpur Railway, of Santragachi, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, was on the 9th November 1918 adjudged an insolvent. The 14th January 1919 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge,

Howrah, the 3rd December 1918. (2962—1—3053)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 55 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Sadhu Charan Jana, son of late Prem Chand Jana of Salkhan, Bamangachi, thana Golabati, district Hooghly, was, on the 20th November 1918, adjudged an insolvent. The 9th January 1919 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl District Judge.

Howrah, the 12th December 1918. (3050—1—3119)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Haripada Ghosh, son of late Naran Chandra Ghosh of at present Duilya, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 117 of 1918 and that the 4th January 1919 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 12th December 1918. (3051—1—3121)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Lachman Teli, son of late Mathur Teli of Howrah, Ticcapara, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 118 of 1918 and that the 4th January 1919 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 12th December 1918. (3052—1—3122)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Ganesh Chandra Chattopadhya, son of late Niratan Chattopadhya, of Bally, thana Bally, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 105 of 1918, and that the 8th January 1919 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. M. VEITCH, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 12th December 1918 (3053—1—3120)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 51 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907).

In the matter of Ram Jiban Das, of Ramnapara, division Bhagawangola, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the above named petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent, and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 11th January 1919.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 14th December 1918. (3110—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 52 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907).

In the matter of Choanal, at present of Khagra, Division Sujaganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the above named petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 11th January 1919.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 18th December 1918. (3150—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 38 OF 1918.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Lajib Shaikh, of *Char* Nabangola, police-station Bhagawangola, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the above named petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court dated the 14th December 1918.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 21st December 1918. (3188—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 48 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 17th August 1918, filed by Harekrishna Das, son of late Jagannath Das, of Lakshya, pargana Mahisadal, district Midnapore, debtor petitioner, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Kshirode Nath Chakrabatty, Pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 10th February 1919 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 13th day of December 1918.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(3111—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 42 OF 1918.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 15th July 1918, filed by Sitanath Bakshi, son of late Golok Chandra Bakshi, of Mathuri, pargana Tamluk, police-station Tamluk, district Midnapore, debtor-petitioner.

ON the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Sarat Chandra Jana, Pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 4th February 1919 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 19th day of December 1918

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(3168—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 10 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 33 OF 1918.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 23rd May 1918, filed by Sultan Ahmed, son of late Jamir, of Sanabhui, pargana Tamluk, police-station Tamluk, post Simulia, district Midnapore, debtor-petitioner.

ON the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Sarat Chandra Jana, Pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 7th February 1919 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 19th day of December 1918.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(3169—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 61 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Lalan Chandra Halder, son of late Brajanath Halder, of Nalmura, police-station Pabna, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 2nd August 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 10th January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 13th December 1918. (3101—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 62 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Mirtunjoy Halder, son of late Brajanath Halder, of Nalmura, police-station Pabna, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 2nd August 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 10th January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 13th December 1918. (3102—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 94 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Radha Krishna Sarker, son of late Rabia Sarkor, of Keshabpore, police-station Panchbibi, district Bogra, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 27th September 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 18th January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 14th December 1918. (3181—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 133 OF 1918.

WHEREAS Samir Pramanik, son of late Kalam Pramanik, of Ramchandrapore, police-station Pabna, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 13th December 1918, to be declared an insolvent, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 10th January 1919 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 19th December 1918. (3182—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 33 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on the 11th April 1918 by Mago Pramanik, son of late Sahar Pramanik, of Latai, police-station Bogra, district Bogra, and on the application of the debtor himself and upon examining him and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the said debtor be and is hereby adjudged insolvent and Babu Khitish Chandra Datta, Pleader, is appointed Receiver of his estate.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Pabna, the 13th December 1918. (3100—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 OF 1918.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th August 1918, filed by Keshab Chandra Tilak Das, son of the late Hari Nath Tilak Das, of Kendua, police-station Tangail, district Mymensingh, and on the application of the debtor petitioner and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 14th day of December 1918.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

(3138—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors, that the insolvency petition of (1) Hemanta Kumar Biswas, and (2) Ilara Chandra Biswas, of Goyalgram, police-station Kumarkhali, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 48 of 1918 and that 4th January 1919 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. C. SEN, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 19th December 1918. (3164—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 88 OF 1918.

PRESENT:

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

FAIM ULLAH SIRCAR, son of late Howria Korani, of Mushrat Khutamara, police-station Kishoreganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 14th December 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 14th December 1918. (3117—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 118 OF 1918.

PRESENT:

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Baiyed Ram Das, son of late Muluk Ram Das, of Raghab, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 11th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON District Judge.

Rangpur, the 13th December 1918. (3118—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 119 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Durga Charan Das, son of Baiyed Ram Das, of Raghab, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 11th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 13th December 1918. (3119—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 120 OF 1918.

PRESENT .

J. Johnston, Esq , I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Ayanullah Sheik, son of late Ghota Sheik, of Madanerpara, police-station Fulchhari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 20th December 1918. (3179—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 102 OF 1918.

PRESENT .

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

YEAR MAMUD, son of late Ali Mamud, of Paitkapara, police-station Hatibandah, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 18th December 1918, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 19th December 1918. (3180—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 124 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Prem Chand Mandal, son of late Paran Chand Mandal, of Chhaporhati, police-station Gaibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 21st December 1918. (3185—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 123 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge

ON the application of the debtor Dhoska Mamud Sheikh, son of Nyasha Sheikh, of Warry, police-station Chilmari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 20th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 21st December 1918. (3186—1)

In Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 122 OF 1918.

PRESENT :

J. Johnston, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Maharddi Sheikh, son of late Asham Sheikh, of Warry, police-station Chilmari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 18th day of January 1919 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 21st December 1918. (3187—1)

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (*2*) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors, that the insolvency petition of Lal Gazi, son of late Amanaddi, of Dhadda, pargana Tora, police-station Hajiganj, district Tippera, has been admitted by this Court as No. 14 of 1918, and that the 25th January 1919 has been fixed for hearing.

F. W. WARD, District Judge.

Comilla, the 16th December 1918. (3137—1)

HERAMBALAL SANYAL, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(3094—4—305)

JATISCHANDRA GUHA, M.A. B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(3098—4—3048)

MANINDRA NATH CHAKRABARTI, M.A. B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(3095—4—3050)

MD. NURUL HUQ CHAUDHURY, M.A., B.L., intends to be admitted as a Vakil of the High Court.

(3093—4—3049)

NIRMAL KUMAR SEN, B.SC., B.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(3112—4—3106)

PRAKASH CHANDRA BASU, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(3196—4—3128)

PRAKASCHANDRA MITRA, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(3155—4—2108)

SATINDRA CHANDRA KHASNABIS, M.A., B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, High Court, Calcutta.

(3154—4—3107)

WANTED permanently a Treasurer for Faridpur District Treasury on a salary of Rs. 100 (fixed) a month. The security for the post is Rs. 15,000 which is to be deposited in cash. Promissory notes will, however, be accepted as deposits, but they must be for such an amount as would, if they were realized, approximate to the cash value of the security required. Preference will be given to one who knows the work of a District Treasury in all its details. Applications with copies of testimonials and statement of previous service with present age will be received by the undersigned up to 2nd January 1919 and the selected candidate must join on the 10th January to take over charge from the retiring incumbent on 12th. The selected candidate will be on probation for six months.

B. T. CHATTERJEE, *for* Collector.

Faridpur Collectorate, the 16th December 1918.

Notice.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Cashier in the Presidency College on a salary Rs. 75 a month, rising to Rs. 100 by a biennial increment of Rs. 5. The selected candidate will be required to lodge a security deposit of Rs. 5,000 in Government Promissory Notes.

Applications will be received up to the 2nd January 1919.

J. R. BARROW, Principal.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1918.

NOTICE.

WANTED a Supervisor for the Dinajpur District Board on a monthly salary of Rs. 100—10—150 with travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations. None but a B. E. need apply. The selected candidate will be on probation for six months. If a Government servant is selected his pay will be regulated by the foreign service rules of the Civil Service Regulations.

Applications with copies of certificates and stating age will be received by the undersigned up to the 2nd January 1919.

P. H WADDELL, Chairman,
District Board, Dinajpur.
(2989—3)

Wanted.

A supernumerary Sub-Assistant Surgeon on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 *plus* Rs. 5, English knowing allowance and servant allowance Rs. 5 None need apply who has not passed the final medical examination from a recognized medical school. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 10th January 1919

UPENDRA LAL ROY, Vice-Chairman, District Board.

Chittagong, the 20th December 1918. (3192—1)

Notice.

WANTED two Sub-Assistant Surgeons for the Charitable Dispensaries at (1) Bhadrasan and (2) Bajitpur and another doctor on supernumerary duty under the District Board of Faridpur, on a salary of Rs. 30 each per month. Applications with copies of testimonials and diplomas and stating local relationships, if any, of the candidates, will be received by the Chairman, District Board, Faridpur, up to the 15th January 1919. The selected candidates will have to join at once and will be confirmed after six month's probation. No travelling allowance will be given for joining the posts.

J. G. DUNLOP,
Chairman, District Board.

Faridpur, the 22nd December 1918. (3207—2)

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE is hereby given, for general information, that, under the authority given by section 3 of Act V (B.C.) of 1864, the eastern end of the Tolly's nala at Samukpotta, will be closed to navigation, with effect from the 25th January 1919, until further orders, for the partial canalization of the nala by the construction of a sluice at Samukpotta.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 16th December 1918.

OFFERS invited for selected sal logs, mean girth 4½ – 6 feet, length 13 to 18 feet. About 300 tons available. Delivery F. O. R Naxalbari Station within next three months.

Apply—Divisional Forest Officer, Kurseong.

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS under section 6 (*a*) of the Court of Wards Act, IX (B.C.) of 1879, as amended up to date, the Court of Wards of Bengal has declared Nawabzadi Akhtar Bano Khanum, daughter of the late Sir Nawab Khajah Ahsanullah Bahadur, of Dilkhusha Garden, in the town of Dacca, disqualified to manage her own property; and

Whereas under section 35 of the aforesaid Act, the said Court has assumed charge of the property of the said Nawabzadi Akhtar Bano Khanum.

Notice is hereby given, under section 10A of the said Act, that all creditors having claims against the said Nawabzadi Akhtar Bano or her immovable property are hereby required to submit the same in writing to the Court of Wards at the office of the Board of Revenue, in Calcutta, within six months from the date of publication of this notice.

Creditors are also hereby warned that claims not submitted as required by this notice are liable to be deemed to have been duly discharged.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,
F. D. ASCOLI, Offg. Secretary.

Wards Branch, Calcutta, the 18th December 1918.
(3194—3)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

CENTRAL CIRCLE.

Notice to Contractors.

TENDERS in Public Works Department Form No. K-1 for the undermentioned works in connection with the headquarters buildings of the new district of Hijili at Tengra (near Kharagpur) are hereby invited and will be received by the undersigned in his office up to 1 P.M. of the 10th January 1919, at which place, time and date they will be opened.

2. Particulars of buildings :—

Serial No.	Name of work.	Estimated cost.	Earnest money.	Remarks.
		Rs.	Rs.	
1	Collectorate Buildings	4,63,946	5,000	
2	Circuit House	26,870	700	
3	Dâk Bungalow	20,300	600	
4	Deputy Superintendent of Police's residence	14,387	300	At Hijili, Kharagpur.
5	Deputy Magistrate's residence, three sets of quarters, each Rs. 14,080	42,240	800	
6	Inspection Bungalow	6,961	300	At Jhargram.

N.B.—The estimated cost excludes contingencies and lump sum amounts. Earnest money to accompany the tender in full G. C. Notes. The acceptance or rejection of serial No. 1 rests with the Chief Engineer, Bengal, Roads and Buildings.

3. The contract documents as per details below can be seen during office hours from 11 A.M. to 5 P.M., excepting Sundays—

(*a*) Drawings.
(*b*) Specifications.
(*c*) Schedule of quantities.
(*d*) Conditions of contract.
(*e*) Tender forms.

4. Tenders must be submitted sealed and superscribed—

"Tender for Hijili District Buildings."

5. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, or to assign reasons for non-acceptance.

C. W. SIBOLD,
Superintending Engineer, Central Circle.

Imperial Secretariat Buildings, 2, Government Place, West, Calcutta, the 12th December 1918.

Road Cess Notice.

The District Board of Pabna have, at their special meeting held on the 9th December 1918, fixed the rate of road cess for the year 1919-20 in that district at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of all lands, etc., under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1908.

WASIN UDDIN AHMED
Vice-Chairman, District Board.

Pabna, the 9th December 1918. (3055—2)

Indian Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Medical Department will be held on 3rd February 1919, at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital, at these stations, and from—

Calcutta.	Simla.
Dinapore.	Rangoon
Allahabad.	Madras.
Agra.	Bangalore.
Lucknow.	Trichinopoly.
Meerut.	Jhansi.
Bareilly.	Sialkot.
Jubbulpore.	Fyzabad.
Ambala.	Aden.
Lahore Cantonment.	Maymyo.
Rawalpindi.	Karachi.
Secunderabad	Bombay.
Wellington.	Mhow.
Quetta.	Poona.
Shillong.	Kamptee.
Peshawar.	Mandalay.
Kasauli.	
Ajmere.	

(1) The Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service, Simla.

(2) The Personal Assistants to the Surgeon-General with the Governments of Bengal, Madras and Bombay.

(3) All Administrative Medical Officers and the Principals of the Medical Colleges at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

R. A. NEEDHAM, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 15th November 1918.

Treasure Trove.

UNDER section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, notice is hereby given that, in th month of January 1918, a treasure consisting of Rs. 77⁹ tied in an old piece of cloth was found in a hole under the foot of a tree on the Deviputtanam road, Ramnad taluk, Ramnad district. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear before the Collector of Ramnad either personally or by any agent duly authorized by law on the 7th April 1919 at his office at Madura at 12 noon in order that the matter may be inquired into and determined according to law.

Description.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
* Whole rupees	56	0	0
Three (¼ rupee coins) ...	1	8	0
Four (¼ rupee coins)	1	0	0
Two (⅛ rupee coins)	0	4	0
One (10 Rs. currency note $\frac{2\text{-D}}{61}$ 03110)	10	0	0
Cash	8	4	0
Total ...	77	0	0

A. F. G MONCARDI, Collector.

Ramnad Collector's Office, the 28th November 1918.

Public Works Department Notification.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the Dhappa Lock will be closed to traffic temporarily for repairs from the 1st February 1919 for a period of three calendar months.

C. P. M HARRISON,
Executive Engineer,
Circular and Eastern Canals Division.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Second Calcutta Division.

TENDERS in P. W. D. Form No. K.-1 are invited for the construction of the undernoted buildings from contractors having experience of big original works, and will be received by the undersigned at his office up to gunfire (1 P.M.) of Monday, the 27th day of January 1919 :—

Project.	Serial No.	Names of buildings.	Estimated rough cost. Rs.	Remarks.
Reconstruction of Bhowanipur Lunatic Asylum, 7, Bhowanipur Road.	1	Quarters for 10 Indian males, No. 1	55,463	To be taken in hand immediately.
	2	Quarters for 10 Indian males, No. 2		
	3	Dining room for Indian males	4,024	
	4	Shed for 20 Indian males ...	4,000	
	5	Bathing place for Indian males	354	
	6	Compound wall, Indian males' enclosure	2,300	
	7	Warders' quarters	18,927	
	8	Administrative block (two storied)	79,173	Will be taken up afterwards when buildings on site will be dismantled.
	9	Servants' quarters	18,282	
	10	Bathing enclosures, servants' quarters		
	11	Compound wall, servants' quarters	330	
	12	Drainage and sanitary work for the Asylum	45,000	To be taken up in parts as each building is completed.

NOTE—The estimated rough cost of the complete project is Rs. 3,62,500 as shown below —

	Rs.
1. Building works	2,94,000
2. Plumbing works	45,000
3. Electrical installation	23,500

2. The tenders shall be submitted sealed and superscribed "Tender for the reconstruction of buildings at the Bhowanipur Lunatic Asylum."

3. The tender forms and schedule of quantities with conditions of contract can be had free of charge on verbal application to the undersigned and shall be submitted duly filled in and signed by the tenderer. The drawings will be open to inspection at the office of the undersigned during office hours between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on working days. The drawings and the quantities are, however, subject to modification.

4. The contractor will be required to supply all materials (including bricks) and tools and plant required for the work.

5. An earnest money of 2 per cent. must accompany the tender in full G. C. Notes, which will be returned to the unsuccessful tenderer after the final disposal of the tenders by the Chief Engineer, Bengal, who reserves the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason.

6. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit 5 per cent. in Government Promissory Notes as security for the due performance of the contract works.

S. C. MITRA, Executive Engineer,
2nd Calcutta Division.

Executive Engineer's Office, 2nd Calcutta Division. The Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Room No. 100, Calcutta, the 23rd December 1918.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

IT is notified, for general information, that the next ordinary examination of candidates for certificates of competency as Masters and Serangs of Inland Steam Vessels, under Act I of 1917, will be held at the Port Office, Chittagong, on Monday, the 20th January 1919, at 10 A M.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Port Office, Chittagong, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

A. E. McKENNA,
for Port Officer, Chittagong.

Chittagong, the 21st December 1918. (3193—1)

Lost

A RECEIPT, numbered 23796, dated 2nd October 1918, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
016327	5½ per cent., 1920.	500	Birdhichand Jagannath

Name of the proprietor—Birdhichand Jagannath.
Residence—16, Pagyapatti, Burrabazar, Calcutta.

(3178—1—3125)

Lost.

THE allotment certificates Nos. $\frac{1918\ B}{1\ to\ 2}$ of the 5½ per cent. war bond 1920 for Rs. 400, originally issued in the name of Kanak Prova Debi, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the allotment certificates have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of advertiser.—Rani Kanak Prova Debi.

Residence.—Chanchra Rajbati, Jessore.

(2734—3—3065)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 26485, dated 19th November 1918, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

	G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
			Rs.	
1.	276456	3½ per cent. of 1865	2,500	Harendra Krishna Mitter.
2.	276453	,, ,, ,,	1,500	Ditto.
3.	238967	,, ,, ,,	500	Ditto.
4.	280686	,, ,, ,,	1,000	Ditto.
5.	280687	,, ,, ,,	1,000	Ditto.

Name of the proprietor—Harendra Krishna Mitter.
Residence—58, Beadon Street, Calcutta.

(3115—1—3118)

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once, with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.		Value.	Name of claimant.
			Rs.	
W D 2 of 1918-19 No.—011002	VB 66	15852	100	Thakur Rudra Prosad Singh, Taluqdar, Tala, district Partabgarh.

R. B. DEANE, Deputy Controller,
in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, Calcutta, the 3rd December 1918.

Currency Notes.

THE following Currency Notes of the Calcutta Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of Notes.		Value.	Name of Claimant.
			Rs.	
011694 H 462 of 1918-19	YB 39	82005		
	VB 79	21489		
	VB 76	17976		
	YB 38	96060		
	VB 78	77414		
	VB 67	34283		
	YB 38	25813		
	,,	88655		
	YB 37	24122	100 each	Abdul Kareem, Pensioner, P. O. Gaighat, Gulzarbagh, Patna.
	YB 40	90964		
	VB 78	15805		
	YB 39	13130		
	,,	13131		
	,,	13132		
	YB 40	38079		
	YB 39	86370		
	,,	to 86379		

R. B. DEANE, Deputy Controller,
In charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, Calcutta, the 19th December 1918.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and in the matter of the Pandakanali Coal Co., Ltd., in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 217 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, that a general meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held on Friday, the 24th day of January 1919, at 5-15 P.M., at 25, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, in order that there may be laid before the said Company an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and in order that the said Company may hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.

R. R. GRIFFITH,
W. R. TANNER,
Liquidators.

25, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, the 14th December 1918.
(3114—1—3109)

Notice.

IN supersession of previous orders, the subscription to, and postage for, the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part IC, will henceforth be at the following rates, payable in advance :—

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J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 31st October 1918.

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR—	Day or date of closing of mails.	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
United Kingdom and Aden	Dec. 26th ...	6-15	7-15	5-30	6-0
Allied and Neutral Countries in Europe, America, Egypt, East Africa and West Africa. Also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom.	„ 25th ..	6-15	7-15	...	...
Ceylon	Daily ...	3-0	3-30	2-30	3-0
Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo-China, China, Japan, etc., per S.S. Vitim.	Dec. 25th ...	7-30	8-0	...	...
Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo-China, China, Japan, etc., *vid* Negapatam.	Tuesday ...	4-0	...	3-30	...
Burma	Dec. 28th ...	7-30		6-0	7-0
Port Blair	„ 27th ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0

* The late fee is 4 annas for each registered and unregistered article to any place named above, except Aden, Burma, Ceylon and Port Blair, the late fee for which is ½ anna for unregistered articles and 2 annas for registered articles. Letters are accepted with late fee only on occasions when a direct mail is closed by the Calcutta G. P. O. for Foreign Countries.

Calcutta G. P. O., the 23rd December 1918. J. FISHER-RODERICKS, Presidency Post Master.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF SANSKRIT MANUSCRIPTS.

PARTS I, II and III of a Descriptive Catalogue of the Sanskrit Manuscripts in the Library of the Calcutta Sanskrit College, prepared by Pandit Hrishikesh Sastri and Babu Siva Chandra Gui, M.A., B.L., of that College are offered to the public for sale. The Catalogue having to be completed in 23 parts, the price of each part is 12 annas a copy exclusive of postage. Copies can be obtained from the Principal of the Sanskrit College, Calcutta.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID, AND QUINOIDINE.

[Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.]

THESE articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona Alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Behar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the principal druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or pure Amorphous Alkaloid and Residual Alkaloid or Amorphous Cinchona Alkaloid which contains about 40 per cent. of pure Amorphous Alkaloid are for sale to Missionaries and Government institutions only. These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance, but private purchasers may use the V.-P. P. system AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1918 are as follows :—

Sulphate of Quinine.

For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	Rs. 28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs., but below 60 lbs., in one delivery	„ 29 „ „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 30 „ „

Sulphate of Cinchonidine.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery ...	Rs. 11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	„ 12 „ „

(Only small quantities available when in stock.)

Cinchona Febrifuge.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery ...	Rs. 5 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 6 „ „

Cinchona Febrifuge Tablets.

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery ...	Rs. 6 per lb.
For any quantities less than 6 lbs.	„ 7 „ „
Quinoidine in non Tablet form (when in stock) and Residual Alkaloids...	„ 4 „ „

Quinoidine Tablets (when in stock).

For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery ...	Rs. 6 per lb.
For quantities less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	„ 7 „ „

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb., and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼ lb., ½ lb., and 1 lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb., and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 1-lb., 5-lb., and 10-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 1 lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1 lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.-P. Post. Price of postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post-office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by post. A scale of postage is given below :—

[For ¼ and ½-lb. 4 annas, 1 lb. 6 annas, 2 lbs. 10 annas, 3 lbs. 12 annas, 4 lbs. Re. 1, 5 lbs. Re. 1-4, and for 6 lbs. Re. 1-6.]

	Re.	A.
Quinoidine Tablet 1 lb., weg. 3 lbs., postage	0	10
Ditto 2 lbs., „ 6 „ „	1	0
Ditto 3 „ „ 9 „ „	1	3

Local Sale at the Jail gate from 7 to 10 A.M., and 2 to 4 P.M.

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Monday.

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PART IV.

Bills introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented or to be presented in that Council, and Bills published before introduction in that Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1786L., dated the 19th December, 1918.—The following report of the Select Committee, which was presented to the Bengal Legislative Council on the 19th December, 1918 (with the Bill as amended by the Committee), is hereby published for general information :—

REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT No. 2) BILL, 1918.

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill further to amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, was referred, have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin, and have the honour to submit this, our Report, with the Bill as amended by us, annexed hereto.

In reprinting the Bill, all changes made by us have so far as possible been underlined.

Papers No. 1—Letter No. $\frac{434A.}{D.}$, dated the 28th July, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, North Bengal Zamindars' Association.

Letter No. $\frac{L}{259}$ 5807, dated the 2nd August, 1918, from the Director of the Department of Land Records, Bengal.

Letter No. 2746, dated the 5th August, 1918, from the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Appellate Side.

Letter No. 2575 Cess, dated the 6th August, 1918, from the Officiating Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal.

Papers No. 2.—Letter No. 49, dated the 6th August, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, Dinajpur Landholders' Association.

Letter dated the 8th August, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, Bengal Landholders' Association.

Papers No. 3.—Letter No. 25, dated the 12th August, 1918, from the Secretary, Muhammadan Association, Rajshahi.

Letter No. 106, dated the 13th August, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, East Bengal Landholders' Association.

Papers No. 4.—Letter No. 41, dated the 14th August, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, Bakarganj Landholders' Association.

Letter dated the 15th August, 1918, from the Secretary, Chittagong Association.

Paper No. 5.—Letter No. 543, dated the 17th August, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association.

Paper No. 6.—Letter No. 75 R.A., dated the 31st August, 1918, from the Secretary, Rajshahi Association.

Paper No. 7.—Letter No. 63, dated the 3rd September, 1918, from the Secretary, People's Association, Tippera.

Paper No. 8.—Letter dated the 7th September, 1918, from the Secretary to the Indian Association.

Paper No. 9.—Letter dated the 7th September, 1918, from the Secretary, Bengal Tenants' Association.

Paper No. 10.—Letter dated the 30th September, 1918, from the Secretary, Mymensingh Association.

Paper No. 11.—Letter dated the 4th October, 1918, from the Honorary Secretary, Central National Muhammadan Association.

Clause 2.

2. We have made it clear that the reference in clause (*a*) of the proposed new sub-section (*2*) of section 74 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, is to clause (*2*) of section 41 of the Cess Act, 1880.

3. In order to meet the objections which have been raised as to the effect of the Bill as introduced on existing written agreements to pay cess in excess of the provisions of the Cess Act, it has been considered desirable to save existing written contracts ; and a new proviso to this effect has been inserted in the proposed new sub-section (*2*). The existing proviso barring the recovery of excess cess will remain as a second proviso.

4. As section 179 of the Bengal Tenancy Act already protects permanent *mukarrari* lease-holders in any contract which they make with their tenants on the subject of cess, it was not considered necessary to make in the original draft of the Bill any reference to such cases. As, however, it has been pointed out that there should be a similar protection in the cases of leases executed before the passing of the Bengal Tenancy Act, we recommend that there should be a general saving provision dealing with *mukarrari* leases ; and a provision for this purpose has been inserted as a proposed new sub-section (*3*) in section 74 of the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Clause 3.

5. The amendment here proposed is simply consequential.

6. We recommend that the Bill as thus amended be passed.

J. G. CUMMING, *Member-in-charge.*
J. H. KERR.
C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE.
H. P. DUVAL.
PRIYA NATH MUKHARJI.
PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER.
AMAN ALI.
ALTAF ALI.
SRI NATH RAY.

A. M. HUTCHISON,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal
and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

CALCUTTA ;
The 11th December, 1918.

THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT No. 2) BILL, 1918;

(as amended by the Select Committee).

[NOTE.—The amendments made by the Select Committee have been underlined.]

A

BILL

further to amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in the manner hereinafter appearing; VIII of 1885.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained under section 79, sub-section (*2*), of the Government of India Act, 1915, to the passing of this Act; 5 & 6 Geo. 5, c. 61.

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title

1. This Act may be called the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment No. 2) Act, 1918.

Amendment of section 74 of Act VIII of 1885

2. Section 74 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (hereinafter called the said Act), shall be renumbered as sub-section (*1*) of section 74, and after the said sub-section the following shall be added, namely :— VIII of 1885.

"(*2*) All impositions upon tenants of road cess or public works cess, or of both,—

(*a*) in excess of the net amount prescribed by clause (*2*) of section 41 of the Cess Act, 1880, or Ben. Act IX of 1880.

(*b*) on any scale in excess of that prescribed by clause (*3*) of that section,

levied in addition to the actual rent, shall be illegal, and all stipulations and reservations for payment of any such excess contained in any contract made between a landlord and a tenant on or after the 13th day of October, 1880, shall be void:

Provided that nothing in this sub-section shall affect the terms of a written contract registered before the commencement of the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment No. 2) Act, 1918:

Provided also that, subject to the provisions of section 72 of the Indian Contract Act, 1872, no suit shall lie for the recovery of anything paid before the commencement of the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment No. 2) Act, 1918, on account of the impositions referred to in sub-section (*2*). IX of 1872.

(*3*) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to affect the terms of a permanent *mukarrari* lease granted by a proprietor or holder of a permanent tenure in a permanently settled area."

Amendment of section 75.

3. In section 75 of the said Act,—

(1) after the words "in excess of the rent" the words "or road cess or public works cess" shall be inserted : and

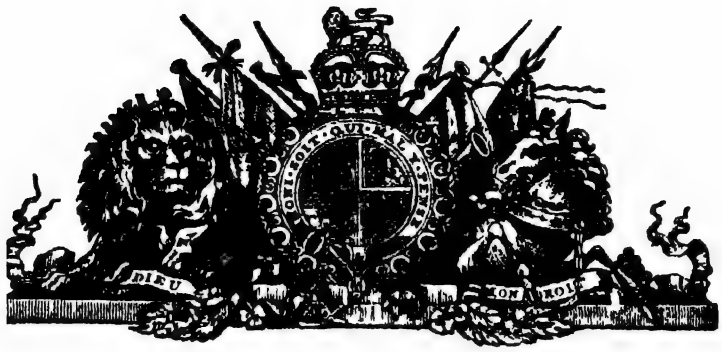
(2) after the words "lawfully payable, may" the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"subject to the second proviso to sub-section (2) of section 74,"

A. M. HUTCHISON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

CALCUTTA :
The 19th December, 1918.



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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council assembled under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1915.

The Council met in the Council Chamber at Government House, Calcutta, on Thursday, the 19th December, 1918, at 11 A.M.

Present:

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Lawrence John Lumley Dundas, Earl of Ronaldshay, G.C.I.E., *Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, presiding.*

The Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.

The Hon'ble Mr. J. G. Cumming, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan.

The Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O.

The Hon'ble Major-General W. H. B. Robinson, C.B., I.M.S.

The Hon'ble Mr. J. Donald, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Mr. L. S. S. O'Malley.

The Hon'ble MR. H. P. DUVAL.

The Hon'ble MR. M. C. McALPIN.

The Hon'ble MR. F. A. A. COWLEY.

The Hon'ble MR. C. H. BOMPAS, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble MR. W. C. WORDSWORTH.

The Hon'ble MR. C. F. PAYNE.

The Hon'ble MR. S. G. HART.

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The Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI.

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY.

The Hon'ble MR. ALTAF ALI.

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The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA.

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY.

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.

Questions and Answers.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 1.

STARRED QUESTIONS.

The following questions which had been starred were put and answered :—

By the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur:—

*1

Will the Government be pleased to state what steps, if any, have been taken under the provisions of section 90 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), as modified up to date, by the District Boards of Jessore, Murshidabad, Nadia, the 24-Parganas, Howrah, Hooghly, Burdwan and Dacca, and what parts of rivers, streams or channels, and how many tanks, have been set apart for drinking and culinary purposes?

Action under section 90 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act by certain District Boards.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. 1 (starred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Council Meeting of the 19th December, 1918, showing the number of tanks, etc., declared to be reserved by the undermentioned District Boards under section 90 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885.*

Name of District Board.	Number of tanks, etc., reserved under section 90 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885.
Jessore	72 tanks and the rivers and khals or parts of rivers and khals shown in the list below.
Murshidabad	35 tanks.
Nadia	5 „
24-Parganas	Nil.
Howrah	31 tanks.
Hooghly	69 „
Burdwan	21 „
Dacca	39 „

List of rivers and khals and parts of rivers and khals declared by the Jessore District Board to be reserved.

1. The Navaganga up to Magura.
2. The Chitra throughout the Jhenidah, Magura and Narail Sub-divisions up to Ghorakhali.
3. The Beghati *alias* Beng river.
4. „ Bhowanipur khal.
5. „ Kachua khal.
6. „ Dhopaghatta khal.
7. „ Kumar Hoar khal.
8. „ Barasia from Balmari to Kalua.
9. „ Hanu.
10. „ Navaganga from Lohagarah to Kalua.
11. „ Fatki from Dhanesharganti to Salai.
12. „ Betropati *alias* Betua.
13. The Kabadak or Bhairab (under whichever name known) throughout its length in the Jessore district from Purundarpur in thana Moheshpur to Sagardari in thana Keshabpur.
14. The Nawbhanga river from Haridaspur bridge to Ramchandrapur in Sarsa thana.
15. The Bhairab from Afra Trimohini to Singia (about 4 miles).

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur:—

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High price of rice and pulses in Bengal.

(*a*) Has the attention of Government been drawn to the unusually high price of rice and pulses in the various districts in the Presidency of Bengal?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the price is on the increase?

(*c*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state what steps, if any, they are taking in this matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" (*a*) The attention of Government has been drawn to the prices of rice and pulses in the various districts of the Presidency. As there seems to be a general misapprehension regarding the state of such prices, or at all events of rice, Government takes this opportunity of laying on the library table certain comparative statements regarding retail and wholesale prices (so far as available at the time of the preparation of this reply), which will show clearly what that state is. In the case of pulses it will be seen from them that, generally speaking, retail prices rose in the years 1914 and 1915, fell in 1916 and 1917 and have risen again above the level of the prices in 1914 and 1915. In the case of pulses there has undoubtedly been a considerable rise in retail prices.

The price of rice, the staple food crop, has not behaved in the same manner. If anything, wholesale prices in the first fortnight of November are less than those which prevailed during the same period in the five years preceding 1917. Retail prices differ little from those prevailing at the same time in the years 1914, 1915 and 1916. They fell in 1917 and the first half of this year considerably on account of an abundant harvest last season. In July or August they began to rise again to the present level which, though they may be called high, cannot in these circumstances be termed unusual.

(*b*) The returns of the retail prices of rice for the week ending the 5th December show a slight increase on those in the return for the first week of November, but in some districts the price has remained stationary or has fallen slightly.

(*c*) The following measures have been taken :—

(1) An arrangement has been come to by which the import of Rangoon rice, both of old and new crops, has been resumed under licenses to be granted by the Director of Civil Supplies of this Province. Dealings by importers in the new rice will only be allowed on condition that certain maximum selling prices are not exceeded. A copy of the terms upon which such import is allowed into Calcutta is laid on the table.

(2) The export of rice by rail from Bengal is prohibited except under orders of the Foodstuffs Commissioner. There are some relatively unimportant exceptions such as the coalfields adjoining the Province. In order to enable the Foodstuffs Commissioner to decide how much rice can safely be exported from Bengal, Government have recently caused special inquiries as to existing stocks to be made throughout the Province.

(3) Pulses can be imported, but in the case of imports from the Punjab, the United Provinces or the Central Provinces, certificates from the Director of Civil Supplies of this Province are required. The question of placing restrictions on the export of pulses is under consideration, but has not yet been decided.

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Hon'ble Members will realise for themselves that at the present juncture the distribution of foodstuffs is not a mere provincial matter, but is a matter of importance affecting the whole of India. Therefore such control as may be exercised is not in the interest of any one particular province, but has to be in the interests of all provinces."

Paper referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN *to question* No. II *(starred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Council Meeting held on the 19th December, 1918.*

Terms upon which import of Rangoon Rice (new crop) will be allowed into Calcutta.

1. Licenses from the Director of Civil Supplies, Bengal, will be required for importation of Rangoon rice into Calcutta.

2. Licenses will not be general but will be valid only for the importation of such quantities as are named in the license.

3. They will not be transferable.

4. The names of the licensees and of their shippers in Rangoon and the quantities licensed will be telegraphed by the Director of Civil Supplies to the Rice Commissioner, Rangoon, and such communications will take the place of the formal export license which shippers of rice from Rangoon have to take out from the Rice Commissioner. Licenses will be valid for shipment in the month for which they are granted.

5. The right of granting or refusing a license to any particular firm or person at his discretion is reserved to the Director of Civil Supplies.

6. Licenses will not be granted by the Director of Civil Supplies except on his being satisfied that the applicant will sell at a price in Calcutta not exceeding the maximum selling price fixed by him.

7. Tonnage in Rangoon will be allotted by the Rice Commissioner to the shippers named by the licensees.

8. The maximum selling price in Calcutta for new crop Rangoon rice (Big Mill Specials) has been fixed at Rs. 5-1-0 per maund C. I. F., $\frac{\text{and}}{\text{or}}$ Rs. 5-6-0 per maund *ex* godown.

Licenses for Import of Rangoon Rice (old crop).

Licenses for the import of Rangoon rice (old crop) will be granted on the same terms as above, save that there will be no maximum selling price fixed.

UNSTARRED QUESTIONS.

(*Answers to which were laid on the table.*)

By the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray:—

1.

(*a*) With reference to the answer to my unstarred question No. XIII of the 3rd September last, will the Government be pleased to refer to the University Regulations and state the precise nature of the "information" referred to in clause (*b*) of the said answer as being "required by the University Regulations"?

University Regulations and uniformity of standards.

Questions and Answers.

(*b*) With reference to the " uniformity of standards " which the instructions contained in the Director of Public Instruction's letter No. 2253-2259-G., dated the 25th April, 1918, are stated to secure, will the Government be pleased to state whether such uniformity is specially aimed at by the University Regulations themselves, or is a departmental requirement? If the latter, are these instructions issued solely on the responsibility of the Director of Public Instruction?

(*c*) Is it a fact that these instructions go so far beyond the University Regulations as to require a higher standard to be satisfied by schools than is contemplated by the University authorities?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to regulations 2—5 in Chapter XXI of the University Regulations.

(*b*) A uniform minimum standard of efficiency is necessarily contemplated by the University Regulations. The instructions which were issued by the Director of Public Instruction departmentally aim at securing this standard and explaining in some detail the requirements necessary to satisfy the University Regulations.

(*c*) This does not appear to be the case. In these matters the Inspectors of the Education Department merely inspect and report for the Syndicate of the University, and the Director of Public Instruction merely advises the University authority, which is at liberty to accept or reject his recommendations."

By the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray:—

2.

Alleged acts of high-handedness by officers and employés of the Hazidanga Indigo Factory.

(*a*) Are the Government aware of certain acts of oppression and high-handedness alleged to be practised by the officers and employés of the Hazidanga Indigo Factory in the district of Murshidabad upon tenants and labourers living in certain villages owned by the Midnapore Zamindari Company?

(*b*) Is it a fact that several petitions have been addressed by the said tenants and labourers to the District Magistrate and other authorities calling attention to these allegations and seeking redress thereof?

(*c*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state the purport of such petitions and what action, if any, has been taken thereon?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" (*a*) Government are aware that certain persons have alleged the practice of some such acts.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) There were 2 complaints made to the police, 3 petitions to the Chairman, District Board, and 2 petitions to the District Magistrate.

The 2 police cases were dealt with magisterially. One of them forms the subject-matter of another Council question. In the other it was alleged by the complainant that while he was gathering fodder for his cattle, a Factory guard drove him away and took away his sickle. After a judicial inquiry the complaint was dismissed under section 203 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Questions and Answers.

Of the petitions, one related to the second police case just mentioned. In the second petition it was alleged that the Factory servants had forcibly seized the petitioners' cattle and imposed fines on them for their release. On inquiry by the Sadar Sub-Divisional Officer these allegations were found to be untrue. A third petition alleged the theft of a horse and the forcible seizure of another horse and cattle by the Factory servants. In the remaining two petitions the allegations were that the Factory compelled the petitioners to take advances for the cultivation of indigo and oats and destroyed their other standing crops, that the petitioners were paid insufficient wages and made to supply milk free of charge and that fines were imposed upon them. No action was taken on the last three petitions as they were not stamped."

By the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray:—

3.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

Indigo cultivation by the Midnapore Zamindari Company in the Murshidabad district.

(*a*) the approximate total area brought under indigo cultivation by the Midnapore Zamindari Company in the district of Murshidabad;

(*b*) the persons in whose occupation the lands were, and the use to which they were put, previous to the introduction by the said company of indigo cultivation there;

(*c*) the proportion of the said lands which belonged to the tenants;

(*d*) the rates at which the company pay compensation to the tenants for having taken away such lands from their occupation; and

(*e*) the average rate of rent payable by the tenants to their immediate landlords in respect thereof?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

"(*a*) The final forecast for indigo shows 5,100 acres of indigo cultivation in the district, of which 4,850 acres are probably for the Midnapore Zamindari Company.

(*b*), (*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) Government have no information in this matter."

By the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray:—

4.

The case of Kali Nath Maitra of the Hazidanga Indigo Factory.

(*a*) Is it a fact that a complaint was lodged by several *raiyats* against one Kali Nath Maitra, an officer of the Hazidanga Indigo Factory, and others, on a charge of wrongful confinement, and that two associates of the said Kali Nath Maitra were sent up by the police for trial under sections 341 and 376 of the Indian Penal Code, but were acquitted by the Sadar Sub-divisional Officer of Murshidabad?

(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of sending for the records of the said case and consulting the Legal Remembrancer as to the advisability of preferring an appeal against the said order of acquittal?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DUVAL :—

"(*a*) Yes.
(*b*) No."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray:—

5.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that a petition has recently been submitted to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, on behalf of the tenants, under-tenants and labourers of certain villages in the district of Murshidabad owned by the Midnapore Zamindari Company, calling attention to certain grievances and making serious allegations against the said company, and inviting an inquiry thereinto?

(*b*) If so, what steps have been taken, or are proposed to be taken, in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) Government have ascertained from the Commissioner that such a petition was received and that it was sent to the Collector of Murshidabad for report. They have no further information "

By the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray:—

6.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*i*) the qualifications of candidates which are taken specially into consideration when making selections for appointments to the Provincial Judicial Service; and

(*ii*) whether holders of a first class degree of B.L. are usually given preference over others in such selections?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the number of appointments made during each of the last three years, showing—

(*i*) how many of them were first class B.L.'s; and

(*ii*) how many first class B.L.'s were not given any appointment in each year?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DUVAL :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the Statutory rules published in notification No. 1784 A. of the 10th March, 1894.

(*b*) The number of appointments was six in each of the three years 1916—18. The number of first class B L.'s appointed was one and four in the years 1917 and 1918 respectively. No first class B.L was appointed in 1916."

By the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray:—

7.

Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) what progress has been made in regard to the preparation of the Grand Trunk Canal scheme;

(*b*) what alterations, if any, has it undergone; and

(*c*) when it is expected to be taken in hand?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"(*a*) The revised project has been accepted by Government; the estimates will have to be modified in some respects owing to altered conditions.

(*b*) There have been no alterations in the scheme as designed.

(*c*) The project will require the sanction of the Secretary of State; it will, it is hoped, be submitted to the Government of India within the current financial year."

By the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray:—

8.

Will the Government be pleased to state when it is expected to co-ordinate the two text-book committees in the eastern and western districts of Bengal?

Co-ordination of text-book committees in Eastern and Western Bengal.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" The question of co-ordinating the text-book committees in the eastern and western districts of Bengal will be taken up when a uniform curriculum for the whole Presidency has been completed. It is at present impossible to say when a uniform curriculum will be ready."

By the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur:—

9.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the following particulars regarding the mills with septic tank latrine installations in the Presidency of Bengal:—

Mills with septic tank latrine installations in the Presidency of Bengal.

(*a*) the name of the mill, with situation;

(*b*) the name of the nearest railway station, and its distance from the mill;

(*c*) the name of the post office within the jurisdiction of which the mill is situated;

(*d*) the name of the managing agents, and their address;

(*e*) the name, age, academical qualification in full, place and period of practical training for the working of the septic tank latrine installation, date of appointment, and salary of the duly qualified person in charge to supervise the working of the septic tank latrine installation as referred to in rule 19 (*1*) (*i*) of "The Bengal Factories Rules, 1912 ";

(*f*) the date of the establishment of the mill;

(*g*) the date of sanction by the Government or the Sanitary Commissioner for the construction of septic tank latrines;

(*h*) the working capacity of each installation within the mill;

(*i*) the place of discharge of the effluent from the septic tank latrines;

(*j*) the total quantity of such effluent discharged per day;

(*k*) the date of the last inspection by the septic tank latrine Inspector appointed by the Government;

(*l*) the nature of defects noticed by the septic tank latrine Inspector;

(*m*) the action taken by the Government to remedy the defects; and

(*n*) the date when the defects were remedied?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), (*f*), (*g*), (*h*), (*i*) and (*j*) A statement is laid on the table.

(*e*) The information is not available.

(*k*) Inspections are held at monthly intervals and sometimes oftener.

(*l*) The most common defects are that turn-stiles get out of order, automatic and pedal flushes require repairs, filter beds become choked and the effluent is not chlorinated to the extent required.

(*m*) Government are not responsible for remedying defects in private installations.

(*n*) The defects are usually remedied within a month after they are pointed out by the Inspector."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. 9 (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the meeting of Council held on the 19th December, 1918.*

STATEMENT OF SEPTIC TANK INSTALLATIONS IN MILLS.

Name of the mill.	Situation of the mill.	Name of the nearest railway station and its distance from the mill.	Name of the post-office within the jurisdiction of which it is situated.	Name of the Managing Agents and their addresses.	Date of establishment.	Date of sanction to the construction of the septic tank latrine.	Working capacity of each installation in the mill in gallons per day.	Place of discharge of the effluent from the latrines.	Total quantity of effluent discharged per day.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
							Gallons.		Gallons.
1. Lawrence Jute Mill ...	Left bank of the Hooghly.	Chengail, 1 mile ...	Fort Gloster post-office, Chackasi.	Bird & Co., Chartered Bank Buildings, Calcutta.	1906 ...	1908	I 45,000 II 45,000	Hooghly River	90,000
2. Bowreal. Cotton Mill ...	Ditto ...	Bowreah, 1½ miles ...	Bowreah ...	Kettlewell, Bullen & Co., 21, Strand Road, Calcutta	1819 ...	1909	24,000	Land in the vicinity of the mill.	24 000
3. Fort Gloster Jute Mill.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1875 ...	No. I—1907 No. II—1910	75,000 60,000	Hooghly River ...	135,000
4. Delta Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Sankrail, 6 miles ...	Delta	Andrew Yule & Co., 8, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1899 ...	.....	60,000	Ditto ...	60,000
5. National Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Andul, 3 miles ...	Sankrail ...	Ditto ...	1896 ...	1913	60,000	Ditto ...	60,000
6. Ganges Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Howrah, 2 miles ...	Sibpur	Macneill & Co., 2, Clive Ghat Street, Calcutta.	1875 ...	No. 1—1909 ... No. 2—1916 ... No. 3—1916 ...	60,000 75,000 75,000	Ditto ...	210,000
7. Central Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Howrah, 3 miles ...	Salkia	Andrew Yule & Co., 8, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1890 ...	1915	6.000	Ditto ...	6.000
8. Bally Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Bally, ½ mile ...	Bally	George Henderson & Co., 160, Clive Street, Calcutta.	1905 ...	1908	45,000	Ditto ...	45,000
9. Hastings Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Rishra, ¾ mile ...	Rishra	A. Birkmyre Bros., 6, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1875	No. 1—1903 ... No. 2—1903 ... No. 3—1907 ... No. 4—1912 ... No. 5—1912 ...	30,000 30.000 30,000 22,500 22,500	Ditto ... Ditto Ditto Ditto Ditto	135,000
10. Wellington Jute Mill ..	Ditto ...	Rishra, 1¼ miles ...	Baidyabati ...	James Finlay & Co., 1, Clive Street, Calcutta.	1858 ...	1916	90,000	Ditto ...	90,000
11. Champdani Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Baidyabati, 1¼ miles	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1876 ...	1916	75,000	Ditto ...	75,000

12	Northbrook Jute Mill	Left bank of the Hooghly.	Baidyabati, 1¾ miles	Baidyabati ...	Bird & Co., Chartered Bank Buildings, Calcutta.	1908 ...	1910	60,000	Hooghly River ...	60,000
13	Dalhousie Jute Mill ...	Ditto .	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1903 ..	No. 1—1910 ...	45,000	Ditto ...	112,500
							No. 2—1913 ...	67,500		
14.	Angus Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Bhadreswar, 2 miles	Chandernagore ...	Angus Jute Co., 3, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1913 ...	1913 ... ... (Two additional tanks constructed not in use.)	75,000	Effluent discharged to tank and used for boilers.	75,000
15.	Victoria Jute Mill ...	Ditto	Chandernagore, 1½ miles.	Telinipara ...	Thomas Duff & Co., 15, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1884 ...	1908	I 30,000	Hooghly River	90,000
								II 30,000		22,500
								III 30,000		
							Coolie line tank, 1916	22,500		112,500
16.	North Shamnagar Jute Mill.	Ditto ...	Bhadreswar, 1 mile ...	Bhadreswar ...	Ditto ...	1914 ...	1914	60,000	Ditto ...	120,000
							Coolie line, 1916 ...	I 30,000		
								H 30,00		
17.	Gouripur Jute Mill ...	Right bank of the Hooghly.	Naihati, 1 mile ..	Garifa ...	Barry & Co., 5, Lyons Range, Calcutta.	1866 ...	1912	90,000	Ditto ...	90,000
18.	Reliance Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Kankinara, ½ mile ...	Bhatpara ...	Howeson Brothers, Limited, 9, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1910 ...	1907	90,000	Ditto ...	90,000
19.	Kankinara Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Kankinara, ¾ mile ...	Ditto ...	Jardine Skinner & Co., 4, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1882 ...	No 1—1904 ...	30,000	Ditto ...	150,000
							No 2—1910 ...	45,000	Ditto.	
							No 3—1911 ...	75,000	Ditto.	
20.	Anglo-India Jute Mill	Ditto ...	Kankinara, 1 mile ...	Ditto ..	Duncan Brothers, 2, Clive Ghat Street, Calcutta.	1903 ...	1910	30,000	Ditto ...	180,000
						1908 ...	1911	37,500	Ditto	
						1896 ...	1912	37,500	Ditto.	
							1913	22,500	Ditto	
							1915	22,500	Ditto.	
							1910	30,000	Ditto.	
21	North and South Alliance Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Shamnagore, 1½ mile	Jagatdal ...	Begg, Dunlop & Co., 2, Hare Street, Calcutta.	North—1896 South—1906	1907	30 000	Ditto ...	195,000
							1907	15,000	Ditto.	
							1914	60,000	Ditto.	
							1916	90,000	Ditto.	
22	Auckland Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Shamnagore 1 mile...	Ditto ...	Bird & Co. Chartered Bank Buildings.	1908 ...	1909	45.000	Ditto ...	45,000
23.	Shamnagore Jute Mill	Ditto ...	Shamnagore, ¾ mile...	Shamnagore ...	Thomas Duff & Co., 15, Clive Row, Calcutta	1874 ...	No. 1—1908 ...	30,000	Ditto ...	97,500
							No. 2—1908 ...	30,000	Ditto.	
							No 3—1908 ...	37,500	Ditto.	
24.	Kinnison Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Titagarh, 1 mile ...	Titagarh ...	F W. Heilgers & Co., Chartered Bank Buildings.	1899 ...	1912	93,000	Ditto ...	93,000
25.	Standard Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Titagarh, ½ mile ...	Ditto ...	Bird & Co., Chartered Bank Buildings.	1895 ...	1902	45,000	Ditto ...	114,000
							1915	45,000		
							1918	24,000	Municipal drain to Hooghly River.	

	Name of the mill.	Situation of the mill.	Name of the nearest railway station and its distance from the mill.	Name of the post-office within the jurisdiction of which it is situated.	Name of the Managing Agents and their addresses.	Date of establishment.	Date of sanction to the construction of the septic tank latrine.	Working capacity of each installation in the mill in gallons per day.	Place of discharge of the effluent from the latrines.	Total quantity of effluent discharged per day.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
								Gallons.		Gallons.
26.	Titagarh Jute Mill No. I.	Right bank of the Hooghly.	Titagarh, ¼ mile ...	Titagarh ...	Thomas Duff & Co., 15, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1884 ...	1907	I 30,000 II 30,000 III 30,000	Hooghly River ... Ditto ... Ditto ...	105,000
27.	Titagarh Jute Mill No. II.	Ditto ...	Titagarh. 1 mile ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1906 ...	Coolie line, 1914 ... No 1—1908 ... No. 2—1908 ... No. 3—1907 ... No. 4—1913 ... Coolie line, 1909 ...	15,000 30.000 30,000 30,000 60.000 15.000	Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ...	165,000
28.	Khardah Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Khardah, 1 mile ...	Khardah ..	Anderson, Wright & Co., 22, Straud Road, Calcutta.	1895 ...	No. 1—1905 ... No. 2—1906 ... No. 3—1911 ... No. 4—1911 ... Coolie line, 1913 ...	30,000 30,000 30,000 30,000 15,000	Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ...	135,000
29.	Kamarhati Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Agarpara, 2 miles ...	Kamarhati ...	Jardine, Skinner & Co., 4, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1877 ...	No. 1—1908 ... No. 2—1912 ... No. 3—1910 ... No. 4—1912 ... Coolie line, 1915 ...	30,000 37,500 30,000 37,500 24,000	Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ... Ditto ...	159,000
30.	Baranagore Jute Mill...	Ditto ...	Belgharia. 2 miles ...	Alambaraz ...	George Henderson & Co., 100, Clive Street, Calcutta.	1878 ...	1912	45,000	Ditto ...	45,000
31.	Lansdowne Jute Mill	Ditto ...	Dum-Dum, 2 miles ...	Dakhindari ...	Bird & Co., Chartered Bank Buildings.	Taken over by Bird & Co., 1910.	1912	60,000	Marshes in the vicinity of the mill.	60,000
32.	Soorah Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Sealdah, 1½ miles ...	Narikaldanga ...	McLeod & Co., 28, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta.	1890 ...	1904	15,000	Calcutta municipal drain.	15.000
33.	Hooghly Jute Mill ...	Ditto ...	Sealdah, 2 miles ...	Garden Reach ...	Gillanders, Arbuthnot & Co., 8, Clive Street, Calcutta.	1873 ...	1911	I 15.000 II 15,000 III 15,000	Hooghly River ... Ditto ... Ditto ...	45.000
34.	Allied Cotton & Dye Works, Limited.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Andrew Yule & Co., 8, Clive Row, Calcutta.	1905 ...	1907	7 50)	Ditto ...	7,500
35.	Bengal Cotton Mill	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	1872 ...	1907	30,000	Ditto ...	30,000

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36.	Clive Jute Mill	...	Right Bank of the Hooghly.	Sealdah, 2 miles	...	Garden Reach	...	Bird & Co., Chartered Bank Buildings.	1894	...	No. 1—1907 No. 2—1917 Coolie line, 1917	45,000 60,000 24,000	Hooghly River ... Ditto Ditto	...	129,000
			Ditto ...	Ditto	...	Burtola	...	Ditto ...	Taken over by Bird & Co., 1911.		1915 ...	12,000	Ditto	...	18,000
38.	Caledonian Jute Mill		Ditto ...	Budge-Budge, 2 miles		Budge-Budge	...	Andrew Yule & Co., 8, Clive Row. Calcutta.	1916	...	1916 ...	60,000	Ditto	...	60,000
39.	Messrs. M. David & Co.		Chandpur ...	Chandpur, about 2 miles.		Chandpur	...	No Managing Agent, head office, Messrs. M. David & Co., Naraingan j.	1897	...	Not known	Not known	Effluent discharged into a khal.		Not known.

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By the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur:—

10.

Supply of filtered water by Municipalities in Bengal.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement containing the total quantity of the supply of filtered water *per diem* by each of the Municipalities within the Presidency of Bengal, giving also the total number of house connections (*i*) without meters, and (*ii*) with meters, up to June, 1918, within each Municipality in which there is a supply of filtered water, including the Calcutta Corporation?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. 10 (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Council meeting of the 19th December, 1918.*

NAME OF MUNICIPALITY.	Quantity of filtered water (in gallons) supplied per diem.	NUMBER OF HOUSE CONNECTIONS UP TO JUNE 1918—		REMARKS.
		With meters.	Without meters.	
BURDWAN DIVISION—				
Howrah	3,000,000	120	5,932	
Burdwan	385,115	Nil	534	
Bankura	44,200	3	1	The water-supply of this town is not filtered, but is drawn from a filtration gallery in the sandy bed of the river Ghandheswari.
Hooghly-Chinsura ...	378,403·5	67	336	
Serampore	170,000	7	255	
PRESIDENCY DIVISION—				
Calcutta	36,140,000	2,829	32,667	
Berhampore ...	303,426·2	197	3	
Jessore	35,350·29	Nil	Nil	There is no house connection, but seven taps have been allowed in private compounds, and a meter has been fitted to the hydrant in the jail compound.
Khulna	20,000	Nil	Nil	
Maniktala	385,444	181	478	
Cossipore-Chitpur ...	594,090	642	4	

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Name of Municipality.	Quantity of filtered water (in gallons) supplied per diem.	Number of house connections up to June 1918—		Remarks.
		With meters.	Without meters.	
PRESIDENCY DIVISION—*concld.*				
Tollygunge	43,115	16	31	
South Suburban ...	29,000	1	12	
Garden Reach ...	77,000	50	Nil	
DACCA DIVISION—				
Dacca	1,181,382	173	1,141	
Narayangauj ...	321,925	8	453	
Mymensingh	211,015	62	137	
Faridpur	18,000	Nil	Nil	There are no house connections or street stand posts.
Barisal	62,304	52	3	
Patuakhali	16,000	Nil	Nil	
CHITTAGONG DIVISION—				
Chittagong	336,427	251	325	
Chandpur	8,660	Nil	Nil	
RAJSHAHI DIVISION—				
Darjeeling	550,000	86	368	
Kurseong	80,000	Nil	224	

By the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur:—

11.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing—

(*a*) the amount realised by assessment under section 118 C of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 by the Union Committees in each of the districts of the Burdwan Division; and

(*b*) the amount contributed by the District Boards to each Union Committee

during the years 1916-17 and 1917-18?

Assessment of Union Committees and contributions by District Boards in the Burdwan Division

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY:—

"(*a*) and (*b*) A statement is laid on the table."

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Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. 11 (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the meeting of the Council held on the 19th December, 1918.*

1916-17.				1917-18.			
DISTRICT BOARD.	Name of Union.	Contribution by the District Board.	Receipts under section 118 C of the Local Self-Government Act.	DISTRICT BOARD.	Name of Union	Contribution by the District Board.	Receipts under section 118 C of the Local Self-Government Act.
		Rs	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
Burdwan ...	Memari	800	2,143	Burdwan	Memari ...	800	1,356
	Amadpur ...	800	...		Amadpur ...	1,000	327
	Mankar ...	800	...		Mankar ...	600	...
	Baidyapur ...	...	...		Baidyapur ...	800	...
	Bagnapara ...	850	...		Bagnapara ...	800	...
	Srikhanda ...	800	...		Srikhanda ...	...	...
	Sribati	800	...		Sribati ...	800	...
		4,850	2,143			5,000	1,683
Birbhum ...	Bolpur	135	2,944	Birbhum ...	Bolpur ...	350	3,182
	Bistupur ...	474	590		Bistupur ...	338	570
	Dubrajpur ...	...	2 802		Dubrajpur	310	3,073
	Nalhati ...	325	732		Nalhati ...	786	1,606
	Rampurhat ...	2,222	4,411		Rampurhat ...	2,092	4,536
					Paikar ...	...	1,073
					Sainthia ...	...	...
					Raipur ...	400	621
					Mollarpur ...	400	444
		3,156	11,479			4,676	15,105
Bankura ...	Kotalpur ...	200	...	Bankura ...	Kotalpur ...	100	...
	Palasdanga ...	100	...		Palasdanga ...	...	...
	Pakhanna ...	100	...		Pakhanna ...	...	...
		400	...			100	...
Midnapore ...	Contai ...	1,441	2,569	Midnapore ...	Contai ...	2,000	2,571
	Jara	869	...		Jara ...	500	...
	Panskura ...	...	...		Panskura ...	500	...
	Pingla	...	...		Pingla ...	500	...
	Danton ...	500	...		Danton ...	500	...
		2,810	2,569			4,000	2,571
Hooghly ...	Pandua ...	1,640	519	Hooghly ...	Pandua ...	1,213	850
	Balagarh ...	1,147	474		Balagarh ...	900	455
	Bomchee ...	1,026	301		Bomchee ...	665	296
	Dhaniakhali ...	948	418		Dhaniakhali ...	1 200	447
	Dhobapara ...	1 547	405		Dhobapara ...	700	391
	Guptipara ...	875	400		Guptipara ...	655	315
	Chanditala ...	200	...		Chanditala ...	...	...
	Janai	764	152		Janai ...	824	242
	Haripal ...	1,100	56		Haripal ...	805	329
	Sheakhala ...	886	415		Sheakhala ...	960	450
	Bali	966	481		Bali ...	1,139	313
		11,199	3,621			9,061	4,088
Howrah ...	Amta ...	1,738	...	Howrah ...	Amta ...	1,963	...
	Bagnan ...	971	...		Bagnan ...	1,131	160
	Domjur ...	1,259	...		Domjur ...	1,359	...
	Jagatballavpur	850	...		Jugatballavpur	850	...
	Ulubaria ...	1,641	182		Ulubaria ...	1,435	84
		6,459	182			6,738	244
		28,874	19,994			29,575	23,691

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By the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur:—

12.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the names of the villages within the jurisdiction of thana Amta in the district of Howrah where Union Committees have not yet been established?

Villages without Union Committees in the jurisdiction of thana Amta.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. 12 (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Meeting of Council on the 19th December, 1918.*

Name of village.	Name of village.
Morna chak called Manikdipa chak.	Harishpur.
Bhatora.	Banu chak *Uttar*.
Kankabati.	Krishto chak.
Ghoraberia.	Dhurkhali.
Berail.	Par Radhanagore *alias* Pandua.
Kulia.	Basantapur.
Hâtgachha.	Jote Sadar.
Chitnan.	Chingrajole.
Mirgram.	Changdukra.
Sholebagha.	Amragori.
Shamaspur.	Kankrole II or Ghanesyam chak.
Ajangachi.	Jonardan chak.
Takipara.	Kalas dihi.
Khamar-beria.	Kankrole I or Chaksalika.
Ningua.	Rajaram chak.
Dhanuaghori.	Sibgache.
Fatikbere.	Nakubar.
Kharigere.	Jhikra.
Kasmali.	Routara.
Mallik chak.	Nutangram or Ghonesyam chak.
Naya chak.	Boalia.
Narikel-beria.	Ranjabar.
Khila.	Kundulia chak.
Gouranga chak.	Nischintapur.
Paliara.	Krishtabati.
Dingajole.	Shaoraberia.
Sib Narain chak.	Hanidhara.
Banupal chak.	Rashpur.
Nazar Khan.	Kalikata.
Kamal chak.	Someswar.
Nimdangi.	Damodar Nader chak.
Manikera.	Kumaria.
Kanpur.	Khayra.
Puras.	Sarpai.
Ghoradaha.	Bhojan.
Mato *alias* Gokul Nagore.	Begua.
Muktaghor.	Chakpota.
Shahapur.	Bara Maira.
Baruch.	Kotalpara.
Habla.	Putkhali.
Pearapur.	Khosalpur.
Shim chak.	Balarampur.
Shaha Nagore.	Kirit.
Baje Pratap.	Dabandi.
Saibona.	Kandua.
Shaha chak.	Amile.
Banu chak *Dakshin*.	Pancha Mandap.
Chattakhali.	Baneswarpur.

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Name of village.	Name of village.
Ramchandrapur.	Madhyakûl.
Sarpota.	Chak Sadar.
Chalune.	Mirer chak.
Danrapur.	Moblar chak.
Ratanpota.	Kumar chak.
Kastosangra.	Janjali chak.
Kansra.	Khas chak.
Ramchandrapur (Kharig).	Hafez chak.
Khajurdaha.	Kazir chak.
Jhamta.	Dihi Bhursut.
Kamarkhola.	Asanda.
Jaypur.	Rampur.
Bhattikri or Bhabghori.	Rampur Dakshin.
Khalia.	Harali.
Khariop.	Piarapur.
Kal-bash.	Sultanpur.
Dhainpur.	Sitapur.
Mainan.	Khempur.
Shehagori.	Khelatpur.
Ranapara.	Ghola.
Deara.	Chak Pratap.
Heope.	Panchrul Koerpur.
Khalua.	Bhajra or Bhadra.
Showrea.	Kakrai or Karaipota.
Kamargori.	Harishpur.
Betai.	Chak Santosh.
Jagalgori.	Chak Ramsaran.
Jayanti.	Chak Subal.
Nowpara.	Mansri Uttar.
Gazipur.	Abhirampur.
Bar-Gazipur.	Chak Ray.
Narit.	Singti Dakshin.
Norit.	Chak Thakurani.
Sherail.	Dibipur.
Mahishanumari.	Mansri Dakshin.
Kushberia.	Chak Hariram.
Tejpur.	Chak Chand.
Sarda.	Sontala.
Pansila.	Galabandh.
Bankura.	Bhabanipur Garh.
Sital chak.	Bhabanipur.
Bara Belkona.	Argara.
Fatepur.	Kansona.
Wdang.	Lalbanagari.
Sanamoi.	Chitrasenpur Chaksara.
Bishuberia.	Pratap Narayanpur.
Khasnan.	Kultikri.
Gazipur.	Raghunathpur.
Khordaha.	Bidhi Chandrapur.
Gobinda chak.	Gamgarh.
Tetuliapara.	Gholdipa.

Chak Bali.

By the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur:—

13.

Annual income, expenditure, etc., of light railways in Bengal.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state what is the average annual income, expenditure and net profit per mile of the various light railways in the Presidency of Bengal during the last ten years?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to furnish full particulars of the control over charges of all kinds (in respect of fares for passengers and tariff of charges for goods) which is reserved to, and exercised by, the Local Government?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*) It is presumed that the Hon'ble Member refers to the following railways :—

(1) Howrah-Amta Light Railway.
(2) Howrah-Sheakhalla Light Railway.
(3) Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway.
(4) Bengal Provincial Railway.
(5) Jessore-Jhenidah Railway.

The average annual income, expenditure, and net profit per mile of these railways are as stated below :—

(1) Howrah-Amta Light Railway (1908 to 31st March 1918)—	Rs
Gross earnings	12,372
Expenditure (inclusive of subsidies to District Board) ...	7,872
Net profit	4,500
(2) Howrah-Sheakhalla Railway (1908 to 31st March 1918)—	
Gross earnings	7,078
Expenditure (inclusive of subsidies to District Board) ...	4,308
Net profit	2,770
(3) Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway (1908 to 31st March 1918)—	
Gross earnings	6,069
Expenditure (inclusive of subsidies to District Board) ...	3,913
Net profit	2,156
(4) Bengal Provincial Railway (1908 to 31st March 1918)—	
Gross earnings	3,833
Expenditure	2,664
Net profit	1,169
(5) Jessore-Jhenidah Railway [1913-1918 (financial year)]—	
Gross earnings	2,290
Expenditure	3,003
Loss	713

(*b*) Maximum rates of fares for passengers and tariff of charges for goods on the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Baraset-Basirhat and Bengal Provincial Railways have been prescribed by the Government of Bengal. These maxima are stated in Government Notifications Nos. 111, 112, 86 R. and 1, dated respectively the 26th March, 1895, 26th March, 1895, 15th May, 1903, and 4th January, 1896, which were published in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th March, 1895, 27th March, 1895, 20th May, 1903, and 8th January 1896, respectively. The managing agents of these four light railways are competent to regulate the rates and fares, provided the prescribed

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maximum in each case is not exceeded. The sanction of the Local Government is only necessary when it is proposed to fix rates and fares in excess of the maxima.

The Jessore-Jhenidah Railway is not under the control of this Government and the rates and fares are arranged by the Secretary of State in accordance with the terms of an agreement dated the 26th May, 1913, between the Secretary of State and the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway Company."

By the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur:—

14.

Market value of shares, etc., of light railways in Bengal.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing—

(*a*) the approximate market value of the shares of the different light railways in the Presidency of Bengal;

(*b*) the amount of dividend declared per share by the managing agents of such railways during the last six years; and

(*c*) the yearly income of the managing agents since the opening of these lines or during 21 years, as the case may be?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" The Hon'ble Member is referred to the compilations of statistics which appear in the public press and in the periodical reports of the railways in question."

By the Hon'ble Mr. Arun Chandra Singha:—

15.

Graded system of pay of the Provincial Civil Service.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that the payment of salaries under a graded system is regarded as a grievance by the members of the Provincial Civil Service, and that this system has been a cause of great discontent among the officers of this class?

(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of removing this grievance by introducing the time-scale system in the place of the present graded system as is recommended by the Public Services Commission of 1912?

(*c*) If the answer to clause (*b*) is in the affirmative, will the Government be pleased to state the approximate date on and from which they intend to give effect to this recommendation of the Public Services Commission?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) and (*b*)—The Hon'ble Member is referred to the Resolution on this subject, which was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th November, 1918.

(*c*) The decision on the recommendations of the Public Services Commission does not rest with the Local Government, and while it is hoped that orders will not be much longer delayed it is impossible to give an approximate date as suggested."

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By the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta:—

16.

Transfer of a section of certain classes of the Dacca Collegiate School to the Dacca Normal School premises.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that the Director of Public Instruction has ordered the transfer of one section of each of the classes VI, V and IV of the Dacca Collegiate School to the Dacca Normal School premises in order that these classes may serve the purpose of a practising school to that institution, whose practising school was raised to the status of a High School in 1909 under the name of the Armanitola High School, and that the order is to come into effect on the 2nd January, 1919?

(*b*) Is it a fact that Guardians' Association, Dacca, made a representation protesting against this step?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) The reply is in the affirmative "

By the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta:—

17.

Staff of the Armanitola Government High School.

(*a*) Is it a fact that the Armanitola Government High School, which is the practising school of the Dacca Training College, is efficiently staffed with a European Headmaster on Rs. 750 a month, assisted by a strong body of trained teachers—B.T.'s and L.T.'s?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that the fact that this institution is a practising school militates against its popularity?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) The Headmaster at present draws Rs. 525. Nearly all the teachers are trained (B.T.'s and L T 's).

(*b*) No representation has been made on the subject, but it is believed that there is a certain prejudice against practising schools as such "

By the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta:—

18.

Matriculation examination results of the Armanitola Government High School and other Government High Schools.

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a comparative statement of the results of the matriculation examination of the Armanitola Government High School and other Government High Schools in the town of Dacca for the last five years showing—

(*i*) the number of pupils on the rolls of the matriculation class on the 1st December;

(*ii*) the number of candidates sent up;

(*iii*) the number of successful candidates in different divisions; and

(*iv*) the number of scholarships secured?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR O'MALLEY :—

" A statement is laid on the table "

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Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. 18 (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA *at the Council Meeting of the 19th December, 1918.*

1	2	3	4			5
NAME OF SCHOOL.	Number of pupils on the rolls of Matriculation class on 31st December.	Number of candidates sent up.	NUMBER OF SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES.			Number of scholarships or stipends secured.
			1st Division.	2nd Division.	3rd Division.	
1913-14.						
Armanitola Government High School ...	34	34	4	12	4	.....
Dacca Collegiate School	47	42	14	11	3	2
Moslem High School*	33	23	7	11	3	1
Eden High School for girls, Dacca ...	7	6	3	1	.....	.....
1914-15.						
Armanitola Government High School ...	30	23	6	8	2	.....
Dacca Collegiate School	45	35	24	5	.....	3
Moslem High School*	28	19	8	8	.....	2
Eden High School for girls, Dacca ...	6	3	2	1	.....	1
1915-16.						
Armanitola Government High School ...	27	19	8	4	2	1
Dacca Collegiate School	67	57	41	7	.....	1
Moslem High School*	42	23	8	5	2	3
Eden High School for girls, Dacca ...	8	8	5	3	.....	.....
1916-17.						
Armanitola Government High School ...	24	16	6	7	.....	1
Dacca Collegiate School	67	63	44	13	1	4
Moslem High School*	40	30	20	7	.....	6
Eden High School for girls, Dacca ...	12	12	7	2	1	4
1917-18.						
Armanitola Government High School ...	26	19	8	5	.....	1
Dacca Collegiate School	58	55	47	5	1	2
Moslem High School*	42	28	14	11	.....	3
Eden High School for girls, Dacca ...	12	10	9	1	.....	4

* Before 1916 the Moslem High School, Dacca, was designated the Anglo-Persian Department of the Dacca Madrassah.

By the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta:—

19.

Want of Government middle English school at Dacca.

Is it a fact that since the conversion of the Normal School practising institution into a high school for the practising purposes of the Training College started in 1910, there has not been a single middle English school, though there are nine high schools, and that there is a real need for at least one Government middle English school in the town of Dacca?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"It is not a fact that there has not been a single middle English school in Dacca during the period referred to. Government are not convinced of the need for the establishment of a Government middle English school in view of the fact that the middle English course is covered by classes in numerous primary and high schools."

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By the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta:—

20.

Revivification of the Dacca middle English school.

(*a*) Is it a fact that the accommodation necessary for a complete middle English practising school in the town of Dacca is available in the Normal School premises, and the only recurring expenditure required is the pay of a staff of six or seven teachers amounting to about Rs. 250 a month?

(*b*) Is it not a fact that this sum will be nearly met by fee receipts?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state the reasons why, instead of reviving its middle English practising school, it has decided to transfer some classes of the Dacca Collegiate School to the Normal School premises for the practising purposes of the latter institution?

(*d*) Are the Government considering the advisability of reviving the middle English school of the Dacca Normal School?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) This is the case, but classes I—III of the Dacca Collegiate School have been accommodated in the Normal School premises for years past and there is not sufficient accommodation there for these classes as well as for a complete middle English practising school. The staff of a middle English school would not cost more than Rs. 250 per month.

(*b*) Yes, if all the classes were full.

(*c*) The necessity of having a complete practising school has long been felt. As classes I—III of the Collegiate School were already located in the Normal School and were already used for this purpose, the need was met by adding to them one section each of classes IV—VI of the Collegiate School.

(*d*) If by this is meant the starting of a complete and separate middle English school, the answer is in the negative. The arrangement under which classes I—III and a section each of classes IV—VI will be located in the Normal School premises will practically amount to constituting a complete middle English school for practising purposes."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

21.

Postponement of schemes of partition of districts.

In view of the great administrative changes foreshadowed in the scheme of constitutional reforms, are the Government considering the desirability of keeping in abeyance all schemes of partition of districts?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"No. Government propose to proceed with the schemes, as funds permit."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

22.

Annual expenditure for subsidising privately-managed medical institutions.

Will the Government be pleased to state what is the average amount spent annually for subsidising privately-managed medical institutions?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"The average of the annual contributions made by Government to private dispensaries during the past three years was Rs. 1,04,981."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

23.

Price of certain specimens of *dhoti*.

Will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing generally how the price of certain standard specimens of *dhoti* has fluctuated in the Calcutta market during the last 6 months?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"A statement is placed on the table."

Questions and Answers.

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *to question No. 23 (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI *at the Council Meeting of the 19th December, 1918.*

	SEPTEMBER.											
	18th.	19th.	20th.	21st.	22nd.	23rd	24th.	25th	26th	27th.	28th.	29th	30th.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Padlock (mark) Sari 9 yds	5 2 3	5 3 3	5 1 6	5 1 6	5 2 6	5 1 0	4 15 0	4 15 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 0	4 10 0
Sada Dhuti 9 yds. ...	5 7 9	5 7 9	5 7 9	5 7 9	5 2 9	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	4 15 0	4 15 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 11 0
Banga Lakmi 9 yds. ...	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 0	3 10 0

	OCTOBER.											
	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.	5th.	6th.	7th.	8th	9th.	10th.	11th.	12th
	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Padlock (mark) Sari 9 yds.	4 10 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 6
Sada Dhuti 9 yds. ...	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 8 6	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6
Banga Lakmi 9 yds ...	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0

	OCTOBER.											
	13th.	14th.	15th.	16th.	17th.	18th.	19th	20th.	21st.	22nd.	23rd.	24th
	Rs. A P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
Padlock (mark) Sari 9 yds.	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 2 6	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	3 15 0	4 4 0
Sada Dhuti 9 yds. ...	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 1 0
Banga Lakmi 9 yds ...	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	3 4 6

	OCTOBER.							NOVEMBER.				
	25th.	26th.	27th.	28th.	29th	30th.	31st	1st.	2nd	3rd.	4th.	5th.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
Padlock (mark) Sari 9 yds.	4 3 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0
Sada Dhuti 9 yds ...	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 9 6
Banga Lakmi 9 yds ..	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 1 9	3 1 9	3 1 9	3 1 9

	NOVEMBER.											
	6th	7th.	8th.	9th.	10th.	11th.	12th.	13th.	14th.	15th.	16th.	17th.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P
Padlock (mark) Sari 9 yds.	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 3	3 2 3	3 3 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	3 6 0
Sada Dhuti 9 yds ...	3 8 0	3 7 0	3 3 6	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 1 3	3 2 3	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 3 6	3 2 0
Banga Lakmi 9 yds. ...	3 1 9	3 1 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 15 0	3 15 0	3 15 0

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

24.

What action has been taken up to date under the Defence of India Act in the matter of regulating the supply, sale and price of *dhotis* and other cotton goods in Bengal?

Supply, sale and price of *dhotis* and other cotton goods.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" Dealers have been licensed in accordance with the conditions prescribed in Notification No. 442 T.—Com., dated the 1st October, 1918, published under rule 11-J of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915. No further action has been taken under the Defence of India Act."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

25.

(*a*) When are the supplies of standardised cloths likely to be available in Bengal?

(*b*) What arrangements are proposed to be made for their sale, particularly in the *mufassal*?

(*c*) In what sizes and at what rates are they likely to be supplied in Bengal?

Supply, sale, etc., of standardised cloths.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" The Hon'ble Member is referred to the *communiqué* which was issued by the Controller of Cotton Cloth, in which he announced that the manufacture of standard cloth was not at present being commenced. A copy of the *communiqué* is laid on the table. The question of future action can only be governed by developments as they arise."

Communiqué referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *to question No. 25 (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI *at the Council Meeting of the 19th December, 1918.*

"Statesman" of 13th November 1918.

Cotton Cloth.

MARKED FALL IN PRICE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Bombay, November 11th.

THE Controller of Cotton Cloth has issued a press *communiqué*, which says: Since the proliminary conference regarding the control of cotton cloth, held at Bombay on September 18th and 19th, at which it was recommended that the manufacture of standard cloth should commence immediately, there has been a marked fall in the price of cloth throughout the country. This has been due to a variety of causes, such as prospects of peace, fall in the price of raw cotton, and the diminished purchasing power of the people owing to the influenza epidemic and unfavourable agricultural conditions in various parts of the country. A scheme for the manufacture of standard cloth has now been fully worked out, and it can, when necessary, be brought into immediate operation. The Controller and the Advisory Committee will continue to keep a close watch on the situation, especially on the extent to which the fall in prices is reaching mufassal consumers, in order that the manufacture of standard cloth may commence immediately. The situation appears to render such a course desirable.

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

26.

Manufacture of salt in Bengal.

Will the Government be pleased to state what progress, if any, has been made in regard to the manufacture of salt in Bengal?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"An application for a license to manufacture salt from sea-water in the Midnapore district has been sanctioned, and it is expected that manufacture will be commenced early in 1919."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

27.

Report on river improvement in the Dacca Division.

Have the Government received the project report of Mr. S. N. Banerjee, the Executive Engineer on special duty in connection with river improvement in the Dacca Division? If so, will the Government be pleased to lay the report on the table?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"No project report has yet been received."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

28.

Condition of rivers in Eastern Bengal.

Are the Government in a position to make a definite statement regarding the extension of the scope of the inquiry undertaken into the condition of the rivers in Eastern Bengal?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"Government are not yet in a position to make any definite statement on the subject. When the present inquiries in the district of Dacca have been completed, further investigation in order of urgency will be taken up as staff becomes available."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

29.

Condition of rivers in the malaria-zone in North and East Bengal.

(*a*) Are the Government considering the desirability of making an inquiry into the condition of the rivers in the malaria-zone in North and East Bengal with a view to ascertain which of them require to be opened up in the interests of sanitation?

(*b*) Are the Government considering by what methods the choked waterways in rural areas, particularly those which lie beyond the main steamer routes, may be opened up?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The methods employed will be similar to those already undertaken in the Jessore, 24-Parganas, and Nadia districts; but the actual method to be employed in any particular locality can only be stated after complete investigation."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

30.

(*a*) How many dredgers have the Government at their disposal?

(*b*) How are they employed at present?

(*c*) Are the Government going to have more dredgers shortly?

Particulars as to dredgers at the disposal of Government.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*)—In addition to the suction dredgers, *Foyers* and *Alexandra*, there are 8 small dredgers.

These small dredgers are used for silt clearance in canals, four in the Cossye Division and four in the Circular and Eastern Canals Division. They are not suitable for any other class of work. The *Foyers* is at present employed in dredging the upper shoals of the Dhaleswari river; and the *Alexandra* in dredging shoals in the Atharabanka near the Madaripur Bhil Route western entrance.

It is the intention of Government to acquire additional dredgers when opportunity offers."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

31.

In view of the apprehended closure, before long, of the river Doagra, which is the only water-way open to the river-borne traffic in Eastern Bengal and Assam in this part, what alternative route, if any, have the Government decided upon? Has any work been undertaken in this direction?

Apprehended closure of the Doagra river.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" The Doagra river is at present in fair condition for navigation. As an alternative route a cut has been proposed from Channel Creek to the Kankrabonia Khal south of the Doagra river. Work on this cut has been started and it is anticipated the work will be completed by next June.

If, on observation, it is proved that a through flood and ebb current, sufficient to maintain the channel is available, the cut will be deepened and widened as a navigable route for steamers."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

32.

With reference to the project for a Grand Trunk Canal between Calcutta and Eastern Bengal—

Grand Trunk Canal project between Calcutta and Eastern Bengal.

(*a*) have the Government come to any decision on the question of alignment; and

(*b*) which of the two conflicting schemes, as proposed by Mr. O. C. Lees and Mr. Addams-Williams, has been finally accepted?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Mr. Addams-Williams' alignment."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

33.

Formation of a Water-ways Trust.

How does the proposal of the formation of a Water-ways Trust stand with the Government? Has any non-official opinion been consulted in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"The matter has been mooted by both official and non-official bodies, and is at present under the review of Government. The Bengal Government have not formally consulted the non-official public; but a large mass of non-official opinion has been received."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

34.

Pollution of the Ganges water from human excreta.

With reference to the answer given to my unstarred question No. XLII of the 19th August, 1918, regarding the large amount of pollution from human excreta as found by the Sanitary Commissioner in samples of water taken from the Ganges, have the Government ascertained whether the septic tanks are responsible for the above pollution?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to the reply given by Government to the resolution moved by the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur on this subject at the last meeting of the Council in November. Orders have since issued directing the Sanitary Commissioner to carry out a comprehensive inquiry into the extent of pollution of the Hooghly and the different sources of pollution."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

35.

Expenditure on industrial and vocational education.

Will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing for the last ten years the amount spent on industrial and vocational education, such as technology, agriculture and commerce, and the ratio of such expenditure to the total expenditure on education?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"The figures for ten years are not available. A statement containing the figures for the last six years is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. 35 (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI *at the Council Meeting of the 19th December, 1918.*

YEARS.	Amount spent on vocational education.	Ratio of expenditure on vocational education to the total expenditure on education.
	Rs.	
1912-13	16,26,038	8·0 per cent.
1913-14	16,42,835	7·4 „
1914-15	17,26,470	6·8 „
1915-16	17,08,579	6·6 „
1916-17	19,02,445	7·8 „
1917-18	19,88,593	7·8 „

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

36.

What steps, if any, have the Government taken in recent years for the extension of cinchona cultivation in the Presidency? Cinchona cultivation in Bengal.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" The only district within the Presidency that possesses the requisite conditions for cinchona cultivation is Darjeeling. Within it the only localities available, forming the two plantations of Munsong and Mungpoo, are being planted as speedily and as extensively as possible. On the Munsong plantation, the larger of the two, the net increase in acreage under cinchona since 1910 up to the end of the present year has been over 1,700 acres, or nearly an average of 200 acres per annum. Only about 500 acres more of plantable land are available, all of which will be planted within the next two years. The Mungpoo plantation will have increased from a net acreage of 370 in 1910 to about 700 at the end of the present financial year. Only about 300 acres more of plantable land are available, which will be planted during 1919-20.

If both plantations are taken together, the area under cinchona will have risen from 1,018 acres in 1910 to over 3,000 acres by the end of this year."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

37.

(*a*) What is the gross income per acre of the forest area of the Presidency? Income of forest area and improvement of forest revenue in Bengal.

(*b*) What has been done to improve the forest revenue in recent years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" (*a*) The gross income per acre of the forest area of the Presidency amounted to three and a half annas in 1917-1918. Ten years ago the similar average per acre was under two annas. There are however great variations: certain protected forests average less than one anna per acre, whereas some *sal* forests average two and a half rupees per acre.

(*b*) To improve the forest revenue the following measures have been adopted :—

(*i*) Competitive rates have been adopted for the sale of valuable trees like *sal* and *sundari*.

(*ii*) Illicit dealings have been checked by the adoption of stricter methods of control and better organisation for the collection of revenue.

(*iii*) The periods of rotation in certain working plans have recently been shortened.

(*iv*) Facilities have been given to certain private mercantile firms to develop certain forest products hitherto untouched.

(*v*) A departmental saw-mill has been established in one forest division."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

38.

Cultivation of jute and paddy in Eastern Bengal.

With reference to the provision of rupees one *lakh* for the distribution of *Kakai-Bombay* jute and *Indrasail* paddy in the last budget, are the Government in a position to make a statement showing separately the areas under cultivation of such jute and paddy in the different districts of Eastern Bengal?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. MCALPIN :—

" Information is not available at present as the distribution of seed for which provision was made in the budget of 1918-1919 will be made from January to March for next year's crops. The major portion of the grant is being devoted to the establishment of agricultural farms, which forms part of the general scheme for the production and distribution of improved jute and paddy seeds."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

39.

Educational institutions under the control of the Principal of the Dacca College.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state what other educational institutions (if any), besides the Dacca College, are under the administrative control of the Principal of that College?

(*b*) What are the special qualifications of the present Principal for exercising such control?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) The Dacca Law College and the Dacca School of Engineering are also under the administrative control of the Principal of the Dacca College.

(*b*) He is an experienced officer of the Education Department."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

40.

Charge of the Dacca College and the Dacca School of Engineering.

(*a*) Is it a fact that, during the temporary absence of the Principal of the Dacca College, a Professor of the Dacca College is in charge not only of the said College, but also of the School of Engineering?

(*b*) If so, on what principle is he so placed in charge?

(*c*) Is it a fact that at times this arrangement has led to friction?

(*d*) Is it also a fact that on one occasion, owing to such friction, the Director of Public Instruction proposed that the Headmaster of the School of Engineering should be placed in charge of the Dacca College during the absence of the Principal? Was there any objection made to the suggestion on behalf of the Dacca College; and, if so, on what grounds?

(*e*) Is it a fact that this arrangement by which a person wholly unfamiliar with the work of a technical institution is placed in charge over it retards the legitimate development of the institution?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) In November 1916 it was decided that during a vacation the senior officer available should be in charge of the current duties of the three institutions. Should the Principal be temporarily absent during term time, the arrangements to be made would be determined by the circumstances obtaining at the time.

Questions and Answers.

(*c*) and (*d*) There was slight friction in the year 1916 and the decision mentioned in the reply to clause (*a*) of the question was then come to. No objection was made on behalf of the Dacca College.

(*e*) Government have no reason to believe that this has been the case at Dacca."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

41.

What are the qualifications, standing and emoluments of—

(*i*) the Headmaster of the Dacca School of Engineering;

(*ii*) the Principal of the Dacca College; and

(*iii*) the present incumbent in the Indian Educational Service who would be in charge during the absence of the Principal?

Qualifications, etc., of certain educational officers of Dacca

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*i*) The present headmaster studied at the Royal Technical College, Glasgow, and is an associate member of the Institution of Civil Engineers and the Institute of Electrical Engineering with eleven years' practical experience of engineering. He entered Government service in 1910 and is a member of the Indian Educational Service. His present pay is Rs. 900.

(*ii*) Mr. Turner is an M.A. of Oxford where he obtained a 1st class in Mathematics (Moderations) and a 2nd class in Modern History. He entered Government service in 1903, and is a member of the Indian Educational Service. His present pay is Rs. 1,000 *plus* a temporary personal allowance of (Rs. 250—50—500).

(*iii*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the reply to question No. 40 (*a*) and (*b*)."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

42.

(*a*) What are the interests in common between the Dacca College and the Dacca School of Engineering? Are there any common accounts between them?

(*b*) What, if any, are the administrative advantages in keeping the two institutions together under the control of the same officer?

Accounts, etc., of the Dacca College and the Dacca School of Engineering.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) As explained in the reply given to question No. LXXVIII asked by the Hon'ble Member at the meeting of the Council held on the 7th August, 1917, the Engineering School is regarded as an institution attached to the Dacca College, as the two institutions are in the same compound. The same playground is also used by both institutions. They do not have common accounts.

(*b*) Unity of control has advantages as regards discipline, and the present arrangement has also been found of advantage when the school has been in charge of a temporary officer or an officer without previous experience of India."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

43.

Heavy duties of the Principal of the Dacca College.

Is it a fact that the Dacca College is a heavy charge for the Principal, and that a proper discharge of his duties with reference to that College would not leave him time enough to devote adequate attention to the interests of a totally distinct institution like the Dacca School of Engineering?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" The Dacca College is a heavy charge for the Principal, but he is only required to exercise a general supervision over the school. The question of separating the two charges is now under consideration."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

44.

Rupee-notes and currency difficulty

(*a*) Has any inquiry been made into the circumstances dealt with in connection with the Hon'ble Mr Irwin's resolution regarding the rupee-notes and currency difficulty at the meeting of the Council held on the 3rd September last?

(*b*) If so, what is the result of such inquiry?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the report of the Committee which held the inquiry and to the *communiqué* issued by Government on the 14th October last. Copies of these papers are laid on the Library table."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

45.

Want of small change in the *mufassal*.

(*a*) Are the Government aware that small change is still not available anywhere in the *mufassal* except at a high premium, and that serious inconvenience is being felt by the people on this account?

(*b*) If so, what steps do the Government propose to take in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) The position has shown a great improvement during the last two months, and the difficulties previously experienced have largely disappeared. Increased supplies of small coin have been issued, and silver is freely issued in the districts for exchange and other purposes Notes are also circulating more easily. There seems to be no need of further action of a general character."

By the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri:—

46.

Appointment of a Proctor at Dacca.

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the reasons for the appointment of a Proctor to supervise over the residence of students at Dacca and the total annual expenditure entailed on this account since the creation of this office?

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Mr. Cumming; Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy.

(*b*) Is it a fact that the students of the Dacca College have been removed from the charge of the Proctor? If so, since when, and for what reasons?

(*c*) Are the Government considering the desirability of transferring the charge of the students of other institutions also to the respective authorities thereof?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY:—

"(*a*) In 1910 an officer of the Education Department was deputed by the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, at the instance of the heads of educational institutions in Dacca, to inquire into the conditions of residence of students in that town. The conditions were found to be deplorable, owing to want of organization, supervision and inspection. A scheme of reform was accordingly introduced under which an officer was appointed to perform the duties mentioned in the reply to question No LXX at the meeting of the Council held on 7th August, 1917. The average annual expenditure on account of the Proctor's office since its creation has been Rs. 4,341.

(*b*) The Muhammadan and higher caste Hindu students of the Dacca College who were living in hostels outside the College have been removed to the Old Secretariat Building and placed under the College authorities with effect from the 1st November, 1917. The reason for this was that there was accommodation available in the Old Secretariat Building at Ramna and it was considered desirable that the College students should be in healthier surroundings near the College, the gymnasium and playing-fields.

(*c*) The question is engaging the attention of the Director of Public Instruction."

By the Hon'ble Khan Sahib Aman Ali:—

47. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing— High English Schools and Managing Committees.

(*a*) the number of Government aided High English Schools in each Division in this Presidency; and

(*b*) the total number of members of the Managing Committees, showing the number of Muhammadan members of each committee separately?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY:—

"A statement* is laid on the library table."

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 2.

THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT No. 2) BILL, 1918.

The Hon'ble Mr. Cumming presented the Report of the Select Committee on the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment No. 2) Bill, 1918.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 3.

THE BENGAL JUVENILE SMOKING BILL, 1918.

The Hon'ble Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy moved that the Report of the Select Committee on the Bengal Juvenile Smoking Bill, 1918, be taken into consideration.

* Not printed in these proceedings.

The Bengal Juvenile Smoking Bill, 1918.

Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy; Sir D. P. Sarbadhikari.

He said: "My lord, there isonly one point arising out of the Report which requires some explanation. The definition of the word 'police officer' in clause 2 of the Bill runs as follows:

'Police officer' means a member of an established police force and includes a constable.

When the Bill was referred to the Select Committee the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan indicated the points which would be placed before the Committee on behalf of Government. He said:—

'The power to seize ..... should be expressly confined to police officers (including constables) in uniform.' We have accordingly confined the power under clause 4 to a police officer in uniform. The addition of these words is undoubtedly an improvement as it minimises opportunities for false personation. However, in a note of dissent appended to the report of the Select Committee it is suggested that the words 'above the rank of head-constable' be substituted for the words 'and includes a constable.'

The Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari moves an amendment to give effect to the suggestion contained in the note of dissent, and I leave it to him to advance the arguments in favour of the amendment."

The motion was put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS - ITEM No. 4.

The Hon'ble Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy moved that the clauses of the Bill be considered for settlement in the form recommended by the Select Committee.

The motion was put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 5.

The Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari moved that in sub-clause (*b*) of clause 2 of the Bill for the words "and includes a constable" the words "above the rank of a head-constable" be substituted.

He said: "I must in the first instance sincerely thank Your Excellency for kindly allowing this amendment to be moved. While we were trying to combat the comparatively harmless results of smoking, those at all events who had recorded their dissent to the provision in question must have been under a stronger narcotic influence. Under some apprehension or other, we had omitted to send in notice of the amendment about which we were so keen. But for Your Excellency kindly admitting this amendment we could not have had the opportunity of stating before the Council our objection to what has been referred to by the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill. It shows the elasticity of our rules and demonstrates how under given circumstances, the President can and does help members in their difficulties. Therefore, I am extremely grateful to Your Excellency for allowing this amendment to be moved. I do not propose to do much more than what I have tried to bring out in my note of dissent. My lord, when the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan—whom we are glad to have once more in our midst and in better health—stated, on behalf of Government, certain points of view in Council which were urged by the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley on behalf of the Government in the Select Committee, we all felt, every one of us, that in regard to a matter like this, all the points of view of Government, that could possibly be agreed to, should be agreed to. It is an experimental measure which, under normal circumstances, would be attended with great difficulty in working, and we ought to have all the assistance

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and co-operation of the Government that we could possibly have. From that point of view we agreed to accept almost all that the Government urged in Select Committee, as stated by the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan. But as regards one matter—the power given to police officers including constables in the Bill—appeared to us to be the weakest point in the situation. I am aware that the difficulty of a suitable agency to work a measure like this is great in any country, and greater than ever here. The Government has wisely reserved to themselves power to select agents, and I am sure that, in consultation with those interested, it will be possible to have gentlemen like teachers of schools, members of municipal bodies, missionaries, members of societies, like the Anti-Smoking Society, of which I have the honour to be the President, and similar organisations that Government may see fit to depute, a small, but good beginning may be made. Government, however, thought fit that police officers down to the lowest grade should also be associated. There are many of us who think that it is not desirable to associate police officers at all in working a measure like this, at least in the first instance. However, Government was very strong on this point and some of us have accepted a compromise which my amendment represents. But when Government wants to go as far down as the constables it is a position that we cannot accept. I do not see my Hon'ble friend Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur here to-day, or Your Excellency would have had another lurid picture of what a street constable would do where a carter or coachman is concerned. But I would not like the constables to have anything to do with our boys. Sometimes it might lead to friction and oppression and the very objects which we have in view will be thwarted. From that point of view, my lord, I urge that the amendment that I have to offer should be accepted. Of course, we all know that in other countries the police have these powers, but we have not had the same state of things here, as I have had occasion to point out in connection with another matter. If we had the London police here, I would give them all the powers in this connection. Recently, there has been a great deal of improvement in the police force, and it would be wrong and ungracious not to acknowledge that, but when we think of deputing constables and head-constables to search boys in the street, I am afraid we shall be further weakening a position that is already weak. I am aware that in asking for this concession, I am really reducing the number of agencies that would be available for a large measure like this, and that by limiting the power to officers above the rank of head-constables, we are reducing the number. Of course, if we go to an ideal place like Darjeeling, people with plenty of time at their disposal like the Chief Secretary would probably be available for searching and confiscating cigarettes that may be useful for Secretariat consumption ; but Darjeeling is not Calcutta, and Calcutta is not Darjeeling, and that system will not work here. We have to be content with police officers down to the grade of sub-inspectors, and such other agency as Your Excellency may depute. I am aware that the number of persons who are available for working this measure would be reduced if my amendment were accepted. Even at that risk I urge that the friction and oppression that we are all apprehensive of, and of which public opinion has spoken so strongly, ought not to be allowed to come in and mar the usefulness of a measure which ought to be great."

The Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur said :—

"My lord, this Bill is the first of its kind to be introduced in this part of the country. There cannot be any doubt that there is a very strong opinion against the employment of police constables as provided in the Bill. The police is a powerful agency in the administration of justice and also in

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checking crime, but if I do properly represent the views of the mufassal people, I can say very strongly that the object of the Bill will be defeated if the police do interfere. The correction of boys should not be in the hands of police officers. There should be proper guarding in this matter, and the procedure to be adopted should be carefully considered. On the one hand, there is the opinion of the people that the police should not be employed for such purpose, on the other hand, it is necessary that some agency is to be introduced for the purpose of checking the offence. I think under the circumstances the amendment speaks for itself, and shows that such police officers should be employed who will be in a position to sympathise with the object of the Bill, and therefore I do heartily support the amendment which is put forward.

The Hon'ble Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur said :—

"My lord, I sympathise with the views of the Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari. I have not more faith in the constables than he has, I believe, but at the same time I feel that you cannot in enacting a statute agree with Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari in suggesting that you should make a beginning with the sub-inspector as a checking agency to take notice of a breach of the Juvenile Smoking Act. There is considerable difficulty in that ; if you exclude the constables and head-constables you reduce the number of agencies, and you will find breaches of the Act without any notice being taken of them. That will certainly be the result if you employ only sub-inspectors of police to take cognizance of these offences, and the Act will be a 'dead letter. But the objection raised by the Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari—and he has a large volume of opinion behind him—might be met by allowing the Bill with the proposed definition of the word 'police constable' to be passed, and a departmental order being issued after the passing of the Act, directing constables and head-constables not to take cognizance of offences under the Act at present and for some time. If you find hereafter that it is difficult to work the Act with the agency of police sub-inspectors only, you may thereafter increase the agency by allowing selected constables and head-constables to take cognizance of offences under the Act. I think that would be a wiser course than the one proposed by the Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari."

The Hon'ble Mr. W. H. Arden-Wood said :—

"My lord, although I believe this Bill seeks to combat a real evil, my difficulty about it has been that it seems to me to be so much in advance of public opinion on the subject, and, that being so, I think it would be wiser, if it be passed, in giving practical application to it not to press it too hard at first. For this reason I am in favour of the amendment which has been proposed by the Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari and I desire to support it."

The Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan said :—

"My lord, on behalf of Government I have to say that we have no objection to the amendment proposed by the Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, and we will accept it, provided it meets with the approval of the Member in charge of the Bill. I would like to take this opportunity to say that Government proposes to preserve an attitude of neutrality when the motion for the passing of the Bill comes up, as they did on the motion for its reference to Select Committee. The Select Committee have met the points I mentioned on behalf of Government and I have now much pleasure in saying that we shall be willing to accept the amendment by the Hon'ble Sir Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, whom I also thank for his kind reference to me, and I can assure him that I am very glad to be back here again and to be on my legs again."

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The Hon'ble Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy said: "My lord, I accept the amendment."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

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The Hon'ble Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy moved that the Secretary be directed to renumber the clauses and sub-clauses of the Bill in consecutive order and to make corresponding alterations in all cross-references thereto.

The motion was put and agreed to.

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The Hon'ble Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy moved that the Bill, as settled in Council, be passed.

The motion was put and agreed to.

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The Bengal Primary Education Bill, 1917.

The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray moved that the presentation of the Report of the Select Committee on the Bengal Primary Education Bill, 1917, be postponed to the January meeting of the Council.

He said: "I am sorry I am not in a position to present the Report of the Select Committee to-day. We have to go through a very large collection of opinions received from District Boards and Municipalities and various other public bodies, and it will take a little more time. I hope, however, to present the report at the next meeting of the Council."

The motion was put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 9.

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(*Under the rules for the discussion of matters of general public interest*).

The Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem moved the following resolution:—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that steps be taken without delay to establish a Subordinate Judge's Court at Asansol in the district of Burdwan.

He said: "My lord, I know that by moving this resolution I run a great risk of unpopularity with a large section of my friends and fellow-citizens in Burdwan. After I had come up with this resolution I found that public opinion in the Asansol sub-division and the interests of the people, residing therein or having property in that sub-division, demand that a subordinate judge's court be established at Asansol, and it is in justice to the people who have to resort to the court for settlement of their rights that a subordinate judge's court should be established in that important mining sub-division of Burdwan. The only question we have to consider is the interest of the people of that sub-division and also whether the location of a subordinate judge's court would entail any extra expenditure on the provincial

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revenues. There are two subordinate judges now sitting at Burdwan, and one of them deals with cases which come up from Asansol, original cases as well as appeals. I understand, my lord, that a memorial has been submitted to Your Excellency's Government by the people of Asansol, praying for the establishment of a court, but I am also told that after an enquiry it has been found that the work of the subordinate judge, if stationed at Asansol, will not be sufficient to keep a wholetime officer, because the subordinate judge at Burdwan, besides doing the work of the Asansol court, has also to hear appeals from other courts in the district, and that the people from other parts of the district will be inconvenienced if they have to come to Asansol for their appeals, and even for one or two original suits. In this connection, I have to submit, my lord, that in the Asansol sub-division there is stationed one munsiff and sometimes an additional munsiff when there is an accumulation of work; but these munsiffs have power only to deal with cases up to the value of Rs. 1,000, and if there is any suit beyond Rs. 1,000 it is decided by the first munsiff at Burdwan, who is empowered to try cases above Rs. 1,000 and below Rs. 2,000. If the subordinate judge's court is established at Asansol, the subordinate judge will not only hear original suits and appeals, but also those money suits and other suits which are now heard by the first munsiff at Burdwan, and, if after this it be found that there is not sufficient work for a subordinate judge—which I believe will be found sufficient and his hands kept full—indeed I am afraid some additional hands will be required at Asansol—even if that be the case, the court may be abolished. I beg to submit for Your Excellency's consideration that some time back there was a munsiff's court at Budh-Budh in the vicinity of Asansol; for the sake of convenience that court has now been removed to Burdwan town and if it is found that the subordinate judge at Asansol has not sufficient work, that court at Burdwan may be transferred to Asansol and that will give him sufficient work. I have been told that the importance and dignity of the town of Burdwan will be greatly diminished if one of the subordinate judges is transferred from the headquarters town to the sub-divisional town. I submit, my lord, that there is very little of importance and dignity left for the town of Burdwan now. It has been also remarked that the bar of Burdwan will be weakened; I submit, my lord, that the courts of justice are established and maintained not in the interests of the members of the bar, but in the interests of the litigant public, and for those who have to resort to courts for justice, and for the settlement of rights. It is evident that the people of the Asansol sub-division who are the people whose interests alone should be considered do demand and desire that a subordinate court should be established in their sub-division, and precedence in this case, my lord, is in my favour. A sub-judge's court has been established at Howrah, and I believe that it is also proposed to establish a sub-judge's court in the headquarters town of Malda and the same argument was raised by the members of the bar at Hooghly and no doubt will be raised in Rampur Boalia. I think that in this matter the interests of the litigant public should have preferential consideration at the hands of the Government and not that of the members of the bar. With reference to this question, my lord, we are very fortunate in the fact that in Asansol both the Indian public and the European residents representing the mining industry are united in their demand and request that a subordinate judge's court should be established there, and I hope and trust that Your Excellency's Government will not only accept this resolution but will try to give effect to it. With these words, I commend this resolution to the Council."

The Hon'ble Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur said :—

"My lord, I should like to know what the Government have before them in the shape of facts, that it is the desire of the people of the Asansol sub-division in this matter; whether they feel it inconvenient to come to Burdwan

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to have their cases adjudicated at Burdwan or prefer a court to be located at Asansol, because these things are done for the convenience of the suitors, and if it is a fact that a very large number of people feel inconvenience in having to come to Burdwan, then certainly something should be done to meet their views. But we have not all the facts before us, neither do we know what the views of the High Court are in this matter, or whether they have considered the matter at all, and it would not be proper for me to express an opinion as to the dismemberment or otherwise of the Burdwan court. No doubt if the suitors feel it a grievance to have to go to Burdwan, I think their views should be met, and if they are a large body and sufficient to maintain a court by putting business before it. then by all means have a subordinate judge's court established at Asansol. You have precedents in this matter ; the people of Bihar wanted to have a High Court at Patna, and the Calcutta High Court was dismembered some time ago ; there are also the instances of Howrah and Khulna. Khulna has now got a district judge too and the neighbouring court of Dhanbaid in Bihar has also got a subordinate judge's court. The whole thing depends upon the fact as to whether the people there want a court to be located there, and whether there would be sufficient business for that court. On that point, placed as I am, I cannot express an opinion."

The Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur said :—

"I venture to say a few words in connection with this resolution. The transfer of civil courts to Asansol is desirable if the facts justify it. In Burdwan there are now two subordinate judges for the trial of original suits. If the opinion of the local authorities as well as the learned judge who presides at Burdwan be that there is not sufficient work for a subordinate judge at Asansol, then I would suggest that there should be no interference with the present state of things.

My lord, in locating a subordinate judge at Asansol, there are advantages and disadvantages too. In trying original suits, the subordinate judge will have to spend a good portion of his time at Asansol, and the question, therefore, is, will the suitors be conveniened or inconvenienced. There is the argument which is always put before the authorities that if an appeal be preferred against the decision of the judge who decides the original suit, the appeal should be heard in Burdwan, so the suitors will have to run up to Burdwan for the purpose of having their suit decided ; so that this argument was considered by the public, so that the whole question depends not only upon the convenience of the suitors themselves, but upon the convenience of the judge who is to be located there. If he has to run up and down between Burdwan and Asansol, then what is the necessity of having a subordinate judge at Asansol. That is the question which demands the consideration of the Hon'ble Members. But if the sub-division be a rich one, and if the number of cases be large, especially the colliery cases, then certainly it is desirable in the interests of the suitors that a subordinate judge should be located at Asansol. Therefore, my lord, in connection with this question a proper enquiry ought to be made by the High Court or by Government. This is a question of facts, and we, the Members of Council, are not in a position to know what are the real facts on which the Hon'ble Member has based his resolution. I do not wish to say anything further in this connection, but my personal feeling is that it should depend upon the facts which are placed before the Council."

The Hon'ble Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri said :—

"My lord, I had no intention of saying anything on this resolution, but as some reference has been made to the bar at Malda, I think it my duty to say that this is not a question for pleaders to decide or pass their judgment

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on. It is really a question between the Government and the people; if the people of Raniganj sub-division think that they should have a subordinate judge there, if only with the power of an assistant sessions judge, that can be done; and if it proves to be a convenience for the Asansol public and the Government have no objection. I do not know what objections the Burdwan pleaders can have to such an arrangement. As for myself, I know that a proposal has been made to locate a subordinate judge's court at Malda, but I am not aware that the members of the Rajshahi bar have raised any objection to it. It may be inconvenient to some of the pleaders, but pleaders who have some influence over the people of Malda may choose to go and settle there, and there cannot be any objection to it. At Malda there is a munsiff with power to try cases up to the value of Rs 2,000 and if he is removed and a subordinate judge is posted there with the powers of an Assistant Sessions Judge, then the work of the District Judge will be relieved to a great extent, and it will also prove to be a great convenience to the people of Malda. I suggested to my Malda friends to supply me with facts and figures if they thought necessary."

The Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan said :—

"My lord, may I rise to a point of order? We are not discussing the question of the appointment of a sub-judge at Malda."

The Hon'ble Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri said :—

"I beg your pardon. Really, it is not a question for the pleaders to decide, and so far as I know they can have no objection. If the Government decide this could be done, it should be done."

The Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan said :—

"My lord, I do not propose to follow the frame of mind of the hon'ble mover of the resolution, but he is quite correct in saying that there is no unanimity among the public of Burdwan regarding this movement, because I have a telegram in front of me from the Chairman of the District Association and also another from the President of the People's Association strongly opposing the proposal of the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem But I can assure him on behalf of the Government that it is quite refreshing to find one Burdwanite at least taking so much interest in the Asansol sub-division. The question of the memorial has been engaging the attention of the Government and in October last we referred the matter to the High Court and the Court has replied that it will go into the matter and let us know the views of the Hon'ble Judges, and that is how the matter stands now, and I, therefore, think that the Hon'ble mover cannot expect Government either to accept the resolution at the present moment or to give an expression of its opinion. All I can assure the Hon'ble Member is that the proposal will receive the full and careful consideration of the Government on receipt of the views of the High Court."

The Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem said :—

"My lord after the statement made by the Hon'ble Member in charge, I beg Your Excellency's permission to withdraw the resolution as I am assured that it will receive careful and favourable consideration at the hands of the Government. With reference to the remarks of the Hon'ble Rai

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Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur, I can only say that nobody ever suggested that a subordinate judge should travel from Asansol to Burdwan. The proposal is to establish a permanent subordinate judge at Asansol. I certainly agree with the Hon'ble Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur that the opinions of the suitors and litigants and the public of Asansol should be properly considered. I am at one with him that the question to be decided on is the consideration of their convenience only."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

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The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the circular letter of the Director of Public Instruction to the Inspectors of Schools, Nos. 2253-2259G, dated the 25th April, 1918, relating to the uniformity of standards, be withdrawn.

He said : "Under the University Regulations the higher class English schools have to be recognised by the University before they are allowed to send up students for the matriculation examination. And for this reason these schools are inspected by Inspectors of Schools—the services of these Inspectors being utilised by the Calcutta University authorities. So far as we are aware, the Inspectors of Schools are supposed to act simply as post offices so far as the University is concerned.

I shall quote portions of the Regulations of the Calcutta University so far as the subject of recognition is concerned, as well as the instructions given by the Director of Public Instruction to the Inspectors of Schools, with reference to these regulations. From the University Regulations we find that the University wants information among others as to (*a*) whether the school is under the management of a regularly constituted committee ; (*b*) the qualifications, character and experience of the Head Master and the rest of the teaching staff ; (*c*) whether the buildings in which the school is situated and in which the instruction is carried on are adapted for the purposes of the school, and are in a proper sanitary condition ; (*d*) whether in the case of pupils who do not reside with their parents or guardians, provision is made for their residence; and (*e*) whether the remuneration of the teachers is on a reasonable scale etc.

In the circular, however, we find among other matters—

(*1*) 'That the managing committee should consist of not more than 10 members and be representative of various communities.

(*2*) That the number of teachers should be sufficient to allow each teacher one free period per day while the Head Master should not teach for more than 20, preferably 18, periods per week and that the Head Master should get Rs. 75 to Rs. 100 and the Assistant Head Master Rs. 65 to Rs. 80 ; that on no consideration should the pay of a teacher in the high English school fall below Rs. 20 per month.

(*3*) That the buildings must have *pucca* plinths, be well lighted and ventilated—lighting and ventilation should proceed from the longer side of the room if possible ; boys should on no account sit facing the light ; desks must be provided in all classes at 1 foot 8 inches per boy ; accommodation should be provided at the minimum rate of 10 square feet per boy in every class-room ; there should be one latrine and one *mehtar* for every 100 boys.

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(*4*) That the hostels and messes should provide accommodation at the minimum rate of 60 square feet per boy, that they must be well ventilated and lighted, and have a resident superintendent in each.

(*5*) That where the fee income is inadequate to maintain an efficient scale of establishment, subscriptions must be definitely guaranteed : an endowment or reserve fund of at least Rs. 5,000 is desirable.'

There is nothing to show that this circular has the approval of the University. I am told what is embodied in the circular is all under the consideration of the Syndicate of the Calcutta University. How did the Director of Public Instruction anticipate the decision of the University and take the initiative on his own account? In answer to a question asked in your lordship's Council on the 3rd September last by my hon'ble friend Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray, as to whether the University was consulted before these instructions were issued, and if not, under what authority they were issued, the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley replied that the University was not consulted and that these instructions had been issued by the Director of Public Instruction as it was found necessary to insist that the reports of Inspectors should contain all the information required by the University Regulations and also to secure some uniformity of standards.

We are not aware whether the Director of Public Instruction has authority to issue these instructions. He or the Inspectors of Schools are simply to report as to the state of the school in which they find them. They cannot insist upon the school authorities in carrying out these instructions, for in doing so they would be acting *ultra vires*. The University Regulations are clear on the point. The University simply wants a statement from the school authorities as regards the constitution of the committee of management, the teaching staff, the accommodation, the income and the expenditure of the school. The University not having authorised the Director of Public Instruction to issue such a circular, the circular cannot be enforced. I do not want to say much about the merits of the circular but the authority of the Director of Public Instruction with reference to the power of recommending schools to the University for affiliation being only a derivative authority from that body and that body not having vested the Director of Public Instruction with any such power, the issuing of such a circular is irregular, and, as I have said, *ultra vires*. I, therefore, ask my hon'ble friend the Director of Public Instruction to pass orders to withdraw the circular or, if it is considered necessary, to get the necessary sanction of the University for its enforcement."

The Hon'ble Sir Nilratan Sarkar said :—

"My lord, I feel that I am not justified in giving a silent vote in this connection. It appears that the Education Department by this circular is insisting upon the minimum of requirements from schools seeking affiliation, and the notification will have the effect of compulsion without exception. Now as regards the principles and ideals involved in the several items entered in the notification, there is not much difference of opinion between any persons connected with education. I know as a matter of fact that there is very little difference of opinion between the University authorities and the departmental authorities in this connection, but it is as regards the details where differences arose in the past, and differences still exist and differences are likely to arise in the future. Permit me to draw the attention of this House to one detail only, that in No. 3, about the rooms. Now it is laid down here that lighting and ventilation should proceed from the long side of the room, if possible, and that boys should, on no account, sit facing the light. I may be permitted to point out that in this house there are at least seven or eight

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members who are sitting with their faces towards the light, and His Excellency himself is sitting with his face to the light. Is it always possible to conform to that rule in a school-house? Of course, it would be quite a different thing if the department had insisted upon minimising the possible evil effects of bad lighting as has been done in this room—that is another matter—and whenever an Inspector visited a school he could insist upon it, and he would not recommend a school in which some of the students had to sit facing the light. That is my objection, my lord. I am afraid that all the details entered there could not be conformed with in any and every school. No matter what the schools are, there may be difficulties, and the Hon'ble the Director of Public Instruction himself knows that he has to recommend very often for exceptions being made in the case of many schools. For instance, a school may be good in one way and defective in another detail. I know the Hon'ble Mr. Wordsworth would be the last person to reject an application like that, but what would be the result of this notification? It would be compulsion, pure and simple. The case will not reach the authorities and the Inspectors themselves will not have much liberty to exercise their judgment in this connection, and send up cases where there are exceptions. That is what I am afraid of, my lord. I would add another word before I resume my seat. The motto of the University is advancement of learning, and I understand by that motto advancement both extensive and intensive; therefore, the University has always sought to live up to this standard in the schools by giving them a little more time. In that there is no fundamental difference of opinion between the University and the authorities—that these schools may conform to the approved standard. But this notification will at once introduce a compulsory element and here there will be the option of either continuing the school under the conditions laid down in detail in a page of rules or to give up their effort of maintaining the school at all. I feel, therefore, that a little more time may be taken before introducing the element of compulsion in this matter.

In that I am against this notification, and I appeal to the Director of Public Instruction to wait a little to prepare the public a little further before taking this step, which means compulsion.

With these words, I support the resolution."

The Hon'ble Mr. Wordsworth said :—

"My lord, I forget the name of the Irish Chief Justice who invariably got confused when he happened to listen to both sides of a case, but I am afraid that will be the case with the Council before I have done, for what I have to say is very different from what the Hon'ble mover has said. The arrangements for the recognition of schools in this province under the Calcutta University are rather complicated to work, but are very simple to understand. We have three classes of high schools: Government schools entirely under the control of the Education Department in all matters except those relating to recognition; aided schools where we purchase the right of influencing the standards and organisation; and aided schools where we have no standing at all except that by an arrangement of courtesy we do a great deal of work there on behalf of the University; but the control of schools, so far as recognition is concerned, *i.e.*, so far as the privilege of preparing boys for University standards is concerned, is entirely a matter for the University, and what we do in this matter is by way of courteous assistance to the University. This courtesy is considerable: it is considerable in money; it is considerable in expenditure of time and effort, for there are, I think, something approaching 800 schools recognised by the University which require annual inspection; and there are new schools seeking recognition which we also inspect on behalf of the University. It is quite right that the regulations for recognition

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are laid down in the regulations of the University, but these regulations are vague; they are general; we have heard some of them: that a school should be under the management of a properly constituted committee; that the qualifications of the staff are satisfactory; that their remuneration is satisfactory; that their buildings are suitable for the purpose of a school; and so on. These are not rules, they are merely general instructions which must be developed in practice, and the University having dealt with these matters for 10 years or more under the present regulations have now arrived at an approximation to a standard of efficiency which the Education Department on behalf of the University is assisting to secure. This work is considerable. The actual procedure is this: the University request the Director of Public Instruction to arrange for the annual inspection of these schools; the Director instructs Inspectors to report; these Inspectors report to the Director, who forwards their reports to the University with such comments and recommendations as he feels called upon to make. He is at the University's own wish the adviser of the University in these matters, and it is his duty to advise the University as he thinks proper. The annual handling of something like 800 reports is a very serious addition to his normal work; it is a very serious contribution to the heavy work of the University; and he has therefore arranged that these reports shall henceforth be drawn up in one standard form; and that the information which they give in full shall be arranged according to certain standards of criticism. This circular which has been drawn up by the Director is not an instruction to the schools; it is not an instruction to the University; because he has no power to issue instructions outside the department; it is an instruction from the head of a department to his own officers as to the form in which reports submitted to him on certain matters are to be drawn up. This correspondence is forwarded to the University with the Director's own comments. His comments may agree with the recommendations of the Inspectors; or they may disagree, and they frequently disagree, and the Council will readily understand that a recommendation which the Director makes for the improvement of a school, which will receive a continuation of recognition from January, might be quite different if he is writing in the month of November from what it would be if he were writing in the month of May. I think the Director of Public Instruction may be credited with a little reasonableness in matters of this sort. But the circular of instructions itself contains nothing that is contrary to the spirit or the letter of the University Regulations. The University Regulations say that accommodation shall be satisfactory; our Inspectors have been advised that satisfactory accommodation may be taken at 10 square feet per pupil. The University may accept that, or it may not. But there is no inconsistency between the two instructions. The whole control of recognition, and the whole question of accepting these recommendations or not, is one for the Syndicate, and not for the Education Department. I am afraid the Council has been entirely misled by the statement that these instructions are instructions given to the schools through officers who are entirely post offices. I protest against this description; our Inspectors of Schools do this work on behalf of the University; they do it readily and they do it well, and I believe their work for the University deserves greater appreciation than that word suggests. They are experienced officers, they have a great knowledge of educational practice and standards, and when they inspect schools, they perform a double function; they collect information to be transmitted to the University, and they also give a copy of their report to the school as a guide to the school itself. In this way they are doing what the hon'ble Sir Nilratan Sarcar would like them to do: good work in educating public opinion and the views of school managers, and generally in helping on the improvement of standards. This circular remains as a purely departmental work, and its withdrawal would not alter the situation except that by adding considerably to the work of the Director

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himself and the work of the Syndicate, for 800 reports drawn up in standard form are obviously much easier to deal with than 800 reports drawn up without any standardisation. But if the circular is withdrawn, the Director's position remains unimpaired. He is the University's adviser in this matter, and he advises according to the faith that is in him; if the circular is withdrawn the faith will still remain, and his advice would presumably be what it is now. I do not quite understand the purport of this resolution. I trust I have shown to the Council that it imposes no burden upon schools and no burden on the University. The University's position remains uninfluenced. If the Hon'ble Member has moved this resolution on behalf of the University, I would take the opportunity of pointing out that the University itself has made no objection, and that in these matters the University is very alert and has a wakeful eye for any delinquency on the part of the Director of Public Instruction. The University has accepted it in practice; I believe I am right in saying that it has helped to facilitate work. Nor has it been issued lightly. A sub-committee of the University Syndicate and of the Department of Public Instruction was appointed some time ago to consider some better arrangements for handling this question of the recognition of schools. That sub-committee has not yet finished its work and reported, but what has been embodied in the circular is almost entirely what that sub-committee has already agreed to accept as reasonable. The circular, as I have explained, has been issued as departmental instructions to Inspectors, not as prescriptive instructions to schools on behalf of the University, but I have every reason to hope that when the sub-committee has reported, these instructions will become the prescriptive instructions of the University and will be accepted in the main, even if not *in toto*, as the authoritative standards by which schools can obtain recognition by the University.

I have to submit to the Council that the circular performs a valuable function and should be allowed to remain in operation."

The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray said :—

"My lord, we have just heard from the Director of Public Instruction that there is a sub-committee which is now considering this circular or at least what is embodied in the circular. That clearly shows that my friend has already anticipated the University by issuing this circular. How can you enforce a circular which has not received the sanction of the University? The function of the Director of Public Instruction is derivative. It is derived from the University, and unless the University come to a decision on the point the Director of Public Instruction is not in a position to enforce this circular."

The Hon'ble Mr. Wordsworth said :—

"May I rise to a point of order? I am afraid the Hon'ble Member misinterprets me; this circular is authoritative for Inspectors of the Education Department only. It is not authoritative for anyone else, and is not enforced on anyone else."

The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray said :—

"But this circular is for the purpose of recognition by the University; the circular is used for the purpose of recognition by the University of these schools, and unless the Director of Public Instruction recommends, these schools cannot be affiliated to the University, and the schools cannot send their boys for the matriculation examination."

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The Hon'ble Mr. Wordsworth said :—

"I rise to a point of order. I said the University may accept the recommendation of the Director or not; and it does not follow that if the Director does not recommend a school the school does not receive recognition."

The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray said :—

"I heard the Hon'ble Sir Nilratan Sarkar distinctly state that unless these schools come up to the standard laid down in the circular they will never be able to come before the University for recognition. Is it a correct statement of facts ?"

The Hon'ble Mr. Wordsworth said :—

"No, it is not a correct statement of facts."

The President said :—

"I think it would be better for the Hon'ble Member, if he considers that he has been misinterpreted by the Hon'ble Mover, to reserve his remarks. He will have an opportunity of replying when the Hon'ble Member who moved the motion has finished his speech."

The Hon'ble Sir Nilratan Sarkar said :—

"May I just give a personal explanation, my lord ?"

The President said :—

"The Hon'ble Member has permission to speak if it is only a personal explanation."

The Hon'ble Sir Nilratan Sarkar said :—

"When I said that a school would not have a chance of laying its case before the University, I meant what was the ordinary practice. Under the regulations certainly the University has power to appoint other Inspectors than those who are in the Education Department, but they have never done so with regard to schools, and the inspecting work is entrusted to a body of men upon whom the University has got the highest confidence but, as a matter of fact, unless a school is recommended by the department it has no chance whatever of laying its case before the Syndicate for affiliation. I challenge to quote any case where the school has come up for recognition during the last five or six years without the recommendation of the department."

The Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray said :—

I think, my lord, that clears the point and clears my position also. So unless there is a recommendation by the Inspectors of Schools, who are no doubt guided by the circular issued by the Director, there is no chance of these schools being affiliated to the University and sending up boys for the matriculation examination. My complaint is that this circular, or what is embodied in the circular, must receive the sanction of the University before you can enforce it. But why anticipate the decision of the Committee, appointed by the University ? That is all I have to say. My hon'ble friend has said that it is out of courtesy the Education Department helps the University—it is a courteous assistance. I fully admit it, but when the work is undertaken it must be done according

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to the instructions of the University, and not on anything which does not embody the instructions contained in the University rules and regulations."

The Hon'ble Mr. Wordsworth said :—

" My lord, I am afraid the matter has become rather complicated, and I have to inform the Council that I do not at all accept the hon'ble Sir Nilratan Sarkar's explanation of the situation. It is in my opinion entirely wrong to say that the recognition of a school is entirely determined by the recommendations of the Director or his Inspectors. It would be very much easier for us, and I believe it would be very much better for education itself, and for the schools, if this were so. Every week we spend a large part of our time at Syndicate meetings discussing the merits of recommendations made by the Director of Public Instruction, and many schools do obtain recognition on terms against which the Director protests. I would therefore ask the Council to understand that the Director is in the position of an advisory officer to the University, whose advice may be accepted or not by the Syndicate, before which everything is put up—the reports of an Inspector containing not only the recommendations laid down in my circular, but also all Information about the school, and also the covering letter of the Director of Public Instruction—all these documents are taken into consideration by the Syndicate when determining whether a school shall be recognised or shall receive continuation of recognition. The standards that the Education Department upholds are, I believe, standards essential if our high school work is not to be allowed to sink into incompetence. I believe there is nothing unreasonable in the standards which I have laid down in the circular as directions to inspectors, but those standards are not standards for the instruction of the University. The University Syndicate can make and does make its own standards and accepts or rejects the recommendations of the Director of Public Instruction as it pleases, but I believe that if these standards were rejected by the University, it would be a great blow to the welfare of our school education."

The resolution was then put and lost.

Adjournment.

The Council was then adjourned to Tuesday, the 21st January, 1919, at 11 A.M., at Government House, Calcutta.

A. M. HUTCHISON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, and

Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

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PART VI.

Bills introduced in the Indian Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented to the Council, and Bills published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 13th December, 1918.

No. 66.—The Governor General has been pleased, under Rule 23 of the Rules for the Conduct of the Legislative Business of the Council of the Governor General, to order the publication in the *Gazette of India* and in the local official Gazettes in English, of the following Bill, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons relating thereto, and the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons are accordingly hereby published for general information :—

BILL No. 25 OF 1918.

A Bill to impose a duty on excess profits arising out of certain businesses.

WHEREAS it is expedient to impose a duty on excess profits arising out of certain businesses; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title and commencement.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Excess Profits Duty Act, 191 .

(*2*) It shall come into force on the 1st April, 1919.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

"accounting period" means the twelve months ending on the 31st March, 1919, or if the accounts of the business have been made up within that twelve months for the purposes of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918, in respect of a year ending on any date other than the said 31st March, then the year ending on that date; II of 1918.

"business" includes any trade, commerce or manufacture, or any adventure or concern in the nature of trade, commerce or manufacture;

"prescribed" means prescribed by rules made under this Act.

All expressions used or embodied by reference in this Act which are not hereinbefore defined shall have the same meaning as is attributed to them by the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918. II of 1918.

Application of Act.

3. This Act shall apply to every business (other than the businesses specified in Schedule I) carried on in British India or owned or carried on in any place in India by persons ordinarily resident in British India during any part of the accounting period.

Imposition of excess profits duty.

4. Subject to the provisions of this Act, there shall be charged, levied and paid on the amount by which the profits arising in the accounting period, from any business to which this Act applies exceeded the standard profits, a duty (in this Act referred to as "excess profits duty") of an amount equal to fifty per cent of that excess :

Provided that the amount of the said duty shall not exceed such sum as would reduce the profits in the accounting period to less than thirty thousand rupees.

Ascertainment of profits of accounting period.

5. The profits in the accounting period shall be the profits as ascertained for the purpose of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918. VII of 1918.

Standard profits.

6. Subject to the provisions of this Act, the standard profits shall be ascertained as follows, namely :—

(1) If the profits of the business have been assessed in the four years, 1913, 1914, 1916 and

1917 for the purpose of the income-tax law then in force, the average of the assessed profits in these years:

Provided that if the assessment in any of the said years was made in respect of a period of less than twelve months, that assessment shall for the purpose of determining the average be proportionately increased.

Explanation.—Each of the years referred to in this clause shall be deemed to be the twelve months commencing with the 1st of April in the year mentioned.

(2) If the profits of the business have not been so assessed in all the said years, an amount calculated at the rate of ten per cent. on the capital of the business as existing at the end of the accounting period and the capital of the business shall, for the purposes of this Act, be ascertained in accordance with the provisions of Schedule II.

Adjustments for increase or decrease of capital.

7. (1) Where the capital has been increased during the accounting period, a deduction shall be made from the profits of that period at the rate of ten per cent. per annum on the amount by which the capital has been increased for the period during which such increased capital has been employed:

Provided that no such deduction shall be made in respect of any increase of capital when it appears or to the extent to which it appears, that the increase was made with intent to evade or has the effect of evading, the payment of excess profits duty.

(2) Where the capital has been decreased during the accounting period an addition shall be made to the profits of that period at the rate of ten per cent. per annum on the amount by which the capital has been decreased for the period during which such decreased capital has been employed.

(3) For the purposes of this section, capital shall be deemed to be increased or decreased as the case may be:—

(a) where the standard profits are ascertained in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (1) of section 6, if the capital employed in the business during any part of the accounting period is more or less than the average amount of capital so employed during the assessment years referred to in that sub-section; and

(b) where the standard profits are ascertained in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 6, if the capital so employed is more or less than the capital of the business as existing at the end of the accounting period.

Power to Collector to modify method of calculation.

8. On the application of any person chargeable with excess profits duty alleging that, owing to any of the following circumstances, namely:—

(a) any change in the constitution of a partnership of which he is or was a member,

(b) the postponement or suspension, as a consequence of the present war, of renewals or repairs,

(c) any exceptional depreciation due to the present war of assets employed in the business,

(d) the provision in connection with the requirements of the present war of plant or machinery which will not be required for the purposes of the business after the termination of the war, or

(e) any other special circumstances connected with the nature of the business,

the provisions of this Act for the calculation of excess profits duty operate unfairly in his case, the Collector may make such modifications in the provisions of this Act for the purpose of calculating the amount of the duty as seem to him to be necessary to meet the special circumstances, provided that a reduction in the amount of duty payable under the provisions of the Act by more than twenty-five per cent. shall not be made without the previous sanction of the Commissioner.

Application to Chief Revenue-authority.

9. (1) If any person who has applied under section 8 is dissatisfied with the decision of the Collector thereon, he may appeal to the Chief Revenue-authority who shall either itself decide such appeal or, if it is of opinion that questions of general importance are involved, shall refer it to a Board of Referees to be appointed by the Local Government. The Board shall hear and consider any appeal so referred and shall communicate their decision to the Chief Revenue-authority.

(2) The Chief Revenue-authority and the Board shall be entitled to take into account any of the circumstances specified in section 8, and to modify the decision of the Collector with reference thereto in such way and to such extent as they may consider just and equitable.

(3) Every Board of Referees appointed under this section shall consist of three persons, of whom at least one shall be a person not in the service of Government and having acquaintance with businesses of the nature of that in respect of which the appeal is made.

(4) In case of a difference of opinion between the members of the Board, the opinion of the majority shall prevail.

(5) The decision of the Chief Revenue-authority on any appeal under this section, or of the Board where an appeal is referred to them shall notwithstanding any other provision of this Act be final, and shall be deemed to be the basis of assessment in the particular case.

Notice to be given that excess profits have been made.

10. Every person chargeable to excess profits duty under this Act shall give notice that he is so chargeable to the Collector before the 30th April 1919, and every liquidator of a company which is being wound up at the commencement of this Act, or is wound up after the commencement of this Act, and which is chargeable to excess profits duty, shall give notice of the fact to the Collector.

Returns for the purposes of the Act.

11. The Collector may, for the purposes of this Act, require any person whom he believes to be engaged in any business to which this Act applies, or to have been so engaged during the accounting period or in the year 1912 or in any year thereafter, to furnish him within one month after service upon him of a notice to that effect with such particulars in connection with the business as the Collector may require.

Penalty.

12. If a person fails, without reasonable cause or excuse, to furnish or cause to be furnished to the Collector in due time any notice required by section

10 or any particulars referred to in section 11, he shall on conviction by a Magistrate be punishable with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the default continues.

13. The amount of excess profits duty to be paid in respect of any business shall be assessed by the Collector, who may in any case where he thinks fit allow the duty to be paid in instalments of such amounts payable at such time as he may direct.

Assessment.

14. The duty may be assessed on any person for the time being owning or carrying on the business whether as agent for the owner or otherwise or, where the business has ceased during the accounting period, on the person who owned or so carried on the business immediately before the time at which the business ceased, and where there has been a change of ownership of the business during the accounting period, the Collector may, if he thinks fit, take the accounting period as the period ending on the date at which the ownership has so changed and assess the duty on the person who owned or carried on the business.

Person liable to be assessed.

15. The provisions of sections 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 29, and of Chapters IV and V and of sections 42, 45, 46, 47 and 49 to 52 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918, shall apply, with such modifications, if any, as may be prescribed, as if those sections referred to excess profits duty instead of income-tax, and every officer or authority exercising powers under these provisions of the said Act may exercise the like powers under this Act in regard to excess profits duty as he or it exercises in regard to income-tax under the said Act:

Application of provisions of Indian Income-tax Act, 1918.

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Provided that references in the said provisions to the assessee shall be construed as references to a person by whom excess profits duty is payable.

16. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918, all information contained in any statement or return made or furnished under the provisions of the said Act, or obtained or collected for the purposes of that Act may be used for the purposes of this Act.

Income-tax papers to be available for the purposes of this Act.

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17. (*1*) A person shall not for the purposes of avoiding payment of excess profits duty enter into a fictitious or artificial transaction or carry out any fictitious or artificial operation and if he has entered into any such transaction or carried out any such operation before the commencement of this Act, shall inform the Collector of the nature of the transaction or operation.

Prohibition of and penalty for fictitious transactions.

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section an artificial transaction or operation includes every device of whatever nature adopted for the purposes of presenting the accounts of a business in a misleading form or manner with intent to evade or having the effect of evading the obligations imposed by this Act.

(*2*) If any person acts in contravention of, or fails to comply with, the provisions of sub-section (*1*), he shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punishable with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

18. (*1*) The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, make rules for carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.

Power to make rules.

(*2*) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for—

(*a*) the procedure to be followed by Boards of Referees appointed under this Act;

(*b*) the adaptation to excess profits duty of any of the provisions of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918, which are made applicable to that duty by section 15.

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(*3*) All rules made under this section shall have effect as if enacted in this Act.

SCHEDULE I.

EXCEPTED BUSINESSES.

(*See section 3.*)

1. Agriculture.

2. Offices or employments.

3. Any profession the profits of which are dependent mainly on the personal qualifications of the person by whom the profession is carried on, and in which no capital expenditure is required or only capital expenditure of an amount small when compared with the profits which the person carrying on the profession makes:

Provided that the business of any person taking commissions in respect of any transactions or services rendered, or any agent of any description (not being a commercial traveller or an agent whose remuneration consists wholly of a fixed and definite sum not dependent on the amount of business done or any other contingency) shall not be included in this exception.

4. Any business which is liable to pay in respect of the accounting period excess profits duty in the United Kingdom.

5. Any business the profits of which in the accounting period did not exceed thirty thousand rupees.

SCHEDULE II.

ASCERTAINMENT OF CAPITAL.

(*See section 6.*)

1. The amount of the capital of a business shall so far as it does not consist of money, be taken to be—

(*a*) so far as it consists of assets acquired by purchase, the price at which these assets were acquired, subject to such deduction for depreciation or for unpaid purchase money as may be prescribed,

(*b*) so far as it consists of assets being debts due to the business, the nominal amount of those debts subject to any reduction which has been allowed or is allowable in respect of those debts under the Indian Income-tax Act, 1918, and

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(*c*) so far as it consists of any other assets which have not been acquired by purchase, the value of the assets at the time when they became assets of the business, subject to such deduction for depreciation as may be prescribed:

Provided that nothing in this provision shall prevent accumulated profits (other than those made

in the accounting period) employed in the business being treated as capital.

2. Any borrowed money or trade debts shall be deducted in computing the amount of capital for the purposes of this Act.

3. Where any asset has been paid for otherwise than in cash, the cost price of that asset shall be taken to be the value of the consideration at the time the asset was acquired, but where the business has been converted into a company, and more than two-thirds of the shares in the company are held by the person who was the owner of the business, no value shall be attached to those shares, so far as they are represented by good-will or otherwise than by material assets of the company, unless the Collector in special circumstances otherwise directs. Patents and secret processes shall be deemed to be material assets.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

ON the 10th of September, 1918, a Resolution was adopted by the Indian Legislative Council declaring that the prolongation of the war justifies India's taking a larger share than she does at present of the cost of the military forces raised or to be raised in this country. It is the object of the present Bill to raise money, by the imposition of an excess profits duty, towards the cost of the measures proposed to give effect to this Resolution.

2. Although no guarantee can be given by the Government on the point, the change which has recently come over the military situation makes it possible that the sum to be raised by the duty will not be required for more than one year, and the duty is, therefore, imposed by the Bill only on the profits of a single year (clauses 2 and 4). The proposed duty will absorb fifty per cent of the excess of the profits made in an accounting period of twelve months over a certain standard called in the Bill the "standard profits" (clause 4). The accounting period consists of the twelve months ending on the 31st March, 1919, unless a different period of twelve months has been taken for the income-tax assessments of that year, when that period is taken; and the profits of the accounting period are those ascertained for income-tax purposes (clause 5). Standard profits are calculated on different bases when the business subject to the duty has been assessed to income-tax in the course of the four financial years, 1913-14, 1914-15, 1916-17, and 1917-18, and when it has not.

3. When a business has been assessed to income-tax in the four years, the standard profits will under the Bill be the average profits as assessed for income-tax purposes, with proportionate increases if the assessment in any of the years covered a period of less than twelve months. When it has not been assessed to income-tax in all the four years, the standard profits will be calculated at ten per cent on the capital of the business at the end of the accounting period (clause 6). With slight modifications, the provisions of the British Excess Profits Duty Acts are followed for the calculation of the capital of the business. (Schedule II).

4. The Bill provides for an adjustment, where capital has been increased or decreased during the accounting period, by deduction from or addition to the profits of that period of an amount equivalent to ten per cent per annum on the increase or decrease of capital (clause 7).

5. Businesses which have not earned in the accounting period more than thirty-thousand rupees will be exempt from the duty (Schedule I), and in no case will a larger sum be taken as the duty than will reduce the profits to thirty-thousand rupees (clause 4, proviso). Otherwise the duty will be imposed upon all businesses except agriculture, offices or employments, professions subject to the limitations in force in the United Kingdom, and businesses which are liable to pay in respect of the accounting period excess profits duty in the United Kingdom (Schedule I).

6. In general, the procedure for the recovery of the duty, for appeals against the Collector's assessments, and similar matters will be that in force under the Income-tax Act (clauses 13 and 15), but there are some special provisions. The Collector is given wide powers to modify assessments when on application to him it is shown that for special reasons the methods laid down for calculating the duty will operate unfairly (clause 8), and persons dissatisfied with his orders on such applications are permitted to appeal to the Chief Revenue-authority, who, if it thinks that the appeal involves questions of general importance, is required to refer it to a Board of Referees appointed by the Local Government, and consisting of three members, of whom at least one must be a non-official acquainted with businesses of the nature of that in respect of which the appeal is made (clause 9). The Collector is also authorised in addition to his powers under the Income-tax Act to call, under penalty for non-compliance, for such particulars in connection with the business as he may require (clauses 11 and 12), to permit payment in instalments (clause 13), and to use in his assessments to the duty information obtained for the purpose of income-tax assessments (clause 16). Persons chargeable to the duty are required under penalty to give the Collector notice of the fact (clauses 10 and 12), and they are forbidden, on pain of a fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, to enter into fictitious or artificial transactions with the object of avoiding payment of the duty (clause 17).

JAS. S. MESTON.

The 13th December, 1918.

H. M. SMITH,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

The following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 16th December 1918.*

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—DOUGLAS INLET.

Red Rocks—Rock north-westward of.

No. 371 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1128 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of 12¼ cables, 306° (*N. 49° W. Mag.*), from the 52-foot high rock of Red rocks.

Lat. 34° 59½′ N., long. 128° 43¾′ E.

Depth—3½ fathoms

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1065, Masampo Harbour and approaches.
„ 3366, Fusan Harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
„ 104, Korean Archipelago, southern portion.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.

Publication.—E. C. Korea, etc., Pilot, 1913, page 65.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 141 of 1918. (*H. 4769-18.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip Entrance—Alterations in lighting.

No. 372 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1146 of 1918), are republished :—

(*a*) Alteration in light on South Channel light-buoy No. 10 :

Position.—Near the southern side of the western end of the dredged channel.

Lat. 38° 19¼′ S., long 144° 50¼′ E.

Alteration.—The colour of the *group flashing* light on this light buoy has been altered from white to *red.*

(*b*) Alteration in light on Royal George light-buoy No. 2 :

Position.—Off the eastern end of Royal George shoal.

Lat. 38° 16¼′ S , long. 144° 42¼′ E.

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from group flashing red to *occulting red every two seconds*, thus :—

light.	eclipse.
1 sec.	1 sec.

(*c*) Establishment of light on obelisk :

Position.—On top of obelisk situated near Queenscliff low light-house.

Lat. 38° 16½′ S., long. 144° 39¾′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Occ., *Gn.*

Description.—An *occulting green* light.

(*d*) Alteration in fog-signal at Point Gellibrand pile light house :

Position.—At a distance of about half a mile south-eastward of Point Gellibrand.

Lat. 37° 52¼′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

Alteration.—The siren has been altered to give *one* low-pitched blast *every minute*, thus :—

Blast,	silent.
2 secs.	58 secs.

Charts affected.—No. 309, Port Phillip, west channel:
„ 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 624, Hobson Bay, River Yarra, etc.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.
„ 1695*b*, Bass Strait, western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 2422*a*, 2468.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, pages 440, 444, 430 : Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Australia Pilot, Vol. II, 1918 (*in press*), pages 107, 110, 90.

Authority.—Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne, Notice No. 5 of 1918. (*H. 5126-18.*)

JAPAN—TSUGARU KAIKYO, NORTHERN SHORE.

Shiokubi Zaki—Fog-signal discontinued.

No. 373 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1153 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Shiokubi Zaki Lighthouse, lat. 41° 42¼′ N., long. 140° 57¾′ E.

Details.—The siren has been discontinued and is to be expunged from the chart.

Charts affected.—No. 2441, Tsugaru Kaikyo.
„ 3409, Ishinomaki wan and Sakata ko to Tsugaru Kaikyo.
„ 452, Hokushū Island.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 2095.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 683.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 165 of 1918. (*H. 5407-18.*)

JAPAN—INLAND SEA, GULF OF OSAKA.

Kobe Bay Breakwater—Lights established; Light-Buoys withdrawn.

No. 374 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1163 of 1918), are republished :—

1. Lights established :

(*a*) *Position.*—On northern extremity of detached breakwater.
Lat. 34° 40¼′ N., long. 135° 12¼′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *Gn., ev. 4½ sec., 39 ft., vis. 11 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing green* light *every four and a half seconds.*

Elevation.—39 feet.

Visibility.—11 miles.

Power.—200 candles.

Structure.—A white iron framework tower, 35 feet in height.

(*b*) *Position.*—On southern extremity of detached breakwater.
Lat. 34° 40¼′ N., long. 135° 12′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *Red, ev. 4½ sec. 39 ft., vis. 11 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *flashing red* light *every four and a half seconds.*

Elevation.—39 feet.

Visibility.—11 miles.

Power.—300 candles.

Structure.—A red iron framework tower, 35 feet in height.

Remarks.—The lights are unwatched.

Note.—The breakwater has been completed and the dotted line on the charts, formerly indicating the southern end, under construction, is to be altered to a firm line accordingly.

2. Light-buoys withdrawn:

Details.—The light-buoys which formerly marked the northern and southern ends of the detached breakwater have been withdrawn.

Charts affected.—No. 2265, Kobe and Hyogo Bays.
„ 16, Kobe and Osaka.
„ 3566, Izumi Nada and Harima Nada.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 1995, 1996.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 278, Revised Supplement, 1917.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 139 of 1918. (*H. 3499-18.*)

JAPAN—Inland Sea, Kiusiu.

Aki Saki—Reefs northward of.

No. 375 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1168 of 1918), are republished:—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of about 5¼ miles northward of Aki Saki lighthouse.
Lat. 33° 33′ 02″ N., long. 131° 46′ 30″ E., on chart No. 2875.

Depth.—5½ fathoms.

Note.—During strong tidal streams the sea breaks on this reef.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of about one mile westward of (*a*).
Lat. 33° 32′ 45″ N., long. 131° 45′ 10″ E., on chart No. 2875.

Depth.—3 feet.

Remarks.—This reef is of small extent, and is marked by discoloured water.

Charts affected.—No. 2875, Naikai or Inland Sea.
„ 1648, Osumi Kaikyo to Oshima.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, etc.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 395.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 116 of 1918. (*H. 4763-18*).

JAPAN—Inland Sea, Gulf of Osaka.

Wada Misaki—Wrecks in vicinity removed.

No. 376 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1171 of 1918), are republished:—

Position.—Wada Misaki lighthouse, lat. 34° 39′ N., long. 135° 10¾′ E.

The undermentioned wrecks have been removed:—

(*a*)	1 $\frac{6}{10}$	cables, 141° (*S. 34° E. Mag.*),	from Wada Misaki lighthouse.	
(*b*)	2	„ 187° (*S. 12° W. Mag.*)	ditto	ditto.
(*c*)	5½	„ 191° (*S. 16° W. Mag.*)	ditto	ditto.
(*d*)	4 $\frac{2}{10}$	„ 222° (*S 47° W. Mag.*)	ditto	ditto.
(*e*)	7 $\frac{4}{10}$	„ 244° (*S 69° W. Mag.*)	ditto	ditto.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 2265, Kobe and Hyogo Bays.
„ 16, Kobe and Osaka.
„ 3566, Izumi Nada and Harima Nada.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 115 of 1918. (*H. 4762-18.*)

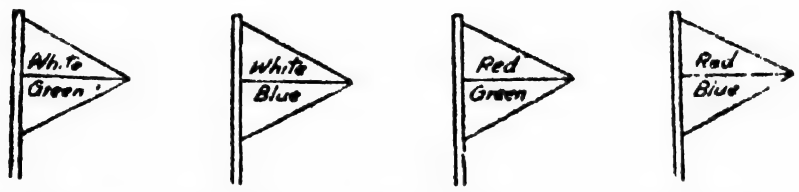
JAPAN, FORMOSA AND KOREA.

Amendments to System of Local Meteorological Signals.

No. 377 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1178 of 1918), are republished :—

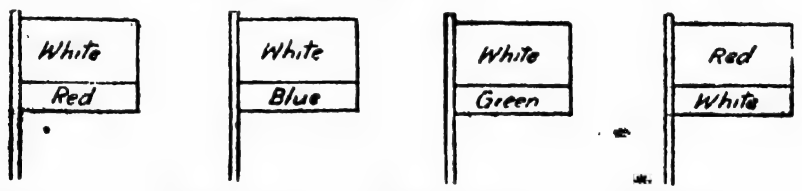
The following amendments have been made to the local weather signals in use at Japanese storm signal stations :—

When two of the terms "North, South, East and West" are used in the weather forecasts the signals are given by means of triangular flags as under :

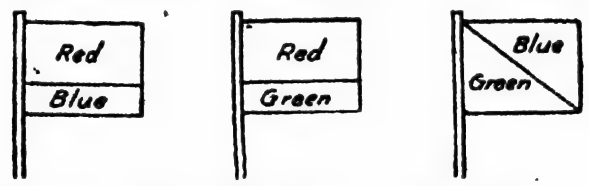


N. E. Wind. N. W. Wind. S. E. Wind. S. W. Wind

Also when two of the terms "Clearness, Cloudiness, Rain and Snow" are used, the following square flags will be employed :



Clear, temporarily Cloudy. Clear with little Rain occasionally. Clear with little Snow occasionally. Cloudy, temporarily Clear.



Cloudy, little Rain. Cloudy, little Snow. Rain or Snow.

With regard to terms in the forecast other than those quoted above the signals employed will be those which most closely approximate to the conditions.

When the forecast is divided into several phases, the signals will be shown in the same order as given in the forecast.

In some special local circumstances, the local weather forecast signals will not necessarily be exhibited.

In some special local circumstances, the cylinder and cone of the local storm signals will not necessarily be exhibited.

Publications.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 20.
East Coast of Korea, etc., Pilot, 1913, page 18.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V., 1912, page 32; Revised Supplement (II), 1918.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 169 of 1918. (*H. 5409-18.*)

JAPAN—HONSHŪ.

Shimonoseki Kaikyo Approach—Wreck, marked by Buoy.

No. 378 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1181 of 1918), are republished :—

(*a*) Wreck :

Position.—At a distance of about 4¼ miles south-eastward from Futaoi shima lighthouse.
Lat. 34° 04′ 40″ N., long. 130° 51′ 40″ E., on chart No. 127.

Description.—Sunken wreck of the sailing vessel *Kimpo Maru.*

(*b*) Buoy:

Position.—Marking the above wreck.

Description.—Not stated.

Charts affected.—No. 127, Hirado kaikyo to Shimonoseki kaikyo.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 173 of 1918. (*H. 5413-18.*)

SUMATRA—WEST COAST.

Benkulen—Reef reported north-westward of.

No. 379 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1187 of 1918), are republished:—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 38 miles north-westward from Benkulen.
Lat. 3° 29′ 00″ S., long. 101° 42′ 30″ E.

Depth.—Not ascertained.

Remarks.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 feet is to be inserted on the charts in the above position and marked "*Reported (1918) (posn. approx.).*"

Charts affected.—No. 2761, Chingkuk Bay to the Strait of Sunda.
„ 748b, Indian Ocean—northern portion.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I., 1916, page 394.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 1150 of 1918. (*H. 5261-18.*)

JAPAN, GULF OF TOKYO.

Ashika Jima—Light re-established.

No. 380 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1189 of 1918), are republished:—

Former Notice.—No. 1303 of 1917. (*This office No. 50 of 1918.*)

Position.—Lat. 35° 12½′ N., long. 139° 44′ E.

Description.—A *flashing white* light as described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

Remarks.—The above light, which was reported destroyed in the former Notice quoted above, has now been re-established, and the note "Destroyed (1917)" shown against it on the charts is to be expunged.

Charts affected.—No. 1203, Approaches to Uraga.
„ 3548, Yokohama to Uraga.
„ 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 953, Omai saki to Tsurugi saki.
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai Bay.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 2052.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 195; Revised Supplement, 1917.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 164 of 1918. (*H. 5406-18.*)

CHINA—KWANG TUNG PENINSULA.

Dairen Ko—Lights established.

No. 381 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1196 of 1918), are republished :—

1. *Position.*—On northern extremity of western breakwater, at northern entrance to Dairen Harbour.
Lat. 38° 56¾′ N., long. 121° 38½′ E.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. F., *Red, 61 ft., vis. 6 m.*

Characteristics :

Character.—A *fixed red* light.
Elevation.—61 feet.
Visibility.—6 miles.
Power.—100 candles.
Structure.—A square iron structure, 56 feet in height, upper portion painted red.

2. *Position.*—On western extremity of northern breakwater, at northern entrance to Dairen Harbour.
Abridged description.—Lt. F., *Red, 61 ft., vis. 6 m.* (U).

Characteristics :

Character.—A *fixed red* light.
Elevation.—61 feet.
Visibility.—6 miles.
Power.—100 candles.
Structure.—A square iron structure, 55 feet in height, upper portion painted red.

Note.—The lights are unwatched.
Remarks.—The light-buoy with flashing red light formerly moored off the western extremity of the northern breakwater has been withdrawn.
The note with reference to the northern entrance being closed is to be expunged from the chart.
Charts affected.—No. 3694, Dairen wan.
„ 1798, Kinchau to Terminal Head.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, Nos. 1680*a*, 1680*b*.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 556 ; Revised Supplement (II), 1918.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 162 of 1918. (*H. 5405-18.*)

FRENCH INDO-CHINA—ANNAM.

Port Tourane—Amendments to Charts with regard to Light-Beacons and Buoys.

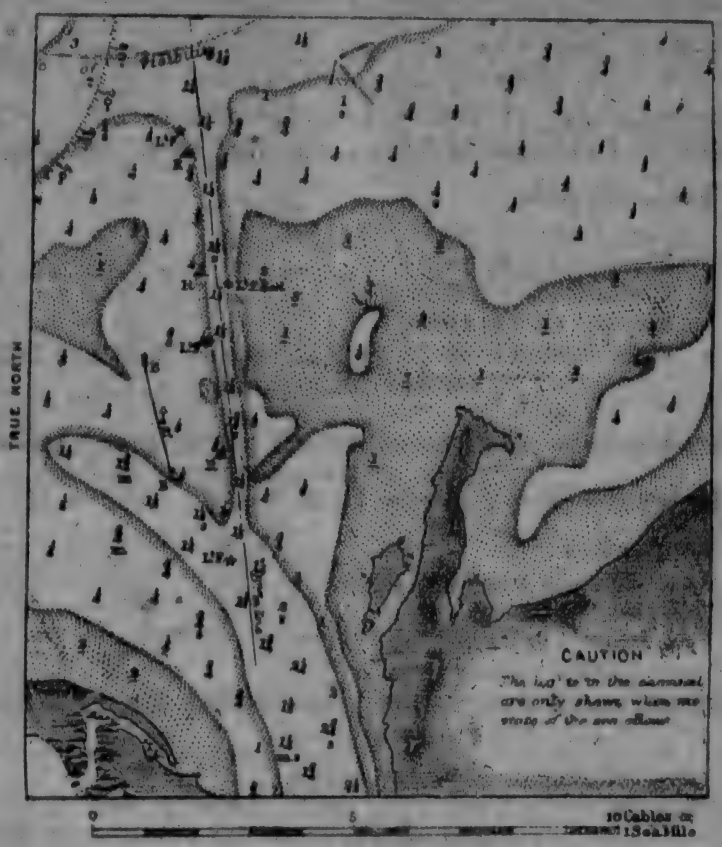
No. 382 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1199 of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—Tourane, lat. 16° 05′ N., long. 108° 13′ E.
Details.—Four light-beacons and three buoys mark the dredged channel to Tourane, and the necessary amendments to chart No. 1342 are shown on the accompanying reproduction of a portion of that chart.
From the cautionary note on the reproduction it will be seen that the lights of the light-beacons are only exhibited when the state of the sea allows.
Remarks.—The light-beacons and buoys marking the above-mentioned dredged channel will not be shown in future on the plan of Tourane Bay on chart No. 1342.

Chart affected.—No. 1342, Plans of Port Tourane and Tourane Bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1433 (Remarks).
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 246; Revised Supplement (II), 1918.

Authority.—Paris Notice No. 555 of 1918. *(H. 2230-18.)*



Reproduction of Portions of Chart N°1342

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—DOUGLAS INLET.

Red Island—Amended Position and Depth of Rock northward of; Existence of Rock westward of.

No. 383 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1202 of 1918), are republished:—

1. Amended position and depth of rock:

Former Notice.—No. 1128 of 1918. *(This office No. 371 of 1918.)*

Position.—At a distance of $12\frac{7}{10}$ cables, 305° (*N. 50° W. Mag.*), from the 52-foot high rock of Red rocks, and about half a cable southward of position given in former Notice.
Lat. 34° 59¼′ N., long. 128° 43¾′ E.

Depth.—3¾ fathoms instead of 3½ fathoms.

2. Existence of a rock:

Position.—At a distance of $18\frac{7}{10}$ cables, 258° (*S. 83° W. Mag.*), from the 52-foot high rock mentioned above.

Depth.—4½ fathoms.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1065, Masampo Harbour and approaches.
„ 3366, Fusan Harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
„ 104, Korean Archipelago, southern portion.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki (1).

Publication.—E.C. Korea, etc., Pilot, 1913, page 65.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 166 of 1918. (*H. 5408-18.*)

JAPAN—SHIMONOSEKI KAIKYO.

O Seto—Alterations in lighting.

No. 384 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1224 of 1918), are republished:—

1. Naru se light discontinued:

Position.—Lat. 33° 54¾′ N., long. 130° 54¾′ E.

Description.—A fixed green light.

Remarks.—The structure from which this light was exhibited has been destroyed.

Note.—A note "*Tempy. discontd. (1918)*" is to be inserted against this light on the charts.

2. Naru se light-buoy established:

Position.—At a distance of 2 cables, 239° (*S. 64° W. Mag.*), from the site of Naru se light.

Description.—A truncated conical light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting an *occulting green* light *every six seconds* thus:—

Light,	eclipse.
4 secs.	2 secs.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1578, Shimonoseki Kaikyo.
„ 532, Approach to Shimonoseki Kaikyo.
„ 127, Hirado Kaikyo to Shimonoseki Kaikyo.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland Sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1918, No. 1924.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 570.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 159 of 1918. (*H. 5402-18.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—ORISSA COAST.

Balasore Road—Anchoring Buoy.

No. 385-I (first publication).—

Subject.—The anchoring buoy, Balasore Road, has been removed, anchorage 24 feet reduced with Chandipur Flagstaff bearing (*N. 49° W. Mag.*), distance 5¼ miles.

Charts affected.—No. 239, Balasore Road and Burhabalang River.
„ 814, The Sandheads, False Point to Matla River.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 283.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chandbalii, letter No. 945P., dated the 12th December 1918.

The 12th December 1918.

PERSIAN GULF—WESTERN SHORE.

Ras Bildani—Derelict Dhow reported northward of.

No. 370 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 100M. of 1918), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 26 miles northward of Ras Bildani.
Lat. 28° 24′ N.
Long. 49° 19′ E.

Description.—A derelict Dhow.

Caution.—This derelict constitutes a danger to shipping.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, Northern Portion.

Authority.—The Director, Sea Transport, Basra, dated 20th November 1918.

DUNCAN F. VINES, CAPTAIN, R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 3rd December 1918.

INDIA, WEST COAST—BOMBAY HARBOUR.

Temporary beacon erected at Pau Pir, Trombay Island.

No. 366 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 94M. of 1918), are republished :—

Position of Pau Pir :—
Lat. 18° 59′ 53″ N.
Long. 72° 54′ 50″ E.

Details.—In connection with the erection of a jetty at Pau Pir a temporary beacon will shortly be erected at the end of this jetty.

Description.—The beacon will have a Red Disc on the top by day and will exhibit a Red Light by night.

Caution.—The space between the beacon and the two piles already erected about 1,050 feet south of Dhanjibhai's Pier is now closed to traffic.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 2621, Bombay Harbour.
„ 737, Arnala Island to Kundari Island.

Publication.—West Coast of India Pilot, 1909, page 220.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 7th November 1918.

CEYLON—EAST COAST.

Trincomali Harbour—(a) Extension of Shoal.
(b) Buoy laid.

No. 367 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 96M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former Notice.—Admiralty No. 231 of 1918 and R. I. M. No. 35M. of 1918. *(This office No. 88 of 1918.)*

(*a*) *Rock* :

Position.—At a distance of 1,920 feet 244° (S 65° W. Mag.) from the head of the Kachcheri Pier.

Details.—A rock with a least depth of water of 2 fathoms over it at L. W. O. S. has been found slightly north-eastward of the 2¼ fathoms shoal marked on the chart.

(*b*) *Buoy* :

Position.—At a distance of 1,920 feet 245° (S. 66° W. Mag.) from the head of Kachcheri Pier in 22 feet of L. W. O. S.

Lat. 8° 33′ 38″ N.
Long. 81° 14′ 12″ E. } On chart No. 816.

Description.—A barrel buoy, painted red.

Details.—The above-mentioned buoy has been laid to mark the position of the shoal.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 816, Trincomali Harbour.
„ 815, The Harbour and Bays of Trincomali.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 167.

Authority.—The Commanding Officer, H. M. S. "Juno". Hydrographic Note, dated 19th October 1918.

PERSIAN GULF—SHATT-AL-ARAB ENTRANCE.

Inner and Outer Bar—Non-existence of Wrecks.

No. 368 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 97M. of 1918), are republished :—

Former Admiralty Notices.—Nos. 29 and 262 of 1914. *(Calcutta Notices Nos. 605 of 1913 and 78 of 1914.)*

(*a*) Inner Bar Wreck.

Position.—On Inner Bar, at a distance of about 9 cables north-westward of the Inner Bar Red Gas Buoy.
Lat. 29° 56′ 50″ N.
Long. 48° 35′ 30″ E.

(*b*) Outer Bar Wreck.

Position.—On outer bar, at a distance of about 4 cables north-eastward of the Fairway Gas Buoy.
Lat. 29° 48′ 43″ N.
Long. 48° 45′ 23″ E.

Details.—The wrecks shown on the Chart in the above positions are marked "(1913)" and "(1914)" respectively and have been removed together with the green wreck marking buoy, moored about a cable north-eastward of the outer bar wreck.

Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 282.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Basra, dated 15th November 1918.

CHINA SEA, GULF OF PECHILI—TAKU BAR, APPROACH TO THE HAIHO.

Taku Bar Inner Leading Marks (lights) discontinued.

Taku Bar Leading Marks (lights) established.

No. 369 (third publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 670 of 1918 that the Taku Bar Inner Leading Marks (Lights) have been discontinued.

Two Beacons, to be known as the Taku Bar Leading Marks, have been established on the sea-coast about 1 mile to the southward of the entrance to the Haiho. These beacons are *black* open-work structures of iron, each surmounted by a *black* spherical daymark.

The low (or front) mark is 46 feet high and is situated 1·26 miles S. 9° W., magnetic, from the North Fort Cavalier. This beacon exhibits an occulting *white* light every second, thus—

Light	...	...	...	0·3 second.
Eclipse	...	...	...	0·7 „

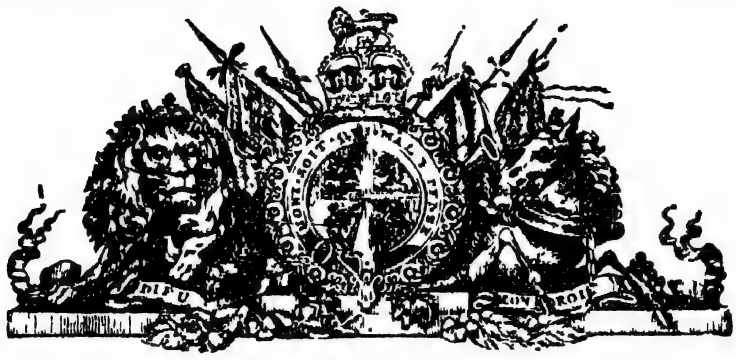
The high (or rear) mark is 80 feet high and is situated 4,962 feet N. 72° 34′ W., magnetic (variation, 4° W.), from the low (or front) mark. This beacon exhibits a fixed *white* light.

These beacons in line lead through the channel across the Taku Bar.

The Entrance Buoy, which has been off its station during dredging operations in the New Channel across the Taku Bar, has been placed in position as advertised in Notice to Mariners No. 653, namely, from the Buoy the North Fort Cavalier bears N. 61° W., magnetic, distant 6·08 miles.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

REGISTERED No. C207. **No. 52 of 1918.**



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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Forecast of the winter *till* (sesamum) crop of Bengal, 1918-19.

(NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1916-17, the area under* til *in Bengal has represented about 4·8 per cent. of the total area under* til *in British India.)

Sowings.—Unfavourable weather prevailed throughout the season. The rainfall at the outset was deficient in the western districts and the area was reduced in consequence. In the northern and eastern districts, especially in Rajshahi, Bogra and Tippera, owing to the late subsidence of flood-water the usual area under this crop could not be put down. Subsequently the crop suffered from drought. Prospects are therefore poor.

Acreage.—The total area sown this year is estimated at 49,400 acres against 52,700 acres last year. The decrease in area is, as stated above, due to unfavourable weather at sowing time.

Outturn.—According to estimates of District Officers the outturn of the crop for the Province as a whole works out at 62 per cent. of the normal against 74 per cent. last year. Taking the revised normal yield to be 6⅛ maunds per acre, the gross yield for the Province is estimated at 6,900 tons against 8,800 tons (now revised) last year.

S. MILLIGAN,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DACCA,
The 21st December 1918.

APPENDIX I.

Forecast of the winter *āus* crop of Bengal, 1918-19.

District.	Estimated normal area under Winter *āus*.	Estimated area under Winter *āus*.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which sowing generally began this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1917-18).	This year (1918-19).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
24-Parganas ...	500	500*	500*	67	58	August. Normal ..	Not yet commenced	The weather has not been favourable owing to want of rain
Nadia	5,300	1,100	900	50	42	July and August. Normal.	November. Normal.	The decrease in area was due to want of timely rainfall. The weather was not favourable at sowing time, and this interfered with cultivation and growth of the crop. The crops were partly damaged by heavy rainfall and partly by insect-pests in some thanas. Hence the outturn is expected to fall considerably below the normal.
Murshidabad ...	4,100	1,100	900	75	58	September to October. Normal, except at Jangipur. Late.	Not yet commenced	The decrease in area was due to heavy rain at sowing time. The weather has not been favourable. The outturn is expected to be less than the normal by about 42 per cent. owing to damage caused by drought.
Jessore ...	1,600	1,000	900	70	42	August. Normal	November. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of rain. The weather and condition of crop have not been favourable. Hence the outturn is below the normal.
Khulna ...	2,800	900	900	92	88	End of August. Normal.	Middle of November. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable. Want of rain retarded the growth of the crop. Some damage has been caused by insects. Hence the outturn is expected to be below the normal.
Burdwan ...	500	300	200	88	88	September and October.	Middle of November.	The decrease in area is due to want of rainfall at sowing time in the Asansol subdivision and also due to excessive rain in the Sadar subdivision. The weather has not been favourable. Some damage has been done to the crop by drought in the Asansol subdivision. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Birbhum ...	500	500*	500*	92	67	August. Normal	December ...	The weather has not been favourable. Some damage has been caused by drought.
Bankura ...	3,500	2,900	2,500	83	67	Ditto ...	Not yet commenced	The decrease in area is due to want of rain since October last. The weather and general condition of the crop have not been favourable. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Midnapore ...	3,000	2,300	2,300	85	60	July. Normal ...	November. Normal.	The weather was favourable at sowing time, but the growth has greatly been affected owing to want of rain from the middle of September. About 40 per cent. of the crop is expected to be damaged owing to want of rain. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Hooghly ...	1,000	700*	700*	62	65	Middle of September. Normal.	End of November. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable. It is reported that owing to want of rain the crop has been damaged to the extent of about 63 and 54 per cent. respectively in the Sadar and Arambagh subdivisions.
Howrah ...	100†	.....	40	.....	63	Middle of October. Normal.	Middle of November. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable. Some damage has been caused by drought.
Rajshahi ...	3 700	1,400	800	80	80	Latter part of September.	End of December. Normal.	The decrease in area was due to flood at sowing time. The weather has been fair. The outturn is likely to fall below the normal owing to want of rain in October and November.
Dinajpur ...	800	400*	400*	74	60	First part of October. Late.	Not yet commenced	The weather was not very favourable owing to drought in October Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.

* Conventional area.
† Revised.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter *till*.	Estimated area under winter *till*.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which sowing generally began this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers
		Last year (1917-18).	This year (1918-19).	Last year	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres					
Rangpur ...	1,500	1,500*	1,500*	90	100	Beginning of October. Normal.	Will begin from the middle of January.	The weather has been favourable and a normal outturn is expected
Bogra ...	1,000	700	600	45	50	Early in October. Late.	Middle of December.	The decrease in area was due to flood in September. The weather has not been favourable for the growth of the crop. The outturn is therefore expected to be much below the normal.
Pabna ...	7,000	6,000	6,000	85	65	End of September. Late.	Not yet commenced	The weather was favourable at sowing time, but subsequently the growth of the crop has been retarded owing to absence of rain. Hence the outturn is expected to fall much below the normal
Malda ...	1,500	1,500*	1,500*	65	50	Beginning of October. Late.	Middle of December. Late.	The weather was unfavourable at sowing time The growth of the crop has been retarded owing to absence of rain since September. Considerable damage has been caused to the crop by drought and insects.
Dacca ...	10,100	9,800	8,800	70	72	Latter part of August	.....	The decrease in area is due to want of rain. The weather has not been favourable Hence the outturn is expected to be below the normal
Mymensingh ...	8,600	7,800	7,800	85	85	August and September Normal.	December and January. Normal.	The weather and condition of the crop have been favourable.
Chittagong ...	200	200*	200*	90	90	August	Middle of November. Normal.	The weather has been fair.
Tippera ...	3,200†	1,800	1,400	70	60	September. Normal.	Not yet commenced.	The decrease in area is due to late subsidence of flood water in the Brahmanbaria subdivision The weather has not been quite favourable. Some damage has been done by drought and insects
Chittagong Hill Tracts	13,000	10,500	10,500	65	35	Middle of April. Normal.	Second week of November. Normal.	The weather has not been favourable. The outturn is expected to be poor.
Total ...	78,700†	53,700	49,400	74	62			

* Conventional area.
† Revised.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract Statement of estimated acreage and outturn of the winter *till* crop of Bengal for 1918-19.

Province.	Area (in acres).				Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (−), area in—		Yield (in tons).				Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (−) yield in—	
	Of current year's crop (1918-19).	Of previous year's crop (1917-18).	Average of preceding—		Column 3	Column 4.	Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Column 8.	Column 9.
1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9		10	11
			Five years.	*Ten years.*	*Five years.*	*Ten years.*			*Five years*	*Ten years*	*Five years.*	*Ten years*
Bengal ...	49,400	53,700	57,900	80,400	−15	−39	6,900	8,500	7,400	11,000	−22	−37

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First Forecast of the Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1918-19.

(Note.—On an average of the five years ending 1916-17, the area under linseed in Bengal has represented some 5·8 per cent. and that under rape and mustard 20·8 per cent. of the total area under these crops in British India.)

Explanatory.—Three forecasts are issued for the spring oilseed crops. The present forecast deals only with the area sown and the general condition of the crops.

Area sown.—Oilseeds are grown chiefly in the Rajshahi, Dacca and Presidency Divisions. In the other two Divisions the cultivation is small. The total area under these crops (excepting sesamum for which separate forecasts are issued) is reported to be 1,296,800 acres this year against 1,328,200 and 1,333,500 acres, respectively, in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

Character of the Season.—The rainfall in September was in defect of the normal in the northern and western districts, but somewhat in excess in the eastern districts. There was, however, plenty of moisture for preparatory tillage which began at the usual time. In most districts sowings began at the usual time, but soil moisture was, on account of the drought in October, much below the normal. The present condition of the *rabi* crops, while generally fair in the Northern and Eastern Bengal districts, is reported to be poor in the remainder of the Presidency.

DACCA,
The 14th December 1918.

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APPENDIX I.

First Forecast of the Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1918-19.

District	Name of spring oilseed crop	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds. Last year (1917-18).	Estimated area under spring oilseeds. This year (1918-19).	Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
24-Parganas	Linseed	1,600	800*	800*	October to November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable owing to want of rain. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	1,500	800*	800*		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	300	300	200*		
	Total	3,400	1,700	1,600		
Nadia	Linseed	55,700	34,700	32,000	October	The sowings were generally late. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard	23,500	14,800	12,700		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	18,900	3,500	3,300		
	Total	98,100	52,800	48,000		
Murshidabad	Linseed	20,800	14,700	16,100	September to November	The sowings were normal except in the Kandi subdivison where they were poor. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crops is poor
	Rape and mustard	18,900	13 200	12,300		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	8,700	3,500	5,400		
	Total	48,400	31,400	33,800		
Jessore	Linseed	24,000	9,600	6,100	October and November. Normal.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable owing to want of rain. The condition of the crops is on the whole poor.
	Rape and mustard	49,000	19,600	16,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	3,200	1,600	1,200		
	Total	76,000	30,800	23,300		
Khulna	Linseed	900	500	500	First week of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crops is poor for want of rain.
	Rape and mustard	29,700	19,500	17,400		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*)	100	500	500		
	Total	30,700	20,200	18,100		
Burdwan	Linseed	22,500	11,200	7,700	Beginning of October to beginning of November	The sowings were late in the Sadar and Katwa subdivisions and normal elsewhere. The weather has not been favourable The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard	21,100	14 700	8,100		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	1,500	800	100		
	Total	45,100	26,700	15,900		
Birbhum	Linseed	800	800*	800*	October	The sowing were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard	2,000	2,000*	2,000*		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	200	200		
	Total	3,000	3,000	3,000		

* Conventional area.

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds. Last year (1917-18).	Estimated area under spring oilseeds. This year (1918-19).	Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
Bankura	Linseed	1,000	1,000*	1,000*	Middle of October	The sowings were late owing to want of rain and the area has decreased consequently. The weather has not been favourable and the condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard	7,000	4,100	3,700		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	8,000	4,500	3,800		
	Total	16,000	9,600	8,500		
Midnapur	Linseed	15,000	11,500	12,000	November	The sowings were normal. The weather and rainfall conditions have been very unfavourable for the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard	31,000	11,500	10,500		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	14,500	13,100	14,000		
	Total	60,500	36,100	36,500		
Hooghly	Linseed	800	700*	700*	End of October	The sowings were late. The weather and rainfall conditions have not been favourable for the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard	7,900	4,000	3,800		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	2,700	700	700		
	Total	11,400	5,400	5,200		
Howrah	Linseed	2,000	400	200	Ditto	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable owing to want of rain. The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard	1,100	800	400		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	100	100	100		
	Total	3,200	1,300	700		
Rajshahi	Linseed	28,000	8,400	14,600	Beginning of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not altogether been favourable. The condition of the crops is fair. The increase in area sown under linseed and rape and mustard is due to more extensive cultivation owing to destruction of paddy by flood in August and September.
	Rape and mustard	74,000	44,200	57,800		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	400	1,700	1,200		
	Total	102,400	54,300	73,100		
Dinajpur	Linseed	(40)	(40)*	(40)*	By the middle of October.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been very favourable. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard	70,000	60,800	50,600		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	...	100	100		
	Total	70,000	60,900	50,700		
Jalpaiguri	Rape and mustard	53,600	51,900	51,100	Middle of October to first week of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	200	200	Middle of October.	
	Total	53,800	52,100	51,300		

* Conventional area.

District.	Name of spring oilseeds crops	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER SPRING OILSEEDS.		Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1917-18)	This year (1918-19).		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
Darjeeling	Rape and mustard ..	7,000	3,300	2,800	September to October.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crop is good.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*)	200	200	200		
	Total ..	7,200	3,500	3,000		
Rangpur ..	Rape and mustard ...	160,000	140,000	118,000	First part of November	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crop is fair.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	1,100	200	200		
	Total ...	161,100	140,200	118,200		
Bogra ...	Linseed .	1,000	1,500	1,600	Middle of October	The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard .	60,000	12,000*	12,000*		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	...	200	200		
	Total ...	61,000	13,700	13,800		
Pabna ...	Linseed	7,600	8,300	8,500	End of October ...	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable owing to want of rain at the sowing time. The present condition of the crops is good.
	Rape and mustard ...	110,000	114,500	114,500		
	Total ...	117,600	122,800	122,000		
Malda ...	Linseed	6,000	4,500	3,500	Middle of October	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crops is poor owing to absence of rain since September. The decrease in area under linseed and rape and mustard was due to want of moisture at the time of sowing.
	Rape and mustard ...	30,000	20,000	10,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	2,500	1,200	1,200		
	Total ..	38,500	25,700	14,700		
Dacca ...	Linseed	4,800	4,600	700	Beginning of November	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops. There has been no rainfall yet but this has not affected the crop to any appreciable extent. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	82,400	78,000	74,900		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	...	200		
	Total ..	87,400	82,600	75,800		
Mymensingh	Linseed	13,800	13,800	13,800	Middle of October	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable owing to want of rain. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	430,700	472,300	472,300		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	300	300	300		
	Total ...	444,800	486,400	486,400		
Faridpur ...	Linseed	5,000	6,100	6,100	October	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crops is good.
	Rape and mustard ..	25,700	23,700	25,700		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*)	1,100	1,100	1,100		
	Total ...	32,700	30,900	32,900		

* The decrease in area this year is due to revision of estimates

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds.		Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1917-18).	This year (1918-19).		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
Bakarganj ...	Linseed	4,500	4,100	4,400	Latter part of October and first part of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	1,100	1,500	1,500		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	100	100		
	Total ...	5,800	5,700	6,000		
Chittagong ...	Linseed	100	100	100	October and November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	2,600	2,000	2,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	100	100	100		
	Total ...	2,800	2,200	2,200		
Tipperah ...	Linseed	4,800	4,400	4,300	October ...	The sowings were normal. Owing to insufficient rainfall the weather has not been quite favourable. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	34,500	26,300	26,300		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	800	600	600		
	Total ...	40,100	31,300	31,200		
Noakhali ...	Linseed	5,000	5,500	6,000	November ...	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable.
	Rape and mustard ...	600	600	600		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	700	900	900		
	Total ...	6,300	7,000	7,500		
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rape and mustard ...	13,900	13,000	12,000	Second week of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has not been favourable. The condition of the crops is poor.
Total Bengal	Linseed	226,600	142,900	141,000		
	Rape and mustard ...	1,252,400	1,152,900	1,119,800		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	66,100	35,700	36,500		
	Total .	1,545,100	1,333,500	1,296,300		

* Conventional.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

SECOND FORECAST OF THE WINTER RICE CROP OF BENGAL, 1918-19.

(NOTE.—On the average of the five years ending 1916-17, the area under winter rice in Bengal represents some 19·2 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.)

Character of the season.—In the first forecast of this crop the season was described as having been a favourable one on the whole up to the time of writing ; and the crop was expected in the absence of any untoward circumstances to approach the normal in yield.

The weather on the whole continued seasonable up to the middle of September in spite of heavy rainfall which caused floods in Eastern and Northern Bengal, damaging the deep-water paddy in the former and the transplanted paddy in the latter areas. The rainfall in the latter half of the month was, however, unsatisfactory, being scanty and badly distributed. The October rains, which are normally abundant and are the mainstay of the crop in Bengal, were practically a total failure the only districts receiving anything like an adequate supply being Jalpaiguri, Bakarganj, Noakhali and Chittagong. November contributed no rain of any account and the season which opened in a promising manner finished badly. The deep-water *aman* paddy where undamaged by floods has, as might be expected, suffered least ; but the crop is a poor one both on high land and on land transplanted late in the season.

Acreage.—According to the figures returned by the District Officers the total area under winter rice amounts to 15,962,100 acres as compared with 15,546,300 and 15,515,500 acres in the second and final forecasts, respectively, of last year. The increase over last year's estimates has been explained in the first forecast.

Outturn.—From the district returns it will be noted that Bakarganj alone shows a bumper crop, the percentage outturn being estimated at 120. A normal crop is estimated for two districts, viz., Chittagong and Noakhali, while the crop expectations vary from 80 to 95 per cent. in the case of seven districts and 60 to 77 per cent. in eight districts. For the remaining nine districts the estimated outturn ranges from 50 to 59 per cent., Murshidabad and Bogra showing the lowest figures.

On the basis of the above figures the provincial outturn works out at 77 per cent. of the normal against 98 per cent. and 100 per cent. of the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

Taking 12½ maunds as the normal yield of clean grain per acre, the gross outturn of the province is estimated at 112,874,900 cwts. against 134,320,000 and 136,789,700 cwts. reported in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

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DACCA,
The 9th December 1918.

APPENDIX I.

Second Forecast of Winter Rice Crop of 1918-19.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER WINTER RICE.		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF AREA.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year. (1917-18).	This year. (1918-19).	Last year (1917-18).	This year (1918-19).		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas ...	899,700	880,400	893,200	117	83	November. Normal.	The increase in area as compared with the last year's forecast is due to more area having been brought under cultivation as a result of the reclamation of the Sundarbans. Some damage to the crop by drought is reported from the Basirhat subdivision. The weather conditions were not very favourable.
Nadia	136,800	123,800	125,600	83	58	First week of November. Normal (Not yet commenced in parts of the district.)	Increase in area is due to a portion of jute lands having been sown with *aman* paddy. Weather has not been favourable. Some damage has been done for want of rain.
Murshidabad ...	345,600	312,100	315,100	92	50	Not yet commenced.	The decrease in area as compared with the area sown in the first forecast is due to the crop on low lands, being under water owing to incessant rainfall and floods. Weather was favourable at the beginning, but it turned unfavourable owing to the absence of October rains.
Jessore... ...	568,100	463,000	453,400	96	75	Beginning of November. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with last year is due to excessive rainfall in the early part of the season, which submerged low lands. The outturn is anticipated to fall below the normal owing to insufficiency of rainfall during the period of growth.
Khulna ...	745,300	750,000	741,400	108	92	Beginning of November Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with that of the last year is due to untimely heavy rainfall. The weather during the growth was favourable, but a shower was needed in October and early in November. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Burdwan ...	874,800	716,000	709,000	108	75	Not yet commenced	The decrease in area as compared with the area in the first forecast and the preceding year is due to the fact that low lands were under water on account of incessant rainfall and floods. Weather has been favourable at the beginning of the season. Drought at the time of growth accounts for the outturn falling below the normal.
Birbhum ...	604,600	601,500	601,500	100	67	Ditto ...	Weather has been unfavourable. Drought caused considerable damage. Hence the low outturn.
Bankura ...	510,600	520,000	520,000	117	62	Not yet begun ...	The growth of the crop was retarded for want of sufficient rainfall. Drought in September and October also caused considerable damage. Hence the poor outturn.
Midnapore ...	1,579,400	1,637,000	1,648,000	110	60	Second week of November. Early.	The increase in area as compared with that of last year is due to decrease in jute cultivation. Want of rainfall has retarded the growth of the crop. Drought has caused damage to the extent of about 40 per cent. Hence the low outturn.
Hooghly ...	276,700	198,000	196,000	100	59	Not yet commenced	The decrease in area as compared with that of last year is due to want of rainfall at sowing time. Weather has been very unfavourable. Extensive damage was done to the crops by drought.
Howrah ...	125,200	119,300	114,400	87	67	Ditto ...	Weather has not been favourable. No rain fell since the submission of the first forecast. Considerable damage has been caused by drought.
Rajshahi ...	697,000	562,600	620,000	80	57	Ditto ...	The floods at the end of August and drought in October have caused considerable damage.
Dinajpur ...	1,120,300	749,800	1,019,100	80	63	Ditto ...	The decrease in area as compared with the first forecast is due to the high floods and insufficient rain afterwards. The growth of the crop has been unsatisfactory on account of drought in the latter part of September and during October.
Jalpaiguri ...	551,300	484,000	497,400	100	95	Harvesting not yet commenced.	Weather has been favourable, but unequal distribution of rainfall has caused the outturn to fall somewhat below the normal.
Darjeeling ...	65,200	26,100	25,900	100	83	November. Normal.	The effects of the weather on the crop are fair. The outturn will fall below the normal owing to insufficiency of rain.
Rangpur ...	822,300	585,000	674,000	80	77	End of November. Normal.	Owing to the low price of jute last year and the favourable weather continuing at the sowing time there has been an increase in the area. The weather was generally favourable at the sowing time, but the crop has been damaged by flood slightly. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to flood in July and August and also to drought in October and November 1918.
Bogra ...	303,000	440,500	450,000	80	50	Not yet commenced	There was continued absence of rain after the first part of September. In some parts of the district there was slight rainfall in October, but there was no rain in other parts. A considerable portion of what remained of the crop after damage by flood is withering on account of the drought. Hence the low percentage of estimated outturn.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	Estimated area under winter rice.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year (1917-18).	This year (1918-19).	Last year (1917-18).	This year (1918-19).		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Patna ...	366,000	803,700	620,000	100	60	15th November. Normal.	There was continuous drought since the submission of the first forecast which injuriously affected the growth of the crop. About 19½ per cent. of the crop was destroyed by the flood in September and 27½ per cent. by the drought in October.
Malda ...	336,300	320,000	300,700	110	67	Latter part of November. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with that of last year is due to want of rain at the time of sowing and transplantation. The weather was favourable till September. From October there has been very little rain which seriously interfered with the growth of the crop. In fact paddy has withered in places for want of rain. About half the crop is estimated to be damaged by drought.
Dacca ...	647,900	645,000	649,000	110	93	Beginning of November. Normal.	Weather has been favourable, but want of rain in October stunted the growth of the transplanted winter paddy. High flood caused slight damage to the broadcast variety.
Mymensingh ...	1,123,700	969,700	969,700	100	80	Not yet commenced.	The effects of the weather on the crop was fair. About 30 per cent. damage was reported by the Subdivisional Officer, Kishoreganj, and slight damage is reported from the Netrakona subdivision.
Faridpur ...	770,100	787,900	740,000	100	87	End of October. Normal.	The decrease in area as compared with that of last year is due to increase in the jute and sugarcane cultivation. The weather has been favourable, but some damage has been done by heavy rain.
Bakarganj ...	1,900,000	1,267,000	1,340,000	105	120	General harvesting not yet commenced. Harvesting of early varieties commenced in November Normal.	The increase in area over that of last year is due to reclamation of some land in the Sundarban areas. The outturn is expected to exceed the normal. The favourable condition of the crop is due to favourable weather at the time of transplanting and plentiful rain later up to the middle of October. Rain was, however, wanted in the early part of November.
Chittagong ...	418,400	436,100	436,100	100	100	End of November. Normal.	The floods in October have damaged the crops to some extent in Hathazari and Fatickchari thanas. The conditions are favourable in other parts of the district.
Tippera ...	724,900	780,000	780,000	100	60	Harvesting not yet generally commenced.	The weather has been unfavourable for want of timely rain. Floods have considerably damaged the broadcast paddy and insufficient rain has been harmful to the transplanted crop. About 40 per cent. has been damaged by floods, insects and insufficient rain.
Noakhali ...	610,000	600,000	600,000	100	100	November. Normal	The rains in October proved very favourable to the crop, especially to the transplanted paddy, though a slight damage was done in some parts of Feni by floods. Nevertheless a normal outturn is expected.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	47,500	43,000	41,800	75	56	Not yet commenced	The weather has not been favourable. A considerable damage was also done by floods.
Total Bengal	16,663,500	15,515,500	15,962,100	100	77		

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of the estimated acreage and outturn of the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1918-19.

Province	Area (in acres).					Yield (in cwts.).				
	Of current year's crop (1918-19).	Of previous year's crop (1917-18).	Average of preceding—	Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (—), area in—		Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—	Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (—), yield in—	
				Column 3.	Column 4.				Column 8.	Column 9.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
			Five years. *Ten years.*	*Five years.*	*Ten years.*			*Five years.* *Ten years.*	*Five years.*	*Ten years.*
Bengal ...	15,962,100	15,515,500	15,142,100 16,003,800	+2·8	+5·4 +6·4	112,874,900	136,789,700	121,002,400 134,710,500	—17·4	—6·7 —15·6

APPENDIX III.

Statement showing the rainfall in September and October 1918.

Districts.	September.		October.	
	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.
1	2	3	4	5
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
1. 24-Parganas	9·89	8·93	4·64	0·28
2. Nadia	7·73	3 84	3·66	0·08
3. Murshidabad	9·28	6·53	3·46	0·12
4. Jessore	8·55	6·79	4·32	0·23
5. Khulna	9·95	8·73	5·01	0·49
6. Burdwan	8·44	6·54	3·48	0·11
7. Birbhum	9·51	4·88	3·19	0·20
8. Bankura	8·40	4·81	2·76	0·19
9. Midnapore	9·15	6·72	4·66	0·13
10. Hooghly	8·66	7·86	3·75	Nil
11. Howrah	8·68	6·63	3·55	0·07
12. Rajshahi	9·74	8·33	3·59	0·73
13. Dinajpur	11·47	11·03	3·47	0·76
14. Jalpaiguri	21·93	16·37	6·15	2·51
15. Darjeeling	17·55	18·90	4·52	0·93
16. Rangpur	13·14	8·23	4·72	0 45
17. Bogra	10·84	10·32	4·30	0·34
18. Pabna	8·19	6·52	4·21	0·11
19. Malda	8·87	9·07	3·41	0·52
20. Dacca	8·70	9·87	4·66	0·78
21 Mymensingh	12·26	13·30	4·95	1·45
22. Faridpur	7·11	8·38	5·25	0·28
23. Bakarganj	11·53	16·73	6·38	3 06
24. Chittagong	12·82	15·03	7·31	6·70
25. Tippera	9·84	11·83	5·17	1·28
26. Noakhali	14·52	19·62	8·06	6·33
27. Chittagong Hill Tracts ...	12 79	12·22	7·01	3 04

MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR NOVEMBER 1918.

I. **Character of the season.**—The month was rainless except for a few scattered showers which fell in some districts.

II. **Progress of agricultural operations.**—Reaping of winter paddy commenced during the latter part of the month.. Sowings of *rabi* crops proceeded with difficulty for want of moisture.

III. **State of standing crops.**—The condition of standing crops was reported to be generally unsatisfactory owing to continued dry weather.

IV. **Prospects and Probable outturn.**—The prospects of the winter paddy harvest (while fair in Eastern Bengal) continued unfavourable in the Northern and Western districts. The outturn is reported to be unsatisfactory from many districts.

V. **Damage to standing crops.**—The standing winter rice crop was reported to be ripening prematurely for want of rain in some districts, especially in the Western Bengal. Some damage by insects was reported from some of the Eastern and South-Western districts.

VI. **Condition of agricultural stock.**—Agricultural live-stock were reported to be in fair condition throughout the province. Cattle-disease was reported from places in Murshidabad, Burdwan and Hooghly districts and from Cooch Behar.

VII. **Failure of pasturage and fodder.**—Scarcity of fodder was reported from flood-affected areas in the Northern districts.

VIII. **Prices of food-grains.**—During the second fortnight of the month under review the price of common rice rose in seventeen districts, fell in seven, and remained stationary in the rest, prices varying from 6 seers per rupee at Mymensingh to 9 seers per rupee at Rajshahi.

IX. **Condition of the agricultural people.**—The general condition of the agricultural population continued fair.

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DACCA, *the 21st December 1918.*

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during November 1918.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of November 1918.	Actual district rainfall for the month of November 1918.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	0·80	0·02	−0·78
	Calcutta ...	0·65	0·04	−0·61
	Nadia ...	0·66	0·07	−0·59
	Murshidabad ...	0·54	Nil	−0·54
	Jessore ...	0·80	Nil	−0·80
	Khulna ...	0·85	0·05	−0·80
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	0·68	Nil	−0·68
	Birbhum ...	0·51	Nil	−0·51
	Bankura ...	0·55	0·	−0·55
	Midnapore ...	0·92	0·01	−0·91
	Hooghly ...	0·62	0·02	−0·60
	Howrah ...	0·63	0·04	−0·59
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	0·46	Nil	−0·46
	Dinajpur ...	0·28	Nil	−0·28
	Jalpaiguri ...	0·53	0·30	−0·23
	Darjeeling ...	0·67	0·07	−0·60
	Rangpur ...	0·33	0·01	−0·32
	Bogra ...	0·52	Nil	−0·52
	Pabna ...	0·43	Nil	−0·43
	Malda ...	0·46	Nil	−0·46
Dacca ...	Dacca ...	0·87	0·	−0·87
	Mymensingh ...	0·59	Nil	−0·59
	Faridpur ...	0·74	0·03	−0·71
	Bakarganj ...	1·21	0·17	−1·04
Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	1·93	1·80	−0·13
	Tippera ...	0·97	0·08	−0·89
	Noakhali ...	1·60	1·13	−0·47
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	1·71	1·91	+0·20
	Cooch Behar ...	0·25	0·	−0·25

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CALCUTTA TRADE FLUCTUATIONS.

THE following tables are intended to show the trade by all routes, *i.e.*, by rail, river, canal, road, and sea, of the Calcutta Block* in certain selected articles during the months of April to October, 1918, as compared with the corresponding period of 1917 and 1916. The statistics have been compiled from returns furnished by the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, Railway Audit Offices, Steamer Companies, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the Collectors of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, and the Assistant Engineer, Calcutta Canals.

General Summary.

Imports.—The imports of rice, including paddy†, into Calcutta* by rail, river, canal, road, and sea (coastwise) during the months of April to October, 1918, amounted to 7,594,000 maunds as against 6,550,000 maunds in the corresponding period of the preceding year,—an increase of 16 per cent. There was an increase (3 per cent) in the imports of coal and coke (49,511,000 maunds as against 47,979,000 maunds last year). The imports by rail, river, road, and sea (coastwise) of Indian cotton piece-goods showed an increase of 35 per cent, the total value amounting to Rs. 3,32,24,000 as against Rs. 2,44,81,000 in 1917. The quantity of indigo imported during the months of April to October, 1918, increased by 3,300 maunds, or 135 per cent, to 5,700 maunds. The imports of raw jute amounted to 2,945,000 bales as against 2,243,000 bales,—an increase of 31 per cent. The importations of gunny-bags also showed an increase of 24 per cent (293 million bags as against 237 millions in the preceding year). The total imports of oilseeds (linseed and rape and mustard seed) increased by 47 per cent from 2,812,000 maunds to 4,136,000 maunds. The imports of tea increased by 13 per cent from 1,784,000 maunds to 2,023,000 maunds, and those of sugar by 3 per cent from 384,000 maunds to 394,000 maunds.

Exports.—The exports of cotton piecegoods, foreign, from Calcutta* by all routes during the months of April to October, 1918, decreased by 6 per cent (Rs. 13,78,69,000 as against Rs. 14,64,19,000 last year). The exports of gunny bags (excluding the exports by sea to foreign countries) increased from 53 million bags to 80 million bags. The shipments of gunny bags to other Indian ports increased by 11,314,000 in number in the period under review (24,080,000 as against 12,766,000 last year). The quantity of kerosene oil despatched from Calcutta and Budge-Budge by internal routes and by sea (coastwise) decreased from 3,343,000 maunds to 2,914,000 maunds, or by 13 per cent.

* The Calcutta block consists of the town of Calcutta with Howrah and Kidderpore Docks.
† One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

TABLE I

Trade of Calcutta in certain selected articles for the seven months, April to October, 1918, compared with the corresponding months of 1917

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
	BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE) (a)		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE)	
	April to Oct. 1918.	April to Oct. 1917.	April to Oct. 1918.	April to Oct. 1917.
Food-grains—				
Rice ... ... Mds	6,441,384	5,960,912	600,727	22,729
Paddy ... ... ,,	1,848,717	942,017	2,381	.....
Total (in rice) (b) .. ,,	7,593,707	6,549,672	602,215	22,729
Wheat ... ... ,,	3,634,863	6,387,433	49,601	32,044
Wheat flour ... ... ,,	46,468	108,527	196,555 (c)	180,577 (c)
Gram and pulse ... ... ,,	3,416,360	3,366,257	249,802	231,782
Other food-grains ... ... ,,	322,093	296,495	15,714	20,610
Total food-grains ... ,,	15,012,991	16,708,384	1,113,887	487,822
Coal and coke ... .. ,,	49,511,358	47,979,091	2,420,729	10,063,103
Cotton, raw ... ... Bales	61,604	89,277	13,040	33,577
,, twist and yarn, Indian ... ... Mds	201,793	253,524	69,811	76,438
,, piece goods, Indian ... ... Rs.	3,32,24,574	2,44,81,482	10,05,876	18,66,584
Indigo ... ... Mds	5,733	2,437	21,612	15,01[illegible]
Jute, raw ... ... Bales	2,945,172	2,243,459	1,309,140	548,756
,, gunny bags ... ... No.	293,171,718	236,753,711	24,080,384 (c)	12,766,438 (c)
Lac ... ... Mds	258,777	311,225	231,282	244,453
Oilseeds—Linseed ... .. ,,	2,280,516	883,356	1,018,267	514,519
,, —Rape and mustard ... ... ,,	1,855,622	1,949,062	226,[illegible]	170,240
Silk, raw ... ... ,,	1,407	2,443	2,161	2,934
Sugar—Refined ... ... ,,	107,258	162,154	9,145	2,240
,, —Unrefined ... ... ,,	286,566	223,249	73	2,981
Tea (Indian) ... ... ,,	2,023,088	1,784,008	11,112 (c)	10,267 (c)
Tobacco, unmanufactured ... ... ,,	426,006	457,018	107,299	125,423
,, manufactured .. ... ,,	38,734	37,707	4,206	2,948

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
	BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE) (d)		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE)	
	April to Oct. 1918.	April to Oct. 1917.	April to Oct. 1918.	April to Oct. 1917.
Cotton twist and yarn—Foreign ... ... Mds	75,972	41,373	159,093	116,872
,, ,, ,, —Indian ... ... ,,	16,260	1,134	225,490	249,010
Cotton piece goods—Foreign ... ... Rs	13,09,88,451	13,65,78,568	13,78,69,197	14,64,19,597
,, ,, —Indian ... ... ,,	38,60,138	82,533	1,29,47,337	1,29,99,645
Kerosene oil (e) ... ... Mds	3,164,715	2,806,553	2,914,458	3,343,107
Salt ... ... ,,	5,426,995	4,070,733	4,626,987	4,041,065
Gunny bags ... ... No.	.. ...	.....	80,150,585	53,533,030

(a) The imports by sea are coastwise imports from other Indian ports only.
(b) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(c) Represents trade by sea coastwise, only.
(d) The imports by sea include imports from other Indian ports, together with imports from foreign countries.
(e) Including figures of Budge-Budge trade.

TABLE

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b) (c)
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
	Rice	Paddy (a)	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
Burdwan	156,339	389,793	399,958	3,753	851	23,078	546	427,186	21,620,744	6	35	21,176
Birbhum	444,407	9,099	450,094	213	106	919	.....	451,334	.....	16	33	467
Bankura	6,171	5,906	9,862	174	102	.....	.....	10,138	.....	5	51	14,731
Midnapur	747,394	17,346	758,135	524	6	7,948	16	766,629	10,681	20	88	57,148
Hooghly	622,783	194,626	744,424	4,434	136	31,768	138	780,890	38,011	106	32,369	5,47,108
24-Parganas	1,586,781	749,090	2,054,932	1,909	136	26,294	4,810	2,088,071	77,912	641	41,131	5,26,900
Nadia	20,617	4,305	23,808	137,943	304	746,168	4,164	913,889	1	307	798	25,882
Murshidabad	166,888	629	167,381	149,410	8	169,520	13,551	512,770	.....	36	32	651
Jessore	42,235	32,433	56,256	2,706	.....	195,642	318	254,917	.....	540	41	.....
Khulna	152,053	353,765	391,906	1,004	8	31,525	.....	424,443	.....	213	14	133
Rajshahi	949	.....	949	8,784	.....	14,441	654	24,828	.....	4	5	734
Dinajpur	5,883	26,145	21,899	818	34	1,055	.....	23,806	.....	3	.....	333
Jalpaiguri	105	.....	105	4.....	.....	1,325	.....	1,430	.....	.....	.....	.....
Darjeeling	32	.....	32	796	.....	39	.....	867	.....	.....	.....	533
Rangpur	16,363	94	16,378	894	106	317	.....	17,495	.....	394	5	1,969
Bogra	696	3,599	2,945	540	12	3,851	.....	13,348	.....	20	.....	2,781
Pabna	116	407	370	10,468	.....	28,645	181	39,664	321	21	3,535	7,065
Malda	1,733	149	1,896	59,633	.....	13,675	624	75,758	.....	.....	3	600
Cooch Behar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	10,329	1	10,330	121	5	1,288	163	11,904	.....	5,531	102	33,201
Mymensingh	320	.....	320	121	2	633	665	1,741	.....	365	5	1,098
Faridpur	16,066	6,967	21,020	37,525	14	97,779	2,055	148,393	.....	423	69	466
Bakarganj	750,774	5,226	754,040	37	.....	4,913	.....	759,000	.....	23	121	1,215
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	5,713	5,689	9,398	.....	.....	244	903	10,540	.....	39	42	66
Noakhali	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong	23,824	15,540	33,537	.....	136	1,331	6,302	41,306	.....	5,177	8	12,222
Chittagong Port ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	380	.....	.....
Total of Bengal ...	4,779,039	1,839,938	5,929,000	411,597	1,958	1,422,395	36,087	7,800,047	21,747,670	14,469	78,787	12,56,190
OTHER PROVINCES AND STATES.												
Bihar and Orissa ...	143,084	2,870	144,878	1,370,967	5,429	1,162,525	97,314	2,781,113	27,730,551	437	3,636	1,28,438
Assam	16,084	644	16,466	3,102	8	531	494	20,591	43,237	90	138	24,638
U P of Agra and Oudh	1,647	265	1,813	1,736,946	34,758	687,768	17,973	2,481,958	.....	1,924	1,951	7,21,295
Punjab	9,415	.....	9,415	41,542	3,330	24,010	407	78,904	.....	3,074	62	93 814 (d)
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,725	.....	8,725	.....	.....	66	366
Central Provinces and Berar	633	.....	633	63,549	760	53,933	24	118,899	.....	3,102	17,941	13,81,836
Bombay	55	.....	55	1	.....	197	95	348	.....	9,216	44,826	3,17,87,409
Madras	2,917	.....	2,917	.....	11	5,367	224	8,509	.....	13,169	36,327	38,84,125
Burma	1,488,270	.....	1,488,270	.....	4	46,351	170,475	1,705,100	.....	15,933	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India	260	.....	260	4,659	.....	4,578	.....	9,497	.....	63	.....	1,64,654
Nizam's Territory ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	121	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,799	31,921
Port Blair	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918	6,441,384	1,843,717	7,593,707	3,634,363	46,468	3,416,360	322,093	15,012,991	49,511,358	61,604	185,533	2,93,64,436
GRAND TOTAL 1917	5,960,912	942,017	6,549,672	6,387,433	108,527	3,366,257	296,495	16,708,384	47,979,091	89,277	252,390	2,45,94,949
GRAND TOTAL 1916	8,637,467	1,530,407	9,393,971	3,116,481	155,837	3,023,590	341,860	16,231,539	63,637,643	78,554	213,862	2,42,36,738

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Subject to revision.

II

Canal, and Sea (Coastwise) in the seven months of April to October, 1918

Indigo	Jute		Lac	Oilseeds		Silk, raw	Sugar		Tea, Indian	Tobacco		Whence imported
	Raw(e)	Gunny bags(f)		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
.....	7,573	61,994	.....	5,001	108	2	.....	321	3	119	4	Burdwan
.....	.....	10,291	850	4,905	435	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	15	Birbhum
.....	3	23,411	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	11	Bankura
.....	8,553	146,041	.....	3,060	108	33	340	26,930	.....	631	82	Midnapur
.....	26,607	99,889,875	.....	2,702	12	2	32	20,363	.....	14,105	2,600	Hooghly
.....	121,209	198,265,319	.....	2,354	243	.....	13,165	36,970	.....	6,426	4,647	24-Parganas
.....	75,072	350,236	.....	48,742	543	86	123	8,779	.....	5,127	13	Nadia
.....	18,782	64,089	1,974	20,877	720	1,005	10	237	1	4,513	.....	Murshidabad
.....	32,886	11,685	.....	1,627	164	.....	20	76,999	.....	2,584	.....	Jessore
.....	51,470	7,626	.....	778	.....	.....	62	8,015	.....	436	7	Khulna
.....	98,059	3,813	.....	5,060	2,172	23	.....	1,200	.....	16,784	143	Rajshahi
.....	42,125	272,306	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	1,168	.....	Dinajpur
.....	69,684	81,016	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	891	656,448	40,767	5	Jalpaiguri
.....	9,179	45,059	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	199,283	5,133	150	Darjeeling
.....	534,224	160,679	.....	38	.....	.....	.....	10,104	9,340	106,340	19	Rangpur
.....	96,346	10,372	.....	154	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	3,701	.....	Bogra
.....	192,403	32,554	.....	7,469	.....	.....	16	.....	2	190	2	Pabna
.....	26,586	22,427	.....	3,556	144	236	.....	326	4	6,238	464	Malda
.....	37,698	1,025	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	631	.....	23,088	.....	Cooch Behar
.....	453,789	12,095	1	12	.....	.....	.....	91	.....	8	32	Dacca
.....	341,484	44 075	.....	754	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	982	.....	Mymensingh
.....	291,325	100,778	.....	3,465	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	291	3	Faridpur
.....	8,645	20,131	.....	366	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	4	bakarganj
.....	47,642	1,599	3	188	21	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	Tippera (including Hill Tippera)
.....	197	1,312	.....	609	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Noakhali
.....	.....	8,282	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,886	.....	.....	Chittagong
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	987	.....	.....	Chittagong Port
.....	2,596,341	293,649,021	2,888	111,737	4,670	1,387	13,789	193,464	867,985	238,582	8,406	Total of Bengal
												OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
2,918	251,632	311,050	153,461	1,632,408	49,656	.....	1,546	38 548	2,126	122,237	25,623	Bihar and Orissa
.....	97,209	59,409	11,358	504	4,589	.....	.....	.....	1,149,025	52	65	Assam
2,088	.....	93,193	58,154	493,301	236,218	.....	2,791	17.753	1.619	1,008	473	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	.....	1,517	51	608	1,303,807	20	171	3	259	82	111	Punjab
.....	.....	164	1,462	.....	51,119	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	.....	6,109	7,067	20,871	47,444	.....	.....	.....	16	51	2,035	Central Provinces and Berar
71	.....	2,419	17	.....	170,505	.....	3,123	1	171	16,592	75	Bombay
706	.....	6,939	141	14,035	21,587	.....	81,897	42.497	1,594	20.403	382	Madras
.....	.....	6,720	16,200	.....	.....	.....	3,961	.....	70	26,862	1,140	Burma
.....	.....	32,062	8,085	7,059	66,000	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	9	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	82	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
.....	.....	3,084	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	373	Mysore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	341	.....	.....	Port Blair
5,733	(g) 2,948,173	293,171,718	256,777	2,280,516	1,855,622	1,407	107,258	286,566	2,023,068	426,006	38,734	1918
2,437	2,243,459	236,753,711	211,225	863,256	1,949,062	2,443	163,154	222,249	1,784,008	457,013	37,707	1917 GRAND TOTAL
4,151	3,087,492	253,541,610	309,030	2,648,304	2,770,761	3,069	109,817	274,358	2,076,195	557,746	42,238	1916

(e) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta block, which are 2,472,710 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 67,638 bales.
(f) Including gunny cloth, 3 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
(g) Of this, 1,566,681 bales came by rail, 1,331,089 bales by river, 34,004 bales by road and 13,198 bales by sea.

TABLE III

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. II were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the seven months of April to October, 1918

Routes		Food-grains: Rice	Paddy (a)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton, twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece goods, Indian (b)(c)	Indigo
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	673,851	441,619	2,177,140	41,895	1,635,705	79,946	34,758,274	4,776	3,569	13,57,425	1,851
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	649,233	169,007	391,784	1,760	718,578	9,769	4,201,191	798	21,179	40,77,179	.....
	A.-B Railway...	62	.....	.....	.....	80	47	.....	1	100	5,242	.....
	B.-N. Railway	164,912	11,579	61,206	932	85,931	628	10,410,618	16,127	103,084	2,27,08,155	566
	B. and N.-W. Railway	1,049	1,161	875,493	1,279	154,661	21,414	.....	161	17	11,749	3,105
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	799	.....
	Kalighat-Falta Railway	93,170	28,326	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sealdah Light Railways	13,503	172	.....	4	546	3	.....	.....	15	34,189	.....
By river steamer	Bengal	328,516	25,852	26,418	340	65,030	12,853	222	11,450	455	89,437	.....
	Bihar and Orissa	9	.....	1,490	.....	79,659	16,757	.....	187	.....	11,459	.....
	Assam	6,074	470	478	8	168	209	43,237	55	28	17,997	.....
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh	.....	.....	46	.....	13,463	172	...	10	.....	9,649	.....
By boat		2,563,258	1,134,809	100,307	134	618,923	6,177	10,093	1,578	46,291	3,61,700	.....
By road		455,151	30,716	.....	112	5,976	3,643	87,723	425	11,795	6,79,386	.....
By sea		1,491,565	.....	1	4	47,641	170,475	.....	26,026	.....	.....	211
Total ...	1918 ...	6,441,384	1,843,717	3,634,363	46,468	3,416,360	332,093	49,511,358	61,604	185,533	2,93,64,436	5,733
	1917 ...	5,960,912	942,017	6,387,433	108,537	3,366,257	296,495	47,979,091	89,277	252,390	2,43,98,949	2,437
	1916 ...	8,637,467	1,530,407	3,116,481	155,837	3,023,590	342,860	63,627,643	78,564	213,862	2,42,36,738	4,151

Routes		Jute: Raw(d)	Gunny bags(e)	Lac	Oilseeds: Linseed	Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	Sugar: Refined	Unrefined	Tea, Indian	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Manufactured
		Bales of 400 lbs	No.	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I Railway ...	62,406	266,823	115,634	804,235	1,733,109	109	1,033	29,366	2,166	1,395	7,483
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	1,474,742	2,180,462	12,204	64,488	7,220	647	842	67,764	869,224	241,800	208
	A.-B Railway...	858	15,744	106	55	.....	.....	.....	.....	211,771	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway	8,820	234,930	110,534	39,779	80,189	.....	52,238	42,494	3,475	28,019	2,722
	B. and N.-W. Railway	15,414	6,601	11	1,804,370	27,854	.....	716	10,028	6	30,360	15
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	1,394	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	196,456	.....	.....
	Kalighat Falta Railway	35	2,501	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sealdah Light Railways	4,606	38,353	.....	1	.....	.....	2	27	.....	49	18
By river steamer	Bengal ..	1,035,306	204,262	958	11,046	32	951	61	2,073	13,215	44,417	674
	Bihar and Orissa	9,562	18,337	.....	7,539	530	.....	459	46	139	30,211	18,667
	Assam	62 628	37,351	3,018	449	2,477	.....	.....	.....	726,221	82	47
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh	.....	47,724	.....	11,313	466	.....	2,980	1,678	.....	905	150
By boat		223,593	286,700,096	.....	36,494	3,324	.....	208	104,020	.....	18,436	82
By road		34,004	3,394,915	.....	757	.....	.....	12,276	29,066	.....	6,365	7,409
By sea		13,198	22,330	16,312	.....	422	.....	37,003	...	316	26,967	1,264
Total ...	1918 ...	2,945,172	293 171,716	258,777	2,280,516	1,855,622	1,407	107,258	286 666	2,023,088	426,006	39,734
	1917 ...	2,243 469	234,753,711	311,235	863,356	1,949,062	2,443	162 154	222,249	1,784,008	457,013	37,707
	1916 ...	3,037,492	259,541,610	309,030	2,643,204	2,770,781	3,069	109,817	274,853	2,076,195	557,746	42,236

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta block, which are 2,472,710 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpore Docks, namely, 67,853 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.

TABLE IV

Imports of certain Articles into the Port of Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the seven months of April to October, 1918

	Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece-goods		Kerosene oil	Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		
	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds
From Foreign countries*	71,950	.....	12,97,39,643	.....	285,287	5,400,654
Coastwise—						
From British Ports in—						
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	.....
Bombay	2,661	14,144	7,58,923	38,43,373	.....	16,341
Madras	.....	1,239	.....	525	.....	10,000
Burma	1,361	187	4,89,585	15,740	2,869,428	.....
Total ...	4,022	16,260	12,48,508	38,60,138	2,869,428	26,341
Grand Total. ... 1918 ...	75,972	16,260	13,09,88,451	38,60,138	3,154,715	5,426,995
Grand Total. ... 1917 ...	41,373	1,134	13,65,78,868	32,533	2,906,553	4,070,733
Grand Total. ... 1916 ...	65,490	19,100	13,34,45,649	1,17,776	3,251,581	6,552,649

* Publication of detailed figures has been temporarily discontinued.

TABLE V

Exports of Principal Articles from the Port of Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign Countries) in the seven months of April to October, 1918

	Food-grains								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian	Cotton piece-goods, Indian
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	95	.....	95	.....	97	96	.....	288	.....	12	183	6,300
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	1,992	.....	2,036	.....	.....	4,275	.....
Bombay ...	412,871	.....	412,871	.....	.....	.....	636	413,507	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras ...	180,529	2,381	182,017	1	.....	53,371	792	236,181	110,903	.....	4,080	8,722
Burma	7,382	.....	7,382	49,600	196,414	194,343	14,236	461,875	1,946,173	85	45,149	9,39,399
Total ...	600,727	2,391	602,215	49,601	196,555	249,802	15,714	1,113,887	1,357,076	97	53,637	9,53,421
To Foreign countries.†	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,063,653	12,943	7,174	50,455
GRAND TOTAL 1918 ...	600,727‡	2,391‡	602,215‡	49,601‡	196,555‡	249,802‡	15,714‡	1,113,887‡	2,420,729	13,040	60,811	10,03,876
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	22,720‡	.....‡	22,720‡	33,044‡	180,577	221,782‡	20,690‡	487,893‡	10,063,103	33,577	76,438	18,66,584
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	35,519‡	.....‡	35,519‡	64,982‡	182,090	240,761‡	16,836‡	490,199‡	21,686,675	47,506	53,900	6,48,965

	Indigo	Jute		Lac	Oilseeds		Silk, raw	Sugar		Tea, Indian	Tobacco	
		Raw	Gunny bags*		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	.....	.....	482	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,324	17	4	180	4
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	194,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,369	.....	.....	1,206	663
Bombay ...	85	.....	492,450	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	558	.....	.....
Madras ...	105	6	1,308,312	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	829	.....	32
Burma ...	.....	148	22,084,360	235	.....	822	.....	6,452	56	9,731	105,863	3,507
Total ...	140	154	24,080,384	235	.....	822	.....	9,145	73	11,112	107,299	4,206
To Foreign countries.†	21,472	1,808,986	.....	231,047	1,018,267	226,147	2,161	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918 ...	21,612	1,809,140	24,080,884‡	231,282	1,018,267	226,969	2,161	9,145‡	73‡	11,112‡	107,299‡	4,206‡
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	15,013	548,756	13,766,433‡	244,453	514,519	170,340	2,034	2,240‡	2,961‡	10,367‡	125,423‡	2,948‡
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	6,460	1,067,869	14,116,012‡	318,489	2,124,317	6,129	5,295	8,087‡	11,364‡	9,911‡	104,859‡	2,683‡

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.
† Publication of figures under food-grains, gunny bags, sugar, tea, and tobacco, as well as of detailed figures under other heads, has been temporarily discontinued
‡ Represents trade by sea (coastwise only).

TABLE VI

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in the seven months of April to October, 1918

Whither exported	Cotton twist & yarn: Foreign	Cotton twist & yarn: Indian	Cotton piece goods: Foreign	Cotton piece goods: Indian	Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil: From Calcutta block	Kerosene oil: From Budge-Budge‡	Salt
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	316	4,494	36,11,154	1,80,780	712,692	28,362	101,157	189,482
Birbhum	56	4,799	7,78 633	52,133	350,088	130	24 873	99 207
Bankura	146	5,704	3 99 502	3,931	63,919	93	400	69,037
Midnapur	9,218	6,610	23,24,304	1,35,682	169,309	3,416	96,955	180,593
Hooghly	2,603	497	11,45,313	1,90,730	679,221	27,034	63,257	128,495
24-Parganas	5,578	1,743	6,73,208	3,13,012	587,745	66,145	49,108	157,019
Nadia	1,803	15,108	35,07,614	2,01,969	421,325	2,293	35,160	167 919
Murshidabad	1,997	4,793	22,51,783	31,417	467 255	4,209	56,770	169,861
Jessore	4 373	4,772	9,71,794	1,07,940	129,396	1,315	40,171	110 512
Khulna	7,253	748	6,46,595	94,998	93,972	8,378	38,347	93,979
Rajshahi	155	515	11,68,537	2,09,628	62,976	2,340	8 311	83,702
Dinajpur	6	885	8,20,334	1,38,416	135,136	13	24,816	88,736
Jalpaiguri	32	1 634	16,82 986	1,98,153	56,334	1,386	26,837	90,658
Darjeeling	.....	1,246	11,41,194	1,13,554	21,771	287	23,173	51,946
Rangpur	438	1,508	36,30,537	3,51,346	66,838	167	49,298	200,013
Bogra	1	822	15,82,046	6,47,055	157,153	691	37,217	159,796
Pabna	5,979	2,975	21,76,563	4,29,581	79,909	259	149,742	146 998
Malda	379	2,958	5,79,321	1,27,774	99,712	2	.....	37 472
Cooch Behar	.....	377	9,61,628	98,64.	14,355	89	6,952	30,326
Dacca	20,695	2,483	66,29,695	4,20,8..	81,389	1,789	274,557	322,366
Mymensingh	6,114	2,409	28,29,363	16,24,84.	46,463	149	11,108	257,514
Faridpur	9,546	1,38.	15,46,908	1,71,608	17,073	2,012	29,619	14. 540
Bakarganj	11,368	244	8,36,600	3,09,932	312,209	1,250	17,467	147,111
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	5,532	4,551	23 38,111	33,149	31,..	80	.....	64,434
Noakhali	1,553	6,283	9.60,681	37,345	37,433	3	.....	1,179
Chittagong	1,641	106	1,79,760	65,564	181,128	1,841	... ..	1,01.
Chittagong Port	326	2,778	12,77,175	1,48,823	6,683	.....	.....	86
Total of Bengal	99,603	89,307	4,61,47,079	46,10,363	5,247,043	153,669	1,197,579	3,120,920
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES								
Bihar and Orissa	9,329	61,664	2,74,89,645	24,86,391	8,784,819	3,981	752,917	1,070,692
Assam	8,345	4,480	1,05,20,784	12,53,363	360,306	7,995	12,221	413,104
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	805	4,478	2,68,29,529	10,12,987	8,946,614	3,260	662,090	13,220
Punjab	5,821	2 287	1,20,97,171	88,301	11,887,499	90	69,969	21
Sind and British Baluchistan	.....	.....	40,581	1,732	1,61,776	.....	.....	306
Central Provinces and Berar	322	3,638	9,40,452	65,035	3,216,040	945	21,821	9,807
Bombay	1,302	3,535	27,85,302	5,03,430	13,628,522	263	2,781	.. ...
Madras	10,520	17,800	17,20,420	71,750	3,223,791	49	400	1,732
Burma	23,132	45,149	94,63,782	9,39,399	22,044,260	.....	.....	845
Rajputana and Central India	14	29	1,65,677	5,188	10,10,937	1,338	27,665	334
Kashmir State	.....	.....	.....	.....	42,595	.....	.....	...
Nizam's Territory	.....	...	81,615	4,948	49,046	.....	.....	....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	86,920	.....	.....	502
Port Blair	.....	183	9,000	5,300	462	.....	39	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1918	189,093	225,490	13,78,69,197	1,29,47,357	80,150,585	171,590	2,743,568	4,626,987
GRAND TOTAL 1917	116,872	249,010	14,64,19,597	1,29,92,645	82,533,030	226,821	3,116,286	4,041,065
GRAND TOTAL 1916	115,779	231,863	12,53,60,858	1,32,18,818	85,933,461	301,702	3,312,394	5,706,398

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.

† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.

‡ The exports of kerosene oil from Budge-Budge to Calcutta during the seven months, April to October 1918, were 655,814 mds. as against 514,979 mds. and 627,363 mds. in the corresponding periods of 1917 and 1916, respectively).

TABLE VII

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. VI were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the seven months of April to October, 1918

Routes		Cotton twist and yarn		Cotton piece-goods *		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
		Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge	
		Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	4,927	35,077	3,35,38,638	8,55,419	9,935,489	30,701	860,422	741,905
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	1,278	42,222	2,05,69,946	31,62,029	1,852,544	6,690	470,964	1,274,781
	A.-B. Railway ...	1,884	14,943	62,64,413	3,21,700	81,139	3,107	597	72,681
	B.-N. Railway ...	960	31,763	40,94,444	4,79,702	3,601,768	1,469	4,249	540,759
	B. and N.-W. Railway	123	7,267	1,09,98,064	12,24,672	2,571,602	234	345,175	146,675
	O. and R. Railway ...	237	651	20,72,539	1,04,188	1,684,854	920	298,894	81
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	1,062	.....	5,54,383	.....	18,573	2,416	.....	14,216
	N.-W. Railway ..	1,690	2,239	10,20,602	79,550	10,267,056	21	38,995	.....
	G. I. P. Railway ...	1,390	3,490	28,41,136	5,17,019	12,091,433	656	25,999	.....
	B. B. & C. I. Railway	11	26	1,58,300	8,527	2,670,412	862	14,720	.....
	M. & S. M. Railway ..	5,349	11,238	8,59,812	46,038	2,147,252	14	.....	2,205
	S. I. Railway ...	273	365	1,05,911	1,423	226,443	.....	.....	.....
	J. B. Railway ...	.....	9	37,965	4,870	65,149	.....	.....	.....
	N. G. S. Railway ...	.....	.....	81,516	3,204	58,220	.....	.....	...
	Other Railways ...	44	39	4,04,991	98,849	218,776	2,272	16,747	11,754
" river steamer	Bengal	74,071	11,216	1,80,71,896	26,89,928	1,313,353	11,450	523,717	825,951
	Bihar and Orissa ...	3,679	7,188	1,07,50,040	7,13,326	4,622,668	252	.....	8,766
	Assam	8,106	3,111	78,57,866	10,54,270	245,508	5,291	8,270	274,121
	U. P. of Agra and Oudh	205	379	61,94,947	1,63,046	1,259,192	1	.....	1,188
" boat		19,460	97	5,12,900	14,900	787,597	27,904	117,150	620,316
" road		2,039	583	7,99,212	4,51,256	351,173	74,329	4,935	87,009
" sea		32,615	53,637	1,00,79,676	9,53,421	24,080,384	.....	12,034	4,629
Total ...	1918 ...	159,098	225,490	13,78,69,197	1,29,47,337	80,150,585	171,590	2,742,868	4,626,987
	1917 ...	116,872	249,010	14,64,19,597	1,29,99,645	53,533,030	226,821	3,116,286	4,041,065
	1916 ...	115,779	231,863	12,53,60,838	1,22,18,818	55,933,461	301,762	3,312,354	5,706,356

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards of cloth = 1 bag.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

December 23, 1918.

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Director of Statistics.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 19th December 1918.

Summary.—During the week light scattered showers fell in a few districts. More rain is wanted for the growth of the standing spring crops; prospects are generally reported to be unfavourable. Reaping of winter paddy is in sull swing; threshing continues in the eastern districts. Pressing of sugarcane is going on. Owing to influx of new rice into the market the average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by about 1·14 per cent. as compared with that of the preceding week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in sheers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
1	24-Parganas	0·38	7⅛	6⅜	Harvesting of winter rice and sugarcane is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	0·55	8⅜	6⅞	
	Barrackpore	0·15	6¼	6¼	
	Barasat ...	0·05	6	8½	
	Basirhat ...	0·54	8½	7¾	
2	Nadia ...	0·05	7	7	Rain is badly wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Prospects of standing crops are not favourable. Fodder supply is sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	7	7	
	Chuadanga ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	6½	6½	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	7	6¾	Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable. Rain is wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Fodder is sufficient.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	7	7	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	7¼	7¼	
	Kandi ...	Nil	8	7¾	
4	Jessore ...	0·06	9	8	Harvesting of *aman* paddy is going on. Recent rain has slightly improved the prospects of *rabi* crops. More rain is wanted. Prospects of standing crops are unfavourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jhenidah ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
	Magura ...	0·09	8¼	11	
	Narail ...	0·25	8	8	
	Bangaon ...	0·16	7	7	
5	Khulna ...	1·55	8½	8½	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Satkhira ...	0·90	8¼	8	
	Bagerhat ...	0·05	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather condition of crops, etc.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	Weather clear. Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of potatoes and onions continue. All standing crops are suffering for want of moisture. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Asansol ...	Nil	6¼	6¾	
	Katwa ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kalna ...	Nil	6½	6	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7	7	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Rampurhat	Nil	7½	7	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Harvesting of *aman* paddy, *til* and sugarcane continues. Condition of standing crops is not good. Supply of fodder is deficient and dear. Cattle-disease is reported from Saltora.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	7	7	
9	MIDNAPORE	0·14	7 1/16	6	Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Prospects of *rabi* crops are not favourable. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Salboni.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	7¼	6⅞	
	Tamluk ...	0·38	6¼	6¾	
	Contai ...	Nil	8	7½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0·15	6¾	6¼	Effects of weather on the growth of the crops are unfavourable. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Polba.
	Serampore ...	0·14	6	6	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·37	5	6	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Sowing of *rabi* crops is finished. Condition of sugarcane is fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Ulubaria ...	0·33	6½	6½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA)	Nil	7	7½	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects are unfavourable.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	8	8	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	7 3/16	7 1/16	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	10	11	
	Balurghat ..	Nil	8 9/16	9¼	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Alipur ...	Nil	7½	7½	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	7½	7½	Weather clear. Harvesting of *marua* has been completed. Winter paddy, potatoes and other *rabi* crops are progressing favourably in places and harvesting has also commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	8½	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Prospects of crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	Nil	10	8	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	7½	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	8	8¼	Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder is sufficient except in the area which was flooded.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	7¼	7½	Prospects of standing crops are bad. Fodder is sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	6	6½	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	7½	8	Condition of *rabi* crops is not good. Harvesting of winter paddy and *kalai* continues.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅜	8⅜	Harvesting of *haimanti* paddy continues. Condition and prospects of standing crops are favourable. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	0·02	6½	7	Weather cold. Prospects of standing crops are fair on the whole. Fodder and water are sufficient and no cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj...	0·00	6½	6	
	Narayanganj	0·15	6 1/16	6 3/16	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	7	6	
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	5⅝	5⅝	Transplanting of *boro* (spring) rice has commenced. Fodder is sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	6¾	6¾	
	Netrokona ...	Nil	7	7	
	Kishoreganj	Nil	6½	6¾	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
23	Faridpur ...	0·09	7	7	Prospects of crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo ...	0·07	8	8¼	
	Madaripur ..	0·49	7¾	7¼	
	Gopalganj*...	0·04	7	7	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	7¾	{ 5¼ 6¾† }	Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder is sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	6¼	6¼	
	Patuakhali	Nil	6¾	6¼	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	6½	6½	
25	Chittagong	Nil	7½	7½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. *Panga* salt is selling at 10 seers and 8 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively. Fodder is sufficient.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	9	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	7½	7	Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Winter paddy and standing *rabi* crops are being damaged by insects. Fodder is insufficient in Brahmanbaria.
	Brahmanbaria.	0·13	8	8	
	Chandpur ...	0·31	7	7	
27	Noakhali ...	0·52	8	7	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is nearing completion. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress; prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	Nil	10	8¾	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Nil	6	6	Prospects of standing crops are fair Harvesting of cotton crops continues; outturn good. Fodder is sufficient.

* The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here. | † New

N. Gupta,

Dacca, *the 23rd December 1918.* for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 14th December 1918.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1918.					
8th Dec.	7 A.M.	9·6	9·6	11·6	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
9th ,,	7 ,,	9·5	9·5	11·5	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
10th ,,	7 ,,	9·5	9·5	11·3	
11th ,,	7 ,,	9·3	9·3	11·1	
12th ,,	7 ,,	9 3	9·3	11·0	Its reduced level is 22·41.
13th ,,	7 ,,	9·2	9·2	10·8	
14th ,,	7 ,,	9·0	9·0	10·7	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·0 on 9th August 1917.
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	4·8 on 3rd March 1917.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	...	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	...	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1911.
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1906.

FARIDPUR,
The 14th December 1918.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 14th December 1918.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. Old value.	Height of surface above mean sea-level. According to correct B. M. now found.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year. Old B. M.	Remarks.
1918.						
8th Dec.	8 A.M.	Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.	44·37	38·05	47·90	B. M. on College step 63·42.
9th ,,	8 ,,		44·32	38·00	41·48	
10th ,,	8 ,,		44·22	37·90	41·38	
11th ,,	8 ,,		44·22	37·90	41·28	
12th ,,	8 ,,		44·02	37·70	41·18	
13th ,,	8 ,,		43·92	37·60	41·03	
14th ,,	8 ,,		43·87	37·55	40·83	

			Value according to old gauge.	Value according to new value of B. M = 63·42.
The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 66·50 on 12th August 1917	... 60·18
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	... 40·15 on 19th-20th April 1917	... 33·83
Record	...	Highest ,,	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879	... 62·93
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885	... 62·76
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·30 on 25th August 1906	... 61·98
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 68·21 on 26th August 1899	... 61·89
Do.	...	Lowest ,,	... 37·63 on 25th April 1884	... 31·31
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883	... 31·81
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897	... 32·70
Do.	...	Ditto ,,	... 39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908	... 32·96

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 14th December 1918.

S. C. BHATTACHARJEE,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 14th December 1918.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	At highest water. Time	At highest water. Readings	At lowest water. Time.	At lowest water. Readings.	At 5 P.M.	Remarks.
1918.							
8th Dec.	53·2	1-8 P.M.	54·85	8 A.M.	53·0	53·75	Tide turned at 8-15 A.M. and 1-22 P.M.
9th ,,	53·05	1-26 ,,	54·8	8-40 ,,	52·8	53·85	Tide turned at 9 A.M. and 1-40 P.M.
10th ,,	53·1	1-55 ,,	54·8	9-32 ,,	52·8	53·85	Tide turned at 9-50 A.M. to 2-15 P.M.
11th ,,	53·25	2-24 ,,	54·7	10-28 ,,	52·9	53·9	Tide turned at 10-30 A.M. to 2-40 P.M.
12th ,,	53·55	3-15 ,,	54·5	12-15 P.M.	53·0	53·75	Tide turned at 12-50 P.M. and 3-55 P.M.
13th ,,	54·1	4-50 ,,	54·3	1 ,,	53·0	53·95	Tide turned at 1-10 P.M. and 5 P.M.
14th ,,	54·35	7 A.M.	54·85	2 ,,	52·9	53·82	Tide turned at 7-10 A.M. and 2-20 P.M.

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·5	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69 86	
1st ,,	1911	68 16	
13th ,,	1913	67 16	
31st ,,	1915	69 7	
18th ,,	1916	68 1	
12th ,,	1917	67 1	
23rd February	1907	51 06	Taken at low tide
18th ,,	1908	51 06	
12th March	1912	51 06	
6th ,,	1914	50 6	
22nd February	1915	50 8	
15th ,,	1916	50 6	
3rd March	1917	51 0	

DACCA,
The 19th December 1918.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 14th December 1918, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 14th December 1918. Number of boats	Weight of cargo.	Tollage	Week ending Saturday, the 15th December 1917. Number of boats	Weight of cargo	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs		Mds	Rs.
Rice and paddy	897	103,942	1,746	672	68,225	1,088
Jute	101	56 008*	578	176	79,575†	973
Firewood	129	76,575	1,220	50	20 125	289
Other articles	676	147,192	2 116	789	152 246	1,936
Total ...	1,803	383 717	5,660	1,687	320,171	4,286
Empty boats and rafts .	535	...	1,681	419	...	1,116
GRAND TOTAL ...	2,338	383 717	7,341	2,106	320,171	5,402

		Mds.	
*	Weight by canal measurement ..	60,425	t
†	Ditto ditto . .	85 325	

CALCUTTA,
The 18th December 1918.

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